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2 Books

a  The Hand of God in Building a Christian University: Charleston Southern University from Its Beginnings until 1983, [by] John Asa Hamrick, Graphic Printing and Mailing, Greenville, SC 29607; 2003, 208 pp. (c.1. 2)

b  God’s Hand in Building a Christian University [by] John Asa Hamrick. (photocopy of unbound manuscript with original title that includes photocopies of news articles and photographs not published in book, 2003, unpaged) pages are split into 4 acid free folders as follows:
   1  Chapter 1-10 (1950s –1966)

3 Biographical Information

a  Hamrick, John Asa (Dr.)
   Vita [n.d] (various drafts)
   Who’s Who in America (corrections and updates to galley proofs)
   Who’s Who in the South and Southwest (corrections and updates to galley proofs)

b  Hamrick, Margaret Clare Kelly (1914-1982)
   Vita [written by] Margaret T. Gilmore, May 12, 1982 [c.1, 2]

2 Correspondence (

a  Personal

b  In-House

c  General
   1  1963 (pre-opening)
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5
   a  Association of American Colleges

   b  Education Commission of the Association of Southern Baptist Colleges & Schools
South Carolina Baptist Convention
1 Associations of the South Carolina Baptist Convention
2 Budget Committee
3 Committee of Fifteen (Study and Capital Needs Sub-Committee)
   (file includes constitution and bylaws of the Committee)
4 Education Committee of the General Board
   [also known as the Christian Education Committee]
5 Executive Committee
6 General Board
   a 1964-1969
   b 1970-
7 Government Funds Evaluation Committee
8 Miscellaneous agencies and committees

South Carolina Churches

South Carolina Colleges and Universities

Southern Association of Colleges and Schools

State of South Carolina
1 Board of Education
   (files for 1965-1966 include letters endorsing transfer of credit with other SC institutions)
2 Commission on Higher Education
3 Office of the Attorney General
4 Office of the Governor

United States Congress
1963

United States Department of the Air Force

United States Department of the Navy

Invitations to Social Events
Annual Christmas Reception
President’s Club Dinner

News releases
“Editorial”, November 23, 1964 by Harry C. Weaver, President & General
Manager, Weaver Broadcasting Corporation (WOKE), Charleston
South Carolina [radio broadcast]

2 Newspaper Clippings
a 1977-1978 (see also Hamrick Scrapbook)

3 Notes (Handwritten)
a Memo books
b Miscellaneous

4 Obituaries and Memorials
a Hamrick, John Asa (Dr.)
  Obituary, news items, editorial, and letters to the editor The Post and Courier
  October 25-31, 2004
  Obituary (courtesy of the Post and Courier published on the university website,
  11/02/2004 [photocopy]
  Statement from Dr. Jairy C. Hunter, Jr.….on the death of Dr. John A Hamrick
  published on the university website11/02/2004 [photocopy
  Memorial Service held at First Baptist Church of Charleston, October 27, 2004
  [Program] [c.1, 2]
  Memorial Service held at Charleston Southern University, January 21, 2005
  [Program] [c.1, 2]

b Hamrick, Margaret Clare Kelly (1914-1982)
  Obituary (undated incomplete draft)
  Obituary (undated draft)
  Tribute written by Margaret T. Gilmore, June 21, 1982.[c.1, 2]
  Death notice and obituary, The Evening Post, Charleston, S.C., Monday, June
  21, 1982
  Obituary, The News and Courier, Tuesday, June 221982 [photo]
  Memorial Service held at First Baptist Church of Charleston, June 22, 1082
  [Program] [c.1, 2]
  Handwritten list of pallbearers
  Excerpt from funeral program and tribute by Margaret T. Gilmore published in
  Today Friday, June 25, 1982.
  News item, The Baptist Courier, July 1, 1982 [photo]

Hardin, Helen H. (1918-1982)
  Tribute written by Margaret T. Gilmore, May 27, 1982.[c.1, 2]

5 Position Papers
“Christian Education in South Carolina’s Baptist Colleges: A Statement
Subscribed t o by Anderson Junior College, Baptist College at
Charleston, Furman University, [and] North Greenville College”,
July, 1972

6 Speeches
a Untitled speech announcing campaign for the establishment of a Baptist College
in Lower South Carolina is “substantially over the requirements given us
by this convention, both in landsite and money.” [delivered by Dr.
Hamrick to the South Carolina Baptist Convention, 1964] [c.1, 2]

b Dedication prayer offered by John A. Hamrick May 13, 1966 at the Dedication
Ceremony for the Veterans Administration Hospital, Charleston, SC

c Invocation offered by John A. Hamrick, President of the Baptist College
at Charleston, to a March 12, 1970 luncheon, given by Congressman
L Mendel Rivers to honor John M. McCormick, Speaker of the House
[c.1, 2]
d Confronting today’s Challenges” (Convocation address?) by Dr. John A Hamrick, 1974?

e Convocation address [by Dr] John A Hamrick, February 11, 1981

8 Photographs

9 Scrapbooks