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THE MICHAEL WALLIS – ROUTE 66 COLLECTION

The Michael Wallis - Route 66 Collection, housed in 31 legal-sized document boxes and one oversize document box, is grouped into 3 series: **Series I** consists of travel brochures; maps; tourist information; articles pertaining to various cities, towns, people and sites along the route; events and celebrations; and memorabilia. **Series I** also includes the category, “All Around,” containing general material about the Route. **Series II** consists of material pertaining to the Route 66 Associations affiliated with each state. **Series III** consists of correspondence with prominent individuals, institutions and organizations, as well as friends and fans along the route—this series is currently unprocessed.

The collection is grouped alphabetically by state followed by “All Around.” Material for each state is arranged alphabetically by subject or name. This is followed by the Route 66 Association material, also arranged alphabetically by state.

The collection was a gift to the OSU-Tulsa Library by Michael Wallis and was organized by M. Burkart.

Series I  
ALL AROUND

BOX 1

- Articles about Route 66 appearing in newspapers. 1920s, 1960s.  
1970s.  
1980s.  
1990s.  
n.d.
- Articles about Route 66 appearing in magazines. 1950-1960s.  
1980s.  
1990s.  
1990s.

BOX 2

- 2000-2005.  
n.d.
- Internet sources of information about Route 66.

BOX 3

- Information about Route 66 from a variety of sources.
- Books, videos and compact discs.  
Lists, publication announcements, reviews and music relating to Route 66.
- Diners.  
Articles and advertisements about diners and images of diners, clipped from various sources.
- Drive-in Theatres.  
Articles and images of drive-ins, clipped from various sources.
- Jackalope.  
Souvenir postcards, articles and other images relating to the legendary creature.
- Maps. Variety of maps relating to Route 66.
- Memorabilia.  
Catalogues and advertisements for Route 66 clothing jewelry, and collectibles from that era.

#### BOX 4

- Memorabilia.  
Post cards.
- Memorabilia.  
Signs and banners.
- Memorabilia.  
Souvenirs and trinkets.
- Memorabilia.  
Stickers, bumper stickers, and labels.
- Tour guides, calendars of events.
- World War II code breakers. Articles about.