

Eugene Barksdale LSU Photograph Collection
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SUMMARY

Size	25 items, 8" x 10" gelatin silver photographic prints
Geographic Locations	Baton Rouge, Louisiana
Inclusive Dates	July 4, 1938
Bulk Dates	July 4, 1938
Languages	English
Summary	25 photographic images of buildings and other sites on the LSU campus
Access Restrictions	There are no restrictions on this collection.
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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Eugene Barksdale, born 1903 in Olive Branch, Louisiana, worked for Caldwell Brothers Construction Company as their concrete and carpenter supervisor from the early 1920s through 1938 during the construction of the “new” Louisiana State University campus south of downtown Baton Rouge. He then entered a partnership with the Leblanc Brothers & Company in 1939. In 1941, Barksdale, working with LeBlanc Brothers & Company, supervised construction of Camp Polk (later Fort Polk) located in west-central Louisiana near Leesville, Vernon Parish, and DeRidder, Beauregard Parish.

Following World War II, Barksdale returned to Baton Rouge, Louisiana, where he formed a building contractor business with William Hardee LeBlanc, Jr., one of the brothers from the LeBlanc & Brothers Company. Barksdale continued working as a building contractor from the late 1940s through his death in 1962.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

These photographic images document the appearance of 25 structures on the LSU campus in 1938. Includes exterior views of student residential halls (4 different structures), fraternity houses (3 different structures), the football (2 images of the same structure, 1 interior and 1 exterior) and baseball stadia, field house, and gymnasium, John M. Parker Coliseum (2 images of the same structure, 1 interior and 1 exterior), administrative, classroom, and auxiliary buildings (9 different structures), Mike the Tiger’s cage (1 image), and the reflecting pool (1 image).

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Journalism Building (Baton Rouge, La.)--Photographs.	499023
Kappa Sigma Fraternity House (Baton Rouge, La.)--Photographs.	499005
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Sunken Garden and Reflecting Pool (Baton Rouge, La.)--Photographs.	499025
Tiger Stadium (Baton Rouge, La.)--Photographs.	499008
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CONTAINER LIST

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65:07	1 of 1	Dormitories: Four student resident buildings on the LSU campus Greek letter societies—Dwellings: Three fraternity houses Sports facilities: Football and baseball stadia, field house, and gymnasium Arenas: Two images of the Parker Agricultural center College buildings: Nine images of administrative, classroom, and auxiliary buildings Animal cages and reflecting pools: Tiger cage and reflecting pool	499001 - 499004 499005 - 499007 499008 - 499012 499013 - 499014 499015 - 499023 499024 - 499025