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M-022 LULA MCBRIDE MCDONALD (1888- ), MCBRIDE MEMORIAL PAPERS, 1842- 1967

SCOPE AND CONTENT

Typed copies of historical and genealogical articles on Jackson Parish, Louisiana, published in the Jackson Independent, 1960-1961; copies of church, genealogical, and official records; personal correspondence of and taped interview with McDonald, 1967. 12 folders.

BOX  FOLDER  DESCRIPTION
001  001-007 Articles 1-65 (typescript) written or compiled by Lula M. McDonald for the Jackson Independent, 1960-61, on Jackson Parish:

1. March 10, 1960. Notes on Old Vernon, Formerly the Parish Seat of Jackson Parish, Louisiana, by Clarence Albert Ives, son of Christopher Ives and Martha Bonner Ives, Born July 17, 1869, former State Supervisor and Dean Emeritus of LSU.


The following were written or submitted by Mrs. McDonald:


15. July 7, 1960. Jackson Parish, Early History as Published by Geo. Wm. McCranie, Editor of the Southern Times, Published at Vernon, La., in 1859. (Mainly about celebration of the 4th of July)


Gathered from Data Published in 1859 in The Southern
Times by G. Wm. McCranie, Editor, and Gleaned from Data
Sent in by Early Settlers in This Area. (Markham family and
others)

Earliest Known Settlers Taken from the Clerk's Office,
Jonesboro, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, and Census Records
of the People Who Had Settled in Jackson Parish.McCranie
family)

Early Settlers in This Area and the Part They Played in the
Settling and Developing of the Surrounding Area. (Allen
Greene and Reconstruction in Jackson Parish and
Louisiana)

21. September 1, 1960, Jackson Parish: The Early History
of Some of Its Settlers and the History of Allen Greene,
continued. (Allen Greene and the new Lincoln Parish, letters
from Allen Greene to friend Allen Holland, in Arcadia, La.)

History of Some of Its Settlers, continued. (History of Allen
Greene, by E.R. Hester, Arcadia, La.)

23. October 6, 1960. Early History of Jackson Parish,
continued. (Story of Wm. Jasper Blackburn, editor and
publisher).

Published in The Southern Times by Geo. Wm. McCranie,
Editor, Vernon, La. January, 1860. (Articles 1-69 of the
Jackson Parish Police Jury, January 1860).

A History of One of the Early Settlers, Elijah Russell.
Contributed by his great grandson Lee Russell, Olla,
and Louisiana.

Parish and Some of Its Earliest Settlers. (Biography of
James Benjamin Aswell and History of Aswell family)

31. Jackson Parish: Early History of Jackson Parish and of
the Settlers as Contributed by the Descendants Who Are
Still Living in This Area, as Well as Authenticated Documents Taken from the Files in the Clerk of Court Office, Old Newspapers, etc. (More about James B. Aswell and Aswell family).

32. Early History of Jackson Parish and Some of the Settlers. As Taken from Old Newspapers, Census Records of 1850, Clerk's Office, etc. (Cox family and others).

33. Jackson Parish. The Following History was published in The Ouachita Citizen, West Monroe, La., and July 15, 1955. Schools for Their Children First Concern of Early Eros and Indian Village Families.

34. Early History of Jackson Parish and Some of the Settlers, as Taken from Old Newspapers, Census Records of 1850, Clerk's Office, etc. (Mostly reminiscences of Mrs. McDonald).

35. Jackson Parish: Early History of Some of the Settlers and of Their Descendants Still Living in Jackson Parish at This Time. The following is contributed by Mr. R.C. Harvey, Tyler, Texas. (Recollections of a former resident of Jackson Parish and history of the Harvey family).

36. Jackson Parish: Early History Taken from Old Newspapers, Court Records, Land Patents, etc. (History of the Louis Dickerson Family).

37. Early History of Jackson Parish and Some of the Settlers Who Were Here in the 1850 Census. (Political meetings, candidates, and elected officers of 1859).

38. Jackson Parish: A History of Some of the Early Settlers. (Newton McNair Smith, the Smith family, and notes on Mrs. Anna Calhoun Smith's school).


44. Omitted.

45-54. Jackson Parish: A History of One of the Earliest Churches Founded One Hundred and Nineteen Years Ago, Sept. 10, 1842. (Mount Zion Baptist Church. The history includes and is based on records of the church.)
55-65. History of the Zion’s Rest Baptist Church, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish, La. R.F.D. #1. (The history is based on and includes records of the church.)

008 Biographical and genealogical records and notes on families and individuals in Jackson Parish:
Succession of C.H. Posey, 1891.
Notes on early landholders.
List of Jackson Parish officers, 1887-1879.
Obituary of Richard Henry Jones (sheriff), 1891.
List of Clerks of Court, tax assessors, and early doctors.
Notes on some early settlers from various legal records.
Notes on Indian Village and copy of a deed from Indians to S.W. Mattox, 1820.
History of the Lewis family.
History of the Pope family.
Notes on the Rhode L. Smith family.

009 Records and histories of churches and organizations in Jackson Parish:
Vernon Presbyterian Church, 1856-1898.
Pamphlet: Centennial, 1860-1960, First Baptist Church, Jonesboro, Louisiana.
Masonic lodges in Jackson Parish.

010 Correspondence with C.A. Ives, 1959-1964.

011 Correspondence with E. R. Hester, 1960, and related materials:
Letter from E.R. Hester on Allen Greene and enclosed copies of old letters from Allen Greene to Allen Holland, 1873.
Further correspondence between Mrs. McDonald and E.R. Hester, 1960.

Copies of articles, letters and documents sent to Mrs. McDonald by E.R. Hester dealing with Allen Greene and early history of Jackson, Bienville, and Lincoln Parishes (formed in 1873).

012 Transcript of taped interview with Mrs. McDonald, 1967.