Matchbooks Collection (AC46)

Introduction

The Matchbooks Collection contains matchbooks for businesses in the Kansas City metropolitan area.

Descriptive Summary

Creator: Black Archives of Mid-America
Title: Matchbooks Collection
Size: 0.2 linear feet, 1 box
Collection Number: AC46

Donor Information

Found in collection.

Citation Note

Matchbooks Collection (AC46), Black Archives of Mid-America, Kansas City, Missouri.

Administrative Information

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Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of matchbooks arranged alphabetically by business name. The majority of the matchbooks are undated. Oversize matchbooks have been removed to folder 3.

Collection Inventory

The notation “OS” indicates the materials are located in folder 3.

f. 1 Afrodessia Lounge – John’s Place, 1955, n.d.
Afrodessia Lounge, n.d.
Al and Bud Lounge – version 1, n.d.
Al and Bud Lounge – version 2, n.d. (2 copies)
Atlanta Life Insurance Company – version 1, n.d.
Atlanta Life Insurance Company – version 2, 1955
Birdland Lounge and Supper Club, n.d. (2 copies) (OS)
Black Orchid, n.d.
Bobby’s Hang Our Cocktail Lounge, n.d.
Byron Hotel, n.d.
Carpenters Shoe Repair, n.d.
Center Stage Beauty Salon, n.d.
Clayton Realty Company, n.d.
Coiffures by Inez, n.d. (3 copies) (OS)
Cresendo Lounge South, n.d.
D and H Tire Company – version 1, n.d.
D and H Tire Company – version 2, n.d.
De Lisa Cocktail Lounge, n.d.
Deluxe Famous Bar-B-Q, n.d.
Douglass State Bank, n.d.
Ebony Hotel Plaza, n.d.
Ebony Tavern, n.d. (2 copies)
Economic Opportunity Foundation, Inc., n.d.
Edgerton Hotel, n.d.
Foster Enterprises, Inc., n.d.
Frank’s Forest Bar, n.d.
Frank’s Restaurant and Lounge, n.d.
Gates Bar-B-Q, n.d.
Gates Ol’Kentuck Barbecue, n.d. (3 copies)
Gates’ and Son’s Bar-B-Q, n.d.
George’s Loan Offices, n.d.
Golden Horn of Plenty Restaurant, n.d. (3 copies)
Gregory’s Barber Shop, n.d.
Gumbo, n.d. (2 copies)
Guy’s Bar, n.d. (OS)
Happy Kitchen, n.d.
Harambee House, n.d.
Harlem Club, Inc., n.d.
Hayward’s Pit Bar-B-Q – version 1, n.d.
Hayward’s Pit Bar-B-Q – version 2, n.d. (2 copies)
Holman’s Service Station, n.d.
Hotel Watkins, n.d.
Inferno Show Lounge, n.d.
J. B. F. One Stop Service, n.d.
Jazz City Recreation, n.d.
Jefferson’s Beauty Academy, n.d.
Jerry’s Happening Barber and Record Shop, n.d.
Jimmy’s Bar-B-Q and Chicken in a Box, n.d.
John’s Place, n.d.


Johnson’s Grill, n.d.
Johnnie’s Jade East, n.d.
Jones and Sons Chapels, n.d.
Kathleen’s Restaurant and Lounge, n.d. (3 copies)
Kerford Funeral Home, n.d.
Last Roundup Tavern, n.d.
Lone Star Tavern, n.d.
Long’s Bar-B-Q – version 1, n.d. (2 copies)
Lounds State Farm Insurance, n.d. (3 copies)
Mae’s Café, n.d.
Mark IV Restaurant and Lounge, n.d. (2 copies)
Maxine’s Fine Foods – version 1, n.d.
Melody Lanes – version 1, n.d. (2 copies)
Melody Lanes – version 2, n.d.
Mid-Town Realty Company, n.d.
Mooney’s Restaurant and Lounge, n.d. (2 copies)
Mr. Love’s Salon, n.d.
Mr. Paris Salong, n.d.
Neighborhood Tavern, n.d.
Old West Tavern, n.d.
O’Neal Tire Company, n.d.
Oscar’s Bar-B-Q – version 1, n.d. (OS)
Oscar’s Bar-B-Q – version 2, n.d. (OS)
Park Ave. West Private Club, n.d.
Paschal’s Motor Hotel, n.d.
Peners Mens Wear, n.d. (2 copies)
People’s Choice Records and Variety House, n.d.
Peoples Real Estate Corporation, n.d.
Rhythm Lanes, n.d. (2 copies)
Roosevelt FINA, n.d.
Ross’s, n.d.
Santa Fe Tavern, n.d.
7th Street Cleaners, n.d.
Shaw’s Barber Shop, n.d.
Starlite Restaurant, n.d.
Stevens-Manlove-Drake Mortuary, Inc., n.d.
Street Hotel – version 1, n.d.
Street Hotel – version 2, n.d.
Swope Park National Bank – version 1, n.d.
3 Star Market, n.d.
Tiajuana Bar – version 1, n.d.
Tiajuana Bar – version 2, n.d.
W. and W. Enterprises, n.d. (2 copies)
Walter’s Bar, n.d.
Watkins Bros. Funeral Home, 1959 (2 copies)

f. 3 Oversize matchbooks, n.d.

Birdland Lounge and Supper Club, n.d. (2 copies)
Coiffures by Inez, n.d. (3 copies)
Guy’s Bar, n.d.
Oscar’s Bar-B-Q – version 1, n.d.
Oscar’s Bar-B-Q – version 2, n.d.

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