

# **PARTIN, CLYDE.**

## **Clyde Partin papers, 1940-2009**

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## **Descriptive Summary**

**Creator:** Partin, Clyde.  
**Title:** Clyde Partin papers, 1940-2009  
**Call Number:** Manuscript Collection No. 1127  
**Extent:** 32 linear feet (32 boxes), 4 oversized papers boxes and 2 oversized papers folders (OP), and 4 oversized bound volumes (OBV)  
**Abstract:** Papers of Clyde Partin, Sr., former Athletic Director of Emory University and sports historian, including his correspondence, photographs, printed material, research material, audiovisual material, and writings.  
**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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## **Administrative Information**

### **Restrictions on Access**

Boxes 21-32, Autographed baseballs and photographs, are stored off-site. Researchers must contact the Rose Library in advance to access these boxes.

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### **Source**

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**Citation**

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**Processing**

Unprocessed collection.

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**Collection Description****Biographical Note**

Clyde "Doc" Partin, Sr. (1925-2009), served as Emory University's Athletic Director from 1966-1983. From 1986-2002, Partin taught physical education at the University. He is the author of *Athletics for All: The History of Sports at Emory*, a book on the history of Emory athletics, published in 2006. Partin also wrote articles and presented papers on the history of sports and important sports figures, such as baseball players Earle Combs, Hank Aaron and Babe Ruth. He was also particularly interested in the Atlanta Braves (baseball) and the Atlanta Chiefs (soccer).

**Scope and Content Note**

The collection consists of the papers of Clyde Partin, Sr., including his correspondence, photographs, printed material, research material, audiovisual material, and writings. The research material includes clippings and other printed material concerning baseball stars Hank Aaron, Earle Combs, and Babe Ruth, and sports teams such as the Atlanta Braves and the Atlanta Chiefs.

**Arrangement Note**

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## Container List

Box	Folder	Content
1	-	Atlanta Chiefs
21	-	Autographed baseballs [1 of 11]
22	-	Autographed baseballs [2 of 11]
23	-	Autographed baseballs [3 of 11]
24	-	Autographed baseballs [4 of 11]
25	-	Autographed baseballs [5 of 11]
26	-	Autographed baseballs [6 of 11]
27	-	Autographed baseballs [7 of 11]
28	-	Autographed baseballs [8 of 11]
29	-	Autographed baseballs [9 of 11]
30	-	Autographed baseballs [10 of 11]
31	-	Autographed baseballs [11 of 11]
OP2	1	Certificates
OP1	1	Clippings, Hank Aaron [1 of 2]
OP6	-	Clippings, Hank Aaron [2 of 2]
OP4	1	<i>Combs Family News</i> and photographs
18	-	Correspondence
3	-	Mixed material
4	-	Mixed material
5	-	Mixed material
OBV1-		Navy scrapbooks
2		
OP3	1	Newspapers, 1982 Atlanta Braves championships and 1977 reproduction of 1927 issue about Babe Ruth record
20	-	Olympics material
6	-	Photographs and correspondence
7	-	Photographs
8	-	Photographs and audiovisual
OP4	2	Posters, Old Timer's League
OP5	-	Posters, Jackie Robinson 50th Anniversary Tribute
OP3	2	Posters, Atlanta Braves 50th anniversary tribute to Jackie Robinson
2	-	Research material, Babe Ruth, Hank Aaron, black
9	-	Research material, Earle Combs
10	-	Research material, Earle Combs
11	-	Research material, general sports related
12	-	Research material, Hank Aaron

- 19 - Research material, Hank Aaron
  - OBV3- Scrapbooks
  - 4
  - 17 Soccer publications: Kick, North American Soccer League Guide, Soccer Monthly
  - 13 - Southeastern district files
  - 14 - Writings and printed material
  - 15 - Writings and photographs
  - 16 - Writings, correspondence
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