
Title: Sons of the American Revolution, James "Horseshoe" Robertson Chapter, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, records, 1946-1960

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ABSTRACT:
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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE:
The James "Horseshoe" Robertson Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution was organized on May 11, 1947, in the recreation room of Christ Episcopal Church, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, through the efforts of Colonel William T. Carpenter of Tuscaloosa, at the request of Mr. Files Crenshaw of Montgomery, Alabama, President of the Alabama Society of the Sons.

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SERIES DESCRIPTIONS:
Outgoing Correspondence, 1947- 1957
Correspondence pertaining largely to the contacting of prospective members and tracing ancestors of prospective members. 104 items. Arranged chronologically.

Incoming Correspondence, 1947- 1960
Correspondence pertaining mainly to tracing ancestors of prospective members. 5 items. Arranged alphabetically by the last name of correspondent.

Membership Lists, 1947- 1960
Lists of members of the chapter. Some lists contain the names of at large members of the Alabama Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. 16 items. Arranged chronologically.

Bank Deposits, 1949- 1953
Lists of members paying dues, amounts of money collected and to be deposited. 13 items. Arranged chronologically.

Programs, 1947- 1948
Programs of chapter meetings and copies of speeches made at meetings. 6 items. Unarranged.

Worksheets and Miscellaneous Genealogy, 1947- 1957 and n.d.
Completed and incomplete official worksheet forms of the Sons of the American Revolution, used to trace ancestors. Handwritten and typed miscellaneous genealogy. 20 items. Arranged alphabetically by last name of the applicant.

Newspaper clippings, 1946- 1957
Clippings of chapter activities. 16 items. Arranged chronologically.
Biographical sketches of James (Horseshoe) Robertson, n.d.
Typewritten biographical sketches of James (Horseshoe) Robertson. 7 items. No arrangement.

Miscellaneous, n.d.
Rituals of the chapter, chapter history, bulletins from chapters in other geographical areas, and other miscellaneous items. 14 items. No arrangement.

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