

## **Guide to the Lamar Aldridge Papers, 1917-1919**

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### **ABSTRACT**

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### **BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE**

A native of Catherine, Wilcox County, Alabama, and a graduate of the University of Alabama law school, Aldridge served in the 325th Infantry in World War I, attaining the rank of captain. He was later a vice president of Alabama Power Company

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