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## **Summary Information**

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**Repository** Ouachita Baptist University Library

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### Biographical/Historical note

Hazel Sample Guyol was a teacher and writer. She was born on February 10, 1910, in El Dorado, Arkansas, to Lavelle and Fannie Belle Murphy Sample. Guyol began her teaching career in 1927. She taught in Ohio, Tennessee, New Hampshire and Michigan. In 1931, she graduated from Ouachita Baptist College (now Ouachita Baptist University) in Clark County, Arkansas, and later pursued a master's degree at Ohio State University. She was also a member of the South Arkansas Historical Society. After Guyol's retirement in 1973, she moved to Clark County, Arkansas, and began writing articles for the New York Tribune, Arkansas Gazette, Arkadelphia Siftings-Herald, El Dorado News-Times, and Pine Bluff Commercial. She was known for her writings on Japanese descent, Pearl Harbor, and World War II. Several of her greatest articles were compiled into the book, Wrecking Crews-Salvage Squad, in 1995. Hazel Sample married Philip Nelson Guyol (1905-1996) and they had two children, Deborah and Nicholas. She died June 14, 2005.

### **Scope and Contents**

This collection contains materials gathered by Hazel Sample Guyol between 1987 and 1991 about the United States reparations to the Japanese-Americans who were interned after the 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor. It includes Americans for Historical Accuracy publications and graphs, correspondence, and summaries and copies of H.R. 442, Civil Liberties Act. It also contains articles from the New York Times about Americans of Japanese descent. There is a copy of Public Law 100-383 and a document that aids in translating Japanese into English. Other items include commentaries, advertisements, political cartoons, and editorials. The collection also includes a copy of a Congressional Record article entitled "Wartime Relocation of Civilians."

#### **Administrative Information**

#### **Publication Information**

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#### **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

1989

## **Collection Inventory**

#### 1. Constitutionality, Japanese American Citizens League: 1932, 1945, 1978, 1987-1988, undated

#### **Series Description**

This folder includes commentaries, magazine articles, a summary of H. R. 442, Civil Liberties Act of 1987, and handwritten notes. It also includes Americans for Historical Accuracy publications, graphs, correspondence, and documents from Lillian Baker. It also contains a complete copy of H.R. 442, Civil Liberties Act of 1987, and materials from James M. Scoggins.

Box 1: Folder 1: U. S. Intelligence-Constituionality of JACL (Japanese American Citizens League), 1932, 1942, 1978, 1987-1988, undated

#### **Container List**

Box 1

Folder 1: U. S. Intelligence-Constituionality of JACL (Japanese American Citizens League), 1932, 1942, 1978, 1987-1988, undated

2. Veterans responses: 1945, 1980, 1988-1989

#### **Series Discription**

News articles and editorial letters are included in this file. Several Arkansas Gazette editorials are also included along with commentaries that were sent to senators and congressman. There are documents by the American War Veterans Relics Association written by James M. Scoggins, Frank Bryant, Linda Milk, and Louise Barnett.

#### **Container List**

#### Box 1

Folder 2: Veterans Responses to JAEL Money Bill, 1945, 1980, 1988-1989

#### 3. Rewriting history, Japan in WWII: 1987-1993

#### **Series Description**

This series includes editorial reports and commentaries on World War II, Pearl Harbor, and the Japanese American interment experience. There are articles from the Arkansas Gazette newspaper concerning World War II and Japanese Americans. It has documents from Lillian Baker concerning Japanese descent.

#### **Container List**

Box 1

Folders 3-4: Rewriting History Japan in WW2, 1987-1993

#### 4. Rewriting history, Japan in WWII: 1987-1993

#### 5. Lawsuit, JACL: 1987, 1991-1992, undated

#### **Series Discription**

This folder contains documents by Americans for Historical Accuracy about Japanese from Pearl Harbor who were evacuated, relocated, and interred. Another document included is H. R. 442 that was reported by the U. S. House of Representatives Judiciary Committee.

#### **Container List**

Box 1

#### Folder 5: Lawsuit-JACL, 1987, 1991-1992, undated

6. Congress: 1981, 1983, 1987-1989

#### **Series Description**

This section contains copies of news articles and correspondence that were sent to congressmen by James M. Scoggins as well as copies of their replies to him. It also includes copies of materials sent to Americans for Historical Accuracy members. A copy of a Congressional Record article entitled "Wartime Relocation of Civilians" can be found in this series.

#### **Container List**

Box 1

Folder 6: Congress, 1981, 1983, 1987-1989, undated

#### 7. Other documents: 1982, 1984-1985, 1987-1991, undated

#### **Series Description**

This series has newspaper articles, a letter by James M. Scoggins, correspondence to congress members, memos, letters to the editor, vital information by Americans for Historical Accuracy, a letter to the circuit judge, a military magazine article, a schedule on the Democrat Poll, a copy of a letter to the President, a press conference letter by Americans for Historical Accuracy, and a donation to citizens for truth.

#### **Container List**

Box 1

Folders 7-9: Other Documents, 1981, 1984-1985, 1987-1991, undated

- 8. Other documents: 1981, 1984-1985, 1987-1991, undated

  9. Other documents: 1981, 1984-1985, 1987-1991, undated

  10. News articles, 1987-1992 and undated
- 11. Advertisements: 1988-1989, 1991-1992

#### **Container List**

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Folder 11: Loose Papers: Advertisements, 1988-1989, 1991-1992

12. Commentaries: 1983, 1987-1992

#### **Container List**

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Folder12: Loose Papers: Commentaries, 1983, 1987-1992

13. Certificate: 1990 and undated

#### **Container List**

Box 1

Folder13: Loose Papers: Certificate, undated, 1990