

Roosevelt Flying School Photographs

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Collection Overview

Repository: National Air and Space Museum Archives

Title: Roosevelt Flying School Photographs

Date: [ca. 1920s-1930s]

Identifier: NASM.1995.0036

Creator: Scaturro, Jack

Extent: 0.1 Cubic feet ((1 folder))

Language: English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Milton R. Scaturro, Gift, 1995, 1995-0036, unknown

Restrictions

No restrictions on access

Conditions Governing Use

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Scope and Contents

This collection was donated by the son of Jack Scaturro who worked at Roosevelt Field during the 1920s and 1930s. Mr. Scaturro took snapshots of the facility's workers, friends and transient pilots, most notably the flamboyant Roscoe Turner and his aircraft the Gilmore Lion. The collection consists of 17 photos of the following aircraft: Aeronca C-1; Burnelli GX-3; Corsair O2U-1; DH-4; Fleet PT-6; Sikorsky C-6; Lockheed: Lindbergh's Sirius, Turner's NC 7954 and Lockheed Model 3 Air Express 'Gilmore Lion;' and a Loening COA-1. There are two photos of the Goodyear airship 'Vigilant' and one photo of the airship 'Los Angeles.' There is also a small scrapbook of newspaper clippings of aircraft disasters near Roosevelt Field and Westbury, Long Island.

General

Additional materials: Roosevelt Field ID bracelet, pin, and Republic Aviation pin, all located in the National Air and Space Museum Aeronautics Division.

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Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Aeronautics
Aeronautics, Commercial
Aeronca C-1 Cadet
Aircraft accidents
Burnelli (Uppercu-Burnelli) X-3 (GX-3)(Guggenheim Prize)
Consolidated (Fleet) PT-6 Family
Lockheed Model 3 Air Express
Sikorsky (USA) C-6
Vought O2U-1 Corsair
de Havilland (Airco) D.H.4

Types of Materials:

Clippings Photographs Scrapbooks

Names:

Lockheed Model 3 Air Express "Gilmore Lion" Roosevelt Field (N.Y.) Scaturro, Jack Turner, Roscoe, 1895-1970