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SCOPE AND CONTENT

Subject files, reports, research articles, correspondence on forest resources in Louisiana. 7 boxes.

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