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SUMMARY

- Size.** 13 linear feet.
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- Inclusive dates.** 1823-1980.
- Bulk dates.** 1900-1975.
- Languages.** English, French.
- Summary.** Correspondence, financial papers, legal documents, printed items, ephemera, scrapbooks, and photographs of the Burden family of Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Later documents reflect the involvement of the Burden family, particularly Ione Burden and Steele Burden, at Louisiana State University, in community service, and with other organizations.
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Lester J. Williams Papers, Mss. 2108.
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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Ione Easter, William Pike, Jr., and Ollie Steele Burden, the principal creators of the family papers, were the children of Ollie Steele and W. P. (William Pike) Burden, Sr. (died 1925) and the grandchildren of Juliet Parks, Oliver Brice Steele, Emma Barbee, and John Burden, all residents of Baton Rouge. The Burden siblings lived in Baton Rouge, first on College Avenue downtown and later at Windrush, the Burden family's 500-acre farm on Essen Lane. William S. Pike bequeathed the farm to his niece Emma Gertrude Barbee in the early nineteenth century, and she and her husband John Burden built a home there in 1856, naming it Windrush after the river in Burden's native England.

Their son, W. P. Burden, Sr., inherited Windrush, and he moved his family there in 1921. In 1895, he married Ollie Brice Steele (1871-1958), daughter of Juliet Parks and Confederate veteran and Baton Rouge banker O. B. Steele (known as Captain Steele). Captain Steele was elected Louisiana State Auditor (1884-1892) and subsequently Louisiana State Treasurer, and he organized the Bank of Baton Rouge with William Knox. Ollie Steele and W. P. Burden had three children: Pike (1898-1965), Ione (1896-1983), and Steele (1900-1995). All three children were philanthropists in the Baton Rouge community during the twentieth century, contributing to the city, Louisiana State University (LSU), and their favorite charities.

The papers of Lester James Williams relate to his medical practice, involvement in veterans' organizations and the Masons, and his genealogical research. Married to Ollie Steele Burden's sister Mayme Steele, Lester Williams was a radiologist who served as Chief of Staff at Our Lady of the Lake Hospital (LOL) from 1927 through 1946 and as president of the Louisiana State Medical Society from 1923 to 1924.

William Pike Burden, Jr. (1898-1965) owned a printing business, Pike Burden, Inc. An avocational magician, he participated in several social organizations geared to philanthropic work with children and the elderly. Pike Burden performed his magic acts for the entertainment of both schoolchildren and retired persons throughout the 1950s and into the early 1960s. A charter member of the Baton Rouge Rotary Club in 1918, he served as vice president and president of the organization in the early 1950s and founded the Rotarian Crippled Children's Fund and the Rotarian scholarship for LSU music students. The only Burden of that generation to wed, he married Jeannette Monroe, and they built a second house at Windrush in 1940. Pike Burden donated land to establish Hornbeak Park and later Ollie Steele Burden Manor, a retirement home built at Windrush with the help of siblings Steele and Ione in memory of their mother. He contributed money and equipment to LOL in Baton Rouge largely to benefit the pediatric ward, and he painted a mural there in the LOL playroom, which he designed and equipped. Burden was an amateur aviator and served on the Baton Rouge City-Parish Airport Commission, which was integral in the development of the Downtown and Ryan Airports in Baton Rouge. He helped to organize the local chapters of the Civil Air Patrol and the Fellowship of Quiet Birdmen. As an amateur artist and art admirer, he supported the arts by purchasing the works of contemporary and local artists.

Ione Easter Burden (1896-1983) had a life-long relationship with LSU, the primary beneficiary of her charity. She graduated from the university in 1917 with a bachelor's degree in English.

While attending college, she was an active member of Kappa Delta Sorority, and she served as editor of the *Gumbo* yearbook. After graduation, she became the assistant registrar (1917-1918). She later moved to Ruston, Louisiana, accepting the position of registrar at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute (1926-1928) and then to Virginia, working at the College of William and Mary as secretary to the Dean (1929-1932). She returned to LSU in 1933 where she stayed until her retirement in 1961, serving as Assistant to the Dean of Student Affairs, Assistant to the Dean of Women (1933-1947), and Director of Student Activities (1948-1961). LSU awarded Ione and brother Steele honorary degrees of Doctor of Cultural Sciences for their services to the community and the university. She and her brother donated 450 acres of Windrush land for the establishment of the following: Burden Research Plantation, a facility for agricultural research; Ollie Steele Burden Manor; Windrush Gardens, an eight-acre park of landscaped gardens with statuary; and the LSU Rural Life Museum, a complex of buildings and artifacts depicting eighteenth and nineteenth century Louisiana rural culture. She participated in a variety of social and community organizations, which included Kappa Delta Sorority, OLOL Auxiliary, Friends of the LSU Libraries, and the Mad Hatters.

Steele Burden (1900-1995) played a role in the founding of the LSU Rural Life Museum and Windrush Gardens in 1970, when he transplanted the first historical buildings to Windrush and designed the gardens. Steele Burden brought much of the statuary for the Windrush Gardens from Europe and New Orleans in his youth before his landscaping career began. Although he never earned a formal degree in landscape architecture, he worked for the City of Baton Rouge in the 1920s, at which time he planted City Park, and he served as the LSU landscaper from 1932 to 1970. He was also involved in the landscape design of Shadows on the Teche Plantation in New Iberia, Louisiana, and Edward McIlhenny's Avery Island outside New Iberia. He designed the gardens behind LSU's Faculty Club and planted many of the crepe myrtle and live oak trees on the campus. He was an avocational artist, and a representative sample of his sketches is among the family papers, though unsigned. Steele Burden served in both World War I and II.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Ione Burden and Family Papers consist of correspondence, legal documents, financial papers, photographs, and printed items which reflect the lives and professions of the Burden family of Baton Rouge. Early documents (election materials, treasurer's reports, and newspaper clippings) pertain to Captain Oliver Brice Steele's elected offices as auditor and state treasurer of Louisiana and his involvement in Baton Rouge banking in the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries.

Early photographs include cabinet cards, which portray both the Burden and Steele family members, including Ione, Steele, and Pike Burden as children; Ollie Steele Burden prior to her marriage in 1895; Ione in her LSU graduation portrait; Windrush Plantation; and the aftermath of the Melville, Louisiana flood (circa 1920). Later photographs show Pike Burden performing his magic act and participating in Rotary Club events; Ione Burden and Ollie Steele Burden with friends and colleagues; Steele Burden (circa 1970); and a rural Louisiana family photographed for the LSU Rural Life Museum.

Correspondence deals primarily with the professional lives of Ione Burden, in her position at LSU, and Lester J. Williams, concerning his genealogical research and involvement in professional and medical organizations. Later correspondence includes requests and expressions of gratitude from the numerous beneficiaries of the Burden family's philanthropy, including OLOL; Ollie Steele Burden Manor; the audiences of Pike Burden's magic act; and LSU.

The majority of printed items are newspaper clippings from Baton Rouge newspapers and LSU's *Reveille* that document the community activities of Ione, Steele, and Pike Burden and their activities at LSU.

Scrapbooks from various family members contain newspaper clippings, ephemera, photographs, postcards, and pictorial memorabilia. Sketches by Steele Burden illustrate French Quarter architecture in New Orleans and Windrush gardens, and blueprints for Ollie Steele Burden show the floor plans and layout of Windrush.

SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

Series I. Correspondence, 1849-1979, undated

Correspondence concerns both the personal and professional lives of the Burden family, friends, associates, and the Pike, Steele, and Williams extended families. Principal correspondents are Ione Burden, Steele Burden, and Lester J. Williams, chronicling their professional lives as a college administrator, landscape architect, and radiologist respectively. Letters document the philanthropic work (circa 1940-1970) of Steele and Ione Burden, particularly with the Ollie Steele Burden Manor.

Professional correspondence of Ione Burden relates to administrative positions at LSU for Assistant Dean of Student Affairs and Assistant Dean of Women. There are also letters from William and Mary College (1929-1932) and correspondence with Thomas Boyd concerning Huey Long. Other topics of interest include the position of Director of Social Activities and the 50th anniversary celebration of women at LSU; thank you letters for a loan to LSU Libraries and donations to Mortar Board; the Lester Williams Scholarship; restoration of Magnolia Mound Plantation; and Deep South Artists and Writers Conference (1974-1979).

The letters of Lester J. Williams document his involvement in medical associations and veterans organizations in the 1930s. Pike Burden was the recipient of numerous letters from schoolchildren regarding his magic act. Ollie Steele Burden received letters and cards from her daughter, Ione, and family and friends, including letters of those serving in World War II. Steele Burden's correspondence includes a recommendation for a position in Navy (1910-1942), reference to a Knute Heldner painting, and the Rural Life History Museum (1952-1975, undated). Correspondence of the Steele family and Williams family (1862-1974) concerns Louisiana Polytechnic Institute; Standard Oil Co. stock; LSU Libraries; LSU (including a letter from T. Harry Williams), and Christmas cards (1862-1974, undated). Series also includes the correspondence of Ollie Brice Steele (1887-1890), Clare Connolly Steel (1893), Juliet M. Parks Steele (1887-1911), and May Steele (1888). Additional materials include: a letter book of Captain Oliver Brice Steele and business correspondence concerning the Louisiana Auditor's Office, H&G Newman Ltd, the Office of the Gazette, and the State Tax Commission (1881-1916); a letter book of Oliver Brice Steele, Sr.'s correspondence, both personal and business (volume 1, 1884-1891); and correspondence of Jeanette Monroe Burden (1922-1968).

Series II. Financial Papers, 1837-1968, undated

The financial papers of the Burden family include shipping receipts (1837-1849), bankbooks and statements (1927-1962), merchandise receipts, account journals (1919-1953), mortgage statements, and stock and security summaries. Primary creators and recipients are Ione, Steele, Pike, and Ollie Steele Burden and Lester Williams. Financial papers concerning O. B. Steele (1903-1964) reflect his career in banking at the Mercantile Bank and the Bank of Baton Rouge. Other financial items (1911-1967) concern a Baton Rouge orphans' home for girls.

Series III. Legal Papers, 1878-1963

The legal papers consist of Ione Burden's state appointment, passport, and auto registration; Ann Fluker's succession; Louisiana House Resolution No. 28; and the prospectuses for Episcopal High School and Suburban Electric Co.

Series IV. Printed Items and Genealogical Materials, 1823-1980, undated

Printed items include newspaper clippings, programs, serials, and a baptismal certificate (1898). Newspaper clippings chronicle the family's social, professional, and community involvement and activities in a variety of organizations. Ephemera consist largely of travel, theater, and event items such as tickets, dance cards, and brochures. Printed items (1878-1914) concerning O. B. Steele pertain to a Louisiana Supreme Court case and to his elected offices, and include campaign materials, speeches, reports, and clippings. Ione Burden collected numerous newspaper clippings dealing primarily with plantation homes throughout the state. Other items relate to Kappa Delta Sorority (1944-1972), LSU, and the Mad Hatters club. Her travel ephemera contains tickets; lodging documents; steamship handbook; passenger list; brochures; list of purchases abroad; and maps (1921-1936, 1955-1978). Clippings regarding Pike Burden illustrate his community involvement in the Rotary Club of Baton Rouge, soapbox derby racing, magic, and aviation (circa 1940-1965). Lester Williams' printed materials consist of organizational items from veterans' groups (circa 1938) and medical associations (1928-1957) and his genealogical queries and responses (circa 1925-1947). Other printed items (1942-1975) relate to the Burden Foundation (including acts of donation, foundation bylaws, maps of the Burden property, a blueprint of Ollie Steele Burden Manor, and a brochure from the LSU Rural Life Museum) and to Episcopal churches in Baton Rouge (1888-1969). This series also contains sheet music for piano bound together for a piano class taught by Olivia Lauve (1872).

Series V. Correspondence and Printed Items Pertaining to LSU, 1872-1979, undated

LSU materials contained in the Burden papers pertain to the School of Agriculture, Alumni and Alumnae (newsletters, reunions, etc.), Centennial Celebration, commencement, convocations, football, LSU libraries, Friends of the Library, *Gumbo* yearbook, law school, Greek letter societies, Student government, and military programs. Highlights include newspaper clippings from the "Stormy" strip tease affair in 1948; *Chronicles of a Coed*, a narrative about life and education at LSU by an early female graduate; and an etiquette handbook for LSU women. Many items originate from Ione Burden's office as the Director of Social Activities.

Series VI. Scrapbooks, Books, and Sketches, 1848-1974, undated

The series contains the scrapbooks of Ollie Steele, Pike, Steele, and Ione Burden and Mayme, Juliet and Oliver Brice Steele. The scrapbooks hold numerous newspaper clippings about the family members and LSU as well as ephemera and some photographs. Burden family scrapbook contains illustrations of flora, birds, historical sights, clippings, personal papers, and ephemera (May 31, 1870). A family bible inscribed to Oliver Brice and Juliet Steele contains some family dates of birth, death, and marriage. Steele Burden's unsigned sketches illustrate New Orleans' buildings and Windrush. There is a ledger with roster of cadets for 1892-1893 presented to LSU

Military Department (1940). Ollie and Steele Burden scrapbook contains Christmas cards and gift name tags (circa 1905-1927). The books *New Practical English Grammar ...* (1894) and *Caesar's Commentaries on the Gallic War: ...* (1848) contain notes and inscriptions.

Note: Loose items removed from the bible are found in box 2, folder 73.

Series VII. Photographs, circa 1850-1975, undated

Photographs are comprised of snapshots, cabinet cards, and tintypes of the Burden, Steele, and related families, as well as friends and associates. They include several images of Ione, Pike, Steele Burden, and Ollie Steele from childhood and through adulthood. Photographs also include photographs of houses including Windrush. Photographs also include the LSU campus and campus events, flooding at Melville, Louisiana (1927), and European travel (circa 1915). Panoramic photograph of the Louisiana Tax Commission (August 12, 1912) includes Steele Burden.

INDEX TERMS

Burden family.
Burden Foundation (Baton Rouge, La.)
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Burden, Pike.
Burden, Steele, 1900-1995.
Clippings (information artifacts)
Education, Higher--Louisiana.
Floods--Louisiana--Melville.
Friends of the LSU Library.
Landscape architecture--Louisiana--Baton Rouge.
Letters (correspondence)
Louisiana--Genealogy.
Louisiana State University (Baton Rouge, La.)
Louisiana State University (Baton Rouge, La.)--Students.
Louisiana State University Rural Life Museum (Baton Rouge, La.)
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Ollie Steele Burden Manor (Baton Rouge, La.)
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CONTAINER LIST

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| P:39 | 1 | 1-2 | Letters, post cards, and telegrams, several concerning the death of her father (1910-1926). |
| | | 3-4 | Professional letters concerning Louisiana Polytechnic Institute (Ruston, Louisiana), letters of recommendation, etc. (1928-1929). |
| | | 5-6 | Correspondence: Thomas Boyd concerning Huey Long; cards; letters of recommendation; letters from William and Mary College (1929-1932). |
| | | 7-8 | Post cards, letters, and notes from friends (1933-1942). |
| | | 9-10 | Professional correspondence concerning positions at LSU: Assistant to Dean of Student Affairs and Assistant to Dean of Women; letters from PFC John Gaston during WWII (1943-1949). |
| | | 11-12 | Letters and minutes concerning Division of Student Life (1950-1954). |
| | | 13-14 | Post cards and letters; professional correspondence concerning position as Director of Social Activities and the 50th anniversary celebration of women at LSU including a list of 17 coeds of Class of 1906 (1955-1959). |
| | | 15-16 | Professional correspondence concerning LSU Centennial celebrations and Nella Porter's <i>Chronicles of a Coed</i> (1959-1960). |
| | | 17-18 | Letters and cards including an invitation to the organizational meeting of the Friends of the Library; professional letters concerning initiation into Mortar Board and retirement (1961-1962). |
| | | 19-20 | Letters and cards including an invitation to Lifetime membership to the Louisiana Association of Deans of Women; an address honoring Professor Emeritus C. A. Ives (1963-1965). |
| | | 21-26 | Thank you letters and notes concerning donations to the Ollie Steele Burden Manor, Kappa Delta Sorority, LSU Libraries, the Anglo American Art Museum Mortar Board, the Lester Williams Scholarship, Magnolia Mound Plantation restoration, and Deep South Artists and Writers Conference (1966-1979). |
| | | 27-28 | Personal correspondence; correspondence from recipients of Burden philanthropy (undated). |
| | | 29-31 | Business correspondence (1937-1966). |

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| | | | Burden, William Pike, Jr., 1929-1965 |
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| | | | Burden, Ollie Brice Steele, 1895-1975 |
| | | 55-60 | Post cards (1910-1932); letters of recommendation for position in Navy (1942); letters and invitations of Mr. and Mrs. William Stephen Pike Burden (1895-1940); loose notes removed from notebook (vol. 9, 1954). |
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| | | | Steele, Oliver Brice, Sr., 1870-1918 |
| | | 68-72 | Correspondence, invitations and announcements (1870-1918); correspondence concerning Louisiana Auditor's Office, H&G Newman Ltd, Office of the Gazette, and State Tax Commission (1881-1916). |
| OS:B | -- | 4 | Letter to Oliver Brice Steele from his father William A. Steele (February 8, 1869). |
| | | | Williams, Lester James and Mayme Steele, 1865-1955 |
| P:39 | 2 | 1 | Typescript: Text of a speech concerning technological innovations and their uses in the post war world (circa 1944). |
| | | 2 | Letters concerning upcoming marriage; position as advisor to Sigma Nu at LSU; mayoral term in Melville, Louisiana; real estate (one letter is in Chinese characters); invitations; announcements; and telegrams (1906-1937). |
| | | 3 | Professional letters concerning American Roentgen Ray Society; medical practice; fellowship from American College of Radiology; Radiological Society of North America (1928-1938). |

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| | | -- | Vol. 1: Letter book of Oliver Brice Steele, Sr. of personal and business correspondence (1884-1891). |
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| | | 9 | Burden, Ione Easter Bankbook, canceled checks, bills, bank deposit slips, and receipts (1920-1968, undated). |
| | | 10 | Burden, Ollie Steele Bills, checks, bank statements, receipts, and stock notes (1927-1962, undated). |
| | | 11-12 | Burden, William Stephen Pike Mortgage, bills, overdue notices, and itemized account (1922-1924); receipt (1936). |
| | | 13-17 | Burden, Ollie Brice, Jr. Receipts, canceled checks, list of securities, statements, performance summary sheets, and application for savings bond; Steele, Juliet M. Parks: Tax notification from Union Parish (1903) and journals (1919-1950). |
| | | 18-21 | Burden, Ollie Brice, Sr. Bank records, newspaper, tax receipts, and invoices (1903-1964, undated). |
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| | | | Burden family and Pike family |
| | | 29 | Burden, Jeanette Monroe (Mrs. Pike Burden): membership cards (undated). |
| | | | Burden, William Pike |
| | | 30-31 | Memorabilia of his youth and aviation and the International Brotherhood of Magicians (1905-1966, undated). |
| | | 32-33 | Rotary club materials including: 1941 roster; publication <i>The Red Stick</i> ; and 1955 conference program (1932-1955, undated). |
| | | 34 | Baptismal certificate (1898). |
| | | 35-37 | Clippings concerning soap box derby racing; Chamber of Commerce Good Will trip to Tulsa; Rotary Club; philanthropy; architecture of home (Richard Koch, a New Orleans architect); and obituary (1954-1965, undated). |
| | | 38-39 | Printed items: Stockholder prospectus; temple bulletin; register; and lost dog notice (1951-1953, undated). |
| | | 40 | Pike, Albert: Newspaper clippings (1964, undated). |
| | | 41 | Pike, William Stephen: Newspaper clippings; picture of W. S. Pike; and manuscript pertaining to Hundred Oaks Mansion with mention of W. S. on page four (1966, undated). |
| | | 42 | Emma Gertrude Barbee Burden obituary (1905). |
| | | 43 | Burden, Daniel Sr.: Clippings of obituaries and social events (1949, undated). |
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| | | 44-46 | Kappa Delta: sorority rules for slumber parties; list of members; name tag; and publication <i>Angelos</i> (1945-1959, undated); clippings (1961-1972). |
| | | 47-50 | School diplomas; report to Dean of Women; and constitution of Phi Kappa Phi (1910-1975, undated). |
| | | 51 | Resolution to confer honorary doctoral degrees on Ione Burden and Steele Burden (undated). |
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| | | | Steele, Juliet M. Parks, 1874-1974, undated |
| | | 71 | Social newspaper clippings; Magnolia Club dues and receipts; prescriptions; religious card; and manuscript note (1907-1913, undated) |
| | | 72 | Godey's Lady's Book (April 1878, vol. 96, no. 574); Charters and bylaws for the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the Istrouma Club (1878-1910). |
| | | 73 | Loose items removed from O. B. and Juliet Steele family bible (1874-1974). |
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| | | 2 | St. Vincent Academy commencement (1913). |
| | | | Steele, O. B., Sr. (Ollie Brice), 1844-1919, undated |
| | | 3 | Manuscript and typescript materials: Speeches concerning legislative acts and the Bank of Baton Rouge (circa 1878-1914, undated). |
| | | 4 | Death notices; newspaper clippings concerning Louisiana Legislature Representative; program; State Fair Association concerning rules governing encampment and contests; certificate of vaccination; and social organizations' membership dues receipts (1844-1919, undated). |

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| | | 7 | State Employee Tax Commission: newspaper clipping and printed materials (1881-1912, undated). |
| | | 8-9 | State Employee Treasurer: Treasurer's report (1892-1893); Louisiana Supreme Court case; bond issues; campaign newspaper clippings; abstract from Treasurer's Report (1910-1911); and blank bank ledger (1892-1912, undated). |
| | | | Lester James Williams and Mayme Steele Williams, 1823-1957, undated |
| | | 10-11 | Printed items and ephemera: <i>Masonic Miscellany and Ladies Literary Magazine</i> (April 1823); car registrations; mileage ration certificates and stamps; tire inspection records; application gas rations; certificate for recapping tires during WWII; OLOL program; wallet with cards and pocket secretary (1931-1950, undated). |
| | | 12 | Newspaper clippings concerning wedding announcement; sheriff's land sale; radiology; ring collection; death notice of wife Mayme Steele Williams; court record of Bank of Baton Rouge v. Lester J. Williams (1922); and award (1906-1957, undated). |
| | | 13-14 | Printed materials concerning Louisiana State Medical Society; <i>The Phagocyte</i> , Our Lady of the Lake Hospital publication; medical article; and Mayo Institutions (1929-1949, undated). |
| | | 15-16 | Printed materials concerning the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) program; <i>Post Commander Paragraphs</i> ; bulletins; and magazine (1938, undated). |
| | | 17-18 | Professional medical papers concerning applications for membership in Medical Societies; Emergency Relief Administration; resumes; list of Louisiana Medical Society presidents; radiology exam; application for a fellowship; application for Who's Who Among physicians and Surgeons; and medical procedures (1928-1936, undated). |
| | | | Williams, Mayme Steele (Mary Steele), 1900-1957, undated |
| | | 19-20 | Manuscript and printed items: Notebook and papers from St. James Episcopal Church including: invoices; canceled checks; church newsletters; and note (1931-1942, undated). |
| | | 21-22 | Printed items and ephemera: Craft; program; club rules; theater tickets; list of wedding gifts (before marriage); 1906 Christmas lists in notebook; calendar; defense bonds envelope and record of purchase; and war ration auto and gas stamps (1937-1957, undated). |

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| P:40 | 3 | 23 | Newspapers clippings (1900-1906, undated). |
| | | | Lester J. Williams Genealogical Materials |
| | | 24-25 | Louisiana Society Sons of the American Revolution yearbook and membership roster (1925-1926); reports of the Society of the Friends of Saint George's (1935); typescript and correspondence concerning General Society of the War of 1812 (one letter incidentally mentions Huey Long); and guide to genealogical research in Virginia (1931-1935). |
| | | 26 | Correspondence concerning Society of the Descendants of the Colonial Clergy (1936-1942). |
| | | 27 | Certificates and a program from the Sons of Confederate Veterans (1946-1947, undated). |
| | | 28 | Reprint of article on Asa Smith Bushnell and correspondence concerning Marie Bushnell Williams (circa 1934). |
| | | 29 | Correspondence and typescript notes concerning Charles Campbell, revolutionary war veteran (circa 1933). |
| | | 30 | Typescript notes and correspondence concerning Bushnell and Denison lines and William Bradford (circa 1934). |
| | | 31 | Correspondence concerning James Williams, Georgia Society of Colonial Wars; General John Minor (War of 1812); Society of Daughters of Colonial Wars; and typescript notes concerning Minor family in Caroline County, Virginia (1932-1937). |
| | | 32-33 | Society of the War of 1812 correspondence and application for membership, also correspondence concerning Louisiana Society Sons of the American Revolution; typescript notes and correspondence concerning John Minor (1932-1934). |
| | | 34 | Lester Williams' correspondence with cousin, Donna Cordell Bardin (1931-1933). |
| | | 35 | Society of Colonial Wars supplemental records forms; correspondence with Huguenot Society of the Founders of Manakin (1933). |
| | | 36-37 | Newspaper clipping concerning Routhland (house) in Natchez, Mississippi; correspondence concerning Routh shield, Routh family, Williams family, and John Minor; typescript notes concerning Routh line (1931-1938, undated). |
| | | 38 | Correspondence, manuscript, and typescript materials concerning Routh, Williams, and Porter lines (including a copy of Job Routh's 1834 last will and testament); newspaper clipping concerning Duneleith (house) in Natchez, Mississippi (circa 1932). |
| | | 39 | Family trees; correspondence concerning Porter and Minor lines (1940, undated). |

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| P:40 | 3 | 40 | Typescript, correspondence, and printed items concerning Williams family and typescript concerning Steele line (1932-1937, undated). |
| | | 41 | Typescript history of New London, Connecticut; correspondence concerning Rudd line (1923-1949, undated). |
| | | 42 | Lester Williams family correspondence concerning genealogy (1892-1938). |
| OS:B | -- | 4 | Lester Williams medical certificate (1904); political broadside of Walter L. Hopkins (1947), and printed materials. |
| Burden Foundation correspondence and printed items, 1942-1980, undated | | | |
| P:40 | 3 | 43-44 | Alvin Rubin: Correspondence concerning act of donation drafts of Windrush Plantation; trespass of property, Burden Memorial Hospital, Inc.; Governor McKeithen; Senator Russell Long; State Recreation and Parks Commission <i>Brochure on Usage of Burden Land</i> , 1966; Department of Highways and I-10; Radiation Center Commissioned by East Baton Rouge Parish Medical Society (1965-1966, undated). |
| | | 45 | College Writers Society of Louisiana: Letters concerning awards in memory of Mrs. Ollie Steele Burden and invitation to convention (1969-1973). |
| | | 46 | Deep South Writers & Artists, Inc.: Letters concerning awards for best adult non-fiction book and best novel sponsored by Ione Burden; minutes; and typescript of literary contest rules and awards (1966-1968). |
| | | 47-48 | Foundation minutes and correspondence (1965-1980). |
| | | 49-50 | Typescript and correspondence concerning Burden Foundation Articles of Incorporation; bylaws; minutes; and donations (1962-1966). |
| | | 51-52 | Correspondence and typescript concerning Burden Foundation donations and requests for donations; bylaws; Highway Department I-10; Nature Conservancy; OLOL; donation of Windrush plantations to LSU; St. James Episcopal Church; act of donation to LSU: drafts, acceptance by LSU; and letters concerning borrow pit on property, Ollie Steele Burden Memorial Fund (1966-1977, undated). |
| | | 53 | Financial correspondence; IRS tax exemption; LNB annual accounting (1962-1963). |
| | | 54 | Canceled checks and deposit slips for the Burden Foundation (1961-1966). |
| | | 55-56 | LSU Rural Life Museum: Correspondence; newspaper clipping; and typescript text for museum brochure (1971-1975, undated). |
| | | 57 | Maps: Burden property and Ward's Creek widening (1942-1952). |

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| P:40 | 3 | 58-60 | Memorial Park: Correspondence and printed materials concerning donations, parks, and consideration of a memorial park; copies of city ordinances from St. Louis (1959-1966, undated). |
| | | 61-62 | Newspaper clippings concerning Foundation donations; Mad Hatters' fundraisers; Our Lady of the Lake Hospital; and Ollie Steele Burden Manor (1960-1970, undated). |
| | | | Ollie Steele Burden Manor, 1961-1966, undated |
| | | 63-64 | Correspondence: Inquiries about other retirement homes; Episcopal Diocese; St. James Episcopal Church; Franciscan Sisters; OLOL; donation; Burden Memorial Hospital, Inc.; Charter of Incorporation newspaper clipping; A. Hayes Town bid; and ground breaking ceremony (1961-1966, undated). |
| | | | Scholarship Fund, 1962-1975 |
| | | 65 | Landscape Architecture: Correspondence concerning grant for awards (1962-1970). |
| | | 66-67 | Lester J. Williams awards in the LSU College of Business Administration Award and in Journalism (1963-1975). |
| | | | Churches, 1887-1975, undated |
| | | 2-4 | St. James Episcopal; Baton Rouge programs; issues of bulletin <i>The Messenger</i> ; invitations; and directory (1888-1964, undated). |
| | | 5 | Christ Church Episcopal, New Orleans: Newspaper clippings and printed items concerning budget and ordination services (1925-1961). |
| 6 | Correspondence, printed items, and typescript concerning St. Alban's Chapel; Prospectus for Episcopal High School of Baton Rouge; manual for altar care; and Grace Episcopal Church (1958-1966, undated). | | |
| 7 | Palm frond cross; newspaper clippings; pamphlets; typescripts: prayers and tract against Eugenic sterilization; printed items: First Presbyterian, Baton Rouge; <i>Church of the Week</i> (1958); and Congregation of B'Nai Israel (1891-1958, undated). | | |
| 8 | Race relations: <i>The Black Manifesto</i> and a response to it (circa 1969, undated). | | |
| 9 | Ephemera: St Charles Theater; brochures: fashion, Niloak pottery, and McIlhenny Nurseries; flyers and cards; Brookgreen gardens statuary; Baton Rouge Chamber of Commerce (1887-1971, undated). | | |
| P:41 | 5 | 1 | Calling cards (undated). |

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| P:41 | 5 | 10 | Baton Rouge and Shreveport: Pamphlets of dedication of courthouse and airport; histories of Baton Rouge and Spanish town; booklet on Baton Rouge by State Times/Morning Advocate; Shreveport Chamber of Commerce brochure (1923-1956, undated). |
| | | 11 | Invitations: Social organizations' dances; receptions; weddings; school graduation; alumni; art show; Franciscan Missionaries; Prophets of Persia, Samuria. Blank stationary. (1890-1975, undated) |
| | | | Printed items, 1892-1975, undated |
| | | 12 | Manuscript draft of paper on Galsworthy; typescript address to Forum for Women by Elisabeth Devereux (1966, undated). |
| | | 13 | Printed materials: Menus from restaurants: Baton Rouge, New Orleans, and Denver; and LSU Southeastern Conference Dinner (1941-1944, undated). |
| | | 14 | Ephemera and printed items: Admission tickets; game/table cards; Christmas enclosure cards; page from pamphlets and woman's picture; pictures of John Melton (church dinner); note pad; assorted cards; manuscripts: lists of names and prescription notes; obituary of May Juliet Brantly; mask and ribbon; tokens; picture of leaves; brochure; and certificate (1914-1975, undated). |
| | | 15 | Poems: Newspaper, printed, and manuscripts (undated). |
| | | 16 | Political printed materials: Brochure: Missouri concerning taxation; speech <i>Unmasking Huey P. Long</i> ; inauguration of Governor J. Garland Pollard of Virginia; prohibition opinion poll ballot; inaugurations of governors Sam Jones, Jimmie Davis, and Earl K. Long of Louisiana; re-elect Smith for Congress sticker (1912-1948, undated). |
| | | 17 | Blank postcards (undated). |
| | | 18-19 | Programs and printed materials: three Chicago theater tickets; Paramount Theater; Ballet Russa de Monte Carlo; Stokowski and Philadelphia Orchestra; Mordkin Ballet; LSU opera; <i>Billy Rose</i> at Casa Manaana; Shubert Theater; Drury Lane Theater; Governor Huey P. Long; art exhibit; Military Order of World Wars; Golden Deed Banquet; and Southern University (1892-1967, undated). |
| | | 20 | Race relations: Newspaper clippings concerning Creole dialect; proposed constitutional amendment (1954); printed and typescript: <i>The Black Manifesto</i> ; YWCO statement; sit-in-demonstration rules; LSU and African-Americans concerning social functions and dormitory life (undated). |

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| | | | Printed items, 1855-1956, undated |
| P:41 | 5 | 21 | School papers: Spelling; English; history; geology; and research paper (1904-1955, undated). |
| | | 22 | Printed materials of social organizations: American Legion roster; Women's Club House dedication; traffic topics; newsletter, Mad Hatter's magazine write-up; study club program; Order of the Eastern Star, Baton Rouge Chapter publication; Garden Club of Virginia publication (one article); and unidentified hand-painted emblem (1928-1956, undated). |
| | | 23 | Travel ephemera and printed items: Steamer ticket receipt; lodging receipt; cruise passenger list; newspaper clippings; brochures; miscellaneous tickets; and cruise ship souvenir book (1855-1967, undated). |
| | | 24 | Typescript articles: Yule custom in Virginia, 1845; a Brazilian student at LSU; <i>Glimpses of Old Plantation Life</i> ; excerpt of <i>CO-E Diquette, No Smoking, What is She Like</i> , personality and character training at schools; <i>Dice, Farm</i> , a description of a Pioneer farm (1928-1946, undated). |
| | | | Newspaper clippings, 1878-1974, undated |
| | | 25 | Baton Rouge history, including a four-year summary of City Parish Government, 1949-1952 (1895-1972, undated). |
| | | 26 | Book reviews including: <i>Gone with the Wind</i> and <i>Children of Strangers</i> , Lyle Saxon (1936-1937). Cartoons, <i>Gasoline Alley</i> by King, ___ (1932). Goat Castle in Natchez, Mississippi and Shadows on the Teche in New Iberia, Louisiana (1938-1960). |
| | | 27 | Concerning Livingston family; Augusta Evans Williams of Mobile; Albert Sidney Johnston; Williamsburg (1891-1954, undated). |
| | | 28 | Recipes; household hints; medical remedies including the column <i>Helpful Page for the Housewife</i> (1899-1974, undated). |
| | | 29 | Miscellaneous clippings concerning Louisiana Polytechnic College and John Conniff (1885-1963, undated). Obituaries including Mrs. T. Boyd (1954, undated). Universities and colleges (1913, undated). |
| | | 30 | Society concerning debutantes; United Daughters of the Confederacy; Elks; Rotarians (1891-1969, undated). |
| | | 31 | O. B. Steele's account of the capture of the steamboat <i>Colossus</i> (1878). |
| | | | Newspaper clippings and miscellaneous, 1916-1950, undated (as filed by Ione Burden) |
| | | 32 | "A" - Architectural (1925-1950, undated). |

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| P:41 | 5 | 33 | "C" - Clinton, Louisiana; Henry Clay (1926-1950). "E" - Evangeline area, Feliciana, and Ellerslie Home (1928-1936). |
| | | 34-35 | "H" - Belle Grove; The Shadows; Cabildo; Oaklawn; Oak Alley; Napoleon House; New Orleans to Natchez; Avery Isle; Opelousas area; River Drive; Bicentennial Washington Birthday; Goat Castle; Louisiana architecture; the Teche Country; Parlange; Lore of the Bayous; W.P.A. saves landmarks; New use for old homes; The Cottage; Richland; Linwood; Live Oaks, Rosedale; Oakland; Belle Helene; Millwood; Nottaway; Oak Alley; Oaklawn; Rienzi, built for the Queen of Spain; Magnolia; Melrose; Carville; Jones Mansion, Covington; Madewood; Napoleonic collection; John Brown burial, Harper's Ferry (1925-1938). |
| | | 36 | "L" - New Iberia: "The Shadows" (1930). "M" - Mansion, St. Bernard Parish; Mississippi Coast Islands; Theodore Roosevelt; Minden, Germantown; Mellows, a book, New Orleans; Mississippi River, Steam boating; Moss; Merchant--Spanish-Italian conquest of N.W.; U.S. enters World War I; Lore of Bayous; Live Oak Society; Le Bleu and Jesse James; Governors of Louisiana, 1940; Lafitte grave; Ft. Pike; Elmwood Plantation; Robert E. Lee and wife; Ft. Livingston and Grand Isle (1925-1948). |
| 6 | 1-2 | "N" - Citizens' Bank of Louisiana; Front section of paper; Picayune's 18th Birthday; Cabildo; Creole Homes; Mardi Gras; Beauregard Mansion; Miss New Orleans; E. H. Sothern's birthplace; New Orleans Theaters; New Orleans Carnival; New Orleans French Quarter; New Orleans, Lafayette Square; Andrew Jackson; New Orleans Good Samaritans; New Orleans Artist Sketches; First elevators; Battle of New Orleans; parentage of Lafitte; Belle Chase; Flags of Louisiana; Steam boating; New Orleans "The Athenaeum;" New Orleans home; New Orleans ships; New Orleans location of federal art project; Clarence Laughlin; New Orleans Gallier house; South's Oldest Club, the Boston Club; Woman River pilot (1916-1941, undated). | |

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| P:41 | 6 | 3 | "P"/"Q" - Plantations: Kenilworth Manor; Oak Alley; Uncle Sam; Ridgefield; Trinity House; Ormond; Bueno Retiro; De La Ronde residence; Goat Castle; River destroys mansions; Live Oaks overshadowed by dueling oak; Whitney home; Pointe Coupee area; points of interest in the Baton Rouge area; Louisiana's oldest practicing physician, 1941; Westside roads, quaint scenes; Belle Helene; Magnolia; Oakley; Chicot State Park; Mouton Mansion; River Road; Laycock Home, British Grant; (American Legion Hall) Chatsworth; (Natchitoches) Lebeau Mansion; Nottoway; Valcour Aime's home; The Cottage plantation; Live Oak; Old New Orleans Mansion (1938-1950, undated). |
| | | 4 | "W" - Rosedown; Audubon's birthplace; St. Francisville, pilgrimage; Waverly; Highland House; Afton Villa; Barrow House; Oakley; Ellerslie Mansion, Tunica Hills; Grace Church, St. Francisville; Richmond, Natchez (circa 1920-1949, undated). |
| OS:B | -- | 3 | Blueprints: Ollie Steele Burden Manor; Windrush Plantation; and map of Steele Place. |
| Series V. Correspondence and Printed Items Pertaining to LSU, 1872-1979 | | | |
| Agriculture-Mid Century Celebration, 1890-1971, undated | | | |
| P:40 | 4 | 1 | Agriculture bulletins (1911, 1914, 1938). |
| | | 2-3 | Alumni: Issues of <i>Alumni News</i> including one honoring Thomas Boyd; issues of <i>Alumni Newsnotes</i> ; homecoming announcements; Union alumni card application (1933-1967, undated). |
| | | 4 | Carnegie report in campus correspondence from Chancellor Taylor (1971). |
| | | 5 | Centennial: Announcement; stickers; and program (1959-1960). |
| | | 6-7 | Typescript: <i>Chronicles of a Coed</i> (1959-1960). |
| | | 8-11 | Commencement: Ribbon; programs; and newspaper clipping attached (1890-1963). |
| | | 12 | Convocation: Event honoring Troy Middleton upon retirement; Honors Days (1958-1964). |
| | | 13-14 | Dedication of Buildings: Programs; brochures; and booklet concerning buildings completed in Long-Allen Administration and LSU stadium addition (1938-1958, undated). |
| | | 15 | Football: Souvenir program from LSU-Tulane game; typescript: alma mater; brochure <i>The Dope Bucket</i> 1946; and newspaper clipping concerning Mike II (1911-1958). |

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| P:40 | 4 | | Friends of the Library, 1889-1968, undated | |
| | | 16-17 | Typescripts: Minutes of general meetings; executive committee and executive board; lists of projects, members, contributors, and officers; and notice of meeting (1962-1968, undated). | |
| | | 18 | Newspaper clippings: Officers elected; rare books purchased; and objectives (1963-1966). | |
| | | 19 | Printed materials: Brochure and 1966 report (1966, undated). | |
| | | 20 | Graduation announcements (1889-1942). | |
| | | 21 | Graduation announcements (1943-1963). | |
| | | 22-23 | <i>Gumbo</i> : Letter and accompanying sketches for an issue; lay-out; information about 1900 <i>Gumbo</i> (1917, undated). | |
| | | 24 | Inauguration programs for university presidents James Monroe Smith and John Anderson Hunter (1931-1962). | |
| | | 25 | Law School: Invitations, menu, and program for Golden Anniversary Celebration (1938-1956). | |
| | | | | Library, 1933-1965, undated |
| | | 26 | Printed items: Statistics; contest rules for distinguished personal library; Clarence Millet; gift acknowledgment; and note (1962-1964, undated). | |
| | | 27 | Newspaper clippings: Audubon Elephant folio; donations; and acquisitions (1963-1965, undated). | |
| | | 28 | Memorials: Programs (1933-1965) for Colonel Thomas Duckett Boyd and Emily Hall Blake (Kappa Delta Gamma). | |
| | | 29 | Mid-Century Celebration: Program and newspaper clippings (1950). | |
| | | | | Military Service-Student Election Propaganda, 1891-1957, undated |
| | | 30-31 | Manuscript concerning general orders; programs and invitations: graduation exercises and commissioning ceremony; cartoons; note to coed cadets; typescript concerning War Memorial services (1945) and list of LSU alumni killed in WWII (1891-1957). | |
| | | 32 | Printed item: <i>The Honor Roll: 642 Men in the Service</i> (1918). | |
| | | | | Miscellaneous printed items and typescript, 1872-1979, undated |
| | | 33 | Invitations: Senior ball; reception for Native Flora of Louisiana Project; and art exhibition (1917-1979). | |

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| P:40 | 4 | 34 | Students of LSU organize for academic freedom; resumes; traditions; Westdale golf course; notes; contest program; Margaret Stones brochure; ribbon/pin; administrative reports; extract from report concerning deans of Men and Women; treatise on University; student information (1914-1979, undated). | | |
| | | 35-36 | Newspaper clippings concerning closing of old University; opening of new University; social; and donations (1925-1967, undated). | | |
| | | 37-38 | Printed materials: Orientation programs (1942-1949); Phi Kappa Phi journal; <i>This is LSU</i> (1916-1960, undated); postcards of the LSU Greek Theatre and Music and Dramatic Arts building (undated). | | |
| | | 39 | Tickets: Sophomore Jam and the Forester's Annual Log Jam (1940, 1947). | | |
| | | 40 | Popularity contests, Darling of LSU Ballots; programs; and announcements (1933). | | |
| | | 41-42 | Reunions: Class of 1906 and 1917 (50 years) invitations; programs; lists of coeds; and newspaper clippings (1956-1967, undated). | | |
| | | 43 | <i>Reveille</i> concerning Ione Burden, editor of <i>Gumbo</i> ; concerning Dedication of Episcopal Center (1916-1964). | | |
| | | 44 | Rules and regulations (1939-1966); memos concerning registration; Special Committee on University Regulations; Biennial Report (1962-1964) of Office of the Dean of Women; boat rides; dress code; <i>Do it the Right Way</i> students of LSU mentor proposal. | | |
| | | 45-46 | School of Music: New Music and Dramatic Arts building; Opera programs; and newspaper clippings (1932-1945, undated). | | |
| | | P:43 | -- | -- | Vol. 4: Bound sheet music (1872). |
| | | | | | Social Organizations, Sorority/Fraternity, 1919-1963, undated |
| | | P:40 | 4 | 47 | Invitations: Events of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Pi Kappa Alpha; Alpha Chi Sigma; Lambda Chi Alpha; Kappa Alpha; brochure concerning how to have a social program for house group (1919-1949). |
| | | | | 48-50 | Typescript: speech to LSU Greek system pledges; memo to house mothers; Associate Women Students etiquette handbook; Dean of Women Report on LSU Sororities; Social Chairman's handbook; Social Activities Handbook; program for Greek-sponsored musical Aquacade (1946); and newspaper clippings (1933-1973, undated). |

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| P:40 | 4 | 51 | St. Alban's Church (1942-1962) programs and dedication of Ditchburn Window Lockhart Window (1962); newsletter (1960), clippings of Malcolm Lockhart; David Sessums Center. | | |
| | | 52 | Student Election material (1935-1936, undated). | | |
| | | 53-57 | Student Election material including Russell Long flyers for SGA (circa 1936). | | |
| P:41 | 6 | 5 | LSU Student Affairs Business: Manuscript and typescript material concerning report from Office of the Dean of Student Affairs; Evaluation Survey from Office of the Dean of Women; Student Social Activities (1933-1961, undated). | | |
| | | 6 | Reveille Affair: Issues of censorship and academic freedom 1934-1935). | | |
| | | 7 | Diamond Jubilee: Programs; correspondence; typescript article; list of faculty and staff (1934-1935). | | |
| | | 8 | Newspaper clippings (<i>Reveille</i>) concerning Major Cole; <i>Back to the Earth</i> plan; world students service fund; student soldier scholarship; Phi Beta Kappa (1937-1957). | | |
| | | 9 | Dedicatory Program: Memos; correspondence; reservation list (February-April 1938). | | |
| | | 10 | LSU-J.P. Cole Memorial Dance Fund: Correspondence; memos; and lists of borrowers (1938-1941). | | |
| | | 11 | Printed programs (1938) concerning dedication of Leche Hall; Regional Recreation Conference; dedication of buildings constructed since 1930; program for student agricultural fair (1935); typescript: radio address by Ralph Sockman, <i>To Live with Lasting Things</i> (1935-1938). | | |
| | | 12 | Dance Committee Minutes, (1945-1947). | | |
| | | 13 | Coeducation at LSU (1945-1953). | | |
| | | 14 | "Stormy" Strip Tease Affair (1948). | | |
| | | 15 | Office of the Director of Student Social Activities (1955-1956). | | |
| | | OS:B | -- | 5 | Newspapers, clippings (1912-1963, undated); <i>Reveille</i> , LSU student broadsides (1934). |
| | | | | | Series VI. Scrapbooks, Books, and Sketches, 1848-1974, undated |
| | | P:41 | 7 | -- | Postcards and ephemera scrapbook: Dance cards; party game cards; and program (1891-1935, undated). |
| | | P:42 | 8 | 58 | Postcard album cover. |
| P:41 | 10 | -- | Oliver Brice and Juliet Steele family bible (1870-1974). | | |
| P:42 | 8 | 1-44 | Pike Burden scrapbooks (1925-1955, undated). | | |
| | | 45-51 | Juliet Steele scrapbook (1879-circa 1912, undated). | | |
| | | 52-53 | Ollie B. Burden scrapbook (1889-1949, undated). | | |
| | | 54-57 | Pencil sketches by Steele Burden (see Appendix A for alphabetized list of sketches by title). | | |

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| OS:B | -- | 4 | Pencil sketches by Steele Burden (see Appendix A for alphabetized list of sketches by title). |
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| P:43 | 11 | -- | Ollie and Steele Burden Christmas scrapbook (circa 1925-1927). |
| | -- | -- | Vol. 3: Mayme Steele and Ione Burden scrapbook (1899-1900). |
| P:45 | -- | -- | Vol. 6: Burden family scrapbook. |
| P:43 | 12 | -- | Ledger with roster of cadets for 1892-1893 presented to LSU Military Department by Ione Burden (1940); scrapbook (previously used as an account book; 1871). |
| P:45 | 21 | -- | Vol. 5: Mayme Steele Williams scrapbook (1899-1906). |
| | -- | -- | Vol. 7: <i>New Practical English Grammar ...</i> (1894). |
| | -- | -- | Vol. 8: <i>Caesar's Commentaries on the Gallic War: ...</i> (1848). |
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| Card photographs and prints, circa 1880-1975, undated | | | |
| P:44 | 13 | 1-2 3-7 8-9 10-11 12 13 14-15 | Group photographs of Burden children (circa 1900-1910). William Pike Burden (circa 1901-1953). Ione Burden European trip (circa 1915). Ione Burden (circa 1917-1965). Steele Burden (circa 1903, circa 1925-1975). Ollie Brice Steele (circa 1908-1939). Lester Williams and Mayme Williams (circa 1917-1940). |
| | 14 | 1-2 3 4 5 6-8 9-10 11 12 | Ollie Steele Burden (1895-1952). Dr. Jones (circa 1890-1899). Elam family (1913). Hunt Freeman and children (1973). Identified photographs (circa 1885-1965). Unidentified photographs (circa 1895-1954). Airplanes (1918). LSU (circa 1918, circa 1930-1939). |
| | 15 | 1-5 6-11 12 13-14 15 16-18 | Melville, Louisiana flood (1927). LSU Gumbo (1917). Kappa Delta Sorority softball game (circa 1916). Plantation houses (undated). Windrush House (circa 1942). March of Dimes Telethon (1954). |
| | 16 | 1 2-4 5 6 7 | Steele Burden school photograph (circa 1905). Unidentified men and clergy (circa 1880-1910). LSU cadets (circa 1885-1905). Banquet (circa 1955). Ollie Steele Burden portrait (circa 1950-1958). |
| OS:B | -- | 1 | Panoramic photograph of the Louisiana Tax Commission includes Steele Burden (August 12, 1912). |

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| OS:B | -- | 2 | Old Court House building (circa 1918-1922). |
| | -- | 6 | President-elect Harding (1920), LSU Campus (circa 1955-1965), group photograph of Kappa Delta Sorority event (circa 1950-1956), and Reception Committee (possibly for President Taft; circa 1909-1913). |
| P:44 | 17 | -- | Tintypes and cartes-de-visite removed from Oliver Brice and Juliet Steele family bible (circa 1850-1878). |
| | | | Cabinet cards and cartes-de-visite, circa 1884-1917 |
| | 18 | -- | Steele family photographs (circa 1884-1917). |
| | 19 | -- | Burden family photographs (circa 1885-1917). |
| | 20 | -- | Photographs of friends (circa 1886-1915). |

APPENDIX A

Steele Burden sketches:

Acadian cabin.
Big House, Plantation.
Building with cross.
Burden home (Windrush Plantation).
Cabin with picket fence.
Corner building in New Orleans French Quarter.
Corner store in New Orleans.
Courtyard in New Orleans (oversize).
Garden House at Windrush (LSU Rural Life Museum).
Garden House at Windrush Plantation (oversize).
Garden House at Windrush Plantation.
Interior of a bar (oversize).
Lane with Big House in the background.
Martin houses.
New Orleans houses.
New Orleans intersection (Iron lacework balconies).
New Orleans street scene.
Outdoor cafe.
Plantation scene.
Row of cabins.
Sailboats at old dock.
St. Louis Cathedral, Cabildo in New Orleans.
Stairway and balcony.
Store in New Orleans.