

R. Dale Olson and Diane Olson Papers, 2001-2013

Descriptive Summary and Abstract

Creator: R. Dale Olson

Title: R. Dale Olson and Diane Olson Papers, 2001-2013

Dates: 2001-2013

Abstract: A collection of scripts, letters, photos, and journals entries on the

subject of the Laffites.

Location: MC25

Size: .21 linear feet (1 box)

Language: English

Repository: Jack K. Williams Library, Archives and Manuscripts, Texas A&M

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Citation: Williams Library, Archives, and Manuscripts, Texas A&M University at

Galveston, Galveston, TX.

Donor: R. Dale Olson and Diane Olson

Biographical Note

Dale Olson is a co-founder of the Laffite Society of Galveston, Texas. He served as the president of the Laffite Society. Diane Olson served as Parliamentarian.

Sources:

Holley, Joe. "Pirate ties no laughing matter to Gulf Coast society." *Houston Chronicle*. Houston Chronicle, 17 July 2015. http://www.chron.com/news/columnists/native-texan/article/Pirate-ties-no-laughing-matter-to-Gulf-Coast-6391592.php

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of four folders of materials in three series: Scripts, Journal, and Letters. It includes scripts for plays and performances, copies of photographs, a floppy disk, and a flash drive. All materials are related to the subject of the Laffite family.

Related Collections

MC20- Laffite Society. Located at the Jack K. Williams Library. https://repositories.tdl.org/tamug-ir/handle/1969.3/28920

Original copies of letters in this collection are located at the Sam Houston Regional Library and Research Center.

https://www.tsl.texas.gov/shc/index.html

Organization of the Papers

Series 1. Scripts

Series 2. Journal

Series 3. Letters

Restrictions

Access: No restrictions.

Usage Restrictions: Access to fragile materials may be limited. Some materials may not be reproduced and travel to the collection may be necessary. Contact Jack K. Williams library for more information.

Administration Information

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Detailed Description of the Collection

Box 1

Series 1. Scripts

"Audrey, Lacie, and John A." includes a letter from Sandra Medina Burrell at the Texas State Library Archives Commission to Dale Olson about the flash drive containing scans of the letters between Audrey, Lacie, and John A.

- 1.1 Play: "Laffite in Galveston" 3 act play, undated
- 1.2 Audrey, Lacie, and John A., 2012, 2013

Series 2. Journal

Includes a floppy disk of photos and journal entries of the Olson's Yucatan trip. This trip included other Laffite Society members and involved research about the Laffites. Printed copies of the photos and journal entries are included in the folder.

2.1 Mexico: Yucatan diary by Dale Olson, 2001

Series 3. Letters

Thumb drive of scans of correspondence between John A. Laffite, Lacey Laffite, and Audrey Lloyd. The originals are located at the Sam Houston Regional Library and Research Center in Liberty Texas. Permission to reproduce the letters must be obtained from the Sam Houston Regional Library and Research Center.

3.1 Thumb drive: Scans of letters John A. Laffite, Lacey Laffite, and Audrey Lloyd