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Irving Outcalt joined the faculty of San Diego State Normal School in 1912 as a professor of English, and at the time of his retirement in June 1939, was serving as Vice-President of the college. The college administration, faculty, and senior class of 1937 honored Mr. Outcalt by asking him to deliver the commencement address that year.

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Scope and Contents
All of the items in the collection were written by Irving Outcalt.
Box 1, Folder 1  n.d.
Scope and Contents
Small black binder of lecture notes, Donated by John R. Adams

Box 1, Folder 2  "Woods-Nights and Other Poems." 1951
Scope and Contents
Published by Mrs. Irving E. Outcalt (2 copies; 1 signed)

Box 1, Folder 3  "A Kinetic Universe." San Diego State College Commencement Address June 9, 1939
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2 copies, 1 signed

Box 1, Folder 4  "On Becoming a Californian."
Scope and Contents
Reminiscences of San Diego in 1891 and later, written mainly in 1941 and used as the basis of a lecture presented before the Wednesday Club and other groups.

Box 1, Folder 5  "Words of a Friend"
Scope and Contents

Box 1, Folder 6  Admetus: A Thessalian Fantasy. A Drama in Four Acts by Irving Outcalt 1914
Scope and Contents
book describing the production of the play at the State Normal School, and giving a synopsis of the story and the text of the play

Box 1, Folder 7  Admetus: a Thessalian Fantasy. Program to the play and the text of the chorus. June 8-9, 1914
Scope and Contents
2 copies

Box 1, Folder 8  Admetus: a Thessalian Fantasy. Program to the play presented by San Diego State College May 16, 1941
Scope and Contents
3 copies

Box 1, Folder 9  "The Conquest of Addis Ababa" September 15, 1935
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one page poem