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1 1	“Reasons Why All Democrats Should Vote <u>Against</u> Mr. B. B. Comer,” by the John V. Smith Campaign Committee, no date – 4 copies
1 2	“Atlanta & West Point Railroad Co. The Western Railway of Alabama,” Chart showing the decrease in freight loss and damage for the years 1901-1916
1 3	“A Vote For Wilson Will Be A Vote For Bryan,” no date flier is pro-Underwood – 2 copies
1 4	“Bank of Brewton– Escambia County’s Oldest Bank– Coming into being during the steamboat era,” no date (advertisement) Features photo of the steamboat <i>Capt. Fritz</i> ”
1 5	“Captain C. T. Allen, on “The Confederate Soldier in History, 1903” – Report on Allen’s speech at the Chautauqua assembly from the Owensboro(Ky.) <i>Daily Messenger</i> , 16 Aug. 1908
1 6	“The Young Southern Poet and Orator, Prof. A. M. McConnell will give an address on ‘The Philosophy of Life,’” no date (advertisement)
1 7	“Trustees’ Sale of Baldon Springs!” announcement by J. T. Jones and C. B. Whitfield, Trustees, for a sale of land in Choctaw Co., 1868 – 5 copies
1 8	“Public Sale! I will sell at my residence one mile east of Pounds’ mill, 3/4 miles north of Pounds’ school house, near Tallapoosa road, on Dec. 4 the following property....” announcement of property sale by J. R. Carroll, of Muscadine, Ala., no date
1 9	“The Art of Money Making Plenty In Every Man’s Pocket; By Doctor [Benjamin] Franklin.” [reprint], no date
1 10	“Second Day’s Proceedings of Alabama Women’s Press Association” [clipping], no date
1 11	“Growth of the South Under Impetus of the Industrial Departments of the Great Railroad Systems” – information article encouraging industrial development issued by the Immigration and Industrial Association of Alabama, no date

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1 12	“Atlanta & West Point Railroad Company The Western Railway of Alabama Circular No. 68” – is an anti-union circular from Charles A. Wickersham, the president and general manager. 1916
1 13	“Wanted 20,000 Legionnaires Missing since 1946 – Wanted by Wilder’s Warriors” – American Legion poster, 1958
1 14	“Patriotic Mass Meeting City Auditorium Sunday, March 29, 3 p.m. – Sponsored by Patriotic Citizens of Montgomery County” 1942
1 15	“Furniture Factories! No more inviting field for furniture factories and woodworking plants can be found in the South than in Montgomery, Ala.”– flier encouraging business development issued by the Chamber of Commerce, Montgomery, Ala., 1925
1 16	“Accident to Gas Plant” – informational flier from the Montgomery Light & Water Power Company about a leak and how it will affect the community, 1920
1 17	“Private School– Millbrook, Robinson Springs, Coosada Areas” Advertisement for a new private school, 1965
1 18	“Mississippi Is Right” – reprint of an editorial by William Loeb from the <i>Union Leader</i> (Manchester, NH) supporting Mississippi’s stand against integration, 1963
1 19	“List of Voters, State of Alabama, Coosa County” – issued by George B. McDonald, the Probate Judge for Coosa County, 1926
1 20	“Great Good Roads Rally combined with Vaudeville Program at the City Hall, Woodlawn” – advertising event in which “Charles W. Thatcher, the Good Roads Man, will discuss the subject of Highways” 1911
1 21	“To the Veterans of the Confederate Army!” – This is a call for reminiscences from Confederate veterans, issued by George Chase, <i>Magnolia Weekly</i> (Richmond, Va.) , 1864
1 22	“New River White Mail Stage Line” – advertisement for a stage line which leaves the Montgomery Hotel, Christiansburg, Va, at 7:00 a.m. every Tuesday and Friday, 1871

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1 23	Invitation to the funeral of John Peyton Powell, only son of Jane E. Powell September 11, 1841
1 24	“Remarks of Rev. Jno. A. Harrison upon the death of Hon. F. S. Lyon,” 1882
1 25	Funeral Notice for the funeral of Miss Mary Collins, 28 Aug. 1857, the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Bliss of Florence, Ala., 1857
1 26	Funeral notice for the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David Scott, 25 July 1836
1 27	Obituary for Mrs. Catherine Reese of Florence, Stewart County, Ga., who died 13 Aug. 1861
1 28	Funeral notice for the funeral of Dr. Thomas B. Vaughn, son of E. B. Vaughn, 9 May 1849, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
1 29	Funeral notice for the funeral of Maria Vaughn, the wife of E. B. Vaughn, 11 June 1863, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
1 30	“Anniversary of Saint John the Baptist: Marion, Al., June 24, 1864 (includes the words to two songs)
1 31	“Military Convention” – shows proposed alterations to the military code of Ala., that resulted from a meeting of the officers of the 4 <sup>th</sup> Div., Alabama Militia, 1847
1 32	“An Enumeration of the Inhabitants of the State of Alabama (Made in 1850) – for each county shows number of white males and females, insane, slaves, free persons of color, colleges, academies, common schools, and number of students
1 33	“To the Citizens of Selma!” Is a letter from James H. Robinson defending himself against a letter by C. M. Shelley that had been published in the <i>Times</i> ; involves voting of stock in the Selma and New Orleans Railroad., 1868/1869
1 34	“Mountain Home Female Institute” – advertisement for the school which was “situated in Lawrence County of North Alabama on the Mountain between Courtland and Moulton” 1851

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1 35	“To the Voters of Pickens County” – Campaign handbill for Charles J. Halbert who was running for Assessor of Pickens Co., no date
1 36	“Dancing is of the Devil” – Statement by George W. Wall against dancing and dance halls and states “As Christians and respectable people let us stay away and keep our children away from such hell dens” no date
1 37	“Dance and Oyster Supper Given for the Benefit of St. Francis Catholic Church” – printed by <i>The Blocton Enterprise</i> , circa 1913
1 38	Notification of an legislative act: “Notice – Under an Act of Legislature approved July 7, 1945, Public Official may Destroy, Sell, Loan, or otherwise dispose of any public record, except in accordance with the provisions of this Act...” – adds that the ADAH director has the right to “demand and recover public records from any person having illegal or unlawful possession thereof”
1 39	“Important. Notice to Trespassers.” Warning against anyone taking timber or any the rails on the posted lands. The notice adds that if the value of the stolen property is worth \$25 or more they will be guilty of grand larceny – Notice issued by A. S. Gaines, Land Commissioner, on behalf of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, 1876
1 40	“Challenge to Joint Debate – Open Letter from Emmet O’Neal, Hon. Henry B. Gray, Birmingham August 19, 1906”
1 41	“Hon. Kyle B. Price The Noted ‘Wire Grass Orator’ will speak will speak for the Amendment at Elk’s Theatre Sunday, Nov. 14” no date
1 42	“Election returns for Pickens County, Ala., August 4, 1845; including The Result for 1844, the Representative Vote by precincts for that year”
1 43	“To the people of Mobile County, especially those living outside of the City” – letter from W. T. Walthall about his candidacy for the Mobile County Superintendent of Education position, 1871
1 44	“Extract from Proceedings of the Convention of Delegates from the several Masonic Bodies of Mobile, at a Meeting held on the 27 <sup>th</sup> March, 1872” – report from W. T. Walthall, Secretary

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1 45	“Pickens County Farm Bureau Rally July 4 <sup>th</sup> at Carrollton, Ala. – speakers include Lister Hill, Carter Manasco, Edward A. O’Neal, and Walter Randolph, 1947
1 46	“Program Jefferson County Teachers Institute to be held at Argo, November 13, 14, 15, 1890” – shows speakers and their subjects
1 47	“Program for Teachers’ Institute of Jefferson County, to held in Pleasant Hill Academy, near McCalla, Ala., December 5, 6, 7, 1889” – shows speakers and their subjects (2 copies)
1 48	“Rensselaer & Saratoga Railroad Department D. & H. C. Co., Rutland Div. Vermont Central and Vt. and Canada R. R. and Lake Champlain Steamers” – ad for railroads in New England, no date
1 49	“To the Holders of the bonds, etc., of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company” – letter from president W. Butler Duncan, presenting facts of the company’s financial problems and the need to re-organize, 1876
1 50	“Mobile & Ohio Railroad.”– request for “stockholder of the company “to deposit their several securities” with specified banks...in pursuance of a plan for the re-adjustment of, and mutual protection of al parties interested in such securities,” circa 1876
1 51	Program for Jefferson County [teachers’] Institute to be held at Grove Hill, near Dolomite, Nov. 2, 3, and 4, 1893 – lists speakers and their subjects – 2 copies
1 52	Program for Jefferson County [teachers’] Institute to be held at Wylam, May 16, 17 and 18, 1895 – lists speakers and their subjects – 2 copies
1 53	“A Big Barbeque! Big Celebration in Maplesville on Sept. 5 <sup>th</sup> 1907, The Governor Will be There”– will include creosoting demonstration by C. L. Hill of the Forestry Service and speakers discussing “subjects of interest to farmers such as Soil Fertility, Fertilizers, Rotation of Crops, Game and Fish, etc.” – 4 copies
1 54	“Anniversary Ball, 23 <sup>rd</sup> December, 1814”– invitation to the ball at the Eagle Hotel, Florence, Ala., held 23 Dec. 1833 (possibly anniversary to the end of the War of 1812, Treaty of Ghent)

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1 55	“Celebration Ball. 8 <sup>th</sup> of January 1834”– invitation to the ball at the Mansion House in Tuscombua, Ala., to celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans
1 56	“Rochester and Albany. Red Bird Line of Packets, In connection with Rail Road from Niagara Falls to Lockport.” – advertisement, 1843
1 57	“Program of the Teachers’ Institute of Jefferson County, to held in Pleasant Hill Academy, near McCalla, Ala., June 19, 20, and 21, 1890” – shows speakers and their subjects (2 copies)
1 58	“By the Governor of Alabama A Proclamation” Feb. 12, 1866, from R. M. Patton, in which he grants amnesty “ to all persons who have been, or are liable to be indicted or prosecuted for offences committed against the laws of the state” except the crimes of rape and murder between 13 April 1861 and 20 July 1865
1 59	Statement from Ware, Murphy & Co. predicting that cotton will sell for 20 cents, 4 September 1871
1 60	“Alabama”– words to a song written by E. L. C. Ward, published by <i>The Reporter</i> , Talladega, Ala., includes list of other Alabama books and songs that can be purchased for 25 cents, no date
1 61	“Livestock and Livestock Diseases in Alabama,” looks at loss of livestock value because of cattle ticks and proposes eradication of the tick, 1906
1 62	“Confidential Circular to the Granges of Alabama” – statement from William A. Battle and A. W. DeBardeleben of Mobile urging farmer to use them as their Cotton and Supply Agents, 1874
1 63	Facsimile of original charter from the Officers of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Great Britain authorizing the Grand Lodge of America to conduct the business of the organization, no date
1 64	“Telegram from Senator Toombs”, published by the <i>Augusta True Democrat</i> , Dec. 24, 1860, the statement advocates secession from the United States
1 65	“A Concrete Example” by Julia S. Tutwiler, deals with convict labor– It advocates that the state legislature make it possible for part of a convict’s earnings go to support his wife and children, no date

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1 66	Application for contest sponsored by the Dept. of Agriculture and Industries, 1910
1 67	Advertisement for the <i>Proceedings of the Sesqui-Centennial Gathering of the Descendants of Isaac and Ann Jackson at Harmony Grove, Chester Co., Pa.</i> ," Aug. 25, 1875
1 68	"Absurdities"-- unsigned response to an article entitled "The People versus The Saloons," The response supports a Dispensary Bill which would make it possible for some Ala. counties to prohibit the sale of alcohol. no date
1 69	"Preamble and Constitution of the Agricultural Society of Calhoun County, Ala. Adopted May 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 1869"
1 70	Program for the Fifty-fourth Anniversary of the Emancipation of the Negro from Slavery in America Celebrated at the Rehoboth Baptist Church, Ware, Ala. Jan. 1, 1918
1 71	List Registered Voters in Coffee County – Precinct 2, circa 1849
1 72	To The Public. Huntsville, Ala., October 28, 1882. Statement by D. D. Shelby in response to an article by Arthur H. Keller, editor of the <i>North Alabamian</i> , accuses Keller of slander and impeaching his honor
1 73	Old Maids Convention, April 12, 1912 – ad for this event that was held by the Montgomery Junior Memorial Association to raise money for the Anti-Tuberculosis League
1 74	"Address to the Voters of Madison County" – announcement by David D. Shelby of his candidacy for the State Senate. circa 1880s
1 75	"The Madison County Election"-- presents list of men supported James M. Hutchens, Chairman of Independent and Greenback Executive Committee. Flier is against the "Bourbon Democracy." circa 1880s
1 76	"A Plain Statement. The 'Bloody Mob'" – statement by David D. Shelby in response to the <i>Athens Courier</i> which said that there was a "bloody mob against the whites of Meridianville, at the election of 1878." He denies that there was a mob and gives the facts of what really happened.
1 77	"Have You Seen 'The Rainbow'? Alabama's 'Rainbow Boys'" Advertises the return of the Rainbow Division to Montgomery, Ala. 1918

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1 78	<i>Roar of the Crowd</i> – Movie broadside for Joe Louis movie biography, 1953
1 79	<i>Lilly</i> passenger steamer: “For Tuscaloosa & Northport The Fine Fast Running Passenger Steamer – <i>Lilly!</i> In Place of the <i>Cherokee</i> , W. J. Mathews, Master” no date
Oversize #46 1	“University of Virginia. List of the Distinguished, Proficients & Graduates, Session 1860-61”
Oversize #46 2	“Half Fare Excursions for Home Seekers to North Alabama will leave on the first and third Tuesday of every month” Poster talks about the advantages of settling in Limestone Co., Ala., issued by D. M. Fredericksen & Co., Chicago, Ill., no date
Oversize #46 3	“Advertisement for T. F. Golson of Fort Deposit, Ala. – ad gives prices for different items in stock, no date
Oversize #46 4	“ ‘World-Round Prohibition – America Will Lead the World’” Poster advertising speaker Dr. Ira Landrith at the World Prohibition Rally at Montgomery, Ala., circa 1913
Oversize #46 5	“A Tribute to Alabama” – copy of text to an ad by General Motors, that was broadcast 9 Nov. 1931
Oversize #46 6	<i>The Brazo’s Pilot</i> – Supplement, Bryan, Texas, 2 Nov. 1877, Page gives two opinions stating that the state of Texas should support higher education for women.
Oversize #46 7	“Extract from a speech delivered by Col. Bennett H. Young, of Louisville, Ky., in Louisville on October 6, 1899 – speech is in support of a United Confederate Veterans reunion in Louisville, to be held in 1900
Oversize #46 8	“Public Record of Hon. Luke Pryor, Bourbon Nominee for Congress” – poster is against Pryor and supports David D. Shelby of the Independent Greenback Committee, circa 1880s
Oversize #46 9	“Mass Meeting to Consider the erection of the Proposed Montgomery Memorial Hospital,” no date

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Oversize #46 10	“A Farmers’ Institute will be held at Samson, Alabama, Monday, July 7, 1913” – advertisement for Farmers’ Institute and a Summer School for Farmers that will be at Auburn, Aug. 1-9, 1913
Oversize #46 11	“Summary of the Latest News. Published by the Atlanta Executive Aid Association for the Army of Tennessee, Thursday Evening, May 19, 1864”
Oversize #46 12	“Cranford Mercantile Company, Jasper, Ala.– poster advertising sale that “will start No. 1, and last until 6 o’clock p.m. February 14, 1913”
Oversize #46 13	“Miss America’s Downtown Lucky Days December 15th-23rd – advertising downtown sale in Mobile, Ala., in celebration of a Miss America Parade, 1960
Oversize #46 14	“Excursion to old St. Stephens, May 26, 1900” – poster is about “basket picnic and second annual celebration of the Old St. Stephens Historical Society”
Oversize #46 15	“Official State Home Coming – Alabama’s Historical Festival and Pageant May 5 <sup>th</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> , 1926 Montgomery, Ala.” – two day event includes a pageant “with a cast of 3,000 people” of scenes throughout history from DeSoto’s expedition through Alabama to “An Actual World War Scene”
Oversize #46 16	“Battle Front!!” – advertising a movie about World War I and the work by the American Red Cross in Europe; also a lecture by Dr. Esther Lovejoy, at the City Auditorium, Montgomery, Ala., circa 1919 – 2 copies
Oversize #46 17	“Read This”– statement issued by the Board of Public Safety about an injunction that prevented any officials from interfering with poll watchers appointed by Faber, Cody and Jones. It commends Circuit Judge Pearson of Montgomery County who issued an injunction restraining these poll watchers from entering polling places. 1915
Oversize #46 18	Copy of an opinion by Alex H. Garber, the Ala. Attorney General, to William W. Brandon, the State Auditor, about taxes on domestic and foreign corporations in the state of Ala. (more specifically the annual franchise tax for 1911)
Oversize #46 19	Debtor Class Party political advertisement, that was paid for by W. A. Denson and printed in the <i>Birmingham Age-Herald and News</i> , on January 21, 1933 – the party’s motto is “Peace, Plenty, Prosperity” and its Platform is “Bring that dollar down”– 2 copies

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Oversize #46 20	<i>Richmond Dispatch</i> , Jan.8, 1861, section of the paper reporting on business of the general assembly
Oversize #46 21	<i>Owen's Weekly Syndicated Feature Service</i> , Florence, Ala., 1927
Oversize #46 22	"George LeRoy Henry" - a memorial address to Henry, who died Aug. 5, 1877
Oversize #46 23	"Governor Bagby's Inaugural Address" – copy of his address printed by <i>Flag of the Union</i> , circa 1837

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2 24	“An Appreciation to Southern Industry” – presenting remarks made by Robert I. Ingalls, Jr., Chariman of the Board of Ingalls Companies, Birmingham, Ala.	ca. 1955
2 25	“County Unit Plan vs. State Unit Plan for Constructing Good Roads Through State” Reprinted from the <i>Abbeville Herald</i> , Abbeville, Ala., July 31, 1919	1919
2 26	“Gov. Kilby in Fighting Form--He Goes After His Opponents” reprint of editorial in <i>Birmingham News</i>	ca. 1920s
2 27	“You are Urged to Attend a country Life Institute” Advertisement for an institute held in connection with the Extension School of Agriculture and Home Economics, held at Argo Presbyterian Church (Jefferson County)	1916
2 28	“To the Voters of Pickens County” Written by E. J. Daffin urges populist voters to support Democrat John Bankhead instead of D. N. Cooper, a Republican	1898
2 29	“Judge S. M. Adams Candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries, 1906” – 3 copies	1906
2 30	“Obituary. Chancellor Saffold,” – obituary for Joseph Phillips Saffold (1812-1853)	1853
2 31	<i>The Clayton Banner</i> , Clayton, Ala. Aug. 4, 1864, 2 columns from the front page concerning battles in Atlanta, governor’s proclamation, election returns, etc.	1864
2 32	“The Great Race and the Greatest Victory – The National Free-For-All” – article by Sam Davis describes the 1888 presidential election as a horse race	1888
D - 541	“Lecture on Abraham Lincoln, Miss Anne Rutledge, New Salem, Pioneering and The Poem by Mr. William H. Herndon” (oversize)	1866
D - 566	“Lee and Grant” – Poem by H. C. Carlisle, note certifies that it is a copy of a poem which hung in the hall of Robert E. Lee Mansion, Arlington, Va., 14 June 1917	