

**Clifford H. Thomas Collection, 1914-1960**

**Ontario City Library  
Robert E. Ellingwood Model  
Colony History Room**



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## **Descriptive Summary**

### **Title**

Clifford H. Thomas Collection, 1914-1960

### **Creator**

The items in this collection were found in a basement of an old house in Cucamonga by Mr. Ralph Nava in July 1991. He donated the collection to the Model Colony Room that same month.

### **Extent**

**Number of containers:** 2

**Linear feet:** 3

### **Abstract**

This is a collection of personal correspondence, business receipts, war papers, diplomas and report cards of Clifford H. Thomas, co-partner in the Cucamonga Vintage Co. Inc. which later became Thomas Wineries. It covers 1914-1960. The collection was found in the basement of an old Cucamonga house by Ralph Nava in July 1991.

## **Administrative Information**

### **Access**

Collection is open for research during the operating hours of the Robert E. Ellingwood Model Colony History Room, or by appointment.

### **Preferred Citation**

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### **Acquisitions Information**

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### **Processing Information**

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## **Container List**

### **Box 1**

#### **Folder**

- 1 Paid receipts and bills c. 1941-1946
- 2 Paid receipts and bills c. 1940-1947
- 3 Alta Loma Iron Works receipts 1939-1944
- 4 Alta Loma Supply Store receipts 1939-1947
- 5 Associated Telephone Co., Ltd. bills, 1933-1947
- 6 Associated Telephone Co., Ltd. Receipts 1933-1938
- 7 Associated Telephone Co., Ltd. Bills and Receipts 1934-35
- 8 Receipts from Austin, A.W.S. and B receipts 1934-1947
- 9 Automobile receipts-DMV and Ration Board
- 10 Citrus Belt Tractor & Implement Co. & Citrus Materials 1939-1946
- 11 Banking Correspondence and Notes 1942-1945
- 12 Mrs. Marshall Beeman, formerly Lola Jones 1931-1946
- 13 C receipts 1944-1947
- 14 Paid receipts and bills C 1937-1946
- 15 C receipts 1938-1947
- 16 Correspondence 1942-1944
- 17 Colborn Electric Co. receipts 1936-1947
- 18 Correspondence 1942, 1944, 1946
- 19 Correspondence re: Lots 10 & 12, 1960
- 20 Couch, Alan, receipts 1936-1947
- 21 Cucamonga Central Public School Report Cards of Clifford Thomas, 1914 and 1915

### **Box 2**

#### **Folder**

- 1 D – 1944. Bullock's bill, W-2 form-1944, Employee's Earnings from CalAero, bank statement.
- 2 Diploma from the Harvard School, June 12, 1925, Los Angeles
- 3 E folder – Cooperative Extension Work, 2-2-1935
- 4 F folder – Correspondence re: taxes – 1944
- 5 Fish & Game Regulations from Canada – 1939-1940
- 6 Flight Records 1942-45 Las Vegas and Long Beach
- 7 Flight and Military Papers 1942-1947
- 8 Letters Jackrabbit etc. 1931, 1956; 1959; 1960
- 9 M Correspondence Sept. 30, 1942 and June 21, 1944

- 10 Misc. papers – 1930-1946
- 11 P-Q Pilots Club 1944
- 12 Paid bills 1930-1946
- 13 Personal Paid bills 1944-1946
- 14 S Correspondence and paid bills 1938-1941
- 15 703's and Paid Finishing Charges 1945-1946
- 16 703's and Paid Finishing Charges 1947
- 17 T Letters of Recommendation 1947
- 18 Union Oil Co. and Standard Oil Co. receipts 1942
- 19 Union Trust Co. of Pittsburg War Bond Dept. receipts issued  
To Mrs. Sara Slater Finsness for Series E Bonds 1944-1945
- 20 War Papers Graduation announcement from the Douglas Army  
Air Field, Graduation Program, Card acknowledging receipt of  
claim for pension 1944-1946