

## Fred A. Blocker Collection

### Series 1 through 7 Finding Aid

Biographical Information about Creator of Collection: "Fred Adrian Blocker was born on March 17, 1922 to Adrian and Zelma Blocker of the Oktoc Community South of Starkville , where he continued to live all his life except for two years of military service during WWII. After graduating from Mississippi State University, he began farming with his father. He took an active part of the Farm Bureau, Oktoc Community Club, and the Mississippi Cattlemen's Association" ... and the First Presbyterian Church in Starkville. He was married to Marjorie Simmons Blocker, and they had three children: Larry Simmons Blocker, Anna Marie Blocker Rasberry , and Adrian Blocker. Like his father, he was a great storyteller, and he liked to tell his stories at Oktoc Community Club meetings, or wherever he had a listener, such as at Oktibbeha County Historical and Genealogical Society meetings. When he died in August of 2012, the library lost one of its major contacts about historical places, homes, buildings, businesses, and people of Oktibbeha County. (The information in the first half of this article was taken from his obituary.)

Processor and Creator of Finding Aid: Perian Kerr, with typing assistance from volunteer, Susie Parikf.

Provenance: This collection was brought to the Starkville Public Library by Mr. Blocker's daughter in several parts brought at different times. The Oktibbeha County History Files, focusing on topics and surnames files of interest in Oktoc community, were in alphabetical order ; 2 boxes of Starkville High School Class Reunion Files, Box 1 containing schools history, most files not alphabetical order, class reunion files chronological; Box 2 containing class photographs , in order by graduation year; Starkville Academy alphabetical topical files; and unarranged magazines, newspapers and souvenir publications.

Extent: The processed collection is contained on 2.5 mobile range shelves, and one large newspaper flat file box.

Scope: The scope of this collection is approximately: Oktibbeha County history, topics of interest to people in the Oktoc community; Starkville High School and Starkville Academy alumnae; Presbyterian Churches; and Newspapers -- Oktibbeha County, Mississippi, State, World Events from 1941 through 2010.

Description: Everything in this collection reflects Mr. Blocker's love of Oktoc, and things that interest people there, Starkville High School and Starkville Academy; Presbyterian Churches and also historical events in Oktibbeha County and MSU, Mississippi and national history. The library has on its genealogy book shelves his compilations of history of the Outlaw family and of Robinson Road.

Arrangement: Processor arranged collection into seven series, listed below. The Oktibbeha County History file collection was split into two alphabetical collections: Series 1:Oktoc Surname Files, and Series 2: Oktibbeha County History Files, with Emphasis on Oktoc. Series 3: Newspapers were divided into categories: Boxes 1: Oktibbeha County Events; Boxes 2 and 3: SDN Oktibbeha County Progress Editions 1992-1998 and 2003-2012; Box 4: Mississippi and National Events. The Starkville High School class reunion files were kept in original order. The loose Starkville Academy articles were put into folders by topic, and arranged alphabetically.

Series Names:

Series 1: Oktoc Families, Surname Files

Series 2: Oktibbeha County History Files, With Emphasis on Oktoc

Series 3: Historical Newspapers

Series 4: Historical Magazines

Series 5: Souvenir Publications

Series 6: Starkville High School Class Reunions files

Series 7: Starkville Academy files

Series 8: Fred Blocker Microfilmed Church Records and Genealogical Notes

**Series 1: OKTOC FAMILIES, SURNAME FILES**

Item or Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
ANDERSON	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
BERK	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
BLOCKER, Fred Adrian	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
BLOCKER, Fred Adrian - BLOCKER, Adrian Maurice	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
BLOCKER, Fred Adrian - BLOCKER, Larry	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
BLOCKER, Fred Adrian - BLOCKER - RASBERRY	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
BUCKNER	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
CUNNINGHAM	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
DAWKINS	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
EDWARDS	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
FLANIGAN	Oktoc Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1

Item or Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
FULTZ	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GARRISON	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GASTON	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GENTRY, Hilman, M., "Buddy"	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GENTRY, Wayne	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GORDON	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GRAY	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
GREEN	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
HAND	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
HARNED	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
HARTNESS	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
IVY	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
JACKSON	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
JENKINS	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
KENNARD	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
LINDSEY	OktoC Families, Surname Files - L	A 1	1
McGEE	OktoC Families, Surname Files O	M 1	2
McILWAIN	OktoC Families, Surname Files O	M 1	2
McKELL	OktoC Families, Surname Files O	M 1	2
MILEY	OktoC Families, Surname Files O	M 1	2
MOBLEY	OktoC Families, Surname Files O	M 1	2
MONTGOMERY	OktoC Families, Surname Files O	M 1	2

Item or Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
NASH	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. (Warren)	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. - OAKLEY - BOX	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. - OAKLEY - FONDREN	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. - OAKLEY - McDAVID	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. (Warren) - OAKLEY, Robert	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. (Warren) - OAKLEY, William	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, F. W. (Warren) and William Farm	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, John	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, Walter W.	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
OAKLEY, Walter W. - OAKLEY, James Franklin, Sr.	Oktoc Families, Surname Files O	M - 1	2
PAGE	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
PIGG	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
PITTS	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RANDLE	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RANDLE, J. A. (John Allison) Sr.	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RANDLE, Leona Wilkey Family (Mrs. Allison RANDLE, Sr.	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RANDLE, J. A. Sr. - RANDLE, J. A. "Sonny" Jr.	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RANDLE, J. A. Sr. - RANDLE, Marlin "Davis", Sr.	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RANDLE, J. A. Sr. - RANDLE, William Carroll, Sr,	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
RATLIFF	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3
REED	Oktoc Families, Surname Files Z	P - 1	3

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RIVERS	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
RULE	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
SANDERS	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
SCANLON	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
SELF	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
SHELTON	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
SHIRLEY	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
STEADMAN	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
THORNTON	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
TISDALE	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
TURNER	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
VAUGAN	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
WEBSTER	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
WEST	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
WHITE	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
WILLARD	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
YOUNG	OktoC Families, Surname Files Z P -	1	3
<b>Series 2: OKTIBBEHA COUNTY HISTORY FILES, WITH EMPHASIS ON OKTOC</b>			
Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
Agriculture	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on OktoC -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Aviation History	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on OktoC -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Banks, Starkville	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on OktoC -- Subjects A - M	2	1

Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
Barn Raising, Amish	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Bed and Breakfast Inns, Starkville	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Cafes, Starkville	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Chamber of Commerce, Starkville	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Dairying	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Davis, Carole McReynolds, SDN Column	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Elections in Oktibbeha county	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Extension Service, Farm Service Agency	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Farming Progress	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Floods, Easter, 1979	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Floods, Ice Storms, Hurricanes	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Floods, Ice Storms, Hurricanes	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Genealogy	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Golden Triangle - Business	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Green House Newspaper Column	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Historical News, The	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Hog Farm Controversy	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Mayhew	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Mississippi	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Mississippi - History	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
MSU Chi Omega History	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
MSU - Old Main Dorm	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1

Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
MSU Scholars	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc -- Subjects A - M	2	1
Noxubee Wildlife Refuge	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha Cattlemen's Association	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Churches	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Churches - First Presbyterian, Starkville	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County - Clubs and Organizations	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County - Crimes	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Heritage Museum	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Historical Society	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County History	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Hospitals	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Roads	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County Schools	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County - Sheriff's Department	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha Soil and Water Conservation	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Oktibbeha County - Volunteer Fire Dept. - Oktoc	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
OKTOC	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
OKTOC - Browning Creek Subdivision	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
OKTOC - Country Stores	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
OKTOC - 4 -H	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
OKTOC People - Awards	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Operation Desert Storm Troops	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2

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Sessums	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Starkville - History	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Starkville People	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Starkville Pilgrimage	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
State Fair/Dixie National Mid - South	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Sturgis	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
Super Collider	Okt Co hist files, with emphasis on Oktoc Subjects N - Z	2	2
<b>Series 3: Historical Newspapers, folded</b>			
Newspaper List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
<i>Reflector</i> , MSU Volume 86, Number 43, 03/22/1974 (Streakers article)	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> , MSU Centennial Edition 2/24/1978	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Agriculture, 150 years in OKT. County) 08/11/1983	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Business - Industry, 150 years in OKT. county, 09/08/1983	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Religion - Culture, 150 years in OKT. county, 10/06/1983	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Education, 150 years in OKT. county, 11/03/1983	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : History - Government, 150 years in OKT. county, 12/08/1983	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> , 1833 -1983: 150 years in OKT. County, book version	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> , Sept. 19, 1999 supplement: Postcards from the Past: Part one 1900 - 1925	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1



Newspaper List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> , Oct. 3, 1999 supplement: Postcards from the Past: Part two 1926 - 1950	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> , Oct. 17, 1999 supplement , Postcards from the Past: Part three 1951 - 1999	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> , Oct. 31, 1999 supplement: Postcards from the Past: Part Four 1976 - 1999	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>High Cotton: Starkville's People, Culture, and Lifestyle</i> Mar. 5, 2009	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County History	3	1
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - 1992: Helping Hands, Neighbors, and On Campus 02/28/1992	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 1992 -98	3	2
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> -OKT. Development Council 10/18/1992	Oktibbeha County Progress: 1992 - 1998	3	2
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - Voices of Our People: Progress, 02/26/1995	Oktibbeha County Progress: 1992 - 1998	3	2
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - Progress 1996: Starkville's Journey, 02/25/1996	Oktibbeha County Progress: 1992 - 1998	3	2
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Education, Growth, Sports & Recreation and Arts & Leisure, 02/23/1997	Oktibbeha County Progress: 1992 - 1998	3	2
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Progress Edition, 02/22/1998	Oktibbeha County Progress: 1992 - 1998	3	2
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - Inside Today: A voter's guide to the Primary election 07/20/2003	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : "About our Government in the City of Starkville" 7/31/2003	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>East Mississippi Business Journal</i> - Serving East Mississippi , West Alabama and Starkville, Sept.2003	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - Results of Election , 11/05/2003	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : A DREAM - written in Maroon 02/28/2004 (Coach Sylvester Croom)	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3

<b>Newspaper List</b>	<b>Box Labels</b>	<b>Series #</b>	<b>Box #</b>
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Guide to Living 07/31/2006	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - Progress 2007: Something To Talk About 02/27/2007	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : City & County Guide to Living 07/28/2007	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Oktibbeha County's Top 40 Under 40, 12/31/2007	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Play Book 2009 02/28/2009	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Newcomer's Guide to Living 07/31/2009	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Welcome Back 08/18/2010	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Newcomer's Guide to Living 07/31/2010	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - Culture: Our Time, Our Town, Section A, B, C and D, 02/29/2012	Historical Newspapers: Oktibbeha County Progress: 2003 - 2012	3	3
<i>The Conservative</i> , Carrollton Pilgrimage edition 8/29/1885 reprint 04/06/1972	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : John F. Kennedy Assassinated 11/23/ 1963	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Commercial Appeal</i> : Gemini 4 space Capsule Rendezvous -Astronauts Ed White and Jim McDivett 06/04/1965	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Commercial Appeal</i> : An Astronaut Talks of Space, Dreams and Women 11/24/1965	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Commercial Appeal</i> : Elvis Presley Death 08/21/1977	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Clarion - Ledger</i> : Pope Paul VI Funeral, 8/13/1978	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Wall Street Journal</i> : Reagan Shooting 03/31/1981	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4

Newspaper List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
Starkville Daily News 1/17/1991 Operation Desert Storm ( Gulf War)	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Gulf War, articles 01/22/1991- 06/9/1991	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Atlanta Constitution</i> - Russia: The Fall of Gorbachev 08/20/1991	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> 11/9/2000 Electoral College wins election for Bush	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
Reflector 11/10/2000 Electoral College wins election for George W. Bush	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Reflector</i> Extra "Terror Strikes Home" 9/12/2001 (IRAQ War)	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : America Attacked, 09/12/2001 (IRAQ War)	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> - America Remembers: A Day that changed us all, 09/11/2002, (IRAQ War)	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4
<i>Starkville Daily News</i> : Ten Years Memorial Remembering 09/11 The Attacks on 09/11/2011, (IRAQ War)	Historical Newspapers: Miss. And National	3	4

**Series 3-OFL: Historical Newspaper files that are filed alphabetically by subject in  
Stark Annex Historical Newspaper Collection, Flat File Boxes.**

Newspaper name, date, and subject	Box Labels	Series #	Box #	Folder
Article from the <i>Commercial Appeal</i> "Starkville is Approaching Its 100th anniversary", January 6, 1929	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: Okt Co. subjects	3-OFL	1	Fred Blocker Coll. Okt. Co. History
Dairy, Poultry, and Development Supplement to <i>The Starkville News</i> , April 26, 1929 Complete issue, fragile, some pages torn	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: Okt Co. subjects	3-OFL	1	Fred Blocker Coll. Okt. Co. History

Newspaper name, date, and subject	Box Labels	Series #	Box #	Folder
<i>Starkville News</i> Fri., May 10, 1940, first two and last two pages only. Articles on Borden plant, Cooperative Creamery, Dairy Cattle, and W. B. Montgomery as the father of Oktibbeha Dairying	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: Okt Co. subjects	3-OFL	1	Fred Blocker Coll. Okt. Co. History
<i>East Mississippi Star</i> , Starkville, MS, vol. 1, Number 1, June 30, 1933 First Issue (fragile, first-second page is broken at the fold, but all of other pages are intact. All 8 pages are there.)	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: Okt Co. subjects	3-OFL	1	Fred Blocker Coll. Okt. Co. History
The Philadelphia Inquirer August 15, 1945 "[World]War[II]Ends"	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
<i>Daily News</i> , New York, NY, Aug. 15, 1945 It's Official: Japs Give Up	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
<i>The Evening Star</i> , Washington, D. C., Aug. 11, 1945 "Big 4 Accept Japs' Offer"	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
<i>The Washington Post</i> , Washington, D. C. "The War Is Over"	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
<i>Times Herald</i> , Washington, D. C. August 15, 1945 " Truman Announces 'War Is Over'"	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History

Newspaper name, date, and subject	Box Labels	Series #	Box #	Folder
The <i>Commercial Appeal</i> , Memphis, TN, May 8, 1945, "This is V-E Day--Germany Quits Unconditionally; Truman, Churchill to Broadcast Victory at 8 A.M; Die-Hard Nazis Fight on in Prague, Breslau Falls	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
<i>Commercial Appeal</i> , Oct. 8, 1939, Section 4, front and back pages, "Memphis Air Hub", "Hitler believed whistling in the dark to keep his courage", A. A. Milne, article about autobiography	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
Commercial Appeal, March 28, 1945, "Alled War Torrent Pours Eastward Through Gaps in Broken Nazi Lines; American Invaders Hit Cebu Beach"	Stark Annex Flat File Historical Newspapers: World Events - Misc. Subjects	3-OFL	3	Fred Blocker Coll. WWII. History
<b>Series 4: Historical Magazines</b>				
Magazines List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #	
Newsweek: The New we Look, (Election Special), 11/15/1976	Historical Magazines	4	1	
Newsweek: Guide to The New Government, 01/24/1977	Historical Magazines	4	1	
Newsweek: A Day to Remember, Special Issue, 02/02/1981	Historical Magazines	4	1	
Time: Kuwait City, 02/27/1991	Historical Magazines	4	1	
Time: A Moment to Savor And the lessons of Victory (Inside Kuwait - Anger and Chaos), 03/18/1991	Historical Magazines	4	1	
Top Op: A Farm Journal Publication for Executive Farmers/Ranchers, April 1974 (Last Issue)	Historical Magazines	4	1	
U.S. News & World Report: National Survey - What People Expect of Carter, 01/24/1977	Historical Magazines	4	1	
U.S. News & World Report: Reagon Starts Rolling, 02/02/1981	Historical Magazines	4	1	

<b>Magazines List</b>	<b>Box Labels</b>	<b>Series #</b>	<b>Box #</b>
U.S. News & World Report: Challengers of January 28,1986, 02/10/1981	Historical Magazines	4	1
U.S. News & World Report - Special Issue: Builders of Dreams, 06/30/2003 - 07/07/2003	Historical Magazines	4	1
<b>Series 5: Souvenir Publications</b>			
<b>Items List</b>	<b>Box Labels</b>	<b>Series #</b>	<b>Box #</b>
Year Book, Home Demonstration Clubs, 1924, Northeast District of Mississippi	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
The Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States of America	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
Defense Stamp Album for the purchase of U. S Defense Savings Bonds	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
SDN: Schulz Dies as "Peanuts" era draws to close, 02.14/2000	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
Peanuts ( comics): )Final copy of Strips, 2/13/2000	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
The Coronation of her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, 06/02/1953	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
Bellevue Baptist Church: Sharing the Joy (Adrian Rogers)	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
Newspaper: Bellevue Baptist Church, Adrian Rogers, Pastor, (supplement to the Commercial Appeal, 11/12/1989	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
The Great Passion Play (program)	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
Senate Journal, Republican Presidential, Task force, Annual Report 1984,	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
Historic picture of George Bush, Ronald Regan, Jerry Ford and Richard Nixon 07/19/1990	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
U.S. News & World Report: 70th Anniversary Issue, American mile stones	Souvenir Pub.	5	1

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We The People Of the United States, Article 1., Section 1 - 5	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
The Liberty Collection, In Congress, 07/4/1776	Souvenir Pub.	5	1
<b>Series 6: Starkville High School Class Reunion Files (Early 20th century, only 10 grades)</b>			
Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
SHS Bubbles -1924 (Mike Blocker) & 1926 (Photos)	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Misc. Notes Concerning Blocker's Proposed Book "SHS Grads 1898-1950"	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Misc. School Pictures - Notes	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Teachers - 12 years	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Music Pupils of Mrs. Allis Rieves Woodward 1922	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Overstreet School Photos - Class of 1906	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Overstreet School Photos	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Overstreet Elementary School ( The Little School) Longview School Reunion 2005	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Sellers School Photos, Starkville Institute	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville Public School Photos	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville Public School undated misc.	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1

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Starkville Public School 1914	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville Public School Class of 1916	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville Schools History	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Band	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Baseball	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Faculty	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Football	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Miscellanea	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Class Reunion 1985, Classes of 1939-1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Class Reunion 1990, Classes of 1939-1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Class Reunion 1998, Classes of 1939- 1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Class Reunion 2001, Classes of 1939- 1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
Starkville High School Class Reunion 2007, Class of 1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Class Reunion 2008, Classes Pre- 1939-1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1



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SHS Class Reunion 2009, Classes Pre- 1938-1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Class Reunion 2010, Classes Pre- 1939-1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Class Reunion 2011, Classes Pre 1939-1942	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Class Reunions 2010 -2011, Classes 1960-1961	Schools History & SHS Class Reunion Papers: Mostly Classes of 1939 - 1942	6	1
SHS Photos - Class of 1906	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1907	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1910 or 1911	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1911	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1912	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1914?	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1915	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1917 or 1918	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1918?	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1919	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2

<b>Folder List</b>	<b>Box Labels</b>	<b>Series #</b>	<b>Box #</b>
SHS Photos - Class of 1922 ?	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1923	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1924	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1925	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1926	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1927	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1928	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1929	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1930	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1931	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1932	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1933	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1934	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1935	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2

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SHS Photos - Class of 1936	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1937	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1938	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1939	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1940	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1941	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1942	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1943	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1944	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1945	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1947	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1948	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1949	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1950	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2

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SHS Photos - Class of 1951	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 1960	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 2002	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
SHS Photos - Class of 2011	Photos (grades 1-12) arranged by SHS graduation year (1906-1951, 1960, 2002, 2011)	6	2
<b>Series 7: Starkville Academy Files</b>			
Folder List	Box Labels	Series #	Box #
Starkville Academy Band	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy baseball	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Basketball	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Cheerleaders	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Elections	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Events	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Football	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Graduations	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Honor Rolls	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
Starkville Academy Students Contests & Awards	Starkville Academy Files: A - Z	7	1
<b>Series 8: Fred Blocker's Microfilmed Records - Reel # 242038</b>			
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<b>CONTENTS OF MICROFILM REEL</b>			
<b>Church Records</b>			
Church Name	Record Dates		
Vernon Cumberland Presbyterian Church Directory	1915-1921		
First Presbyterian Church, Starkville Directories	1995 and 1999		
First Presbyterian Church, Starkville, Active Membership Rolls	2002 (was microfilmed out of order under Bethesda Church)		

Church Name	Record Dates		
Bethesda Baptist Church, Crawford, history and membership roll	April 30, 2000 and October 2002		
Vernon Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Oktoc aka Oktoc Community Club Center history			
Vernon Cumberland Presbyterian Church Minutes	1854, 1859, 1875		
Starkville Cumberland Church Minutes	Oct. 12, 1881; 1885; 1886; 1900		
Vernon Cumberland Presbyterian Church Register of Deaths, Register of People Joining Church, Register of Marriages			
A History of Presbyterian Churches By Mildred Barr (we have one cataloged on the browsing shelves)			
<i>Starkville News</i> article June 29, 1938 Dedication of First Presbyterian Church			
First Presbyterian Church, Starkville Membership			
Salem Baptist Church Cemetery Records and Membership from Okt. Co. Historical Society Newsletter May and September 2000			
History of churches, mostly Presbyterian churches in the county, from various sources			
History of Mayhew Mission (articles by Cyrus Kingsbury, Sarah V. Kingsbury, Alfred Wright, Calvin Cushman, Laura Cushman, etc.			
Mayhew church history, list of members, Pastors, Deacons, Ruling Elders			

<b>State of Mississippi, Oktibbeha County Court Records</b>			
<b>Lists</b>			
Names of People who didn't pay poll tax, Blacks and Whites, 1923			
Oktibbeha County Public Officials, about 1900			
Oktibbeha County Jury Lists, 1901, 1903, 1906, 1908, 1910, 1916, 1917, 1918			
<b>Genealogical Research</b>			
<b>Families Researched by Fred Blocker</b>			
W. S. Bray Research into him and his family and the Bray land that Mr. Blocker owned			
Kennard			
Gaston			
Oakley			
Hartness			
Benton			
Collins - Outlaw	Black Genealogy		
James - Gillespie	Black Genealogy		
James - Hanshaw	Black Genealogy		
Gentry			
Gray, T. C. & Dell Edwards			
Hannah - Hunt			
Hannah - Greene			
Oakley, John			
Oakley - Gaston			
Gaston - McClure			
Feemster, John - Marion Oakley			
Lincecum, Rezin B.			
Lincecum, Olympuis			
Lincecum, Gideon			
Rives			
Crumpton			
White			
D. W. McIlwain			
Carroll, T. B.			
Nichols - Blocker Farm			
Gaston - Nichols			
Rives, Randle, White			
Wood - Thomas			
Wood - Thomas			

<b>Families Researched by Fred Blocker</b>			
Cheryl Prewitt			
Richard Reese			
Goodman, Junie and Grace			
McCann			
Wood - Honsinger			
Meyer, Henry and Mildred			
Outlaw, Jordan, Spencer, Turner, Wilburn Page - Ada Lee Outlaw			
Randle			
Hartness			
Self			
White			
Morgan			