



Summary Information

Title: Latané Temple Papers

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Creator: Latané Temple

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Extent: 36 cubic feet (45 boxes, 2 oversize boxes, 1 volume)

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Collection Abstract:

Latané Temple, born Thomas Lewis Latané Temple III in Houston, Texas, was an East Texas businessman who was employed by the Temple Cotton Oil Company, Southern Pine Lumber Company, and eventually was general manager of the Great Texas Lumber Company. This collection contains correspondence, business records, photographs, poems, journals, books, genealogy materials, military artifacts, newspapers, awards, editorials, newspaper columns, comics, and political material documenting Temple's education, military career, business activities, and personal interests.

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Biographical/Historical Note:

Latané Temple, born Thomas Lewis Latané Temple III, was born on December 12, 1914 in Houston, Texas. His parents were Thomas Lewis Latané Temple, Jr. (1887-1947) and Hal Crouch Temple (1891-1980). At the time, his father was president of the Texas Lumber Company headquartered in Houston, the retail lumber yard interests of the Temple family organized by Thomas Lewis Latané Temple, Sr. (1859-1935). He spent his early childhood in Texarkana, Arkansas. He attended Texarkana public schools, St. Louis Country Day School (1926-1927) and Lawrenceville School in Lawrenceville, New Jersey

(1929-1932). He later attended Texarkana Junior College and graduated from the University of Texas in 1936. Temple married Josephine Bond (b. 1918) in 1939 and they had five children: Alice Plunkett Temple (b. 1944); Hal Crouch Temple (b. 1946); Helen Christine Temple (b. 1947); Thompson Bond Temple (b. 1949); and Katherine Plunkett Temple (b. 1957).

After graduation, Temple worked for the Temple Cotton Oil Company based in Arkansas. He traveled Arkansas purchasing cotton seed and selling fertilizer until 1940 when he settled in the company's main office in Texarkana, Arkansas. He left the company in 1942 upon being drafted by the United States Army. Temple trained in Fort Benning, Georgia before arriving in Naples, Italy with the 85th Infantry Division in the spring of 1944. Temple returned to Temple Cotton Oil Company in 1946, this time being placed in charge of collecting receivables. He oversaw the 1951 liquidation of the company as it struggled to make a profit, and moved to Diboll, Texas in 1953 to become the general sales manager of Southern Pine Lumber Company. Temple felt his talents were better suited for public relations activities, using his manager position to promote the company's image more so than participating in the particulars of sales. At this time, he was also wrote reviews of music and art exhibitions, as well as columns entitle "Bread 'n Butter" and later "In My Opinion," in the Free Press, Diboll's company owned weekly newspaper.

In 1960, he moved to Houston upon appointment as general manager of Southern Pine's retail division which operated numerous lumber yards throughout east and central Texas. The retail division, called Temple Lumber Company, was renamed the Great Texas Lumber Company in 1963. Temple's management was unsuccessful and the retail division incurred substantial losses, leading to his resignation from the company and family business interests circa 1963. Great Texas Lumber Company was sold in 1966 except for two yards in Diboll and Pineland.

After divorcing his wife in 1973, Temple lived in Galveston, Texas from 1976-1982 and later in Mexico. While in Galveston, Temple devoted his time to restoring nineteenth century homes and was a member of the Galveston Historical Foundation. He devoted much of his time to writing, artwork, and involvement in Democratic Party politics. Later moving to Mexico, Temple died at his home in San Miguel de Allended, Mexico, on September 9, 1997.

Collection Scope and Content:

The Latané Temple Papers consist of correspondence, business records, photographs, poems, journals, books, genealogy material, military artifacts, clippings, newspapers, awards, editorials, newspaper columns, comics, and political correspondence. The records document Temple's early education at the Saint Louis County Day School and Lawrenceville School in Lawrenceville, New Jersey, Temple's military career, business activities in the Temple Cotton Oil Company and Great Texas Lumber Company, personal interestes such as poetry and artistic works, his political activities for the Democratic Party, Temple's columns written for the Diboll Free Press and Angelina County Free Press, his work restoring homes in Galveston, and family genealogy. The records date between 1803-1984.

Arrangement:

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Subject Terms:

Topics

- Christian Science
- World War, 1939-1945
- Politics
- Business
- Lumber trade
- Family-owned business enterprises
- Diboll free press
- Angelina County free press
- Family reunions

Corporate Names

- Southern Pine Lumber Company
- Great Texas Lumber Company
- Temple Cotton Oil Company
- Temple Lumber Company
- Texas Wood Council
- Harvard University
- University of Texas
- Democratic Party (U.S.)

Personal Names

- Temple, Latané (Thomas Lewis Latané III), 1914-1997
- Bush, George, 1924-
- Johnson, Lady Bird, 1912-2007
- Johnson, Lyndon B. (Lyndon Baines), 1908-1973
- Onassis, Jacqueline Kennedy, 1929-1994
- Thomas, Albert, 1898-1966
- Yarborough, Ralph Webster, 1903-1996
- Connally, John Bowden, 1917-1993
- Connally, Nellie, 1919-2006
- Allan, Helen Temple, b. 1911
- Allan, Edwin Davies, b. 1940
- Allan, Hal Christine, b. 1900
- Allan, Tommy
- Donaldson, Hal Christine Crouch
- Temple, Arthur, 1894-1951
- Temple, Arthur, Jr., 1920-2006
- Temple, Henry Waring Latané, 1812-1871
- Temple, Thomas Lewis Latane, 1859-1935
- Temple, Thomas Lewis Latané, Jr., 1887-1947
- Temple, Josephine Bond, b. 1918

- Temple, Thompson Bond, b. 1949
- Temple, Georgie, 1891-1982
- Temple, Hal Crouch, b. 1947
- Temple, Madeline Grote, 1906-1981
- Eddy, Mary Baker, 1821-1910
- Pendleton, Tom

Family Names

- Temple family
- Temple family -- Genealogy
- Crouch family
- Bond family

Genres

- American letters
- V-mail
- Plaques, plaquettes
- Diaries
- Clippings (Books, newspapers, etc.)
- Photographs
- Yearbooks

Locations

- Texas
- Galveston (Tex.)
- Texarkana (Ark.)
- Italy
- Mexico

Access and Use

Access Restrictions: There are no access restrictions on this collection.

Acquisition Information: Donated by Latané Temple in June of 1985. The book series includes accession 2003:048 donated by Brenda Russell, director of the T. L. L. Temple Memorial Library, which was originally a part of the 1985:001 accession.

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Related Materials:

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Collection Inventory

Series I: Personal Records, 1924-1984

Scope and Content: The Personal Records series contains a variety of documents pertaining to the personal life and interests of Latané Temple. Records such as report cards, yearbooks, academic papers, the Lawrentian, and correspondence documents his early education, particularly at the Lawrenceville

School in New Jersey. The journals discuss Temple's family affairs, personal interests and musings, observations, and various travels throughout Europe. Records such as clippings, articles, and brochures describe Temple's post-family business career spent in Galveston restoring a historic home and other community activities. The autographs include signed playbills and correspondence from theater actors and actresses, musicians, opera singers, politicians. Included are Gloria Lind, Francis Cherry, Charlie Wilson, Orval Faubus, Estes Kefauve, Jack Dempsey, and Connie Mack. The records have been organized primarily chronologically. The oversize records are stored within the corresponding oversize boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

Box 1

Folder 1 Biographical, undated
Folder 2 Biographical, 1935-1976, undated
Folder 3 Texarkana Public Schools Report Card, 1924-1925
Folder 4 Codasco Yearbook, 1926
Folder 5 Codasco Yearbook, 1927
Folder 6 Lawrenceville School Records, 1927-1929
Folder 7 Correspondence Sent while attending Lawrenceville School, 1928-1932
Volume 1 Olla Podrida, Lawrenceville School Yearbook, 1929
Volume 2 Olla Podrida, Lawrenceville School Yearbook, 1930
Volume 3 Olla Podrida, Lawrenceville School Yearbook, 1931
Volume 4 Olla Podrida, Lawrenceville School Yearbook, 1932
Oversize 1 Lawrenceville Football Team Photograph, 1931
Folder 8 Lawrenceville Commencement, 1932
Oversize 1 The Lawrence Commencement Program, 1932
Folder 9 Acceptance Letter from Harvard University, 1932

Box 2

Folder 1 Academic Papers, University of Texas, c. 1935
Folder 2 Sigma Alpha Epsilon Membership Certificate, 1935
Folder 3 Sketches, 1935
Folder 4 Passports, 1936, 1964
Oversize 1 Latané Temple and Josephine Bond Marriage License, 1939
Oversize 1 Baseball Advertisement (Spanish), 1940
Folder 5 Personal Memorabilia, c. 1947-1966
Folder 6 Personal Property Inventories and Balance Sheets, c. 1948-1964
Folder 7 Lawrenceville School Class of 1932 Reunion, 1952
Folder 8 Lawrenceville School Reunion, 1982
Folder 9 Correspondence Regarding Admission of Sons Hal and Thompson, 1954
Folder 10 Thoughts on Christian Science Religion, 1956-1980
Folder 11 Lawrentian, 1957, 1962, 1981, 1982
Folder 12 Sam Houston Commemorative Stamps, 1964
Volume 5 The Economist Diary, 1964
Folder 13 Cassette Tapes of Latané Temple Poetry and Musings, 1968-1977
Folder 14 Daybooks and Planners, 1969-1980

Box 3

Folder 1 Latané Temple ID Cards and Sporting Event Ticket Stubs, c. 1971, undated

Folder 2	Galveston – Historic District Board, 1974-1978
Folder 3	Galveston – 3518 Avenue M Articles, 1975-1976
Folder 4	Galveston – Historic Homes Tour, 1975
Folder 5	Galveston – Housewarming, 1975
Folder 6	Galveston – Book Review of <u>Galveston</u> , 1976
Folder 7	Galveston – Articles About Latané Temple, 1976-1977
Folder 8	Galveston – Clippings and Articles, 1976-1983
Oversize 1	Galveston – Clippings on Historic Homes, c. 1975-1982
Folder 9	Galveston – Notes and Articles on Galveston History, 1980-1981
Folder 10	Galveston – Galveston Historical Foundation Homes Tour, 1981
Folder 11	Latané Temple’s Thoughts on Journal Keeping, 1956
Folder 12	Journal, 1964
Folder 13	Journal, 1966
Folder 14	Journal, 1967-1972
Folder 15	Journal, 1968-1978

Box 4

Folder 1	Journal, 1977-1984
Folder 2	Journal, 1981-1984
Folder 3	Journal, 1982
Folder 4	Journal, 1985
Folder 5	Notes on Journals, undated
Folder 6	Autographs, 1938-1960
Folder 7	Clippings, 1954-1967
Oversize 1	Map of France, 1696 (facsimilie)
Oversize 1	<u>New York Tribune</u> , December 14, 1912 (facsimilie)
Oversize 1	<u>Le Courier</u> , August 30, 1982

Series II: Military Records, 1942-1946

Scope and Content: The Military Records series consists of correspondence, special orders, draft records, movement orders, medical and vaccination records, patches, awards, memorabilia, and other items documenting Temple’s training and service at Fort Benning, GA and Italy during World War II. The records are organized chronologically. The oversize records are stored within the corresponding oversize boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

Folder 8	Draft Notice and Officer Training School Papers, 1942
Folder 9	Special Orders and Training, January-June, 1943
Folder 10	Special Orders, Payment Records, Chemical Warfare School, July-December, 1943
Folder 11	Army Officer’s Pocket Book and Notebook, c. 1943-1944
Folder 12	Special Orders, Shipping Tickets, Payment Records, January-June, 1944
Folder 13	Vaccinations, Medical Report, Special Orders, July-December, 1944
Folder 14	Special Orders, Promotion to Captain, January-June, 1945
Folder 15	Special Orders, Leave Orders, Movement Orders, July-December, 1945
Folder 16	Addresses of European Friends, c. 1945
Folder 17	Report of Separation, Award and Recognition Correspondence, 1946
Folder 18	Certificate of Commendation, 1947

Box 5

- Folder 1 Postcards and Memorabilia, undated
- Folder 2 Minturno to the Appennines, History of the 85th Infantry Division, undated
- Folder 3 Pocket Bible
- Folder 4 Texas Air Guard Patch
- Folder 5 World War II Patches
- Folder 6 Arkansas Amvets Convention Badge, 1946
- Folder 7 German Lighter, Uniform Pins and Buckle
- Folder 8 Bullets
- Oversize 1 124th Infantry Alligator, Fort Benning, GA, February 17, 1943
- Oversize 1 German Statistics Mailed to Josephine Bond Temple, June 10, 1944
"Betriebsbeschreibungen. Stützpunkt"
- Oversize 1 Award for "Croce al Merito di Guerra" (Cross of Merit), September 20, 1945
- Oversize 1 Nomination for "Cavaliere," March 27, 1946

Series III: Business Affairs, 1942-1982

Scope and Content: The Business Affairs series consists of correspondence, articles and clippings, memorabilia, and other documents pertaining to Latané Temple's business activities with the Temple Cotton Oil Company and The Great Texas Lumber Company. Several files contain correspondence and certificates relating to the various organizations Temple was involved with and boards he had served on. The records have been organized chronologically. The oversize records are stored within the corresponding oversize boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

- Folder 9 Business Correspondence, 1942-1964
- Folder 10 Articles on Latané Temple Business Appointments and Affairs, 1942-1961
- Folder 11 Articles on Latané Temple Business Appointments and Affairs, 1962-1968, undated
- Folder 12 Personal Financial Statement, 1946
- Folder 13 Stock Transfer Records, 1946, 1956, 1965
- Folder 14 Estate of T. L. L. Temple, Jr. Conveyance of Personal Property, 1948-1969
- Folder 15 Birthday Coloring Book, 1962

Box 6

- Folder 1 Speeches: Collapse of the Great Texas Lumber Company, 1964; Texas Wood Council, 1962
- Folder 2 Latané Temple Consulting Small Businesses, 1965-1967
- Oversize 1 The Ozarks Mountaineer Newspaper, 1973
- Oversize 1 Pine Bough Placemat, undated
- Folder 3 Southern Pine Lumber Company Scrip, undated
- Folder 4 Organizations – Membership Cards, undated
- Folder 5 Organizations – Arkansas State Hospital Board, 1949
- Folder 6 Organizations – Stratford Shakespearean Festival Foundation of Canada, 1953
- Oversize 1 Organizations – Arkansas State Hospital Board of Control, 1954
- Folder 7 Organizations – Houston Club, 1961
- Oversize 1 Organizations – Southern Pine Association, 1961
- Folder 8 Organizations – National Lumberman's Manufacturers Association, 1962
- Folder 9 Organizations – Texas Navy, 1962
- Oversize 1 Organizations – Small Business Advisory Council, 1963

- Folder 10 Organizations – The Lumbermen’s Association of Texas, 1964
- Folder 11 Organizations – Hester House, 1964-1971
- Folder 12 Organizations – Houston Symphony Society, 1966
- Folder 13 Organizations – Temple Memorial Library, 1967
- Folder 14 Organizations – Chinquapin School Governing Board, 1968-1969
- Folder 15 Organizations – Earth Watch, 1982

Series IV: Wartime Correspondence, 1942-1975

Scope and Content: The Wartime Correspondence series has been divided into two subseries: correspondence received and correspondence sent. These records document Latané Temple’s experiences during World War II, communicating with both friends and family. The letters primarily concern family and personal affairs, as the bulk of the correspondence is letters received. Included are Milton Caniff’s “Terry and the Pirates” comics sent to Temple from his wife. Also included are Christmas cards. The files are organized alphabetically by correspondent.

Subseries I: Correspondence Received

- Folder 16 Allan Family, 1944-1945
- Folder 17 Ashford, Marion and Harvey, undated
- Folder 18 Baumgaertines, E. H., 1944
- Folder 19 Bond, Alice, 1944-1945
- Folder 20 Donaldson, Edgar H., 1944-1947
- Folder 21 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1944-1975
- Folder 22 E. W., 1945, undated
- Folder 23 Graf, Edwin and Gantner, Werner, 1945
- Folder 24 Harkness, Bill, 1944
- Folder 25 Karoths, B.; Keeler, R. T.; Kull, Ruth and Roy, 1944
- Folder 26 Lambertus, Willard; Lawrence, Richard, 1944
- Folder 27 Mathews, Lila; Mikubich, M.; Marvin, S. G.; Mcleod, Murray; Moore, Harvey, 1944-1945
- Folder 28 Metcalf, J., 1944-1945
- Folder 29 Roland, Dick, 1945
- Folder 30 Rose, Tommy, 1944
- Folder 31 Sage, Amelia; Spencer, Eldon; Spilman, Eliza, 1944-1945
- Folder 32 Temple, Arthur, Jr., 1945
- Folder 33 Temple, Arthur, Sr., 1945
- Folder 34 Temple, Josephine, 1945
- Folder 35 Temple, Josephine, 1945
- Folder 36 Temple, Mrs. T. L. L. (Madeline), 1944
- Folder 37 Temple, T. L. L., Jr., 1945
- Folder 38 Travis, Bill, 1944
- Folder 39 Vieira, John, Jr., 1945
- Folder 40 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1944-1956
- Folder 41 Webber, Tom E.; Walker, J. T., 1945

Subseries II: Correspondence Sent

- Folder 42 Allan Family, 1944

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Folder 1	Bond, Alice, 1944
Folder 2	National Cotton Council, 1945
Folder 3	Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1942-1943
Folder 4	Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1944-1945

Series V: General Correspondence, 1930-1980

Scope and Content: The General Correspondence series consists of letters between Latané Temple and various friends, family members, and business partners. The series has been divided into two subseries: correspondence received and correspondence sent. Folders with like names in both subseries often contain correspondence that can be cross referenced. The records document friendships, family affairs, birthdays, Christmas greetings, military friends sharing experiences, the Temple Cotton Oil Company, and other business matters. Several letters to and from author Edmond Van Zandt reflect critiques of Temple's poetry, as well as general writings. Letters between Temple and family members also focus on family business activities, such as a letter to William Temple Webber concerning the losses of the Great Texas Lumber Company, and letters from Arthur Temple, Jr. on the Temple Cotton Oil Company. The files are organized alphabetically by correspondent.

Subseries I: Correspondence Received

Folder 5	Adey, Herbert, F., 1980
Folder 6	Allan, Dave, 1957-1958
Folder 7	Allen, Helen Temple, 1947
Folder 8	University of Arkansas, 1961-1979
Folder 9	Austin, Pat, 1968
Folder 10	Barr, Charles, 1942
Folder 11	Baucum, Margaret, 1949
Folder 12	Bond, Judy, undated
Folder 13	Booker, Laura, 1969-1970
Folder 14	Carson, Ruthie Mae, 1947
Folder 15	Crouch, Paul, 1960
Folder 16	Dionne, Jack, 1961
Folder 17	Downies, 1947, 1950
Folder 18	Eccles, Marriner S.; Editors of '47, 1947, 1960
Folder 19	Fath, Creekmore, 1969
Folder 20	Fehrenbach, T. R., 1975
Folder 21	Fenley, Tom, 1962
Folder 22	Fletcher, John Gould, 1949-1950
Folder 23	Fryd, Pete, 1962
Folder 24	Fuermann, George; Fulkerson, Baucum, 1947
Folder 25	Harris County, 1975
Folder 26	Houston Home & Garden, 1976
Folder 27	Hunter, Sarah, 1973
Folder 28	Ingledeew, S. M., 1955
Folder 29	Julien, Fred, undated
Folder 30	Ledbetter, 1949
Folder 31	Lewis, Mary Kay, 1963
Folder 32	McCoy, Floyd H., 1962
Folder 33	Marvin, Seymore, undated

Folder 34 Mewhinney, Hubert, 1971
 Folder 35 Munz, Georgie Temple, 1956
 Folder 36 Nickens, Rufus I., 1968
 Folder 37 Noel, James, 1966
 Folder 38 Parker, H. G., 1953
 Folder 39 Payne, George, undated
 Folder 40 Payne, Marguerite Temple Keeler, 1956
 Folder 41 Prud'homme, E. G., 1947
 Folder 42 Purdy, Cecil, undated
 Folder 43 Ransopher, Lewis B., 1976
 Folder 44 Reese, Deal, 1947
 Folder 45 Rowland, "Spider," 1947
 Folder 46 Ruth, 1974
 Folder 47 Schachtel, Hyman Judah, 1967
 Folder 48 School of the Ozarks, undated
 Folder 49 Seals, Judge Woodrow, 1974
 Folder 50 Smith, Arch, 1944-1947
 Folder 51 Spencer, Arthur Latané, 1967
 Folder 52 Sternberger, Doc, 1956
 Folder 53 Stubblefield, Horace, Jr., 1973
 Folder 54 Summers, Amy, 1963
 Folder 55 Tatum, Miriam, 1971
 Folder 56 Temple, Arthur, Jr., 1946-1948
 Folder 57 Temple, Arthur, Sr., 1941
 Folder 58 Temple, Ellen, 1977
 Folder 59 Temple Family, 1973
 Folder 60 Temple, Katherine Sage, 1946-1947
 Folder 61 Temple Memorial Treatment Center, Texarkana, 1979
 Folder 62 Temple, Sally, 1944
 Folder 63 Temple, T. L. L., Jr., 1946
 Folder 64 Texarkana National Farm Loan Association, 1939
 Folder 65 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1958-1959
 Folder 66 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1961-1963
 Folder 67 Vance, Robert, undated
 Folder 68 Vaughn, Bessie; Villanueva, Marie Pedrare, 1963-1968
 Folder 69 Veterans Groups, 1947
 Folder 70 Walker, Henry W., 1947
 Folder 71 Webber, William Temple, 1965
 Folder 72 Williams, Helen, c. 1950
 Folder 73 Woodson, Warren B., 1973-1974
 Folder 74 World War II, Families of Soldiers Killed, 1944
 Folder 75 Wortham, Mary and Booker, 1959

Subseries II: Correspondence Sent

Folder 76 Allan, Helen Temple, 1947, 1958
 Folder 77 Baucum, Fulkerson, 1947
 Folder 78 Baucum, Margaret, 1949

Folder 79 Calabrini, L. A., 1947
 Folder 80 Carson, Ruthie Mae, 1947
 Folder 81 Donaldson, E. H., 1947
 Folder 82 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1930-1945
 Folder 83 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1940-1949

Box 8

Folder 1 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1950-1959
 Folder 2 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1960-1963
 Folder 3 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, 1972
 Folder 4 Donaldson, Hal Crouch Temple, undated
 Folder 5 Fuermann, George, 1963
 Folder 6 Frost, Hugh; '47 Magazine, 1947
 Folder 7 Ingledew, S. M., 1955
 Folder 8 Lewis, Mary Kay, 1963
 Folder 9 McCoy, Floyd, 1962
 Folder 10 Marvin, Seymore, 1947
 Folder 11 Medlam, W. L., 1958
 Folder 12 Reese, Deal, 1947
 Folder 13 Rowland, "Spider," 1947
 Folder 14 Smith, Arch, 1947
 Folder 15 Schachtel, Hyman; Summers, Amy, 1963, 1967
 Folder 16 Temple, Arthur, Jr., 1946, 1964
 Folder 17 Temple Children, 1952
 Folder 18 Temple, Josephine, 1966
 Folder 19 Temple, Madeline Grote, 1947
 Folder 20 Temple, T. L. L. Jr., 1946, undated
 Folder 21 Temple, T. L. L. Sr., undated
 Folder 22 University of Arkansas, 1970, 1979
 Folder 23 Vaughn, Bessie, 1963
 Folder 24 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1940
 Folder 25 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1951-1952
 Folder 26 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1957
 Folder 27 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1958
 Folder 28 Van Zandt, Edmund, January-June 1959
 Folder 29 Van Zandt, Edmund, July-August 1959
 Folder 30 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1962-1963
 Folder 31 Van Zandt, Edmund, 1967
 Folder 32 Walker, Harry W., 1947, 1956
 Folder 33 Webber, William Temple, 1964
 Folder 34 Williams, Helen, 1945

Series VI: Creative Works and Interests, 1923-1984

Scope and Content: The Creative Works and Interests series contains a variety of records pertaining to Latané Temple's personal or business related creative activities. It has been divided into four subseries: Poetry, Editorials and Columns, Drama and Art, and Creative Interests and Ideas. The columns and editorials include Temple's contributions to both company newspapers, the Angelina County Free Press and the Diboll Free Press. In them he reflects upon personal musings, relationships, people of

admiration, and general interests. The Drama and Art and Creative Interests and Ideas subseries contain works by Temple as well as correspondence and records showing Temple's support for the arts. The records date between 1923-1984 and are organized chronologically within subseries. The oversized records are stored within the corresponding oversized boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

Subseries I: Poetry

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Folder 2	<u>Birds Against the Sky</u> , 1973
Folder 3	1974
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Folder 6	1978-1979
Folder 7	1983
Folder 8	undated

Subseries II: Editorials and Columns

Folder 9	Angelina County Free Press "Bread n' Butter," July 10, 1958-December 24, 1958
Folder 10	Angelina County Free Press "Bread n' Butter," January-July 1959
Folder 11	Angelina County Free Press "Bread n' Butter," July-December 1959
Folder 12	Angelina County Free Press "Bread n' Butter," January-June 1960
Folder 13	Angelina County Free Press "Bread n' Butter," July-December 1960
Folder 14	Angelina County Free Press "Bread n' Butter," January-April 1961
Folder 15	Angelina County Free Press "Statement of Policy"
Folder 16	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1969
Folder 17	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1970
Folder 18	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1971
Folder 19	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1972
Folder 20	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1973
Folder 21	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1974
Folder 22	"Toward a new World View," 1975
Folder 23	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1975
Folder 24	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1976
Folder 25	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1977
Folder 26	Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1978

- Folder 27 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1979
- Folder 28 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1980

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- Folder 1 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1981
- Folder 2 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1982
- Folder 3 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1983
- Folder 4 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," 1984
- Folder 5 Diboll Free Press "In My Opinion," undated
- Folder 6 Correspondence Regarding Columns, 1969-1979
- Folder 7 Editorials and Reviews, Various Newspapers, 1956-1976
- Folder 8 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 9 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 10 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 11 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 12 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 13 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 14 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 15 Column Drafts, undated
- Folder 16 Column Drafts, 1972
- Folder 17 Column Drafts, 1973
- Folder 18 Column Drafts, 1973
- Folder 19 Column Drafts, 1974
- Folder 20 "Chip Sawyer" Sketches, undated

Subseries III: Drama and Art

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- Folder 1 Drama – "Elizabeth the Queen" Clipping, c. 1935
- Folder 2 Drama – The Shining Hour, 1935
- Folder 3 Drama – Playbills, 1971, undated
- Folder 4 Art – Copyright of "This is the End of a Measured Mile," 1943
- Folder 5 Art – Pissaro Painting, 1953-1957
- Folder 6 Art – Sketches and Christmas Carts, 1954-1960, undated
- Folder 7 Art – Purchases, 1963-1972
- Folder 8 Juror of Art Studios and Tours, 1967, 1970
- Folder 9 Art Shows, 1973-1976
- Oversize 1 Tatum Book Sketches, 1979

Subseries IV: Creative Interests and Ideas

- Folder 10 Essay entitled "Sex Among Animalia Mammalia Primates Homo Sapiens," 1947
- Folder 11 Temple's Railroad Car Design, 1955
- Folder 12 Church-governed Liberal Arts College, 1956
- Folder 13 Thoughts on Democracy and Communism, 1958
- Folder 14 Art Studio Design Sketches, 1970
- Folder 15 Solar House Plans, 1976
- Oversize 1 Solar House Plans, 1976

Folder 16 Temple Treet Sketches, undated

Series VII: Political Materials, 1947-1978

Scope and Content: The Political Materials series consists of correspondence, speeches, letters to the editor, clippings, and badges documenting Latané Temple's involvement in Democratic Party politics. The records reflect his support and campaigning for Democratic Party candidates, while some editorials focus on Temple's Cold War ideology. The records have been organized chronologically. The oversized records are stored within the corresponding oversized boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

Folder 17 Political Materials, 1947-1949
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Folder 19 Democratic National Convention Badges, 1952, 1960, 1964
Folder 20 Political Materials, 1960
Folder 21 Political Materials, 1961
Folder 22 Lyndon B. Johnson Medallion, 1961
Folder 23 Political Materials, 1962
Folder 24 Political Materials, 1963
Oversize 1 Houston Post, March 24, 1963
Folder 25 Political Materials, 1964-1965
Folder 26 Political Materials, 1968-1978

Box 12

Folder 1 Sam Rayburn, 1960-1961
Folder 2 Lyndon Johnson, 1960-1965
Folder 3 Ralph Yarborough, 1962-1963
Folder 4 Albert Thomas, 1963-1966
Folder 5 Jacqueline Kennedy, 1963
Folder 6 Lady Bird Johnson, 1964
Folder 7 John Connally, 1964
Folder 8 Hubert Humphrey, 1965
Folder 9 George Bush, 1967-1971

Series VIII: Temple Family Records, 1803-1980

Scope and Content: The Temple Family Records series consists of genealogies, correspondence, clippings, and photographs documenting family history and lineage. They have been divided into two subseries: Genealogy and Correspondence. Some family reunion materials include photographs of the church where Henry Waring Latané Temple preached. Also included is a history of the Temple family name. Much of T. L. L. Temple, Sr.'s correspondence discusses business matters and family affairs, including his children's activities and education, selling horses to Mary Baker Eddy, and selling grapefruit presumably from the family farm in southwestern Arkansas. Other correspondence between Josephine Bond Temple and Edmund Van Zandt discuss Van Zandt's wishes to dedicate a book to her husband Latané Temple. The nineteenth century correspondence includes John Temple and sons Arthur and H. W. L. Temple. The records are organized chronologically. The oversized records are stored within the corresponding oversized boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

Subseries I: Genealogy

Folder 10	Family Clippings, 1932-1954
Folder 11	Senate Resolution Commemorating Death of T. L. L. Temple, 1935
Folder 12	Printed Material on Virginia History, 1941-1963, undated
Folder 13	Genealogy Correspondence, 1955-1981
Folder 14	Genealogy of Georgie Fowlkes Temple, undated
Folder 15	Family Trees, undated
Folder 16	Genealogy of William S. Derrick and History of Temple Family Name, undated
Folder 17	"Burial of Latane" Painting Information, undated
Folder 18	Temple Family Reunion, 1979
Folder 19	Temple Family Reunion, 1980

Subseries II: Correspondence

Folder 20	T. L. L. Temple to Watson Walker, 1901
Folder 21	T. L. L. Temple to T. L. L. Temple, Jr., 1901-1930
Folder 22	T. L. L. Temple to Georgie Temple, 1903
Folder 23	Mary Baker Eddy, Lewis Strong, and J. M. Osburn to T. L. L. Temple, 1906-1910
Folder 24	"Governor" to T. L. L. Temple, Jr., 1934
Folder 25	T. L. L. Temple to Madeline Grote Temple, 1935
Folder 26	Hal Crouch Temple to Josephine Bond Temple, 1944
Folder 27	Arthur Temple, Jr. to Katherine and Arthur Temple, Sr., 1945
Folder 28	Josephine Bond Temple, Arthur Temple, Jr., and E. H. (Ned) Donaldson, 1945, undated
Folder 29	Helen Temple Allan, 1956, undated
Folder 30	Hal Christine Crouch Donaldson, 1958
Folder 31	Thompson Temple, 1960, undated
Folder 32	Edwin Davies Allan, 1962-1963
Folder 33	Josephine Bond Temple and Edmund Van Zandt, 1969
Folder 34	Hal Christine Allan, undated
Folder 35	Tommy Allan, undated
Folder 36	Hal Crouch Temple, undated
Folder 37	Helen Temple, undated
Oversize 2	Album of 19 th Century Correspondence, c. 1803-1912

Series IX: Photographs, 1888-1984

Scope and Content: The Photographs series contains photographs of Latané Temple, members of the Temple family, friends, family houses, the family Riverside Farm, and the Temple Lumber Company. The photographs have been loosely grouped by subject. The oversize records are stored within the corresponding oversize boxes as opposed to the box they are listed under, as this was done to maintain order within each series.

Box 13

Folder 1	Latané Temple, 1910s
Folder 2	Latané Temple with Sister Helen, 1911, 1916
Folder 3	Latané Temple, 1910s-1920s
Folder 4	St. Louis County Day School, 1920s
Folder 5	Latané Temple, 1930s
Folder 6	Lawrenceville School, 1930s

Folder 7 Latané Temple World War II, 1942-1945
 Folder 8 Latané Temple, 1946-1949
 Folder 9 Latané Temple, 1950s
 Folder 10 Business Meeting, 1950s
 Folder 11 Latané Temple with Sister Helen, 1950s
 Folder 12 Latané Temple with Sister Helen and Mother, 1950s
 Folder 13 Latané Temple with Jack Dempsey, 1950s
 Folder 14 Latané Temple, 1960s
 Folder 15 Business Meetings, 1960s
 Folder 16 Latané Temple with Price Daniel and Ralph Yarborough, 1960s
 Folder 17 Latané Temple, 1970s
 Folder 18 Latané Temple with Congressman Mickey Leland, 1980s
 Folder 19 Madeline Rogers Potter Grote Temple, undated
 Folder 20 T. L. L. Temple, Jr., 1888
 Folder 21 T. L. L. Temple, Jr. Childhood, Military, and Adulthood, c. 1890s-1940s
 Folder 22 T. L. L. Temple, Jr. with Family, 1916, 1940s
 Folder 23 T. L. L. Temple, Sr., T. L. L. Temple, Jr., and Latané Temple, 1933
 Folder 24 T. L. L. Temple, Sr., undated
 Folder 25 T. L. L. Temple, Sr., undated
 Folder 26 Temple Family Album, 1915
 Folder 27 Genealogy Related, Graveyards, Virginia, 1960s
 Folder 28 Arthur Temple Sr., 1928, undated
 Folder 29 Georgie Fowlkes Temple, undated
 Folder 30 Temple Family in Automobile, undated
 Folder 31 Thompson Bond, 1944
 Folder 32 Namon Calhoun, 1960
 Folder 33 Crouch Family, undated
 Folder 34 Helen and Tom Edwards, undated
 Folder 35 David Keeler, 1940s
 Folder 36 Robert Temple Keeler, 1950s
 Folder 37 Helen Temple and Hal Crouch Temple, 1912
 Folder 38 Helen Temple, 1962
 Folder 39 William Temple Webber, Sr., undated
 Folder 40 Hubert Mewberry, 1972
 Folder 41 Cecil Purdy "Purdy Day," 1981
 Folder 42 Temple Family Reunion, 1979
 Folder 43 Temple Family Reunion, 1980
 Folder 44 Temple Family Reunion, 1984

Box 14

Folder 1 Family Reunion Photo Album, Corpus Christi, undated
 Folder 2 Family Reunion Photo Album, undated
 Folder 3 Band, c. 1905
 Folder 4 Southern Pine Lumber Company Baseball Team, 1908
 Folder 5 Lufkin Blacksmith, 1954
 Folder 6 Democratic National Convention, 1964
 Folder 7 Latané Temple Childhood Home, Texarkana, undated
 Folder 8 Birthplace of Hal Crouch Temple Donaldson, Texarkana, undated

Folder 9	Riverside Farm, Texarkana, 1921
Folder 10	Arthur Temple Residence, Pineland, 1960
Folder 11	Latané Temple Residence, 3518 Ave. M, Galveston, 1975
Folder 12	Adoue and Lobit Bank Building, Galveston, undated
Folder 13	Temple Lumber Company, 1950s
Folder 14	Temple Lumber Company Board Meeting, 1956
Folder 15	Lufkin Train Depot and Mantooth Street Historic Home, 1950s
Folder 16	Hoover Dam, 1959
Folder 17	Unidentified Buildings and People, 1950s-1960s, undated
Oversize 2	Latané Temple and sister Helen, 1951
Oversize 2	Latané Temple with wife Josephine and Friends, c. 1955
Oversize 2	Latané Temple, 1924, 1930, 1964
Oversize 2	Lawrenceville School, 1928-1929
Oversize 2	Arthur Temple, Sr., undated
Oversize 2	T. L. L. Temple, Sr., undated
Volume 6	Photograph Album

Series X: Books

Scope and Content: The Art Books series contains a variety of art history books as well as general literature, Texas history, poetry, and philosophical books owned by Latané Temple. Included are religious books of Temple's great grandfather, Henry Waring Latané Temple. A detailed inventory is available. They date between the nineteenth and twentieth century.

Box 15	Bayley-Wood
Box 16	DeLeon-Ruskin
Box 17	Bible, Orval Eugene Faubus
Box 18	Clarke-Saposs
Box 19	Bibles
Box 20	Byron-Wood
Box 21	Aus-For
Box 22	Fur-Lew
Box 23	Mau-Wol
Box 24	Bak-Fie
Box 25	Lee-Mar
Box 26	Niz-Ves
Box 27	001.9-301.451, Rip-Log
Box 28	301.5-364.1, Ame-Wes
Box 29	365.973-507.4, Ame-Kar
Box 30	510.8-598, New-Sta
Box 31	612.6-708, Kin-Weh
Box 32	709-728, Bov-Arc
Box 33	728-752, Laz-Ena
Box 34	759-759.03, Jan-Ray
Box 35	759.03-759.13, Ven-Ben
Box 36	759.13-759.2, Bos-Gow
Box 37	759.3-759.5, Wat-Pig
Box 38	759.5-759.9493, Rus-Las
Box 39	759.9494-779, Mar-Ste

Box 40	781.9-811, Dyle-Fle
Box 41	811-842, Har-Ros
Box 42	873-917.98, Vir-McP
Box 43	919.8-956, Ken-Ame
Box 44	959.7-975, Lan-Ashm
Box 45	975-997, Wil-Ame