

University of Oklahoma Libraries
Western History Collection

Frank Miller English Collection

English, Frank Miller (1861–1931). Papers, 1901–1974. 4 feet.

Businessman and civic leader. Correspondence (1901–1914) relating to English's banking career and civic activities in Lawton, Oklahoma, along with personal financial records (1901–1924), including receipts and cancelled checks.

Biography:

Frank Miller English was President of the City National Bank of Lawton. He was very involved with the civic affairs of Lawton and he and his bank were instrumental in the early growth and development of the city.

Beside his bank activities, this collection includes files concerning the Lawton Chamber of Commerce, activities of fraternal order organizations, pasture lands, refining companies and land transactions including title abstracts. This collection covers the period from 1889-1929.

Box 1

Folder:

1. F.M. English Personal Correspondence, 1901-22.
2. Receipts of F.M. English, 1901-04.
3. Receipts of F.M. English, 1905.
4. Receipts of F.M. English, 1906.
5. Receipts of F.M. English, 1907-08.
6. Deeds, Tax Receipts & Notary Public Certificates, 1901-20.

Box 2

Folder:

1. Cancelled checks, notes & deposit slips of F.M. English, 1903-14.
2. Cancelled checks, notes & deposit slips of F.M. English, 1903-14.

Box 3

Folder:

1. Receipts of F.M. English, 1917-21.
2. Receipts of F.M. English, 1922-24
3. Receipts of F.M. English (Residence), 1903-05.
4. Receipts of F.M. English, 1903-04.
5. English family - Texas Land (Deeds, liens, Correspondence, bill of costs, etc.), 1889-1903.

Correspondence Detailing the Civic Affairs and Personal Business Interests of F.M. English

Box 4

Folder:

1. A Adelman, Anton, 1915
Affidavits of publication, 1894-1910
Allen, A.D., 1910.
2. B(1) Bagslaw, R.H. & Hooper, 1908.
Baker, A.V. & Harkins, J.T., 1905-15.
Baker, Jesse, 1902-13.
Baldwin, D.H., 1923.
Bank of Cache, OK, 1902-12.
3. B(2) Bank of Comanche County, Faxton, OK, 1907.
Bank of Commerce, Walters, OK, 1905.
Banking Report Blanks
Banks of Lawton, 1920-22.
Batch, S.P., 1912.
4. B(3) Baptist University, 1908
Beckman, Max, 1921-22
Berg, Simon, 1904-05.
Bice and Logston, 1908.
Board of Education, Lawton, OK, 1908.
Bowers, J.A., 1904-05.
5. B(4) Broe - Lawton Hardware Co., 1907-11.
6. B(5) Brown, Thomas N., 1905-08.

Brown, W.E. & J.M. Kelly - Oklahoma Bus Line, 1907
Bryan, C.B., 1903.
Burton, B.V., 1911-14.

7. C(1) Carter, Lan & C.E., 1909.
Carter, S.G., 1903-14.
Cash stems charged off, 1904.
Cameron, F.B., 1902.
Chamber of Commerce, Lawton, 1908.

Box 5

Folder:

1. C(2) Chestnut, D.T., 1909-14.
Citizens State Bank, Kell, OK, 1907.
City National Bank, Lawton, OK
(U.S. Government Correspondence, receipts from Treasurer of
U.S. & Indian letters), 1914-19.
2. C(3) (U.S. Government Correspondence, receipts from Treasurer of
U.S. & Indian letters), 1914-19.
City National Bank, Lawton, OK, 1905-14.
3. C(4) City National Bank - Correspondence & Financial records, 1901-10.
City National Bank - Legal Cases, 1903-1925.
4. C(5) Clearing House correspondence, 1903-14.
Coleman, Dick, 1903-05.
Colorado trip, 1906-07.
Clift, W.H., 1907-10.

Box 6

Folder:

1. C(6) Comanche Light & Power Co., n.d.
Community Improvements (Lawton, OK), 1901-21.
2. C(7) Connor, C.C., 1912-16.
Cotton Storage Blueprints
Creditors Adjustment Co., 1917-19.
Crosby, G.W., 1908.
3. D(1) Daulton, W.M., 1927.
Dean, C.A. & C.H., 1920-23.

Deeds & Mortgages, 1898-1920.
Department of the Interior - U.S. Indian Service, Bank Notes of Indians,
1901-17.

4. D(2) Devol & Grandfield Water Works, 1913.
Dixon, S., 1904-05.
Drew, J. F., 1911.
Dryer & Co., 1909-12.
Dumm, C.S., 1904.
Dunlap, A.B., 1915.
5. E(1) English & Brown - Bank Statements, 1904-23.

Box 7
Folder:

1. E(2) English & Brown - Receipts, 1922-24.
2. E(3) English & Brown - Rent Accounts, 1917-33.
3. F(1) Fain, J.A., 1917-24.
Fain Cafe, 1925.
Farmers & Merchants Bank, Eschite, OK, 1907-08.
4. F(2) Farmer & Merchants Bank, Eschite, OK, 1907-08.
Farmers Coop. Gin Co., Cache, OK, 1907-09.
5. F(3) First National Bank, Eschite, OK
(Lawsuit re. Guaranty Law), 1909-15.
Fountain City Townnote & Improvement, 1907-11.

Box 8
Folder:

1. G(1) Galloway, Wm., 1918-19.
Gardner, J.H., 1910-11.
Geronimo (clippings & memo re. "Geronimo's Autobiography"), 1905.
Grayson Oil & Cotton Co., 1906-07.
Greene, John M., 1922-24.
2. H(1) Hanover National Bank, New York City, 1902-05.
Hare, S.E., 1911-23.
Hinkle, C.C. & H.H., 1901-04.
Hix, J.H., 1913

- Hodges, D.G., 1905-08.
3. H(2) Home Building & Loan Association, 1906-28.
Howell & McCue, 1905-20
Huber & Markle, 1902-04.
Hunter, F.B. & O.M., 1921-23.
 4. I-J Iles, S.P., 1903-06.
Insurance - Policies & Correspondence, 1901-08.
Jester, Addie B., 1899-1906.
Jindra, James, 1904.
Johnson, Isaac, 1910.
Johnson, M.D. & Co., 1903-06.
Jones, N., 1908-09.
 5. K(1) Kennedy, T.R., 1910-17.
Key, Garrett, 1902.
Kitching, J.A., 1910.

Box 9
Folder:

1. L(1) Lawton, City of - News Articles, 1917.
Lawton Band, 1901-03.
Lawton Golf & Country Club, 1929.
Lawton Hotel, 1907.
Lawton Pressed Brick & Title Co., 1903-04.
Lawton Wichita & Gulf RR, 1903-09.
Lowery, Dan, 1905-06.
Lysett, John, 1904.
2. L(2) Legal - Adm. of wills, trials re. Banks, 1904-13.
Lee, Mrs. Orpha J., 1921-25
Lincoln Club, 1902.
Loans, 1906-11
Lodge, Lawton Chapter, W.D., 1904-05.
3. L(3) Lodge - Lawton Commandery, Knight Templar #12 and #18, 1906-09.
Lodge - Masonic Organization, 1901-23.
4. M(1) McCue, Charles, 1908-09.
Martin, J.W., 1916-17.
Mayfield, J.N., 1914.
Mills, Orme and Mills, 1905-09.
Mitchell, E.F., 1903

Mitchell, S., 1905-06
Murphy, S., 1915.

Box 10

Folder:

1. N-O News articles - Banking laws, 1903.
Norsworthy, T.W., 1912.
Notes, Unrelated persons, 1909-16.
Orpheum Theatre, Lawton, OK, 1919-20.
2. P(1) Pasture Lands, 1906-13.
Pawhuska & Lawton Developing Co., 1906-18.
3. P(2) Payne, Ranson, 1903-06.
Pioneer Telephone Co., Lawton, OK, 1906-07.
Power, J.H., 1903-06.
4. R(1) Randletts Furniture Co., 1905-06.
Real Estate - F.M. English, 1901-22.
5. R(2) Real Estate - F.M. English, 1904-19.

Box 11

Folder:

1. R(3) Refining Co., Comanche, 1902-19.
2. R(4) Refining Co., Lawton, 1917-18.
Refining Co., N. American, 1917-19.
Refining Co., Panhandle, 1917.
Refining Co., Red River, 1918-19.
3. R(5) Rhodes & Kirkendall, 1910-11.
Roberts, W.P. & Vaughn, H.M., 1903.
Root & Morgan, 1904-09.
Ross, 1907.
4. S(1) Silverthorn, A.E., 1904-06.
Silverwood, A.J., 1902.
Smith, Alfred W., 1902-08.
Smith, D.S., 1909-10.
Smith, Roy C., 1912-13.
Smith, Thad, 1909-13.
5. S(2) Sneed & Co., 1904-05.

Spencer, 1916.
Spicer, A.R., 1914-17.

6. S(3) Surety Bonds, 1907-14.

Box 12

Folder:

1. T(1) Tax Assessment & Receipts, 1903-19.
Temple Milling Co. - W.T. Adair, 1907.
Thacker, W.S., 1902-03.
2. T(2) Thomas, J.E., 1911-18.
Title Abstracts Mangan Addition Chattanooga, OK, 1904-08.
Trys to Guthrie - Committee on Finance, 1901-02.
Tulsa Paving Costs, n.d.
3. W(1) Walter, W.R., 1903.
Warrants, County, 1908.
Warren, H.R., 1916.
Watley, G., 1907-12.
Weaver & Kansas National Bank, 1903.
White & Willett, 1920-23.
4. Y YMCA - Lawton, OK, 1915-20.
Miscellaneous, 1902-15.

Oversized Materials:

Location 08315

Broadside: Statement prepared by J.M. Schoenheit, Attorney. Regarding description of Lawton and Comanche County, Oklahoma.