Guide to the Hill Ferguson papers
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# Summary Information

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<th><strong>Repository</strong></th>
<th>University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama</th>
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**Preferred Citation note**

Hill Ferguson papers, W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama.
Biographical/Historical note

Hill Ferguson, son of Fred S. and Laura Burr Ferguson, was born in Birmingham, Alabama, on 6 January 1877. He graduated from the University of Alabama with an A.B. degree in 1896, taking his LL.B. the following year. He was very involved in campus activities and organizations. He married Louise Walker on 15 December 1909; the couple had three children: (1) Hill, Jr.; (2) Frederick; and (3) Virginia.

On leaving college he went into the newspaper business, being connected with the *Birmingham Age-Herald* form 1897 to 1899. He was a vice-president of Jemison Real Estate and Insurance Co. and served on the University of Alabama's Board of Trustees for forty years, retiring from the board in 1959.

Scope and Contents note

The collection contains correspondence, clippings and reports about the University of Alabama collected by this alumnus and trustee of the institution.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama February 2008

Revision Description

March 2013

Conditions Governing Access note

None

Conditions Governing Use note

None
Provenance
Gift of Hill Ferguson, 1964

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Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Clippings (information artifacts)
- Correspondence
- Reports

Subject(s)

- Education
- Students
- University of Alabama
- University of Alabama--Alumni and alumnae.
## Collection Inventory

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