

**SC-155      Henry L. Booher Automobiles, 1892-1900**

**(9 items)**

The collection consists of a 1935 newspaper clipping reporting the death of Henry Lynn Booher, machinist and pioneer automobile builder, at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Ohio. The collection also consists of seven black and white picture postcards and one black and white photograph showing early automobiles. There is no indication as to who built the automobiles, but were likely built by Mr. Booher. The dates of the automobiles span the period 1892 to 1900.

There is no documentation on when the collection was donated to Wright State University Special Collections and Archives or the name of the donor.

**Item List**

1. Newspaper clippings, Death of Henry L. Booher. Dated 1935.
2. Photograph, 3-wheel vehicle owned by Hazel Shaw. Dated 1892.
3. Postcard, 3-wheel vehicle with two unidentified people sitting in a seat. Dated 1896.
4. Postcard, Unidentified man sitting in automobile. Dated 1896.
5. Postcard, Automobile pulling buggy. Printed on reverse of postcard: Front – Charlie Booher, Cordin Ruse. Rear: Sherman Booher, ?, Mrs. Henry Booher. Dated Dec. 3, 1896.
6. Postcard – Unidentified man sitting in 3-wheel vehicle. Dated 1897.
7. Postcard – Unidentified man sitting in 3-wheel vehicle. Dated 1897.
8. Postcard – Unidentified automobile. Hand-printed on card “Chase-Miller (Wn. Miller) Dated 1900.
9. Postcard – Unidentified automobile. Dated 1900.