

A. Hays Town Office Records

SOUTHEASTERN ARCHITECTURAL ARCHIVE COLLECTION 61

Project drawings
1937 – 1977; n.d.
1 flat file drawer; 1 box

Records of the office of Baton Rouge architect A. Hays Town (1903-2001). Included is one set of drawings from predecessor office, Overstreet and Town (Noah Webster Overstreet (b. 1898) of Jackson, Mississippi (partnership active 1931-1939). Also included is a brochure of Town's work and a publication showing sketches Town made in Europe in 1977. Drawings are all cataloged by job. During the earlier part of his career, Town designed a number of important public buildings in the International style including East Baton Rouge Airport and Iberia Parish Court House, both in Louisiana. He was also prolific in designing residential projects in traditional Louisiana styles.

PROVENANCE

Records were given by Hays Town to Tulane in 1984.

INVENTORY

Project Drawings

- Folder 1. Lafayette, LA. Heymann, Maurice. Residence. 1937. N.W. Overstreet and A.H. Town, architects. 50 sheets.
- Folder 2-3. New Iberia, LA. New Iberia Parish Courthouse. Building. 1938-1939. N.W. Overstreet and A.H. Town, architects. Docket No. LA-1127-F. 60 sheets.
- Folder 4. Lafayette, LA. Southwestern Louisiana Institute. Livestock Pavilion. Building. 1947. A. Hays Town, architect. 10 sheets.

- Folder 4-5. Lafayette, LA. Southwestern Louisiana Institute. Women's Dormitory. 1948. 66 sheets.
- Folder 6-7. Baton Rouge, LA. East Baton Rouge Parish Airport. Administration Building. 1949-1952. A. Hays Town, architect. 50 sheets.
- Folder 8-9. Abbeville, LA. Vermillion Parish Courthouse. Building. 1950. A. Hays Town architect. 44 sheets.
- Folder 10. Abbeville, LA. Vermillion Parish Courthouse. Furniture and Equipment. 1951. A. Hays Town, architect. 11 sheets.
Abbeville, LA. Vermillion Parish Courthouse. Sprinkler System. 1952. A. Hays Town. 1 sheet.
- Folder 11-12. First Baptist Church. Building. 1952-1955. A. Hays Town, architect. 58 sheets.