TITLE: Leslie Creighton Millar Papers

DATE RANGE: 1906-1907

CALL NUMBER: MS 496

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 1 box, .25 linear feet

PROVENANCE: The notebook was donated by Nora K. Loerabel in 1961.

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE: Leslie C. Millar was the elder son of Robert Threshie Millar and Margaret Reid Millar. Robert Millar settled in Tucson in 1881, establishing a pioneer funeral home. In 1885, he married Margaret Reid, who was the daughter of Robert Reid, a superintendent of the Eagle Flour Mills. Leslie was born in 1889 and educated in Tucson, attending the University of Arizona. According to Clara Fish Roberts, Leslie served in World War I and came home with “shattered nerves.” He committed suicide in New York in 1924.

SCOPE AND CONTENT: This collection consists of one small notebook labeled “Private Account of Leslie E. Millar.” It primarily consists of an expense account for a University of Arizona student in 1906. It has some gaps accounting for “Days of Work” with descriptions of the work and there are several Pages of “Rules,” such as “never be idle.” There is also a personal description dated February 17, 1907 with Millar’s measurements.

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