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SUMMARY

Size	1 linear foot.
Geographic Locations	Baton Rouge, La., New Orleans, La.
Inclusive Dates	1959-1960.
Languages	English.
Summary	Printed items, photographs, flags, and memorabilia pertaining to the activities celebrating LSU's centennial in 1959-1960.
Access Restrictions	No restrictions on access.
Copyright	Physical rights are retained by the LSU Libraries. Examination and reproduction are governed by state and federal public records laws.
Related Collections	Office of the Chancellor Records, A0001 LSU Board of Supervisors Records, A0003 LSU System Records, A0002 Louisiana State University Centennial Committee Records, A4001
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Stack Location(s)	Range 79:68.

HISTORICAL NOTE

LSU celebrated its centennial from October of 1959 through April of 1960. Beginning with the dedication of the new LSU Library (now Troy H. Middleton Library), events such as a military review featuring uniforms worn by cadets from 1860 to 1953, a symposium on the history of public education in Louisiana, and an honors convocation marked the seven-month celebration. The university printed several publications on the history of campus buildings, noted faculty and administrators, and the mission and accomplishments of LSU. In addition, memorabilia with the centennial logo was offered for sale. Louisiana issued its 1960 license plates in purple and gold to commemorate LSU's centennial.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Printed items, programs, photographs, and memorabilia created to mark and promote LSU's centennial in 1959-1960. Printed items include programs for the dedication of the new library, pamphlets, programs for exhibits, concerts, and symposia; and booklets: *Builders and Buildings*, *Presenting the Louisiana State University Library*, *This is LSU*, *Welcome to LSU*, and *Louisiana Paintings of the Nineteenth Century: An Exhibition in the Louisiana State University Library*. Also included are *The LSU Outlook* newsletter from October 1959, stationery with the centennial logo, the Summer 1960 issue of *The Southeastern Librarian* containing an article on the new LSU Library, a reproduction of an aerial photograph of campus, and a chart showing the various logos used during the centennial. Photographs are from the Centennial Military Review and show cadets modeling uniforms from 1860 to 1953 along with a script describing each uniform, and two photographs of a groundbreaking ceremony at Louisiana State University in New Orleans (now University of New Orleans). Memorabilia includes a schedule for the 1959 football season, centennial decal, an adhesive lapel badge, a foil envelope seal, a small brass tray, a 1960 Louisiana automobile license plate, and two centennial flags.

INDEX TERMS

Louisiana State University (Baton Rouge, La.)--Centennial celebrations, etc.
Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College--Buildings.
Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College. College of Education.
Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College. Reserve Officers Training Corps.
Louisiana State University in New Orleans.
LSU Tigers (Football team)
Troy H. Middleton Library (Baton Rouge, La.)

Education--Louisiana--Congresses.
Military uniforms--History.

The Southeastern Librarian.

Borth, Daniel.
Cangelosi, Theo. F.
Dutton, Thomas W.
Hitt, Homer L., 1916-
Long, Russell B.
Middleton, Troy H. (Troy Houston), 1889-1976.

Aerial photographs.
Automobile license plates--Louisiana.
Decals.
Flags.
Logos.
Newsletters.
Pamphlets.
Pen trays.
Photographic prints.
Programs.
Scripts.
Stationery.

CONTAINER LIST

<i>Location</i>	<i>Box</i>	<i>Folder</i>	<i>Contents</i>	<i>Date</i>
Range 79:68	1	1	College of Business Administration Library Exhibit Materials	1960
		2	Library Dedication Packet	1959
		3	Printed Items	1959-1960
		4	Programs	1959-1960
		5	Stationery	1959-1960
		6	<i>The Southeastern Librarian</i>	1960
Range 79:68	2	1	Centennial Military Review script	1960
		2	Photographs: Cadet uniforms, 1860-1953	1960
		3	Photographs: Cadet uniform, 1860-1863	1960
		4	Photographs: Cadet uniforms, 1860-1894	1960
		5	Photographs: Cadet uniforms, 1869-1894	1960
		6	Photographs: Cadet uniform, 1886-1887	1960
		7	Photographs: Cadet uniforms, 1894-1919	1960
		8	Photographs: Cadet uniform, 1919-1929	1960
		9	Photographs: Cadet uniform, 1929-1941	1960
		10	Photographs: Cadet uniform, 1946-1947	1960
		11	Photographs: Cadet uniforms, 1948-1953	1960
		12	Photographs: Groundbreaking ceremony at UNO	1960

Range 79:68	3		Memorabilia: Brass commemorative tray with centennial logo; 1959 football schedule; decal; adhesive name badge; foil seal; 1960 Louisiana "LSU Centennial" license plate	1959-1960
Range 79:68	4		Two centennial flags	c. 1959
Range 79:68	--	OS Folder 1	Reproduction of aerial photograph of campus; sheet depicting centennial logos	c. 1960