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I

The papers of Melvin Ernest Nunnery, South Carolina State Representative, were received by the University Archives on February 15, 1980 from Melvin Ernest Nunnery.

Linear feet of shelf space occupied: 7.5
Approximate number of pieces: 15,000

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Scope and Content Note: **Melvin Ernest Nunnery (1951-1991) was a member of the South Carolina House of Representatives for District #44 (Lancaster and Chester counties). The Melvin Ernest Nunnery Papers consist of personal papers, correspondence, memoranda, minutes, reports, legislative bills, newspaper clippings, audio tape interview and other materials relating mainly to Mr. Nunnery's work as a member of the South Carolina House of Representatives for district #44 of Lancaster and Chester Counties. Most of the collection pertains to Chester County affairs, including civil defense, tax rulings and home rule, but there is also much information on issues at the state and national level, including the death penalty, Equal Rights Amendment, gun control, "Laetrile" controversy and mental health. The collection is in two parts, personal papers and professional files. Related records might include South Carolina Politics and Chester County, South Carolina.**

Disposition of Items: One tape, concerning Chiropractic Education was transferred from the files pertaining to the subject Chiropractic Education (Box 6 – Folder 35) to the Oral History Collection (O.H. 95).

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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

MELVIN ERNEST NUNNERY

1951 Born, Rock Hill, South Carolina

1972 B.A., University of South Carolina

1972 Personal Aide to State Senator Nick Ziegler and Intern for United States Senator Ernest F. Hollings

1973-1978 Who's Who in Politics in the South and Southwestern United States

1974 Elected Member of the South Carolina House of Representatives

1974 South Carolina Association of Retarded Citizens' "Youth of the Year" Award

1975-1976 Outstanding Young Men of America Award

1975-1978 Who's Who in Politics in America

ca1975 DAV Distinguished Service Award

1976 Re-elected Member of the South Carolina House of Representatives

1978 President's Award from Newberry College Young Democrats

1978 Re-elected Member of the South Carolina House of Representatives

1991 January 27, Died

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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
A) PERSONAL PAPERS			
1	1	NUNNERY FAMILY PAPERS This series consists of Melvin Ernest Nunnery biographical data, family genealogies and Coat of Arms. In chronological order.	1972-1974, nd
1	2	CORRESPONDENCE-CONGRATULATORY Correspondence, incoming and outgoing, concerning Mr. Nunnery's election and various awards. In chronological order.	1968-1976, nd
1	3	CORRESPONDENCE-GENERAL In chronological order.	1975-1976
1	4	INVITATIONS Contains invitations for local, state, and national government functions sent to Mr. Nunnery.	1975-1976
1	5	FINANCIAL PAPERS Bills and receipts concerning hotel expenses, credit cards, tax deductions, and various other bills. No arrangement.	1974-1976, nd
2	6	AWARDS Various award certificates presented to Mr. Nunnery along with related correspondence and newspaper clippings. In chronological order.	1973-1976
2	7	SPEECHES Outlines and rough drafts of speeches given by Mr. Nunnery at the local and state level of government. In chronological order.	1974-1975, nd
2	8	INSURANCE POLICIES Various insurance policies held by Mr. Nunnery. In chronological order.	1973-1976, nd
2	9	LAKE SHORE CONDOMINIUM Contains mortgage loan commitment, homeowners policy, and loan closing statement dealing with the purchase of Mr. Nunnery's Lake Shore condominium. In chronological order. Sold ca1975.	1973
2	10	SPA, EUROPEAN HEALTH Purchase of a permanent membership to the European Health Spa by Mr. Nunnery. In chronological order.	1973
3	11	NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS Photographs of, and articles on Mr. Nunnery and his wife, Kay. Includes such topics as early childhood, high school, the Nunnery's wedding and personal and political ventures. No arrangement.	1965-1977
3	12	PROGRAM NOTES Programs from local and state government functions. In chronological order.	1973-1975, nd

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<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
3	13	CHRISTMAS PARTY LIST List of people invited to parents 1974 Christmas Party.	1974
3	14	PHOTOGRAPHS OF ERNIE NUNNERY Contains black and white photographs of Mr. Nunnery. Also included are newspaper clippings in which these photographs were used. No arrangement.	1972-1976, nd
3	15	CAMPAIGN ANNOUNCEMENT Speech of Mr. Nunnery's campaign announcement and newspaper clippings reporting on the announcement. No arrangement.	nd
		B) PROFESSIONAL FILES Contains correspondence, reports, minutes legislation, news releases and various information on political issues concerning local, state, and national government. In alphabetical order by subject, and thereunder, by chronological order.	
4	16	ADVOCACY FOR HANDICAPPED CITIZENS (S.C.)	1978-1979, nd
4	17	AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR AND CONGRESS OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION (AFL-CIO)	1962-1975, nd
4	18	AMERICAN LEGION	nd
4	19	AUDITS (SPECIAL)	1975
4	20	BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION	1974-1976, nd
4	21	CATAWBA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION	1974, nd
4	22	CHESTER COUNTY AIRPORT COMMISSION	nd
4	23	CHESTER COUNTY ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CITIZENS	1974, nd
4	24	CHESTER COUNTY AUDIT	1973-1975
4	25	CHESTER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMERCE DEVELOPMENT(CCBCDO)	1974-1976, nd
5	26	CHESTER COUNTY-CIVIL DEFENSE	1972-1974, nd
5	27	CHESTER COUNTY-COUNCIL ON THE AGING	1974-1978, nd
6	28	CHESTER COUNTY-HISTORY	1972-1974, nd
6	29	CHESTER COUNTY HOSPITAL	1974
6	30	CHESTER COUNTY-MAPS	1956-1975, nd

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6	31	CHESTER COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE	1974
6	32	CHESTER COUNTY TAX RULING	1974
6	33	CHESTER COUNTY-VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION	1972, nd
6	34	CHILD ABUSE LAWS	1972-1974
6	35	CHIROPRACTIC EDUCATION	1977, 1980, nd
6	36	CHIROPRACTORS-GENERAL	1978-1980, nd
7	37	COMPULSARY SCHOOL ATTENDENCE LAW	1974-1978, nd
7	38	CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA	1975
7	39	CORRESPONDENCE-CONSTITUENCY	1974-1976, nd
7-9	40-44	CORRESPONDENCE-GENERAL (OUTGOING)	1975-1979, nd
10	45	CORRESPONDENCE-LEGISLATIVE (INCOMING)	1975-1977, nd
10	46-47	CORRESPONDENCE-LEGISLATIVE (OUTGOING)	1975-1979, nd
11	48	DAIRY COMMISSION-S.C.	1974
11	49	DAY CARE	1975-1976, nd
11	50	DEATH PENALTY	1977
11	51	EDITORIAL RESPONSES	1974, nd
11	52	EDUCATION-GENERAL	1970-1975, nd
11	53	EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION (ETV)	1975, nd
11	54	EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT (ETV)	1974-1978, nd
12	55	FORT LAWN WATER SYSTEM	1974
12	56-57	GROVER PUNDT DAY CARE CENTER FOR THE RETARDED	1975-1979, nd
13	58	GUN CONTROL	1974-1975, nd
13	59	HEALTH CARE	1972-1974, nd
13	60	HOME RULE BILL	1974-1975, nd

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13	61	INSURANCE REFORM	1974
13	62	JUDICIAL REFORM	1970-1975
13	63	“LAETRILE” (CANCER DRUG) CONTROVERSY	1977-1978, nd
14	64	LEWISVILLE, S.C. JAYCEES	1976, nd
14	65	MALPRACTICE INSURANCE	1975
14	66	MEDICAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE (LEAD POISONING)	1977-1979, nd
14	67	MEDICAL, HEALTH, AND PHARMACEUTICAL AFFAIRS SUBCOMMITTEE- S.C. STATE HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES (GENERAL)	1977-1979
15	68	MEDICAL, HEALTH, AND PHARMACEUTICAL AFFAIRS SUBCOMMITTEE- S.C. STATE HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES (INTERIM INFORMATION)	1979
15	69	MEDICAL, MILITARY, PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE (M.M.P.M.A.C.) S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (COMMITTEE REPORT ON BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS)	1975-1978
15-16	70-72	M.M.P.M.A.C.-S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (GENERAL)	1975-1979, nd
17	73	M.M.P.M.A.C.-S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (GENERIC DRUGS)	1975-1977, nd
17	74	M.M.P.M.A.C.-S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (LEAD POISONING)	1979, nd
17	75	MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL RETARDATION ACT OF 1966	1966
17	76	MENTAL RETARDATION (GENERAL)	1973, nd
17	77	MENTAL RETARDATION “TASK FORCE”	1973-1978, nd
18	78	MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION OF S.C.	1974
18	79	NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RETARDED CHILDREN	1974, nd
18	80	NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY	1975
19	81	NEWS RELEASE	1974-1980, nd
19	82	NURSING CARE DELIVERY STUDY COMMITTEE	1968-1979
19	83	OPHTHALMOLOGY	1977-1978
19	84	PRESS INFORMATION	1971-1972, nd

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19	85	“QUOTE”, THE WEEKLY DIGEST	1974-1975, nd
19	86	RIGHT TO WORK BILL	1979
20	87	ROAD CONTRACTS	1970-1976, nd
20	88	RUSSELL-RISHER INCIDENT	1977-1978
20	89	SOCIAL SECURITY	1974, nd
20	90	SOCIAL SERVICES	1973-1975, nd
20	91	SOUTH CAROLINA BLUE LAWS	1976, nd
20	92	SOUTH CAROLINA CITIZENS FOR LIFE (SCCL)	1978-1979
20	93	S.C. COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND	1971-1975, nd
20	94	S.C. COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION	1975
21	95	S.C. DEPT. OF CORRECTIONS	1974-1975
21	96	S.C. DEPT. OF MENTAL HEALTH	1974-1980, nd
21	97	S.C. DEPT. OF MENTAL RETARDATION (GENERAL)	1975-1976, nd
21	98	S.C. DEPT. OF MENTAL RETARDATION (MIDLANDS CENTER)	1973-1974
21	99	S.C. DEPT. OF MENTAL RETARDATION (NEWS CLIPS)	1975-1978
22	100	S.C. DEPT. OF YOUTH SERVICES	nd
22	101	S.C. EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION	1974
22	102	S.C. GENERAL ASSEMBLY-LOBBYISTS	1976
22	103	S.C. HELMET LAW (MOTORCYCLE)	1974-1976, nd
22	104	S.C. HIGHER EDUCATION TUITION GRANT	1975-1976, nd
22	105	S.C. LEGISLATION (GENERAL)	1977-1979, nd
22	106	S.C. LEGISLATIVE-MADE LAW	1979
22-23	107-108	S.C. LEGISLATIVE-PREFILED BILLS	1974-1979, nd
23	109	S.C. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL	1974

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25	113	S.C. LEGISLATIVE-GOVERNOR'S COMMITTEE ON MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL RETARDATION (REPORT ON STATISTICS AND INFORMATION)	1977
25-26	114-116	S.C. STATE COMMITTEE TO STUDY NEEDS OF HANDICAPPED	1976-1979, nd
26	117	S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES-CHESTER/ LANCASTER DISTRICT OFFICE, FOUNDING OF	1976
26	118	S.C. STATE HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES-COMMITTEE	nd
27	119	S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REP. -DEMOCRATIC PARTY	1973, nd
27	120	S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REP. -ELECTIONS	1974-1979, nd
27	121	S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REP. -NOMINEES AND MEMBERS ELECTED	1974-1976
27	122	S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REP. -PERSONNEL POLICIES AND PROCEDURES	1978
27	123	S.C. STATE HOUSE OF REP. -RULES	1975
27-28	124-126	S.C. LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO STUDY PROBLEMS OF THE HANDICAPPED	1976-1979, nd
29	127	S.C. STATE SENATE REAPPORTIONMENT PLAN	1975
29	128	S.C. STATE STUDY COMMITTEE ON AGING	1977
29	129	STATE HUMAN AFFAIRS COMMISSION (S.C.)	1972-1975, nd
29	130	SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME (SSI) FOR DISABLED CHILDREN	1973-1974, nd
29	131	TAXATION BILL	1972-1975
29	132	TEACHERS (PAY, BENEFITS, RETIREMENT)	1975
29	133	TECHNICAL EDUCATION	1974-1975, nd
29	134	TITLE XIX MEDICAID DRUG FORMULARY	1976, nd
29	135	TITLE XX FUNDS	1975, nd
30	136	"A TREATMENT MODEL OF THE INTELLECTUAL IMPAIRED/ MENTALLY ILL" – COHEN, DR. ADRIAN M.	1977
30	137	UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA-CHESTER COUNTY GAMECOCK	1975-1976

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30	138	VETERAN AFFAIRS	1975-1976
30	139	WILDLIFE	1973-1976, nd
30	140	WINTHROP COLLEGE	1974
30	141	WYLIE'S MILL PRECINCT	nd
30	142	YOUTH SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CHILDREN	1974

AUDIOVISUAL MATERIALS

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