

# Mildred Guel Collection

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Louisiana State Museum Historical Center

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## Descriptive Summary

<b>Provenance:</b>	Donated as a gift to the Louisiana State Museum by Mildred Guel in 1965
<b>Title:</b>	Mildred Guel Collection
<b>Dates:</b>	1860 – 1884
<b>Abstract:</b>	Collection houses 2 documents related to Gus Guel, other pieces relate to the Black Hawk steamer and the Louisiana Avenue Methodist Church
<b>Extent:</b>	10 folders
<b>Accession:</b>	1965.025 a-f (1965.25)

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## Biographical / Historical Note

Mildred Guel was born March 26, 1886 and died in May of 1980 at the age of 94. Her last known residence was at the Penick Home in Southern Pines, Moore County, North Carolina.

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## Scope and Content

This Collection contains items dated, mostly, from the late 19<sup>th</sup> century. The items were personal effects of Miss Guel and include subjects such as the Louisiana Avenue Methodist Church, Newspaper clippings, the Black Hawk steamer, etc..

## Subjects

Gustave Guel  
Mildred Guel  
Reverend Thomas Markham  
Louisiana Avenue Methodist Church  
Black Hawk  
Times Democrat  
New Orleans Exposition  
Presbyterian Church of New Orleans

## **Access of Use Restrictions**

### **Access**

Collection is **open** for research

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## **Related or Separated Materials**

11597.07-.09: 1859, Beadle and Co., Dime Song Book with inscription “Gus Guel 1860”

1965.025.01 (or.02): 1890, child’s dress, donated by Mildred Guel

1965.025.03: Late 19<sup>th</sup> Century, multicolored, wide sash, donated by Mildred Guel

1965.025.04: Late 19<sup>th</sup> Century, fabric sample, donated by Mildred Guel

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## **Administrative Information**

### **Preferred Citation**

Mildred Guel Collection, Louisiana State Museum Historical Center

### **Acquisition Information**

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### **Notes**

The other items that were donated with this collection are located in the Costumes and Textiles Department

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## **Contents List**

**Folder 1:** Visiting card of Reverend Thomas R. Markham at 771 Magazine Street

**Folder 2:** Plan for the façade of the Louisiana Avenue Methodist Church located at the corner of Magazine Street and Louisiana Avenue

**Folder 3:** Valentine, “I Am Thine”

**Folder 4:** Valentine, Miss Mildred Guel

**Folder 5:** Appointment of Gustave Guel as Inspector of Customs in New Orleans:  
January 14, 1863

**Folder 6:** Military notice of Gustave Guel for the Confederate Army with his signature:  
1864

**Folder 7:** Newspaper Clipping, "The Affair of the Black Hawk (steamer)": 1863

**Folder 8:** Miniature Newspaper, "The Times Democrat": December 17, 1884

**Folder 9:** Miniature Newspaper, "The Times Democrat" given out during the New  
Orleans Exposition: December 17, 1884

**Folder 10:** Program for the 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Sabbath Schools of the Presbyterian  
Church in New Orleans: May 10, 1874