Atkinson (Margurite) Collection of Hurley Bell and Santa Ana Army Airfield Materials.

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Descriptive Summary
Title: Atkinson (Margurite) Collection of Hurley Bell and Santa Ana Army Airfield Materials.
Dates: ca. 1940 - ca. 1950
Collection Number: 2017_10
Creator/Collector: Atkinson, Margurite Atkinson, Thomas P.
Extent: 10 linear inches; 2 archives boxes.
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Abstract: This collection documents the history of the Hurley Bell Restaurant, which was later renamed Five Crowns in Corona del Mar, California and includes materials from Atkinson's husband, who was an officer a the Santa Ana Army Airfield.
Language of Material: English
Access
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Scope and Content of Collection
This collection documents the history of the Hurley Bell Restaurant, which was later renamed Five Crowns, located in Corona del Mar, CA. The building, which was modeled after Ye Old Bell guesthouse in Hurley, England, was constructed by Matilda MacCullock in 1936. In 1943, MacCullock leased the building to Margurite Atkinson, whose husband, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas P. Atkinson was Executive of the 414th Headquarters and Air Base Squadron at the Santa Ana Army Airfield.
The collection contains advertisements, photographs, menus and photocopied articles about the Hurley Bell and Five Crowns. The collection also contains materials relating to the Santa Ana Army Air Base, including a photographs and a class book from the Santa Ana Army Air Base, and family photographs.
Indexing Terms
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