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Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé Papers. Inclusive: 1908-1987, undated, Bulk: 1913-1986, undated

Summary Information

Creator	Du Congé, Oscar N., 1909 - 1978 (Creator) Du Congé, Mary Jacques, 1908 - 1999 (Creator)
Extent (quantity/size)	25 document boxes and 1 oversized box
Language	English
Abstract	The Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé Papers consist of manuscripts pertaining to the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Du Congé. The papers contain correspondence, diaries, legal documents, financial documents, literary productions, books, scrapbooks, photographic materials, audio recordings and artifacts.

Subjects

African Americans--Texas--Waco--Politics and government / Catholics -- Texas -- Waco. / Mayors -- Texas -- Waco. / Race relations -- Texas -- Waco -- History. / Waco (Tex.) -- History -- 20th Century.

Administrative Information

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Originals/Copies	Mx of some originals and some copies
Preferred Citation	When quoting material from this collection, the preferred citation is: Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary Jacques "Kitty" Du Congé Papers, #2282, Box #, Folder #, The Texas Collection, Baylor University.
Processing Information	Described by Adina Johnson and released on 2012-09-28.

Scope and Content

The Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé Papers were acquired by three gifts in 1980-81, 1984 and 1987. The bulk of the collection consists of correspondence, photographs, and literary productions, ranging in date from 1908-1987, with a large amount undated. The largest series is the literary productions.

Administrative/Biographical History

Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé was the first African-American Mayor of Waco. His wife, Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé was a schoolteacher and secretary who was a leader in the community, a socialite, and a volunteer member of many Catholic religious organizations. This collection provides a unique insight into their lives and their positive, important impact on the City of Waco. There are multiple spellings of the Du Congé last name. Du Congé was chosen due to the correspondence in this collection.

Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé was born in Pass Christian, Mississippi, on April 19, 1909, to Adolphe Joseph and Daniska St. Aurin Du Congé. However, he spent his childhood years in New Orleans, Louisiana. Both of his grandfathers had immigrated to Louisiana from Haiti. His father was a barber who sang bass in the local parish choir, and his mother was a music teacher who made sure each of her eleven children were educated and cultured. Oscar graduated from Xavier High School (the only black Catholic High School in the United States at the time). He then graduated from Xavier University in 1931 with his bachelor's degree in sociology.

Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé was born on July 5, 1908, in New Orleans to Joseph and Venita Molina Jacques. Both Mary and Oscar were raised in Catholic families. The two met as children and were married on January 2, 1937. As a couple they adopted one son, Michael. While Mary finished her teaching certificate at Xavier, Oscar studied adult education at Southern University. In 1942, Oscar was drafted into the Army and stationed at Fort Huachuca in Arizona. Mary was able to get a job on base as a secretary and the two lived in Arizona for the duration of the war, except for the short time Oscar was stationed in North Africa. This collection includes correspondence and photographs from the Du Congé's time in Arizona.

After the war, the Du Congé's spent a brief time in New York, and then in Pittsburgh, eventually returning to New Orleans. Mary taught elementary school while Oscar got his master's in Social Work via correspondence at the University of Atlanta. His thesis work is included in this collection. Two years after obtaining his Master's, in 1948, Oscar accepted a position at the Veterans Affairs Hospital (VA) in Waco.

During the 1950s, Oscar left the VA to co-own and operate the Doris Miller Memorial Park Cemetery. Subsequently, Mary became the first African-American secretary at the James Connally Air Force Base. She would continue in government work for the rest of her career. In addition, Mary was an active volunteer within the Catholic community and the Waco community at large. She was involved in organizations including the Joie de Vivre Club, St. John's Catholic Church, and Caritas (a Catholic group seeking to alleviate hunger). A large percentage of this collection is composed of documents relating to her community service work.

Oscar eventually left cemetery administration to return to social work. He became the Director of Neighborhood Centers for *Economic Opportunities Advancement Corporation* (EOAC). This served as his entrance point into city government. In 1973 Oscar was elected to the City Council, and in 1974 he became the first African-American mayor of any municipal city in Texas. Oscar was honored with several awards for his service as mayor, the most prestigious being the Liberty Bell Award, which is included in these papers.

Oscar died on July 26, 1978. Mary continued to be active in the community and many documents in this collection were created after Oscar's death. Mary died on August 31, 1999. The Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé Papers provide a wide-ranging picture into the lives of this important couple. From their religious volunteerism to their public service, Oscar and Mary Du Congé were an important part of making Waco what it is today.

Related Resources

Related citations

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 Dr. Patricia Wallace. "Proud of Waco, from Waco: A Sesquicentennial History, a new book coming off the press in the spring." Waco Heritage and History 28, no. 1
 "Waco Plans For Bicentennial." Waco Heritage and History 5, no. 2 (Summer 1974): 1- 4.

Archival Arrangement

The Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé Papers were organized by type and by date prior to this finding aid. The papers were divided into two major groups, Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé. No preliminary inventory was available.

The collection is arranged in ten series: I. Correspondence, II. Diaries, III. Legal Documents, IV. Financial Documents, V. Literary Productions, VI. Books, VII. Scrapbooks, VIII. Photographic Materials, IX. Audio Recordings, and X. Artifacts.

Series 1. Correspondence. 1932-1986, undated

Administrative/Biographical History	Series includes professional and personal letters to and from Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé. Much of the correspondence pertains to Oscar Du Congé's term as mayor and the couple's religious activities. The series is in good to excellent condition.
Inventory	<p>Box 1. Folder 1. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1969-1974</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 2. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 February 5-April 19</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 3. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 April 20-April 26</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 4. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 April 27- May 7</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 5. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 May 9-May 17</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 6. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 May 20- June 10</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 7. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 June 14- June 28</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 8. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 July 2-July 8</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 9. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 July 9-July 15</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 10. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 July 17- August 12</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 11. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 August 20- September 27</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 12. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 October 3- November 14</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 13. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1974 November 16- December 28</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 14. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 January 3-27</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 15. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 January 28- February 11</p> <p>Box 1. Folder 16. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 February 11- March 6</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 1. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 March 12- April 9</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 2. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 April 10- April 30</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 3. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 May 6- July 22</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 4. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 July 24- October 22</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 5. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1975 November 21- December 29</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 6. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1976 January 8- June 24</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 7. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional: JACS Board of Directors, 1975 July 1- 1976 June 1982</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 8. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1976 July 5- 1977 April 22</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 9. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, 1977 April 22-1980</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 10. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Professional, undated</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 11. Correspondence: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Personal, 1943 July 25- 1975 February 25, undated</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 12. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional, 1943-1965</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 13. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional, 1965-1974</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 14. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional, 1974-1980</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 15. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional, 1981-1982</p> <p>Box 2. Folder 16. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional, 1982-1985, undated</p> <p>Box 3. Folder 1. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé:</p>

Religious, 1959-1960
 Box 3. Folder 2. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Religious, 1963-1977
 Box 3. Folder 3. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Religious, 1981-1987
 Box 3. Folder 4. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Personal, 1932-1944
 Box 3. Folder 5. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Personal, 1964-1965
 Box 3. Folder 6. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Personal, 1966-1979
 Box 3. Folder 7. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Personal, 1980-1982
 Box 3. Folder 8. Correspondence: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Personal, 1982-1986, undated
 Box 3. Folder 9. Correspondence: To Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé, 1943-1978, undated
 Box 3. Folder 10. Correspondence: General: History of St. John the Baptist Church, 1980, undated
 Box 3. Folder 11. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1958 May 9-1960 January 12
 Box 3. Folder 12. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1959 October 16-1960 January 4
 Box 3. Folder 13. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1960 January 16-1960 May 5
 Box 3. Folder 14. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1960 May 2-1961 January 9
 Box 3. Folder 15. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1961 January 11-February 12
 Box 3. Folder 16. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1961 February 12- August 16
 Box 4. Folder 1. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1961 August 29-1962 November 5
 Box 4. Folder 2. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, 1962 November 29-1977 May 23
 Box 4. Folder 3. Correspondence: Religious Organizations, undated
 Box 4. Folder 4. Correspondence: Greeting Cards, 1945-1978
 Box 4. Folder 5. Correspondence: Greeting Cards, 1976-1980
 Box 4. Folder 6. Correspondence: Greeting Cards, 1981-1985, undated
 Box 4. Folder 7. Correspondence: Greeting Cards (1 of 3), undated
 Box 4. Folder 8. Correspondence: Greeting Cards (2 of 3), undated
 Box 4. Folder 9. Correspondence: Greeting Cards (3 of 3), undated
 Box 4. Folder 10. Correspondence: Invitations, 1970-1986, undated
 Box 4. Folder 11. Correspondence: Pledge Cards, 1974-1985
 Box 4. Folder 12. Correspondence: Postcards, 1943-1984
 Box 4. Folder 13. Correspondence: Postcards, undated
 Box 4. Folder 14. Correspondence: General, undated

Series 2. Diaries. 1954-1986, undated

Administrative/Biographical History Series includes diaries written by and calendars annotated by Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé. Series is in average to good condition.

Inventory Box 4. Folder 15. Diaries: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: General, 1954-1974, undated
 Box 5. Folder 1. Diaries: Liturgical Desk Calendar, 1961
 Box 5. Folder 2. Diaries: Journal, 1977-1979
 Box 5. Folder 3. Diaries: Calendar, 1981
 Box 5. Folder 4. Diaries: Calendar, 1986

Series 3. Legal Documents. 1908-1987, undated

Administrative/Biographical History Series includes legal documents pertaining to the personal and professional lives of Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé. Also included are legal documents regarding the Waco City Council. The series is in good to excellent condition.

Inventory Box 5. Folder 5. Legal Documents: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Diploma, 1949
 Box 5. Folder 6. Legal Documents: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé, 1945-1978
 Box 5. Folder 7. Legal Documents: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé, 1908-1978, undated
 Box 5. Folder 8. Legal Documents: Oscar "Doc" Norbert and Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé, 1937-1978
 Box 5. Folder 9. Legal Documents: General, 1978-1987
 Box 5. Folder 10. Legal Documents: City Council, 1959-1976 March 29
 Box 5. Folder 11. Legal Documents: City Council, 1976 March 29- April 19

Series 4. Financial Documents. 1961-1986, undated

Administrative/Biographical History Series includes financial documents pertaining to the personal finances of the Du Congé family. The majority of the series is comprised of bank statements. Series is in good to excellent condition.

Inventory Box 5. Folder 12. Financial Documents: Ledger, 1984-1986
 Box 5. Folder 13. Financial Documents: Check Registers, 1982

Box 5. Folder 14. Financial Documents: Statements, 1981
 Box 6. Folder 1. Financial Documents: Statements, 1982
 Box 6. Folder 2. Financial Documents: Statements, 1983
 Box 6. Folder 3. Financial Documents: Statements, 1984
 Box 6. Folder 4. Financial Documents: General, 1969-1979, undated
 Box 6. Folder 5. Financial Documents: General, 1981

Series 5. Literary Productions. 1909-1986, undated

Administrative/Biographical History	This series is the largest of the Du Congé papers and includes a variety of literary productions. Included are documents from Oscar Du Congé's schooling, his terms on the Waco City Council, Mary Du Congé's religious volunteer work and various news clippings. The series is in average to excellent condition.
Inventory	<p>Box 6. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Class Notes, undated</p> <p>Box 6. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Class Notes: Rudolph Arrington, undated</p> <p>Box 6. Folder 8. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Essays (1 of 4), undated</p> <p>Box 6. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Essays (2 of 4), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 1. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Essays (3 of 4), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 2. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Essays (4 of 4), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 3. Literary Productions: Lectures (1 of 3), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 4. Literary Productions: Lectures (2 of 3), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 5. Literary Productions: Lectures (3 of 3), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Essays: General (1 of 2), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Essays: General (2 of 2), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 8. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Thesis (1 of 2), 1949 August</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Thesis (2 of 2), 1949 August</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 10. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Speeches, 1949-1970</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 11. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Speeches, 1970-1976</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 12. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Speeches (1 of 3), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 13. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Speeches (2 of 3), undated</p> <p>Box 7. Folder 14. Literary Productions: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé: Speeches (3 of 3), undated</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 1. Literary Productions: Charter: Proposal, undated</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 2. Literary Productions: Charter: Final Draft, 1978 May 31</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 3. Literary Productions: General: City Council, 1976, undated</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 4. Literary Productions: General: City Council Articles, undated</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 5. Literary Productions: General: Meet the Mayor Guest Book, 1974</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Minutes: General, 1975-1977</p> <p>Folder Literary Productions: Minutes:</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 7. United Way, 1977 January-March</p> <p>Folder Literary Productions: Minutes:</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 8. United Way, 1977 December</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Minutes: Citizens Charter Advisory Committee, 1977-1978</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 10. Literary Productions: Pamphlets: Neighborhood Centers, 1968-1969</p> <p>Box 8. Folder 11. Literary Productions: Reports: "Neighborhood Service Centers", 1967</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 1. Literary Productions: General: Neighborhood Workers, undated</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 2. Literary Productions: General: City of Waco Human Resources Study (1 of 2), 1973</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 3. Literary Productions: General: City of Waco Human Resources Study (2 of 2), 1973</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 4. Literary Productions: General: Human Services, undated</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 5. Literary Productions: General: Committee Proposals, 1974, 1975, undated</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 6. Literary Productions: General: Development Proposals, undated</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 7. Literary Productions: General: The U.S. Conference of Mayors, 1974</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 8. Literary Productions: General: City Government, 1966-1975</p> <p>Box 9. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Awards: Liberty Bell, 1975</p> <p>Box 10. Folder 1. Literary Productions: Certificates: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé, 1963-1983, undated</p> <p>Box 10. Folder 2. Literary Productions: Certificates: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé, 1909-1975</p> <p>Box 10. Folder 3. Literary Productions: Certificates: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé, 1977-1989, undated</p> <p>Box 10. Folder 4. Literary Productions: Certificates: Religious, 1978, undated</p> <p>Box 10. Folder 5. Literary Productions: Certificates: Du Congé Family, 1968-1975, undated</p>

Box 10. Folder 6. Literary Productions: General: Class Record, 1966
 Box 10. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Pamphlets: Charter: City of Waco, TX, 1958
 Box 10. Folder 8. Literary Productions: General: Church Bulletins, 1958 June 15- 1962 June 2
 Box 10. Folder 9. Literary Productions: General: St. John the Baptist Church Anniversary (1 of 3), 1977 June 19
 Box 10. Folder 10. Literary Productions: General: St. John the Baptist Church Anniversary (2 of 3), 1977 June 19
 Box 10. Folder 11. Literary Productions: General: St. John the Baptist Church Anniversary (3 of 3), 1977 June 19
 Box 10. Folder 12. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations, 1958-July 1960
 Box 10. Folder 13. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations, 1961 April 12- 1962 May
 Box 10. Folder 14. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations, 1962 May 21- 1973 March 18
 Box 10. Folder 15. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations, 1976-1978
 Box 11. Folder 1. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations, 1979-1987
 Box 11. Folder 2. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations (1 of 4), undated
 Box 11. Folder 3. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations (2 of 4), undated
 Box 11. Folder 4. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations (3 of 4), undated
 Box 11. Folder 5. Literary Productions: General: Religious Organizations (4 of 4), undated
 Box 11. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Notes: Religious Organizations, 1968 August 17- 1958 October 26, undated
 Box 11. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Religious Aid Groups, 1981-1984
 Box 11. Folder 8. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Religious Aid Groups, 1984-1985, undated
 Box 11. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Religious Aid Groups, undated
 Box 11. Folder 10. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: MCC Reading Skills (1 of 3), 1977
 Box 11. Folder 11. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: MCC Reading Skills (2 of 3), 1977
 Box 11. Folder 12. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: MCC Reading Skills (3 of 3), 1977
 Box 11. Folder 13. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional Documents, 1956-1959
 Box 11. Folder 14. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional Documents, 1960-1965 April
 Box 11. Folder 15. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional Documents, 1965 June-December
 Box 11. Folder 16. Literary Productions: Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé: Professional Documents, 1966, undated
 Box 12. Folder 1. Literary Productions: Booklets, 1974-1981, undated
 Box 12. Folder 2. Literary Productions: 1977 Inaugural Guide to Washington, 1977
 Box 12. Folder 3. Literary Productions: Name Tags, 1974, undated
 Box 12. Folder 4. Literary Productions: Newsletters, 1941-1974 June
 Box 12. Folder 5. Literary Productions: Newsletters, 1974 June
 Box 12. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Newsletters, 1974 August-October
 Box 12. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Newsletters, 1975 April-1980 May
 Box 12. Folder 8. Literary Productions: Newsletters, undated
 Box 12. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Programs: Spring Fashion Extravaganza, 1980 March 9
 Box 12. Folder 10. Literary Productions: Programs, 1958-1969
 Box 12. Folder 11. Literary Productions: Programs, 1970-1974
 Box 12. Folder 12. Literary Productions: Programs, 1975-1980
 Box 12. Folder 13. Literary Productions: Programs, 1981-1982, undated
 Box 12. Folder 14. Literary Productions: Programs: "Blossom Time", undated
 Box 12. Folder 15. Literary Productions: Programs, 1974-1975
 Box 12. Folder 16. Literary Productions: Resumes, 1975, undated
 Box 13. Folder 1. Literary Productions: General, 1977-1986, undated
 Box 13. Folder 2. Literary Productions: General (1 of 2), undated
 Box 13. Folder 3. Literary Productions: General (2 of 2), undated
 Box 13. Folder 4. Literary Productions: General: "In Memoriam", 1974-1980
 Box 13. Folder 5. Literary Productions: Notes: General, undated
 Box 13. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Clippings: Religious Organizations, undated
 Box 13. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Clippings: General, 1959-1973
 Box 13. Folder 8. Literary Productions: Clippings: General, 1975-1976
 Box 13. Folder 9. Literary Productions: Clippings: General, 1980-1999, undated
 Box 13. Folder 10. Literary Productions: Clippings: General (1 of 2), undated
 Box 14. Folder 1. Literary Productions: Clippings: General (2 of 2), undated
 Box 14. Folder 2. Literary Productions: Clippings: Waco, undated
 Box 14. Folder 3. Literary Productions: Clippings: General, 1972-1976
 Box 14. Folder 4. Literary Productions: Clippings: General, 1976
 Box 14. Folder 5. Literary Productions: Clippings: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé, 1965-1974
 Box 14. Folder 6. Literary Productions: Clippings: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du

Congé, 1974-1975
 Box 14. Folder 7. Literary Productions: Clippings: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé (1 of 2), undated
 Box 14. Folder 8. Literary Productions: Clippings: Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé (2 of 2), undated

Series 6. Books. 1976

Administrative/Biographical History Series includes two books and one journal. Items from this series have been separated from the collection. See separation sheets for more information. Series is in good to excellent condition.

Inventory Box 14. Folder 9. Books: A Book of Favorite Recipes, The Word and the World, "National Roster of Black Elected Officials", 1976

Series 7. Scrapbooks. 1958-1980

Administrative/Biographical History Series includes materials from six scrapbooks. The topics of the scrapbooks include Mary "Kitty" Jacques Du Congé's professional work, religious volunteerism, and Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé's Mayoral appointment. One scrapbook chronicles the planning and results of a performance by pianist Henrietta Miller Yancey, organized by Mary Du Congé. This series includes two maps of Israel, including the rare "Pilgrim's Map of the Holy Land", 1978. The series is in average to excellent condition.

Inventory Box 14. Folder 10. Scrapbooks: Air Force: Pages 1-6 (1 of 6), 1958-1968
 Box 14. Folder 11. Scrapbooks: Air Force: Pages 7-10 (2 of 6), 1958-1968
 Box 14. Folder 12. Scrapbooks: Air Force: Pages 11-21 (3 of 6), 1958-1968
 Box 14. Folder 13. Scrapbooks: Air Force: Pages 22-35 (4 of 6), 1958-1968
 Box 14. Folder 14. Scrapbooks: Air Force: Pages 36-43 (5 of 6), 1958-1968
 Box 14. Folder 15. Scrapbooks: Air Force: Page 41-51 (6 of 6), 1958-1968
 Box 15. Folder 1. Scrapbooks: Joie de Vivre Club: Page 1-5 (1 of 4), 1963-1964
 Box 15. Folder 2. Scrapbooks: Joie de Vivre Club: Page 6-11 (2 of 4), 1963-1964
 Box 15. Folder 3. Scrapbooks: Joie de Vivre Club: Page 12-18 (3 of 4), 1963-1964
 Box 15. Folder 4. Scrapbooks: Joie de Vivre Club: Page 19-23 (4 of 4), 1963-1964
 Box 15. Folder 5. Scrapbooks: "Reflections During Recovery", 1981
 Box 15. Folder 6. Scrapbooks: Guests: Page 1-35 (1 of 3), 1976 June 28
 Box 15. Folder 7. Scrapbooks: Guests: Page 36-41 (2 of 3), 1976 June 29
 Box 15. Folder 8. Scrapbooks: Guests: Book (3 of 3), 1976 June 28
 Box 15. Folder 9. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 1-16 (1 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 15. Folder 10. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 17-30 (2 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 15. Folder 11. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 31-41 (3 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 15. Folder 12. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 42-53 (4 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 15. Folder 13. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 54-61 (5 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 15. Folder 14. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 63-64 (6 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 15. Folder 15. Scrapbooks: Henrietta Miller Yancy: Page 65 (7 of 7), 1959-1980, undated
 Box 16. Folder 1. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 1-6 (1 of 7), 1974
 Box 16. Folder 2. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 6-8 (2 of 7), 1974
 Box 16. Folder 3. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 9-18 (3 of 7), 1974
 Box 16. Folder 4. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 19-28 (4 of 7), 1974
 Box 16. Folder 5. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 29-33 (5 of 7), 1974
 Box 16. Folder 6. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 34-40 (6 of 7), 1974
 Box 16. Folder 7. Scrapbooks: Mayor: Pages 41-43 (7 of 7), 1974
 Box 17. Folder 1. Scrapbooks: Bicentennial: Page 3-5 (1 of 3), 1974-1976, undated
 Box 17. Folder 2. Scrapbooks: Bicentennial: Page 7-84 (2 of 3), 1974-1979, undated
 Box 17. Folder 3. Scrapbooks: Bicentennial: Page 84 (3 of 3), 1969-1980, undated
 Box 26 OVZ. Folder 2. Scrapbooks: Israel Touring Map: Page 16, 1961
 Box 26 OVZ. Folder 3. Scrapbooks: Pilgrim's Map of the Holy Land: Page 16, 1978
 Box 17. Folder 4. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 1-13 (1 of 7), 1964-1976, undated
 Box 17. Folder 5. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 14-17 (2 of 7), 1973, undated
 Box 17. Folder 6. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 18-23 (3 of 7), 1972-1984, undated
 Box 17. Folder 7. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 25 (4 of 7), 1974
 Box 17. Folder 8. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 25-28 (5 of 7), 1954-1974, undated
 Box 17. Folder 9. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 29 (6 of 7), 1970-1972
 Box 17. Folder 10. Scrapbooks: Michael L. Du Congé: Page 29 (7 of 7), 1978-1984, undated

Series 8. Photographic Materials. 1913-1986, undated

Media	Photographic print; Portrait photograph
Administrative/Biographical History	This series contains a wide range of photographic materials, including childhood photos, professional photos, and family photos of the Du Congé family. Particularly of note is a photo of President Jimmy Carter and Pope John Paul II, found in Box 18, Folder 11. This series also includes one oversized portrait and two oversized city council photos. Series is in poor to excellent condition.
Inventory	<p>Box 18. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Disk Negatives, 1982</p> <p>Box 18. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Disk Negatives, 1984, undated</p> <p>Box 18. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1913-1930</p> <p>Box 18. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1940-1949</p> <p>Box 18. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1950-1959</p> <p>Box 18. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1960-1969</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 1. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1971-1973</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1974</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 3), 1975</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 3), 1975</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 3), 1975</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 3), 1976</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 3), 1976</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 8. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 3), 1976</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 9. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Awards, 1974-1977, undated</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 10. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1977-1978</p> <p>Box 19. Folder 11. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1979</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 1. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 4), 1980</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 4), 1980</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 4), 1980</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs (4 of 4), 1980</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 8. Photographic Materials: Photographs (4 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 9. Photographic Materials: Photographs (5 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 20. Folder 10. Photographic Materials: Photographs (6 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 1. Photographic Materials: Photographs (7 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Photographs (8 of 8), 1981</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs (4 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs (5 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 8. Photographic Materials: Photographs (6 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 9. Photographic Materials: Photographs (7 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 10. Photographic Materials: Photographs (8 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 21. Folder 11. Photographic Materials: Photographs (9 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 1. Photographic Materials: Photographs (10 of 10), 1982</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Photographs 1983-1984, 21</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 3), 1984</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 3), 1984</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 3), 1984</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs (1 of 3), 1985</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs (2 of 3), 1985</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 8. Photographic Materials: Photographs (3 of 3), 1985</p> <p>Box 22. Folder 9. Photographic Materials: Photographs, 1986</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 1. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1930, undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1940, undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950 (1 of 2), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950 (2 of 2), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950-1960 (1 of 6), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950-1960 (2 of 6), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950-1960 (3 of 6), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 8. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950-1960 (4 of 6), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 9. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950-1960 (5 of 6), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 10. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1950-1960 (6 of 6), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 11. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (1 of 15), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 12. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (2 of 15), undated</p> <p>Box 23. Folder 13. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (3 of 15), undated</p> <p>Box 24. Folder 1. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (4 of 15), undated</p> <p>Box 24. Folder 2. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (5 of</p>

15), undated
 Box24. Folder 3. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (6 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (7 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (8 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (9 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 7. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (10 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 8. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (11 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 9. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (12 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 10. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (13 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 11. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (14 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 12. Photographic Materials: Photographs: Circa 1980 (15 of 15), undated
 Box24. Folder 13. Photographic Materials: Photographs: General, undated
 Box26 OVZ. Folder 4. Photographic Materials: Portraits, undated
 Box26 OVZ. Folder 5. Photographic Materials: City of Waco, Texas, 1973-1974
 Box26 OVZ. Folder 6. Photographic Materials: City of Waco, Texas, 1975-1976

Series 9. Audio Recordings. undated

Media	Cassette tape
Administrative/Biographical History	Series includes an audio cassette recording of Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé's burial service. Series is in good condition.
Inventory	Box25. Folder 1. Audio Recordings: Cassette Tape: Burial Mass, undated

Series 10. Artifacts. undated

Administrative/Biographical History	Series includes artifacts pertaining to the life and career of Oscar "Doc" Norbert Du Congé. Series is in good to excellent condition.
Inventory	Box25. Folder 2. Artifacts: Knights of Columbus Sash, undated Box25. Folder 3. Artifacts: VFW Hat, undated Box26 OVZ. Folder 1. Artifacts: Freedom Bell Plaque, undated Box27 OVZ. Folder 1. Artifacts: EOAC Plaque, 05/13/1974 Box27 OVZ. Folder 2. Artifacts: Social Work Plaque Box27 OVZ. Folder 3. Artifacts: Head Start Plaque, 05/00/1974 Box27 OVZ. Folder 4. Artifacts: Republic of Texas Souvenir Plaque, undated