Extent: .25 cubic feet; five reels of microfilm; 814 slides

Inclusive dates: 1946-1991

Bulk dates: 1945-1953

Provenance: The collection of bird eggs was donated by Harry Lee Harllee of Florence, SC in 1952. Since the time of the original donation, supporting documentation was donated by Mrs. A. M. Quattlebaum. This information was previously accessioned as 76-2. The slides were previously accessioned as 95-86.

Access: There are no restrictions on access to the material.

Processing: Dennis S. Taylor, University archivist, May 1999.

Scope and Content:

This series contains documentation associated with a collection of bird eggs donated by Harry Harllee to Clemson University in 1952. The documentation consists of five rolls of microfilm, correspondence, newspaper clippings, collected biographical information, and photographic slides of the eggs that comprise the collection.

The microfilm contains images of data slips that accompanied the eggs and identify them, correspondence of Mr. Harllee and Myrtle Harllee Miller. The microfilm also contains papers, lectures, articles and a journal written by Franklin Sherman of the Department of Zoology at Clemson College.

The correspondence, which is contained in two folders, is dated 1953 and 1984-1991. Principle correspondents include Professor Stanlee Miller, curator of the collection which is now located in the Department of Biological Sciences; Lou (Mrs. A. M.) Quattlebaum, donor; and E. Milby Burton, director of the Charleston Museum. Mr. Harllee's will, and a codicil to the will, are included in the documentation.

For a complete listing of contents, please see the “Folder Inventory” that follows.

Subject headings:
Birds--Eggs--Identification
Birds--Eggs--South Carolina
Clemson University, Department of Biological Sciences
Eggs--Collection and preservation
Harllee, Harry Lee

**Added entries:**
Burton, E. Milby
Harllee, Harry Lee
Miller, Stanlee
Quattlebaum, Lou (Mrs. A. M.)
Sherman, Franklin

**Separation list**
The following items have been separated to ensure their preservation:
Microfilm (16mm)
Reel 1--ledger sheets to 1191
Reel 2--ledger sheets 1184 to end
Reel 3--Records of MTD birds Egg records (Day Book); Ind. clutch cards 752-6855
Reel 4--Letter to Annette McLean from Myrtle Harllee Miller; clutch cards 6857-11680
   plus bird file cards
Reel 5--
i. bird file cards,
ii. Papers, articles, lectures by Franklin Sherman, Zoology Department, Clemson College
   1. Snakes of South Carolina, August 1942
   2. Departures and Arrivals of Common Yard and Garden Birds at Clemson College in Autumn Season
   3. Conservation of wildlife Resources, 1944
   4. Snakes, 1939
   5. Entomological Research and (or with) Faunal Survey, 1934
   6. Mammals of South Carolina, 1937
   7. Making a State Insect Survey
   9. Reptiles (with only brief references to snakes), 1934
  10. Conservation of our wildlife, 1940
  11. Insects, 1934
  12. Fishes, 1934
  13. Amphibians, 1934
  14. Snakes, 1934
  15. Birds, 1934
  16. Mammals, 1934
  17. The Ubiquitous Insect, 1937
  18. Zoology-Entomology and Forestry, 1935
  19. History and Prospects of Clemson Entomology Graduates, 1931

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20. Massing of convergent ladybeetles at Summits of Mountains in Southeastern U.S. 1938
21. Making a Study of our natural animal life, chapel address, 1946
22. Fauna of the Pendleton Region, 1946
23. Toads, Frogs and Salamanders, 1938
24. Wild Animal Life, 1943
25. Cottontail Rabbit, 1943
26. How nature Takes Care of Her Children, 1944
28. Mammals, 1938
29. Warblers, 1947
30. Wildlife and Conservation with Special Reference to Bobwhite Quail and Cottontail Rabbit, 1937
31. Insects--in general, 1936
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33. Birds, 1936
34. Cottontail Rabbits, 1939
35. Michigan Deer Hunting Trip, November 1936
36. Zoology, Entomology, and Forestry, 1935
37. The Carolina Mountaineers, n.d.
38. An Amateur's Discussion of Ancient Egypt, 1935
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