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DESCRIPTIVE CATALOG SHEET

1. Main Entry: William I. Gleason. 2. Titles: Cotton Gin Blueprints, 1920-1930

3. Donor: Mrs. J. P. McGaw 4. Date: July 16, 1974

5. Restrictions:

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

6. Record types: Blueprints, photographs, some corres.

11. Historical periods:

7. Quantity: 11 photographs
36 leaves; linear feet

8. Kinds of copy: Original

SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

9. Outline of career: Builder of cotton gins.

10. Scope and contents of collection: Blueprints (14) of cotton gins built in Caddo Parish in the 1920's; photographs of gins and several other related items.

12. Cataloger: 13. Date Catalogued:

INVENTORY.

William I. Gleason.

PHOTOGRAPHS.

PB¹ Belcher Gin Company, Belcher, Louisiana. Continental 4-70,
"Air Blast" Outfit, 1928. Display Case, 6/1976.

PB¹ Clarence Eilerbe Gin, (Continental Ginning System), 1929.
Display Case, 6/1976.

PB² Clarence Eilerbe Gin, 1929.

PB³ Clarence Eilerbe Gin, 1929.

PB⁵ Home of _____?

(Continental Ginning System)

Envelope that contained 6 pictures.
5 of cotton gins.
1 of a home.

DOCUMENTS.

Folder

- #1 Special Paving Assessment Certificate. Property owned by J. Katzenstein. Signed by Andrea Guerbes. Display Case, 6/1976. Four certificate coupons. December 9, 1904. (6 lvs.)
- #2 Blueprint: Cooling Water Piping. Made for vertical type "Y" oil engines. Fairbanks, Morse & Co., Beloit Plant. (1786GN4) June 8, 1920.
- #3 Blueprint: Assembly View of Supports. Special "C" Feeder Over Air-Blast Gin. (D-13-C) Continental Gin Co., Dallas, Texas. May 10, 1914; corrected March 11, 1915. (E, N^o 770)
- #4 Fairbanks Wagon Scales: Instructions for Installing Ten-Ton Wagon Scales. Copyright 1915. (2 lvs.)
- #5 Blueprint: Plan View; End Elevations; Condenser Setting. Dixie Gin Co., Dixie, Louisiana. (D-157-26) March 31, 1916.
- #6 Blueprint: Drive to Cleaner; Overflow End Elevation; Partial Front Elevation; Glassell Bros., Belcher, Louisiana. (D418-26) May 31, 1916.
- #7 Blueprint: Gilliam Gin Co., Gilliam, Louisiana. (D-55-27) March 11, 1917.

- #8 Correspondence: Continental Gin Company, Dallas, Texas, by W. H. Curtsinger to Gilliam Gin Co., Gilliam, Louisiana. Shipping list: April 1-10, 1927. Also invoice. April 11, 1927. (5 lvs.)
- #9 Blueprint: Vertical Triplex Pump Foundation. Continental Gin Co., Dallas, Texas. October 7, 1927.
- #10 Blueprint: Vertical Triplex Pump Foundation. Continental Gin Co., Dallas, Texas. (ED772) October 7, 1927.
- #11 Blueprint: Munger Double Rib Huller Gin. Using "A" Rib. Instructions for Hanging Breast. Continental Gin Co., Birmingham, Alabama. (E-No6929 D71-RE) November 28, 1927.
- #12 Continental Gin Company. Shipping List. To Belcher Gin Company, Belcher, Louisiana. May 1-15, 1928. Billed May 8, 1928. (6 lvs.) Display Case, 6/1976,.
- #13 Blueprint: Foundation for Paragon Double Box (27" x 54"). Hydraulic Press. Right Hand Outfits. Continental Gin Co., Dallas, Texas. (No7943C) July 3, 1928.
- #14 Blueprint: Foundation Plan for Tooke & Reynolds, Arcadia, Louisiana. (B3006) Scale $\frac{1}{2}$ "=1'-0". September 26, 1928.
- #15 Blueprint: Paragon Double Box Press. Foundation Plan. L. H. Outfits. Continental Gin Co., Dallas, Texas. (no. 7943C-LP) January 10, 1929.
- #16 Blueprint: J. W. Lynn, Gilliam, Louisiana. (D-108-'29) March 28, 1929.
- #17 Blueprint: Drive to Cleaner; Condenser Setting; Plan of Cot. House Arrangement; Oflow End Elevation. Clarence Ellerbe, Shreveport, Louisiana. (D-309-29) (2 copies) May 22, 1929. (2 lvs.)
- #18 Gin Blueprint by J. M. Robinson & Sons, Shreveport. May, 1930.
- #19 Brochure: "Operations of the Sailor Cotton Elevator".
- #20 Fairbanks Scales: Packing List. Steel Construction.

BOX 2

Gleason's leather case

a Surveying Aneroid

SEPARATION SHEET - To Photograph File

010 William I. Gleason

PB1

010 Clarence Ellerbe Gin. 1929.

PB2

010 Clarence Ellerbe Gin. 1929.

PB3

010 Clarence Ellerbe Gin. 1929.

PB4

010 Belcher Gin Company. Belcher, La. 1928. Continental 4-70, "Air Blast"
Outfit.

PB5

010 House.