



Henry N. Hooper Bell, 1857

Descriptive Summary and Abstract

Creator:	Henry N. Hooper, Robbie de Vries
Title:	Henry N. Hooper Bell
Dates:	1857, 1987
Abstract:	One bell, cast by Henry N. Hooper and Company in Boston, 1857. Originally purchased to serve as the tower bell in the center of the Texas A&M University at Galveston campus, the bell is currently displayed in the library. Robbie de Vries and twelve other donors acquired the bell by auction in 1987.
Location:	MC015
Size:	0.2 linear feet (1 box)
Language:	English
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Donor:	Gift of Robbie de Vries, 1987.

Biographical Note

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Scope and Content Note

Collection includes one bell and correspondence about the acquisition of the bell. There is also a file with background on Henry N. Hooper bells.

Organization of the Papers

- Series 1. Artifact
 - Series 2. Papers
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Restrictions

Access

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Administration Information

Provenance: Gift of Robbie de Vries, 1987.

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Detailed Description of the Collection**Series 1. Artifact**

1.1 Bell, 1857. Located at entrance of the Jack K. Williams Library

Series 2. Papers

2.1 Correspondence about bell donation, 1987

2.2 Background on Hooper bells, 2008