

**Lottie Farr Papers 1970 – 1986
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Finding Aid**

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Cookeville, TN**

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Summary Information

Repository	Tennessee Technological University Archives and Special Collections
Creator	Farr, Lottie
Title	The Lottie Farr papers
Dates	1970 - 1986
Extent	One linear foot, two boxes
Location	Range 16 Shelf 19-20
Language	English
Abstract	<p>Lottie Farr (1907-1994) was an English professor at Tennessee Tech University and worked with the College of Education. She also was involved with the Putnam County Library and was treasurer for the Board of Trustees. Through the Department of English, she edited and copyrighted a collection of poetry by Clara Cox Epperson. The materials primarily date from 1970 to 1986, with the bulk of materials dating from 1970 to 1983. The materials consist of Putnam County Library records, book layouts and information, Clara Cox Epperson's writings, negatives of the book, along with correspondences and obituaries.</p>

History

Lottie Farr (1907-1994) was an English professor at Tennessee Tech University and was part of the College of Education. Her husband, Dr. T.J. Farr, also taught at Tennessee Tech and both were Emeriti Faculty of the University.

She also was involved with the Putnam County Library and was treasurer for the Board of Trustees in the 1970s. Through the Department of English, she edited and copyrighted a collection of poetry by Clara Cox Epperson, entitled *Scraps of Verse and Prose from Heartsease*.

Scope and Contents

The materials primarily date from 1970 to 1986, with the bulk of materials dating from 1970 to 1983. The materials consist of records of the Putnam County Library from 1970 to 1983, book layouts and information, along with pictures used in the book; Clara Cox Epperson's writings, negatives of the book, along with correspondences and family obituaries. Also included is an article written by Lottie Farr in 1937, along with negatives from Volume 22, Number 2 issue of *Homespun*, the literary magazine for Tennessee Tech, which contains some of Epperson's poems.

Container List

Series I: Libraries, 1970-1987

Box	Folder	Title, Date
1	1	Upper Cumberland Regional Library Newsletters, 1985-1987
1	2-3	Upper Cumberland Regional Library Annual Reports, 1972-1986
1	4-5	Tennessee Library Association, 1981-1984
1	6-7	Tennessee State Library & Archives, 1970-1982
1	8-9	Board of Trustees, 1976-1984
1	10	Putnam County Library/Business, 1986
1	11	Putnam County Library/Circulation Reports, 1974-1983
1	12	Putnam County Library/Policies, 1973-1983
1	13-14	Putnam County Library/Budget, 1975-1985
1	15-6	Miscellaneous, 1973-1981

Series II: Clara Cox Epperson, 1937-1986

Box	Folder	Title, Date
2	1-2	Book/Layout (Scraps), undated
2	3-4	Book/Pictures & Information, undated
2	5	Scraps of Verse and Prose from Heartsease, 1973
2	6	Correspondences, 1973-1986
2	7-8	Clara Cox Epperson's Writings, undated
2	9	Article by Lottie Farr, 1937
2	10	Family Obituaries, 1979
2	11	Noonday Grace (John Crowe Ransom), undated
2	12-13	Will Allen Dromgoole Scrapbook, undated
2	14	Homespun Vol. 22, No. 2 (Negatives), undated
2	15	Scraps of Verse & Prose... (Negatives), undated