

Evanston Newsette Publications
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Summary Information

Repository	Shorefront Legacy Center
Title	Evanston Newsette Publications
Date [inclusive]	1941-1942; 1946-1950
Extent	3.1 Linear feet
Language	English
Abstract	Founded by life-long Evanston, Illinois resident Melvin S. Smith in 1941, the Evanston Newsette covered the African American experience on the Illinois North Shore and the life of former Evanston residents living outside Illinois. Published by Smith, the weekly newspaper ran from 1941 to 1942, when it went on hiatus, and resumed in 1946, continuing until 1950. The Evanston Newsette publications consist of a near-complete run of the newspaper organized chronologically, by publication date.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Restrictions

Some materials in the Evanston Newsette publications [Boxes 1 and 2] are restricted. Please contact Shorefront Legacy Center for more information.

Processing Information note

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Related Materials

Related Archival Materials note

Melvin Smith/CCC collection, Shorefront Legacy Center

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- African American periodicals.
- African American--History.
- African Americans--Illinois--Evanston.
- Evanston (Ill.)--History.
- Publications
- Suburban African Americans--Illinois--Evanston.

Cited Sources

Chicago Tribune, "Melvin Scribner Smith." Last modified May 10, 2000. Accessed July 31, 2012. http://articles.chicagotribune.com/2000-05-10/news/0005100130_1_mr-smith-bits-office

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Volume 1, Numbers 1-10, 1941	1	1
Volume 1, Numbers 11-18, 1941	1	2
Volume 1, Numbers 19-22, 1941	1	3
Volume 1, Numbers 23-25, 1941	1	4
Volume 1, Numbers 26-29, 1941	1	5
Volume 1, Numbers 39, 45, 1941	1	6
Volume 2, Numbers 7-15, 1942	1	7
Volume 2, Numbers 16-20, 1942	1	8
Volume 2, Numbers 23-24, 1942	1	9
Volume 3, Numbers 1-52, 1946	2	1
Volume 4, Numbers 1-26, 1947	2	2
Volume 4, Numbers 27-52, 1947	2	3

Volume 5, Numbers 1-26, 1948	2	4
Volume 5, Numbers 27-52, 1948	2	5
Volume 6, Numbers 1-26, 1950	2	6
Volume 6, Numbers 27-52, 1950	2	7
		Box
Various Issues, Volumes 3-6, 1946-1950		3