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Title: Theophilus Brown Larimore Papers

Creator: Theophilus Brown Larimore (1843-1929)

Identifier/Call Number: Center for Restoration Studies Manuscripts #6

Physical Description: 1.0 linear feet (2 boxes)

Dates (Inclusive): 1907-1935

Dates (Bulk): 1912-1914

Location: Center for Restoration Studies

Language of Materials: English

Scope and Content Note: This collection contains the personal and business correspondence of T.B. Larimore. The business correspondence centers around the establishment of Dixieland College in Gainsville, Florida. Box 1 contains the original documents; Box 2 contains use copies.

Biographical Note: Theophilus Brown Larimore was among the most widely-known and successful evangelists among Disciples and Churches of Christ from the latter decades of the nineteenth century until his death in 1929. His influence extended widely through his students and his writings.

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Arrangement of Materials: The collection is separated into papers concerning Dixieland College and personal correspondence. Original arrangement appears to have been maintained.

Separated Materials: none

Subjects
Christian education
Churches of Christ -- History -- 19th century
Churches of Christ -- History -- 20th century
Larimore, Theophilus Brown, 1843-1929
Dixieland College
Audiocassettes
Clippings
Color slides
Correspondence
Ephemera
Manuscripts
Memorabilia
Minutes
Newsletters
Periodicals
Sermons
Inventory

Box 1
[First Folder] Finding Aid

Folders 1-4 - Dixieland College Materials
Letters and other material (i.e. title deeds, bank loan forms, etc.) regarding the establishment of a Christian college in Gainesville, Fla. w/ T. B. Larimore as head
Correspondence regarding the establishment of a Christian college and community in Gainesville
Correspondence regarding the establishment of a Christian college and community in Gainesville, Florida.
Material regarding building the college in Gainesville (brochures on building products, quotes from architects, etc.)

Folders 5-6 - Correspondence
Two letters from Emma Larimore to ‘Sister Bowers,’ Oct 1914
Four envelopes addressed to Larimore/Dixieland College
Correspondence regarding the establishment of a Christian college and community in Gainesville, Florida.
Card advertising revival meeting at which Larimore preached
Framed announcement for Larimore preaching in Weatherford, TX

Folder 7 - Photograph
Portrait photograph of Larimore
Letter from Ida Wilson donating the photo to ACU

Box 2
Use copies; researchers wishing to view this collection will handle use copies unless original research necessitates handling the originals.