Guide to the Robert Brunhouse Papers

Descriptive Summary:

Creator: Dr. Robert Brunhouse, 1908-1996

Title: Robert Brunhouse Papers

Dates: 1935-1998

Quantity: .5 linear feet

Abstract: This collection consists of photographs, research notes, degree certificates, correspondence, and ephemera related to Dr. Robert Levere Brunhouse's academic career

and life.

Accession: 722-2019

Biographical Note:

Robert Levere Brunhouse was an American educator in History and a writer. He taught at the University of South Alabama, Dickinson College, the University of Pennsylvania, the Elizabethtown College, and the Drew University. He obtained his bachelor's degree from Dickinson College in 1930 and both his master's and doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania in 1936 and 1940, respectively. Brunhouse was promoted to full professor at the University of South Alabama. Brunhouse's first credited book, *Counter-Revolution in Pennsylvania: 1776-1790*, was published in 1942. He produced eight other works on history and civilization. The subject of his work focused on Mayan history and culture, and his first book, submitted anonymously, titled *Miniatures of Mechanicsburg*, was published in 1928 and reissued in 1986.

Scope and Content:

Materials in this collection include print photographs in paper frames, papers, degree certificates, newspapers, and magazine pages

Provenance:

Gifted by Janet Adams on October 31, 2019.

Arrangement:

Collection is arranged in one box with six folders:

- 1. Framed Photographs
- 2. Degree Certificates
- 3. Marriage Documents
- 4. Research Notes
- 5. Ephemera
- 6. Correspondence 1994-1998

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Related Content:

Content List:

Box # 1

- 1. Framed Photographs
 - a. 4 framed photographs of Robert Brunhouse at various ages and 1 photo booklet.
- 2. Degree Certificates
 - a. Masters and Doctorate
- 3. Wedding Documents
 - a. Marriage Certificate for Robert Brunhouse and Mildred Adams and wedding booklet.
- 4. Research Notes
 - a. "Dr. Brunhouse's notes for a new book"
- 5. Ephemera
 - a. Magazine Articles, Newspaper Clippings, and Pamphlets
- 6. Correspondence 1994-1998
 - a. Personal Correspondence