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Biography
From files of the Texas State Historical Association
Margaret Swett Henson (1924-2001).

January 27, 2001

To TAHP Members:

It is with great sorrow and a deep sense of personal loss, that I express my thoughts on the loss of Dr. Margaret Swett Henson.

Dr. Henson, along with her late husband Scott Henson, was one of TAHP's charter members of the organization. From the very first (1989), she played an active and strong role in making the organization a success. The very fact that she was a member of the organization, gave TAHP an enormous endorsement, as anyone and everyone in the fields of preservation and history within the State of Texas knew and respected Dr. Henson. However, she did a lot more, she gave us many suggestions and ideas and opened doors within the historical community whenever TAHP needed assistance.

The obtaining of the historical marker for Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Houston within record time (less than one year) has to be credited to Dr. Henson. Dr. Henson reviewed all the historical data and prepared the proposed text for the marker. One small revision from the state was all that was required. Her expertise and her contacts within the Texas Historical Commission made the event a minor miracle as markers were normally requiring at least a full two year period before a marker could be acquired.

We often discussed little known places or occurrences related to Texas history and Dr. Henson had either personally visited the site and/or had studied about the sites. These sites were often swampy or heavily dense areas that were infested with snakes, insects and other undesirable creatures and of course, they were usually very isolated places. The song "Battle of New Orleans" always came into association with Dr. Henson as she talked about some of the places, "...places where a rabbit couldn't go."

I always attempted to make sure that my comments on history were accurate before I discussed them with Dr. Henson because Dr. Henson had a talent for being precise and would easily pick out any errors immediately. She had a true talent for the retention of materials, data, facts. She always was meticulous and methodical in her research and I was always highly respectful for her tenacity for the truth.

Dr. Henson's desire for the truth made her a strong and vocal champion for the Tejano Association for Historical Preservation because she was one of the first, if not the first Texas historian to know that the truth did not all rest with the Angloized version of history. Dr. Henson found the truth where ever it could be found and then she presented it along with her explanations as to why it may have resulted in that manner.

Dr. Henson's book on DeZavala, which was dedicated to TAHP, is the last published book by Dr. Henson and it is a classic example of Dr. Henson's desire to tell the truth as she saw it. The book neither condemns nor condones De Zavala's actions but rather tells his story as accurately as she could portray it according to the facts that were available. If only we could all have our personal stories told in that manner! Dr. Henson proudly called herself a "revisionist" because she often rewrote the history pages and often because her facts revealed truths that had either been ignored or misrepresented with regard to the great confrontation between the Anglo and Hispanic cultures in the 1800's in Tejas.

I know that I will sorely miss her calls that were always started with, "Margaret, here - have you got a minute?" I always replied that I did, and not one of those minutes was ever wasted in my opinion. The state has lost one of its finest historians, the Tejanos have lost one of its greatest supporters and I have lost a very good friend.

Rest in peace,
Rolando M. Romo

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Anglo-American Colonization	Samuel May Williams House
Bradburn, John (Juan) Davis (1787-1842)	Smith, Obedience Fort (1774-1847)
Burnet, David Gouverneur (1788-1870)	Smithwick, Noah (1808-1899)
Chambers, Thomas Jefferson (1802-1865)	Tenorio, Antonio (? - ?)
Cherry, Emma Richardson (1859-1954)	Texas Woman's Fair
Dickinson, Susanna Wilkerson (ca.1814-1883)	Thompson, Thomas M. (Mexico) (? - ?)
Fort Anahuac	Trinity Land Company
Harris County	Turtle Bayou Resolutions
Labadie, Nicholas Descomps (1802-1867)	West, Emily D. (? - ?)
<i>Laura</i> (steamboat)	White, Amy Comstock (1775-1853)
Long, Jane Herbert Wilkinson (1798-1880)	Williams, Henry Howell (1796-1873)
McCormick, Margaret (Peggy) (ca.1788-1854)	Williams, John A. (? -1840)
McLean, Ephraim Walton (1816-1896)	Williams, Nathaniel Felton (1800-1884)
Menard, Michel Branamour (1805-1856)	Williams, Samuel May (1795-1858)
Menard, Pierre (Peter) J. (ca.1808-1861)	Young, Matilda Jane Fuller (1826-1882)
New Washington Association	Zavala, Emily West de (1809-1882)

Scope and Contents Note

This finding aid describes the manuscript materials which were donated in 2003 from the estate of Margaret Swett Henson (MSH) and are housed in Special Collections in the Jack K. Williams Library, Texas A&M University at Galveston, Galveston, TX. Some monographs and journals from the estate were added to the general circulating collection of the Library. Those items which were deemed rare and/or had her personal notations in the text were added to Special Collections. Other files from MSH's research collection are at Rosenberg Library, Galveston, TX. Inquiries regarding this collection should be directed to the Special Collections Librarian at the Williams Library.

The manuscript collection is divided into nine series: correspondence, literary productions, documents, printed materials, organizations & associations, biographical materials (others), memorabilia, portraits, and photographs.

The dates of the collection range from 1838-1850, 1938–2000.

The bulk of the collection comprises the works of Margaret Swett Henson including her book reviews, research notes on various topics, manuscripts, and genealogies which she prepared. Included are literary works by others which she apparently used in her research. One important note of interest are the many annotations she made not only on her own writings but also on the pages of others. Of particular interest are the numerous drafts leading up to her last monograph: "Understanding Lorenzo de Zavala...."

In the correspondence series one will find the complete transcripts of correspondence of Lucy Parker Shaw (1838-1850) documenting life in Galveston, Texas. The original collection is housed in the Rosenberg Library, Galveston. Along with the transcripts is an index to the letters prepared by Dr. Henson as well as numerous research notes in her hand.

Other correspondence includes business as well as personal which gives great insight into her life as a scholar of Texas history.

Printed materials include newspaper clippings, press announcements, newsletters, newspapers maps, brochures, literature from various organizations and associations, and tourist information from Fredericksburg, Texas.

Of particular note is the portrait of Judge John H. Reagan, "Texas' Grand Old Man" which is produced on a postal card requesting a 1cent domestic stamp. Photographs include pictures of MSH as well as Dr. Raymond Estep.

Abbreviations used:

MSH - Margaret Swett Henson
ALS - Autograph letter signed
ALS – Autograph letter without signature
AMS – Autograph manuscript signed
AMs – Autograph manuscript unsigned
TMS – Typed manuscript signed
TMs – Typed manuscript unsigned
ANS – Autograph note signed
ANs – Autograph note unsigned
Mss–Manuscript(s)

Series Outline

Series 1. Correspondence

- Subseries a. MSH outgoing
- Subseries b. MSH incoming
- Subseries c. Others
- Subseries d. Lucy Parker Shaw

Series 2. Literary Productions

- Subseries a. Book reviews by MSH
- Subseries b. Book reviews by others
- Subseries c. Research notes by MSH
- Subseries d. Manuscripts by MSH
- Subseries e. Genealogies by MSH
- Subseries f. Writings by others

Series 3. Documents

- Subseries a. Legal
- Subseries b. Financial

Series 4. Printed Materials

- Subseries a. Newspaper clippings
- Subseries b. Press announcements
- Subseries c. Newsletters & Newspapers
- Subseries d. Maps
- Subseries e. Miscellaneous

Series 5. Organizations and Associations

Series 6. Biographical materials (others)

Series 7. Memorabilia

Series 8. Portraits

Series 9. Photographs

Series Descriptions

Series 1. Correspondence

Box 2

1838-1850, 1974-2000. .33 linear ft.

Arranged into four subseries: **a.** To others- From MSH, arranged alphabetically by sender; **b.** To MSH- From others, arranged alphabetically by recipient; **c.** From and To others, arranged alphabetically by sender; **d.** Lucy Parker Shaw letters (1838-1850), arranged by date.

The bulk of the correspondence is between MSH and friends and associates, primarily regarding her research interests and those of her associates. The Shaw letters are transcripts made in 1949 from the original collection housed in the Rosenberg Library, Galveston, TX. These document life in Galveston during the pre-Civil War era.

Series 2. Literary Productions

Box 2-4

1938, 1942, 1958-2000. 1.5 linear ft.

Divided into six subseries: **a.** book reviews and critiques by MSH; **b.** book reviews by others; **c.** research notes by MSH; **d.** manuscripts by MSH; **e.** genealogies prepared by MSH; **f.** works of others.

The book reviews by MSH are primarily published reviews. There are twenty-seven in four folders, arranged alphabetically by title. There are two reviews by others; one is a review of MSH's book, *Lorenzo de Zavala....* And the other is a review written c.1938 about the book by Jessie A. Ziegler, *Wave of the Gulf* [SPEC COLL F 386 .Z54 1938].

Research notes (19 folders) in the hand of MSH are mostly undated and reflect her various projects. Subjects of these notes include: Sam Houston, costumes, San Augustine County censuses, Charles Elliot, Ashbel Smith, Stephen F. Austin's empresario contracts, Jean Laffite, General Lallemand, Magee-Gutierrez Expedition, James and Jane Long, and Martinez, Anaya, Perry & Humbert.

Manuscripts (17 folders) by MSH include three indexes. One is unidentified, the second is a draft to the newspaper, "The Age" and the third an index of German names in North Harris County. The index to the Shaw letters which MSH prepared is filed with the Shaw letters in Series 1. Included are many edited drafts for papers on Lorenzo de Zavala, a paper on James Long, and a historical investigation of burial sites...Willisville Lake project.

Genealogies are arranged alphabetically by family name in 14 folders. They include the families: Beluche, DeCordova, Holbeck, Klein, Laffite, Laflin, Love, Nelson, Raney, Shaw, Sherman, Streety, Travis and Weston.

Works of others are arranged alphabetically by author. Of particular note is the dissertation of Dr. Raymond Estep written in 1942 titled: "Life of Lorenzo de Zavala." Also included are "Rules for teacher, 1872" and the original lyrics for the "Yellow Rose of Texas."

Series 3. Documents

Box 5

1990-2000. 6 folders.

Arranged in two subseries: **a.** Financial documents and **b.** Legal documents.

The financial documents include invoices, receipts and packing slips. Legal documents include a contract with TCU press regarding Henson's biography of de Zavala and a copyright certificate for the de Zavala book.

Series 4. Printed Materials**Box 5****1970-1989. 17 folders.**

Arranged in five subseries: **a.** Newspaper clippings, **b.** Press announcements, **c.** Newsletters and newspapers, **d.** Maps, and **e.** Miscellaneous which includes book jackets, brochures and travel literature on Fredericksburg, Texas.

The newspaper clippings include many miscellaneous articles as well as articles on Henson's de Zavala biography and the "Texas Trailblazers." There are miscellaneous press announcements as well as one on the city of Nacogdoches and "Touchstone Corner." There are many newsletters, but of note is the collection of newsletters from Heritage Park in Wallisville, TX and the reproduction newspaper, "The Age" from Wallisville Heritage Park. The maps are primarily photocopies of land grants of Harris County along with a reproduction typographical map of Texas by Dr. Ferd. Roemer.

Series 5. Organizations and Associations**Box 5****1982-2000. 11 folders.**

Arranged alphabetically.

Organizations included are Chambers County Heritage Society, East Texas Historical

Association, Harris County Heritage Society, the Laffite Society including membership lists, Red Barn Carriage Museum, Rosenberg Library, Southwestern Historical Society (Quarterly), and the Texas Trailblazer Preservation Association.

Series 6. Biographical materials (others)**Box 5****19?? 3 folders.**

Arranged alphabetically.

Included is the biography of Robert Allen Nesbitt and a résumé of David G. McComb.

The vita of Raymond Estep is found in Series 2 along with his dissertation.

Series 7. Memorabilia**Box 5****c.1960- 2 folders.**

Unarranged.

Included in one folder are several fragments with the signature of MSH, some including her mailing address. The other folder contains miscellaneous items such as business cards, pictures of cats, bookmarks and a brass ornament.

Series 8. Portraits**Box 5**

c.late 1800s, 19?? 2 folders.

Arranged alphabetically.

Included is a portrait of Judge John H. Reagan, "Texas' Grand old Man" and a photocopy of a portrait of Sidney Sherman.

Series 9. Photographs**Box 6**

c.1959- 4 folders.

Unarranged.

Three folders are related to MSH. One is a photocopy of a photo from 1959 and the other folder contains photos of a group in which MSH is included. There are also photographs of Dr. Raymond Estep which were included in his correspondence to MSH.

Container List Outline

Box 1

Collection information

Finding Aid
Book list
Appraisal
List of books and journals added to JKW SPEC COLL.
Biography (MSH)

Box 2

Series

1. Correspondence

Subseries

- a. MSH: Outgoing
- b. MSH: Incoming
- c. Others
- d. Lucy Parker Shaw

2. Literary Productions

- a. Book reviews – MSH
- b. Book reviews by others

Box 3

2. Literary Productions (cont'd)

- c. Research notes - MSH
- d. Manuscripts - MSH

Box 4

2. Literary Productions (cont'd)

- d. Manuscripts - MSH (cont'd)
- e. Genealogies by MSH

Box 5

3. Documents

- a. Financial
- b. Legal

4. Printed Materials

- a. Newspaper clippings
- b. Press announcements
- c. Newsletters & Newspapers
- d. Maps
- e. Miscellaneous
 - Book (dust) jackets
 - Brochures
 - Fredericksburg, TX

5. Organizations & Associations**6. Biographical materials (others)**

- a. Biographies
- b. Resumes

7. Memorabilia**8. Portraits****Box 6**

9. Photographs**Box 7**

Oversized documents

CONTAINER LIST

Box 1

Collection Information

1. Finding aid
2. Biography
3. Bibliography
4. Background information
5. Books discarded
6. Schroeder's Book Haven
7. Estate books
8. Books in SPEC COLL
9. Journals in SPEC COLL

Box 2**Series 1: Correspondence**Folder:**a. TO: Others (From MSH:)**

- | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| 1. Bradford, James C. | | 1992 |
| 2. Estep, Dr. Raymond | (4 letters) | 1997, 1998 |
| 3. Hinojosa, Dr. Gilberto M. | | 1995 |
| 4. Hitchcock, Joanna | (2 letters) | 1998, 1999 |
| 5. Houghton, Dorothy Knox | | 1998 |
| 6. Kendall, F. Russell | | 1997 |
| 7. Martin, Elliot | | 1997 |
| 8. Olson, Diane | | 1976 |
| 9. Peterson, Renee | | 2000 |
| 10. Pomeroy, C. David | | 1994 |
| 11. Prather, Patricia Smith | | 1995 |
| 12. Public Library, Eastport Maine | | 1987 |
| 13. TCU Press | | 1994-1995 |
| Alter, Judy | (4 letters) | |
| Row, A.T. | | |
| 14. Tijerina, Andres | | 1995 |
| 15. Weddell, Robert S. | | 1999 |
| 16. Tyler, Dr. Ron | | 1998 |

b. TO: MSH: (From others)

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|------------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| 17. Beck, Alison | | 2000 |
| 18. Boles, John B. | (3 letters) | 1990 |
| 19. Brewer, D.J. | | n.d. |
| 20. Brothers, Deborah E. | | 1990 |
| 21. Brown, Norman D. | (6 letters) | 1986, 1987, 1992 |
| 22. Davis, Al | | [2000] |
| 23. Estep, Raymond | | 1998 |
| 24. Frazien, Don | | n.d. [1995] |
| 25. Hall-Little, Marianne E. | | 1996 |
| 26. Hinojosa, G.M. | | n.d. |
| 27. Hitchcock, Joanna | (2 letters) | 1998 |
| 28. [Houghton], Dorothy Knox | (2 items) | 1999 |
| 29. Kendall, F. Russell | | 1997 |
| 30. Lale, Cissy Stewart | | 1996 |
| 31. Lale, Max S. | | 1994 |
| 32. Love, Martha | | 1987 |
| 33. McDonald, Archie P. | (2 letters) | 1974, 2000 |
| 34. McLean, Malcolm D. | | 1991 |
| 35. Marchiafava, Louis J. | (2 letters) | 1984, 1998 |
| 36. Marks, Paula Mitchell | (2 letters) | 1996, 1997 |
| 37. Martin, Elliot | | 1997 |
| 38. Olson, Diane | | 1976 |
| 39. Pabst, J. | | 1976 |
| 40. Pomeroy, C. David, Jr. | | 1994 |
| 41. Prather, Patricia Smith | | 1992 |

Box 2**Series1: Correspondence (cont'd)**

42.	riocibo@ibm.net	1999
43.	TCU Press	1994-1995
	Alter, Judy (8 letters)	
	Hagy, Carol	
	Row, A.T. (2 letters)	
44.	Thompson, Jessy	1996
45.	Thonhoff, Robert H.	1986
46.	Trammell, Camilla D.	1987
47.	Valentine, Wilbur	1979
48.	Walls, Beverly	1977
49.	_____, Tom	n.d.
50.	_____, Walter	1977
c. From & To (others)		
51.	<u>From:</u> George, Eugene	1999 Mar 29
	<u>To:</u> Houghton, Dorothy Knox	
52.	<u>From:</u> Green, Thos. J.	1839 Feb 17
	<u>To:</u> Johnson, A.S.	
53.	<u>From:</u> Ladd, Kevin (director-Wallisville Heritage Park)	1983 Dec
	<u>To:</u> Readers	
54.	<u>From:</u> Lottinville, Savoie	1955 Sept 20
	<u>To:</u> Pargellis, Stanley	
d. Lucy Parker Shaw letters (Transcripts of Shaw letters in the Rosenberg Library)		
55.	Lucy Shaw, description and history of	
56.	Lucy Shaw, index to typescript letters by MSH	1949, 1987
57.	Research notes by MSH	
58.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston (sister)	1838 Dec
59.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Jan
60.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Feb
61.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Mar
62.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Apr
63.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1939 Sept
64.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to her mother	1839 Sept
65.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Oct
66.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Nov
67.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to her mother	1839 Nov
68.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1839 Dec
69.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Jan
70.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Jan
71.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Mar
72.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Apr
73.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Aug
74.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Aug
75.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to her mother	1840 Sept
76.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1840 Oct
77.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1841 Apr/May
78.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1841 July
79.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1841 Oct/Nov

Box 2**Series 1: Correspondence (cont'd)**

80.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1842 Apr/May
81.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1842 July
82.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1842 Aug
83.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1845 Sept
84.	Correspondence from Joshua Clark Shaw to Miss Emily Shaw	1847 Oct
85.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1949 Dec
86.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1850 May
87.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw and Joshua Clark Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1950 July
88.	Correspondence from Lucy Shaw to Mrs. Jane Weston	1950 Aug

Series 2: Literary Productions**a. Book reviews and Critiques by MSH****1. Book Reviews A-F**

Ashbel Smith of Texas, pioneer, patriot, statesman, 1805-1886 – Silverthorne.

Baylor at Independence – Murray.

Defending Mexican Valor in Texas: Jose Antonio Navarro's Historical Writings, 1853-1857 – McDonald .

Early years – Pomeroy.

Forgotten battlefield of the first Texas Revolution: the Battle of Medina, August 18, 1813 – Schwarz.

From sail to steam: four centuries of Texas maritime history, 1500-1900 – Francaviglia.

2. Book Reviews I-L

Ima Hogg: the governor's daughter – Bernhard.

Imaginary kingdom: Texas as seen by the Rivera and Rubí Military Expeditions, 1727 and 1767 – Jackson.

In pursuit of Herman Ehrenberg.

Jane Long of Texas, 1798-1880 – Petrick.

Lone Stars: a legacy of Texas quilts, 1836-1936 – Bresenhan and Puentes.

3. Book Reviews M-P

Mexican frontier, 1821-1846: the American southwest under Mexico – Weber.

Moses Austin: his life – Gracy.

Papers concerning Robertson's Colony in Texas.

Vol. IV: *May Through Oct. 10, 1830. Tenoxtitlan, dream capital of Texas* – McLean

Vol. V: *Oct. 11, 1830, Through Mar 5, 1831. The upper colony* - McLean

Vol. VII: *Dec. 6, 1831, Through Oct. 1833: Those eleven-league grants* - McLean

Vol. VIII: *November, 1833, Through Sept, 1834* – McLean

Vol. IX: *Oct, 1834, Through Mar 20, 1835* – McLean

Vol. X: *March 21 through July 25, 1835: The Ranger rendezvous* - McLean

Vol. XIV: *March 18 through July 22, 1836: The Battle of San Jacinto and the fall of Fort Parker* – McLean.

Box 2

Series 2: Literary Productions (cont'd)4. Book Reviews S-T

Seven Pines: its occupants and their letters, 1825-1872 – Trammell.

Soldiers of misfortune, the Somervell and Mier expeditions – Haynes.

Soldiers, sutlers, and settlers: garrison life on the Texas frontier – Wooster.

Somervell: story of a Texas county – Nunn.

Texas revolutionary experience: a political and social history, 1835-1836 – Lack.

Texian Illiad: a military history of the Texas Revolution, 1835-1836 – Hardin.

They make their own law: stories of Bolivar Peninsula – Wiggins.

b. Book reviews by others.5. Book reviews on *Lorenzo de Zavala : the pragmatic idealist* – MSH

(see also Newspaper clippings in series 4.a)

6. [by Hunter?]. "Wave of the Gulf." Jessie A. Ziegler. [SPEC COLL F386 .Z54 1938]
(1938?) [note: fragile]

Box 3

Series 2: Literary Productions (cont'd)**c. Research notes MSH**

Folder

7. Notes removed from *The Writings of Sam Houston*. SPEC COLL F390 H828 1970 v.8
(see also: Newspaper clippings, series 4.a)
8. Texas State Historical Assoc. Notes by MSH RE: Bill Groneman's presentation TSHA, 1995
9. Costumes
(see also: Newsletters, series 4.c)
10. San Augustine County. 7th census. 1850 – Free schedule
11. San Augustine County. 7th census. 1850 – State of Texas Federal Population Schedules.
12. San Augustine County. 1860 Citizens of San Augustine County + 1862, 1865, 1867 tax rolls + 1867 voter registration
13. San Augustine County. 1870 edited census
14. San Augustine District. (edited 1835 census with 1893, 1839, 1840, 1842, 1844, 1846, 1848, Tax Rolls, 1826 Muster Roll, Ayish Bayou District)
15. Elliot Charles Research Notes
16. Notes RE: Ashbel Smith papers at U.T.
17. Stephen F. Austin's empresario contracts
18. Jean Laffite Notes
(see also: Newspaper clippings, series 4.a)
19. Laffite revisions and notes
(see also: Genealogy files, series 2.e)
20. Notes RE: Gen. Lallemant
(see also: Newspaper clippings, series 4.c)
21. Notes RE: Magee-Gutierrez Expedition, 1812-1813
22. James and Jane Long (notes)
1990
23. Notes RE: James Long (d. 1822)
24. Notes RE: Martinez; Anaya; Perry; Humbert
25. Miscellaneous notes – unidentified

d. Manuscripts MSH

26. Index (unidentified)
27. Index to The Age (draft)
28. "Index of German names in heritage N. Harris County"
n.d.
29. "Filibuster James Long, the Adams-Onís Treaty and the Monroe Administration"

Box 3**Series 2: Literary Productions (cont'd)**

30. "James Long"
1992
31. "Touchstone Corner"
1996
32. "Lorenzo De Zavala: Texas' First Vice-President: A Pragmatic Idealist" Summary and Outline
1994-95
33. Zavala paper (unidentified fragment)
34. Zavala – Folk descendants
2000
35. "Lorenzo de Zavala" (short version)
1998
36. Zavala biography RE: illustrations
37. TSHA article 1998 July pub. SHQ. Bibliographic essay RE: Zavala
1998
38. 1st Corrected Copy: "Understanding Lorenzo de Zavala...."
1998
39. Final edit: "Understanding Lorenzo de Zavala...."
1998
40. Presidential Address (TSHA 1998) w/edits: "Understanding Lorenzo de Zavala...."
1998
41. Presidential Address (TSHA 1998): "Understanding Lorenzo de Zavala...."
(presidential address)
42. "Historical investigation of burial sites.... Willisville Lake project 1990 (frag. Pt. 1: intro) 1990

e. Genealogies by MSH

43. Beluche family
44. De Cordova family
45. Holbeck family
46. Klein family
47. Laffite family
48. Laflin family
49. Love family
50. Nelson family
51. Raney family
52. Shaw family
53. Sherman family

Box 3

Series 2: Literary Productions (cont'd)

- 54. Streety family
- 55. Travis family
- 56. Weston family

Box 4**Series 2. Literary Productions (cont'd)****f. Works of Others**Folder

- 57. Bibliography
- 58. Block, W.T. "History of Jefferson County, Texas from Wilderness to reconstruction
(photocopy) (2 flds) n.d.
- 59. Block, W.T. "History of Jefferson County, Texas from Wilderness to reconstruction"
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| 5. "Touchstone Corner" | |
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| 7. <i>Heritage Park Newsletter</i> (Wallisville, TX) | 1983-1987 |
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| 8. "Lonely tombstone on tank farm gives clue to history of Deer Park. [Shell's employee publication]" | 1970 |
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1. Margaret Swett Henson
2. MSH (?) *July 1959 to Vicksburg, in 1956 Chevy wagon then Pensacola and Sarasota*
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3. Group meeting (includes MSH) - 3 photos
4. Dr. Raymond Estep

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With photos from the F.J. Schlueter Collection.
Includes 7 picture post cards.
5. "The Age" (newspaper) Wallisville Heritage Park, 1979-
Established at Houston May 15, 1871 by D.L. McGary. Moved to Wallisville March 15, 1897. Discontinued in 1908. Re-established by the Wallisville Hertage Park, Dec. 1, 1979.
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