Descriptive Summary

Creator: Emory University.
Title: Emory University anniversary observances collection, 1936-2011
Call Number: Series No. 68
Extent: 3.5 linear ft. (7 boxes), 1 bound volume (BV), and 1 oversize paper folder (OP)
Abstract: This collection contains materials related to anniversary celebrations observing the founding of Emory College in 1836 and Emory University in 1915 and includes programs, addresses, oral histories, and ephemera.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

Restrictions on Access
Special restrictions apply: Researchers must contact MARBL in advance to access audiovisual and/or digital material in this collection.

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Source
Materials collected from various sources by Emory University Archives staff.

Citation
[after identification of item(s)], Emory University anniversary observances, Emory University Archives, Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library, Emory University.

Processing
Collection Description

Administrative History
Emory College was founded in 1836 in Oxford, Ga. and later expanded and moved to Atlanta, Ga. in 1915. The University has observed both dates as anniversaries with various events and celebrations.

Scope and Content Note
The collection contains materials relating to the centennial (100th), 125th, sesquicentennial (150th), and 175th anniversary observances for Emory College and the 25th and 50th anniversary observances for Emory University. Audiovisual materials in the collection pertain to the sesquicentennial observance activities and a related oral history project produced for the occasion.

Arrangement Note
Organized into five series: (1) Centennial anniversary observances, (2) 25th, 50th, and 125th anniversary observances, (3) Sesquicentennial anniversary observances, (4) 175th anniversary observances, and (5) Founders Week.

Finding Aid Note
Finding Aid available in the repository.
Description of Series

Series 1: Centennial anniversary observance, 1936
Series 2: 25th, 50th, and 125th anniversary observances, 1949-1965
Series 3: Sesquicentennial anniversary observances, 1984-1988
  Subseries 3.1: Sesquicentennial anniversary observances papers and memorabilia, 1984-1988
  Subseries 3.2: Sesquicentennial audiovisual materials, 1984-1988
Series 4: 175th anniversary observances, 2011
Series 5: Founders Week observances, 2006
Series 1
Centennial anniversary observance, 1936
Box 1 and BV1

Scope and Content Note
This subseries consists of speeches, programs, publicity and other information related to the celebration in 1936 of the founding of Emory College in 1836.

Arrangement Note
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Series 2
25th, 50th, and 125th anniversary observances, 1949-1965
Box 2

Scope and Content Note
This series consists of various materials related to the observance of the 25th and 50th anniversaries of the founding of Emory University on the Druid Hills campus and the 125th anniversary of the founding of Emory College in Oxford, Georgia. Included is the pamphlet publication *In this brief span*, a brief history of Emory University, speeches, lectures, programs and other special events and publications.

Arrangement Note
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Series 3
Sesquicentennial anniversary observances, 1984-1988
Boxes 2-7 and OP1

Scope and Content Note
This series consists of memorabilia and audiovisual recordings related to the 150th anniversary of the founding of Emory College in 1836. Included are special publications, programs, planning materials, oral history interviews and personal remembrances of Emory alumni.

Arrangement Note
Organized into two subseries: (3.1) Sesquicentennial anniversary observance papers and memorabilia and (3.2) Sesquicentennial anniversary observance audiovisual recordings.
**Subseries 3.1**  
**Sesquicentennial anniversary observances papers and memorabilia, 1984-1988**  
**Boxes 2-4 and OP1**

**Scope and Content Note**  
Subseries consists of memorabilia and printed material related to the 150th anniversary of the founding of Emory College in 1836. Included are special publications, programs, planning materials, oral history interviews and personal remembrances of Emory alumni.

**Arrangement Note**  
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Sesquicentennial audiovisual materials, 1984-1988
Box 5-7

Scope and Content Note
Subseries contains audiovisual materials related to the sesquicentennial anniversary of 1986. The container listing below has been derived from original item labels and other descriptive information.

Arrangement Note
Arranged by format and then alphabetically by title.

Restrictions on Access
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Series 4
175th anniversary observances, 2011
Box 3

Scope and Content Note
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Scope and Content Note
Series consists of digital files related to a Founders Week event.

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