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## **OVERVIEW OF COLLECTION**

**Title:** W. C. Akins and Sons records

**Date:** 1931-1988

**Extent:** 6 Boxes (6 linear feet)

**Creator:** W. C. Akins and Sons

**Language:** English

**Repository:** Zach S. Henderson Library Special Collections, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. [specolle@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:specolle@georgiasouthern.edu), 912-478-7819, [library.georgiasouthern.edu](http://library.georgiasouthern.edu).

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**Related Collections:** W. C. Akins & Sons (Statesboro, Ga.)  
Statesboro (Ga.) - Economic conditions.

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## ABOUT THE COLLECTION

**Administrative History:** W.C. Akins and Sons owned and operated a hardware business on East Main Street in downtown Statesboro for much of the 20th century, where they served the local community's hardware needs.

**Scope and Content:** This collection consists of the records of W.C. Akins and Sons hardware business from 1931-1982. Materials consist of financial documents including daily receipt books.

**System of Arrangement:** The materials in this collection are arranged by original purpose.

**Box 1:** 0200105012559

**Box 2:** 0200105012385

**Box 3:** 0200105012393

**Box 4:** 0200105012401

**Box 5:** 0200105012567

**Box 6:** 0200106671502

**Acquisitions Info:** Gift of Frank C. Parker, III, 1993.

### Access Points:

W. C. Akins and Sons

Hardware stores -- Georgia -- Statesboro -- Sources

Economic history

Hardware stores

Statesboro (Ga.) -- Economic conditions -- 20th century -- Sources

Georgia -- Statesboro

1900-1999

Sources

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## CONTAINER LISTING

**Box 1:** 0200105012559

|  | <u>Box</u> | <u>Folder</u> |
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| <b><u>Items</u></b>                                   | <b><u>Number</u></b> | <b><u>Number</u></b> |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| Receipt Book - November 1945 - July 1946              | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - July 1946 - February 1947              | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - April 1947 - August 1947               | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - July 1960 - November 1973 (duplicates) | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - June - August 1961                     | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - August - October 1961                  | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - October - December 1961                | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - December 1961 - February 1962          | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - February - April 1963                  | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - April - June 1963                      | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - July - September 1963                  | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - September - October 1963               | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - February - April 1964                  | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - May - July 1964                        | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - August - October 1964                  | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - October - December 1964                | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - December 1964 - January 1965           | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - January - March 1965                   | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - March - May, 1965                      | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - May - July 1967                        | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - September - November 1977              | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - November 1977 - January 1978           | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Receipt Book - December 1977 - March 1978             | 1                    | <i>Loose</i>         |

**Box 2:** 0200105012385

| <u>Items</u>                              | <u>Box Number</u> | <u>Folder Number</u> |
|---|-------------------|----------------------|
| Bank Book - Bulloch County Bank 1941-1947 | 2                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Bank Book - Sea Island Bank 1946-1948     | 2                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Ledger - Single Entry Ledger 1965         | 2                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Ledger - Customer Ledger (undated)        | 2                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Account Book - Account Book 1931-1935     | 2                 | <i>Loose</i>         |

**Box 3:** 0200105012393

| <u>Items</u>                             | <u>Box Number</u> | <u>Folder Number</u> |
|--|-------------------|----------------------|
| Day Book - October 1975 - May 1976       | 3                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Day Book - November 1976 - December 1977 | 3                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Day Book - June 1978 - June 1979         | 3                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Day Book - June 1979 - July 1980         | 3                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Day Book - July 1980 - May 1982          | 3                 | <i>Loose</i>         |

**Box 4:** 0200105012401

| <u>Items</u>  | <u>Box Number</u> | <u>Folder Number</u> |
|---|-------------------|----------------------|
| Day Books - 1958 - 1978 [Note: 6 different Day Book collections. Some are spiral bound, some are twine bound, and some are loose] | 4                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Bank Statement Book - 1968 - Black Leather bound book   | 4                 | <i>Loose</i>         |
| Bank Statement Book - 1978 - Brown Leather bound book   | 4                 | <i>Loose</i>         |

**Box 5:** 0200105012567

| <b><u>Items</u></b>                        | <b><u>Box Number</u></b> | <b><u>Folder Number</u></b> |
|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Day Book - September 1958 - September 1960 | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - September 1960 - May 1961       | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - May 1961 - August 1962          | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - August 1962 - November 1963     | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - October 1968 - November 1970    | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - December 1970 - January 1972    | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - April 1972 - July 1973          | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - July 1973 - August 1974         | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - September 1974 - October 1975   | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - May 1976 - November 1976        | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - December 1977 - June 1978       | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - May 1982 - June 1984            | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - July 1984 - September 1986      | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Day Book - September 1986 - January 1988   | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |
| Account Book - March 1947 - April 1948     | 5                        | <i>Loose</i>                |

**Box 6:** 0200106671502

| <b><u>Items</u></b>   | <b><u>Box Number</u></b> | <b><u>Folder Number</u></b> |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Miscellaneous papers  | 6                        | 1                           |
| Georgia & Florida railroad freight bills, 1943 - 1945       | 6                        | 2                           |
| Five Transportation Company Freight Bills, 1940 - 1945      | 6                        | 3                           |
| Benton Rapid Express Freight Bills, 1940 - 1945             | 6                        | 4                           |
| Benton Rapid Express Freight Bills, 1940 - 1945 (continued) | 6                        | 5                           |

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| Receipt Book - May 1962 - July 1962          | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - January 1963 - February 1963  | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - July 1969 - September 1969    | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - August 1960 - November 1960   | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - June 1963 - July 1963         | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - November 1962 - January 1963  | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - August 1962 - September 1962  | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - December 1963 - February 1964 | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - October 1963 - December 1963  | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - April 1964 - May 1964         | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - July 1971 - September 1971    | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |
| Receipt Book - February 1947 - March 1947    | 6 | <i>Loose</i> |