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## Mary Belle Holstead Family Papers

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## **M-209 MARY BELLE HOLSTEAD, PAPERS, 1902-1991**

### **SCOPE AND CONTENT**

Papers from the family of Mrs. Mary Belle Holstead, Ruston resident, including business records, history, and photographs of the Arcadia Cotton Oil Mill founded by her father G.C. Taylor and uncle R.L. Taylor in Arcadia, Louisiana; writings for The Vienna Sentinel by her grandfather-in-law John B. Holstead; and inscribed copies of the Louisiana Polytechnic Institute yearbook the Lagniappe belonging to her husband John B. Holstead, II. 2 boxes.

<b>BOX</b>	<b>FOLDER</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
<b>001</b>	<b>001-005</b>	Arcadia Cotton Oil Mill & Manufacturing Company, Minutes of Stockholders Meetings & Reports, 1902-1961.
	<b>006</b>	History of Arcadia Cotton Oil Mill & Manufacturing Co.
	<b>007-010</b>	Writings of John B. Holstead, Submitted to The Vienna Sentinel (photocopies).
	<b>011</b>	Miscellaneous:  Photographs  Postcards  Checkbook  Newspaper clippings
<b>002</b>		Lagniappe (Louisiana Polytechnic Institute yearbooks), from John B. Holstead, II: 1932, 1934. (Removed from collection due to mold.)