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TUCKER, Joseph Henry (1863-1944), papers 6.25 l.f.

ABSTRACT:

Joseph Henry Tucker was a timber man who worked in the forests of Washington, Oregon, California, and the Philippines. The bulk of his career was spent in the Redwood forests of Mendocino, Sonoma, Humboldt, and Santa Cruz counties in Northern California.

BACKGROUND:

Many times throughout his extensive correspondence, Joseph Henry Tucker self-proclaimed himself as the most knowledgeable, most experienced timber man in the business. His career in the lumber and logging industry spanned from 1885 in Canada to 1944, when he died from a heart attack while in his beloved woods in Mendocino County, California. In between, Tucker had been involved in almost every imaginable aspect of the lumber business, as long as it was out of doors.

J.H. Tucker was born in the Province of Quebec, Canada in 1863. At the age of 22 he began his career in the lumber business with the Scotch Syndicate in that Province. In 1887 he left the Syndicate to go to work with John R. Booth of Ottawa, remaining in his employ until he came to the Pacific Coast in 1890. On arriving in the state of Washington, Tucker went to work with the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Co. of Tacoma, remaining with them until 1896 when he went to work for Brown Brothers of Rhinelander, Wisconsin, purchasing all of their timber in Washington, Oregon and California. In 1898 and 1899 he spent two years cruising and investigating timber lands for George Palmer.

In 1900 Tucker went to work for the J.D. Lacey Company of Chicago, remaining with them until 1910, when he resigned and went to Mexico for the Madera Company. During the two years he was there, he was in charge of the Madera Co.'s 5,000,000 acres of pine timber lands adjoining the Hearst ranches in Chihuahua and Sonora states in Mexico. In 1912, Tucker, along with Madera Company, was driven out of Mexico by the *Insurrectos*.

Back in the United States, Tucker took up again with J.D. Lacey & Company. While employed with the James D. Lacey Company, Tucker writes in a letter to E.O. Holter of New York (Dec 27, 1932) that "*...for ten years [he] was the most active Timber man and Cruiser in the country, at times I had over a hundred crews of Estimators in the field besides packers, trail cutters and so forth. I was on the road night and day, and during that time passed on more timber deals than any other man in the country. It was not unusual for Lacey & Co to charge \$1000.00 per day for my time. The Diamond Match Co, the old Hackley-Hume Co., Lyon & Gerry, Butterfield & Peck, Barrell & Co, Clark-Pool I Co all had to have my indorsement [sic] on their Bond issues, Loans and timber purchases.*"

During the late 1910s, Tucker cruised and purchased timber for different companies, operating mostly in the Redwood Belt of northern California (Mendocino, Humboldt, Sonoma and Santa Cruz counties). Perhaps his greatest involvement in this time period was with the Sage Land & Improvement Company of Albany, New York which owned and sold timber along the Pacific states. Tucker claims to have made purchases totaling over five million dollars for that company.

In 1918 Tucker furnished maps, estimates and data which helped secure donations for the Save the Redwoods League in northern California. He also takes credit for recommending donation of the Swarts Tract to the University of California by the George Hooper estate, valued at \$1,000,000.

Tucker went to the Philippines in 1923 for the Wheeler-Osgood Co. of Tacoma, WA looking at the advisability of investing in the harvest and production of the hardwood timber there. He returned to the States in 1924, but returned to the Philippines in 1926 for the Philippine Development Co. of Los Angeles and New York. He returned to California in 1928 where he went to work for the C.A. Hooper Co. and for the A.B. Hammond Lumber Co. in the northern California Redwood country.

In 1931 Tucker went to work with the C.C.C., remaining with them in various capacities until 1933. He went into business by himself as a free lance timber cruiser and advisor of all things relating to timber and the purchase of stumpage and timber lands. He was also interested in the mining potential in some of the areas where he had cruised timber. In 1935 he took charge of the Columbia Timber Company's holdings and administered them for several years.

During the war years of WWII, Tucker, then in his 70s, was still working as an independent cruiser and estimator, maintaining his connections with the "who's who" of the American timber industry.

Tucker's marriage to Christine Tucker ended in divorce, most likely due to his constantly being on the go. At the drop of a hat he would take off for woods for days at a time. However, he maintained contact with his former wife and children who lived in Tacoma, Washington. He was very close to his daughter, Gay. In the latter years of his life, Tucker wrote frequently to his daughter who eventually moved to Ukiah, California, close to his home in Willits. His ex-wife, with whom he renewed frequent correspondence, died in Tacoma in 1941.

Joseph Henry Tucker, active in timber until his last breath, died on March 31, 1944 at the age of 80. Throughout his career he had surveyed; cruised timber; acted as a timber broker; bought and sold mills, timber, and land; set up sawmills; set rates and wage scales; advised many of the nation's timber magnates; and became one of the most respected authorities on the Pacific Coast on both soft and hard woods.

In that same letter of December 27, 1932, Tucker writes, *"Sometimes I would secure the options and cruise the timber and close the deals. Others I just cruised the timber. But on all deals, no matter how small or how big, my word as to the amount of timber and its value was final...During the ten years I was with Lacey & Co., I took the Company from an ordinary cruising and locating Co., and made of it the Greatest Timber Factor in the World. I employed more Cruisers than any other outfit in the world. My word was not only law where prices and estimates were concerned but I fixed the wages, hours and time of all men in the business, as well as the method of doing the work, estimating, reporting and so forth. My books, volume tables, tabs, and tools were all standard. I broke in more young men than any other man living, they were sent to me from Yale, Columbia, Biltmore and others. If a young man could get onto one of my crews, he thot he was made, and he usually was. Many of the managers and Superintendents of the Lumber and Logging companies of the coast and elsewhere are my old head cruisers....You don't have to take my word for any of this, Ed, it is a matter of record. The money or glory or*

prestige of making these deals never cut any ice with me. What I wanted was the work, the fun of making the deals, and the living in the out-of-doors with my camp outfit, my boys and my cook, and being a free agent, I figured that so long as there was any cruising to do, I would do it and that was all that mattered. The future could look out for itself."

SCOPE and CONTENT:

Joseph Henry Tucker was a prolific letter writer. Fortunately he made copies of most of his out-going correspondence along with the original in-coming. Most of four boxes of the five holding this collection contain his correspondence, dating from 1909 until his death in 1944. In most cases, Tucker's original order was maintained. For individuals or companies with whom he had a concentrated or long-standing amount of correspondence, he created individual files arranged alphabetically by company name and/or surname. Other correspondence he filed in folders with a general alphabetical heading (ie A, B, C, etc). During the last three years of his life, he seemed more inclined to file correspondence annually.

For the researcher using Tucker's arrangement to search for particular correspondent, several different files should be accessed. For example, if interested in correspondence between Tucker and Frank H. Hurlburt, a real estate and timber broker from San Francisco, one should look in the folders listed under **Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H.**, as well as under **Correspondence: General - H** and **Correspondence: General [dates corresponding to time period of interest]**.

Major business related correspondents include Joseph Fyfe, Jr., a lumberman, colleague and good personal friend from Richmond, California with whom Tucker exchanged business and personal news (1932-1942); Hammond Lumber Company (San Francisco and Samoa, CA); Edwin O. Holter, Jr. of The Sage Land & Improvement Co (1932-1940); C.A. Hooper & Co. (San Francisco, CA); Frank H. Hurlburt, a San Francisco real estate and timber broker (1927-1942); the North Coast Development Co (1942-1945); George J. Osgood of The Wheeler, Osgood Co., Tacoma, WA (1926-1933); and Arthur E. Small (1925-29). Some of the more significant correspondents included in files under the heading **Correspondence: General** are named on the folder listing.

Most of the correspondence was with either clients (real or prospective) or employers concerning timber or land sales, estimates of timber value based on cruises performed, verifying survey boundaries, investigating timber stands, estimating freight and shipping costs, estimating timber and lumber price rates, commenting on access to timberlands, outfitting sawmills, and other general timber related topics.

Of special interest is the C.C.C. correspondence file. Tucker was employed during the earlier years of the Depression in camps in Sonoma County, CA in several different capacities. He frequently claimed that it was his idea that led President Franklin D. Roosevelt to initiate the Conservation Corps. He did, in fact, write many letters to state and federal agency directors suggesting his idea for putting out-of-work loggers and timber men back to work in a "save our forests" program. His involvement, and eventual dissatisfaction with his lot with the C.C.C. is included in correspondence in more than the folder with the C.C.C. heading. Anyone interested

in his views and experiences in the California C.C.C. camps should review all correspondence with other individuals and companies during the 1930s.

Another major section of special interest is the correspondence and reports connected with his two stays in the Philippine Islands (1922-1935) associated with interests in obtaining and exporting hardwood timber. He maintained contact with a Philippine caretaker / manager of some of the timberland in which he was involved for several years after returning from the Philippines the last time in 1928.

A portion of the collection consists of his technical timber cruise and survey reports and field notes throughout California and parts of Oregon and Washington (c1911-1943). Field maps are often included in his notebooks.

Tucker's correspondence with his family, primarily with his daughter Gay, and, later, with his ex-wife Christine, offers insight into a softer side of this timber man. During the last several years of his life, it was not unusual for him to write three or four times a week to his daughter. Gay was a newspaper writer in the Tacoma area and later in Willits, CA. Because of her interest in writing, Tucker typed out stories relating to his youth and experiences in the Philippines for his daughter's consideration for reworking them for publication. Those typescripts, along with some associated correspondence clarifying the stories for Gay, are found under the folder heading **Stories - Typescripts**.

Joseph H. Tucker was fairly candid in his letter writing, especially to his daughter, better acquaintances and long-time associates. He might be described as crusty, sometimes arrogant, self-confident, and prone to championing his own worth. But through all that, Tucker appears to have been a very good timber man, highly respected in his line of work, and an important figure in the 20th century history of lumbering in California, Oregon and Washington.

INCLUSIVE DATES: c1912-1944

RESTRICTIONS: None

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FILE LISTING

BOX 1: Blueprint, Clippings, Correspondence (Beal-Fyfe)

- 1 / 1 Blueprint: Camp Sleeping Car. Hutchinson Lumber Co. (Oroville, CA)
(Transferred to Architectural Collection)
- 1 / 2 Clippings - Newspaper
- 1 / 3 Correspondence: Beal & Beal Real Estate (Santa Rosa, CA) 1938-1940
Includes: Earl Hildreth
- 1 / 4 Correspondence: Beronio Lumber Co. (SF, CA) 1936-1940
Includes: A.V. Beronio
- 1 / 5 Correspondence: Brown, Carl R. (Eureka, CA) 1929-1931

- 1 / 6 Correspondence: Carlson, Joseph re Caspar, CA Redwood Logging. 1935-1937
Includes: Joseph & Adeline Carlson; W.F. Whitney (Willits, CA);
Mr / Mrs R.R. Stowell (SF, CA)
- 1 / 7 Correspondence: Caspar Lumber Co. (Mendocino, CA) 1935-1940
Includes: Fred W. Stickney, Superintendent
- 1 / 8 Correspondence: CCC 1934-1935
- 1 / 9 Correspondence: Chrisman, F.M. (SF, CA) 1925
Includes: RC Amador Co., CA Timber
- 1 / 10 Correspondence: Coffenberry, Leo (Dorris, CA; Westpoint, CA; Stockton, CA;
Keno, OR) Coffenberry Lumber Co. and Stockton Box Co. 1939-1942
- 1 / 11 Correspondence: Elliot, Will E. (Hollywood, CA) W.E. Elliot & Co.
June 1926-December 1928
- 1 / 12 Correspondence: Erskine Hellyer & Co. (Tacoma, WA) June 1938-June 1939
Includes: David T. Hellyer, George J. Osgood
- 1 / 13 Correspondence: Farley, W.J. (SF, CA) Consulting Engineer
(Bear Harbor, Mendocino, CA description) 1930-1932
- 1 / 14 Correspondence: Featherstone, Albert H. (Wallace, ID) 1928-1937
- 1 / 15 Correspondence: Forest Service – USDA 1941-1942
- 1 / 16 Correspondence: Frick, Walter P. (Oakland, CA) 1920-1937
- 1 / 17 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) July-Dec 1932
- 1 / 18 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) Jan-July 1933
- 1 / 19 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) Jan-June 1934
- 1 / 20 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) July-Dec 1934
- 1 / 21 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) Jan-June 1935
- 1 / 22 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) July-Dec 1935
- 1 / 23 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) Jan-Dec 1936
- 1 / 24 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) Jan-Oct 1937
- 1 / 25 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond, CA) Jan-June 1938
- 1 / 26 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) July-Dec 1938
- 1 / 27 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) Jan-June 1939
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 28 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) July-Dec 1939
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 29 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) Jan-June 1940
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 30 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (SF, CA) July-Dec 1940
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 31 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (SF, CA) Jan-May 1941
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 32 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (SF, CA) June-Dec 1941
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 33 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) Jan-June 1942
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.
- 1 / 34 Correspondence: Fyfe, Joseph Jr. (Richmond / SF, CA) July-Dec 1942
Includes: Fyfe Lumber Co.

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BOX 2: Correspondence-General (A-W, various dates), Correspondence-General (1909-1946), Correspondence (Hammond Lumber Co.)

- 2 / 1 Correspondence: General – A 1923-1928
- 2 / 2 Correspondence: General – B 1926-1940
- 2 / 3 Correspondence: General – C 1926-1930
- 2 / 4 Correspondence: General – C 1931-1941
- 2 / 5 Correspondence: General – D 1927-1939
Includes: Newton B. Drury (Save the Redwoods League)
- 2 / 6 Correspondence: General – E 1927-1941
Includes: W.E. Elliott
- 2 / 7 Correspondence: General – F 1926-1941
- 2 / 8 Correspondence: General – G 1915-1938
- 2 / 9 Correspondence: General – H 1926-1928
Includes: John J. Hewitt (Tacoma, WA)
- 2 / 10 Correspondence: General – H 1929-1941
Includes: Holmes-Eureka Lumber Co., Hammond Lumber Co.,
W.E. Hiatt and John A. Henry
- 2 / 11 Correspondence: General – J 1926-1936
Includes: S.O. Johnson (S.S. Johnson Co., Timberlands, Berkeley, CA)
- 2 / 12 Correspondence: General – K 1928-1941
Includes: F.E. Keeler (Los Angeles, CA)
- 2 / 13 Correspondence: General – L 1927-1936
- 2 / 14 Correspondence: General – M 1926-1932
- 2 / 15 Correspondence: General – N 1926-1936
Includes: F. Matsuro (Nonaka & Co.) and Carter Nichols (SF, CA)
- 2 / 16 Correspondence: General – O 1924-1940
- 2 / 17 Correspondence: General – P 1923-1940
Includes: G. Pinchot
- 2 / 18 Correspondence: General – Q 1934
- 2 / 19 Correspondence: General – R 1925-1936
Includes: T.O. Russell (Civil Engineer, Eugene, OR), FDR Signature,
Governor Rolph (CA)
- 2 / 20 Correspondence: General – S 1926-1931
- 2 / 21 Correspondence: General – T 1926-1941
Includes: W.P. Thomas, Attorney (Ukiah, CA)
- 2 / 22 Correspondence: General – U 1933-1940
- 2 / 23 Correspondence: General – V 1929-1941
Includes: Martin Van Heuvel (SF, CA) and
Mrs. E.M. Vernon (SF, CA)
- 2 / 24 Correspondence: General – W 1929-1940
- 2 / 25 Correspondence: General 1909-1941
- 2 / 26 Correspondence: General 1942
- 2 / 27 Correspondence: General 1943
- 2 / 28 Correspondence: General 1944-1946
- 2 / 29 Correspondence: Hammond Lumber Co. (SF & Samoa, CA) 1926-1931
Includes: J.A. Rankin, L. C. Hammond, plus 3 timberland maps

BOX 3: Correspondence (Hazeltine-Osgood)

- 3 / 1 Correspondence: Hazeltine Lumber Mills, Inc. (Los Angeles, CA) 1936-
Includes: C.H. Mimnaugh and H.W. Sherman
- 3 / 2 Correspondence: Hersman, Senator Hugh S., et al (Gilroy, CA) 1923-1938
re. Timber
- 3 / 3 Correspondence: Hiatt Property (Ten Mile, Mendocino Co., CA) 1938-1941
Includes: Wallace E. Hiatt (Willits, CA); Paul Foster (North Bay
Farms Co., Hopland, CA) 1938-1941
- 3 / 4 Correspondence: Hickey, Thomas F. 1928-1930
- 3 / 5 Correspondence: Holter, Edwin O., Jr. (SF, CA) 1932-1938
Includes: The Sage Land & Improvement Co.
- 3 / 6 Correspondence: Holter, Edwin O., Jr. (SF, CA) 1939-1940)
Includes: The Sage Land & Improvement Co.
- 3 / 7 Correspondence: Hooper, C.A. & Co. (SF, CA) 1928
Includes: Humboldt Co. Timber
- 3 / 8 Correspondence: Hooper, C.A. & co. (SF, CA) 1929-1937
Includes: Humboldt Co. Timber
- 3 / 9 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
1927-May 1937
- 3 / 10 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
March-Dec 1938
- 3 / 11 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
Oct-Dec 1940
- 3 / 12 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
Jan-April 1941
- 3 / 13 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
May-Sept 1941
- 3 / 14 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
Oct-Dec 1941
- 3 / 15 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
Jan-March 1942
- 3 / 16 Correspondence: Hurlburt, Frank H. Real Estate & Timber Broker (SF, CA)
April-Dec 1942
- 3 / 17 Correspondence: Insurance-Life, Personal 1909-1928
- 3 / 18 Correspondence: Iron Ore (Mendocino Co., CA) 1930-1931
- 3 / 19 Correspondence: Klamath Falls (OR) Lots 1912-1928
Includes: Legal Papers
- 3 / 20 Correspondence: Lacey & Co., James D.
Timberland Factors (Chicago, IL) 1907-1923
- 3 / 21 Correspondence: Land, Charles H. Hutchinson Lumber Co. (Oroville, CA)
1931-1933
- 3 / 22 Correspondence: Carson, C.A., Judge Real Estate & Insurance (Willits, CA)
1936
- 3 / 23 Correspondence: Lisbon, Frank E. (Butte Co., CA) 1926-1934
- 3 / 24 Correspondence: Long-Bell Lumber Co. (Kansas City, MO) 1929-1934
Includes: R.A. Long, M.B. Nelson, J.D. Tennant

- 3 / 25 Correspondence: Marin Lumber and Supply Co. (SF, CA) 1931-1938
Includes: Philip R. Thayer, President
- 3 / 26 Correspondence: McPherson Bros. Re. Iron Mine Property (Portland, OR /
Vancouver, WA) 1931-1933 Includes: Geo. L. & J.A. McPherson
- 3 / 27 Correspondence: Moss, Sidney A., Attorney (Shanghai, China) 1926-1927
- 3 / 28 Correspondence: Muir, H.B. (Willits, CA) 1924-1941
Includes: Timber Holding Descriptions
- 3 / 29 Correspondence: North Coast Development Co. (SF, CA) April-August 1942
Includes: C.F. Michaels
- 3 / 30 Correspondence: North Coast Development Co. (SF, CA) Sept-Dec 1942
Includes: C.F. Michaels
- 3 / 31 Correspondence: North Coast Development Co. (SF, CA) 1943-1945
Includes: Land Transactions
- 3 / 32 Correspondence: Osgood, George J. (Tacoma, WA) 1926-1933
The Wheeler, Osgood Co.

BOX 4: Correspondence (Park-Yosemite Sugar Pine Lumber Co.), Deposition, Expense Journal (Personal), Maps, Mining Report, Philippine Islands

- 4 / 1 Correspondence: Park, Adeline (Mrs. William) Re. Land Tracts 1927-1941
- 4 / 2 Correspondence: Penniman, M / M George (Santa Rosa, CA) 1938-1944
- 4 / 3 Correspondence: Pettey-Innes (SF, CA) Includes: A.T. Pettey re.
Sawmill Start-up
- 4 / 4 Correspondence: Quinn, Clement P. (Saginaw, MI) 1930-1938
- 4 / 5 Correspondence: Redwoods 1920-1935
- 4 / 6 Correspondence: Richards, Marin (Philippines) 1926-1928
- 4 / 7 Correspondence: Sage Land & Improvement Co. 1920-1923
- 4 / 8 Correspondence: Small, Arthur E. (Los Angeles, CA) 1925-1929
- 4 / 9 Correspondence: Solinsky, Frank J., Jr. (SF, CA) 1941-1943
- 4 / 10 Correspondence: Southern Oregon Lumber Co. (Klamath Falls, OR) 1933-1938
Includes: W.D. Miller
- 4 / 11 Correspondence: Sovey, Louis & Co. Lumber and Shipping (SF, CA)
1936-1937
- 4 / 12 Correspondence: Timber Tracts 1926-1940
- 4 / 13 Correspondence: Timberman (Portland, OR) 1927-1941
Includes: George M. Cornwall, Publisher
- 4 / 14 Correspondence: Tucker Family 1926-1928
- 4 / 15 Correspondence: Tucker Family 1929-1935
- 4 / 16 Correspondence: Tucker Family 1936-1937
- 4 / 17 Correspondence: Tucker Family 1938
- 4 / 18 Correspondence: Tucker Family 1941-1944
- 4 / 19 Correspondence: U.S. Dept. of the Interior, National Parks 1934-1935
re: Jobs in State Parks Emergency Conservation Work Camps in Calif.
- 4 / 20 Correspondence: USAL Timber Tract (Mendocino Co., CA) 1941-1944
- 4 / 21 Correspondence: Weber, Louis H., Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Co. (Bend, OR)
June 1937-May 1940 Includes: Emil M. Johnson
- 4 / 22 Correspondence: Yosemite Sugar Pine Lumber Co. (Merced Falls, CA)
Includes: J.R. Ball, Frank H. Hurlburt and Adeline Park

- 4 / 23 Deposition: Witness-Legal Case. White vs Perrin et al (Superior Court, California-City & County of San Francisco) Oct 21 / 22, 1925
- 4 / 24 Expense Journal: Personal 1926-1930 Includes: Expenses in Philippines
- 4 / 25 Greetings Cards: Holiday & Birthday c1920s-1950s
- 4 / 26 Land Transactions 1914-1930
- 4 / 27 Maps
 - Map. Holmes Eureka Co. & A.J. Mahoney Timber Tracts (Humboldt Co., CA), nd. 14.5" x 16.5"
 - Map. [Humboldt County / Del Norte County, CA] showing lands available for state park land acquisition, c1927/1932. [2pp] 11" x 8.5"
 - Map. Mendocino County, CA, 1905. 10.25" x 9"
 - Map. Mendocino National Forest, California State Automobile Assoc., nd. 13.25" x 18.5"
 - Map. Northern California Timber Co. (Showing Holdings of the), 1912. 38" x 55"
 - Map. [Pleasant Valley Mill Timber], nd. 16" x 17.75"
 - Map. Routes of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Steamers / British Columbia Coast Service, nd. 30.5" x 19" [Transferred to Map Collection]
 - Map. [Sawmill Layout], nd. Drawn by J.H. Tucker. 18" x 25"
- 4 / 28 Mining Report: "Galice Creek Mine". Josephine Co., OR [n.d.]
- 4 / 29 Philippine Islands: Bulletins-Philippine Development Co.
- 4 / 30 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-Bureau of Forestry 1919-1927
- 4 / 31 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-General 1925 Includes: Arthur E. Small, George Osgood and Daniel R. Williams
- 4 / 32 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-General 1926 Includes: Arthur E. Small, George Osgood and Daniel R. Williams
- 4 / 33 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-Investments 1926-1929
- 4 / 34 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-Sabani Estate Forest 1923-1927
- 4 / 35 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-Slaughter, Guy T. re. Hacienda de Ibonan 1930-1936
- 4 / 36 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-Tamesis, Florenco. Bureau of Forestry 1927-1932
- 4 / 37 Philippine Islands: Correspondence-Udarbe, Marcelo. Camp Umiray / Hacienda de Ibonan 1926-1935
- 4 / 38 Philippine Islands: Expense Reports 1926-1930

BOX 5: Philippine Islands (Maps, Reports, Receipts & Miscellany), Photographs, Policies (Insurance), Publications, Rates, Reports, Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes

- 5 / 1 Philippine Islands: Maps
- 5 / 2 Philippine Islands: Reports-Bataan Concession. Property of the Cadwallader-Gibson Lumber Co., Inc. Province of Bataan, Island of Luzon, Philippines December 1923
- 5 / 3 Philippine Islands: Reports-Cadwallader-Gibson "Venere Department" – Lemay & Paysaun Plants 1923

- 5 / 4 Philippine Islands: Reports-Cadwallader-Gibson Lumber Co., Inc. Province of Camarines Sur. Island of Luzon. March-April 1924
- 5 / 5 Philippine Islands: Reports-Hacienda de Ibonan c1922-1930
- 5 / 6 Philippine Islands: Reports-Philippines Overview 1923 / 1924
- 5 / 7 Philippine Islands: Reports-Port Holland Lumber Company's Timber Lands, Basilian Island, Philippines 1924
- 5 / 8 Philippine Islands: Receipts & Miscellany
- 5 / 9 Philippine Islands: Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes 1924-1926
- 5 / 10 Photographs: Tucker Family (3)
- 5 / 11 Plan: Forestry Protection c1931
- 5 / 12 Policies: Life Insurance-Iowa State Traveling Men's Association 1914-1923
- 5 / 13 Policies: Life Insurance-Metropolitan Life 1911-1931
- 5 / 14 Policies: Life Insurance-Pacific Mutual 1910-1918
- 5 / 15 Policies: Life Insurance-Various
- 5 / 16 Publication: ACME Code Co. Listing of "World's Foremost Importers, Exporters Manufacturers, Bankers, Steamship Companies, etc..."
Partial List of Holders of Acme Code [n.d.]
- 5 / 17 Publication: Pacific Coast Standard Schedule of Prices, Dimensions, Grading Rules, etc. of ... Lumber ... 1917
- 5 / 18 Publication: Timber Estimating in the Pacific Northwest (3rd ed), Brown & Brown, Portland, 1928
- 5 / 19 Publication: U.S. Dept. of Interior. Consolidation of National Forests [Circular No.863] 1925
- 5 / 20 Rates: Cable Rates to All Parts of the World Oct 20, 1927
- 5 / 21 Rates: Log Prices C.I.F. Japan c1931
- 5 / 22 Rates: Lumber Freight-Southern Pacific Railroad [n.d.]
- 5 / 23 Real Estate Broker's Bonds 1925
- 5 / 24 Report: Hihn Redwood Tract, Santa Cruz Co, CA May 15, 1918 w/3 maps
- 5 / 25 Report: "Preliminary Report on the White (Timber) Tract in Shasta and Trinity Counties, California" 1914 / 1924 Includes map
- 5 / 26 Scrapbook: Clippings 1920s-1980s
- 5 / 27 Stories-Typescripts, by J.H. Tucker. Based on experiences as a youth and in the Philippines c1931
- 5 / 28 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: Algoma Lumber Co. (Klamath Co., OR & Siskiyou Co., CA)
- 5 / 29 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-Butte Co. 1925
- 5 / 30 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-Humboldt Co. 1928-1932
- 5 / 31 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-Humboldt Co. [8 vols.] c1914-1928
- 5 / 32 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-Mendocino Co. 1915-1920
- 5 / 33 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-Mendocino Co. [5 vols.] c1916-1943
- 5 / 34 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-San Mateo Co. (Pescadero Tract) 1911
- 5 / 35 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California-Tuolumne Co.

- 5 / 36 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: Hammond Lumber Co.
(Humboldt Co., CA) c1929
- 5 / 37 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: Hooper, C.A., & Co.
(SF, CA) re: Humboldt County Timber Lands, Mill & Dock 1928
- 5 / 38 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: California
(Various Places) 1936-1939
- 5 / 39 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: Oregon
- 5 / 40 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: Sage Land Improvement Co.
(Humboldt and Mendocino Counties, CA) c1914-1916
- 5 / 41 Timber Cruise & Survey Reports and Field Notes: Washington & California
Includes: Whatcom Co, Pierce Co., Mason Co., Jefferson Co. (1917)
& King Co., WA and Santa Cruz Co., Humboldt Co., Monterey Co.,
Sonoma Co. (1921), Mendocino Co. (1921), CA
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