Tobacco Collection

Repository: Rockingham Co. Historical Collections
Gerald B. James Library
Rockingham Community College
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Title: Tobacco Collection

Accession No.: 12-031

Extent: 2 boxes

Provenance: Various donors

Inclusive Dates:

Subject Headings: J. L. Butler & Brother
Lucky Strike cigarettes
Penn Tobacco Co.
R. P. Richardson & Co.
Richardson, R. P., Jr.
Tobacco – advertising
Tobacco industry – Rockingham County (N. C.)

Items Separated:

Related Collections:

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Descriptive Note: A collection of miscellaneous research and artifacts from various sources focusing on the history and production of tobacco, particularly in Rockingham County, NC. These materials were used for displays and educational programs at the Rockingham Community College Historical Village during the Rockingham County Folk Festivals.
Contents:

Research notes

Journal articles

3 large color Lucky Strike advertisements

1 tobacco salesman’s price list – 1943-1946
1 J. L. Butler and Bro., Reidsville, NC Lombards Cigarros wooden box with cigarros inside

1 Brown’s Mule metal tobacco mold – 1920s

1 wooden tobacco box

1 poster “Tobacco in American History”

1 advertising item – Richardson’s Original Old North State Smoking Tobacco – R. P. Richardson & Co., Reidsville, NC

1 Penn’s Red J tobacco tag

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