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**Dates:** 1908-2016  
**Creator:** Pitts, James Jerome “Jerry,” 1936-2016, collector  
**Collection Size:** 4 cubic feet, 2 oversize items

**Introduction**  
The collection contains research material, articles, photographs, and miscellaneous material largely concerning the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad collected by railroad enthusiast Jerry Pitts.

**Donor Information**  
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M-K-T photographs
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Box 3
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Description of Equipment, 1957
Official Railway Equipment Registers, 1908-1988
Katy Presidents, Chronological listing and individual histories
ICC Accident Reports
Katy Parsons—John Daley publications
Miscellaneous clippings
Floor Plans
Calendars, 1983-2016 (4 folders)
“Missouri-Kansas-Texas Lines: Larger Construction Projects 1920-1923,” W.M. Whitenton
Katy Railroad Historical Society Historical Bulletins No. 1-2
“Katy Standard Plans” compiled by Leon Sapp
M-K-T Freight Equipment, Folio No. 41, 1926

Box 4
M-K-T, Description of Equipment, 1956
“Missouri-Kansas-Texas Lines: Postcard Views and Passenger Time Tables,” Ruth Gardner
Katy Railroad Historical Society Historical Bulletin 2, 1979
M-K-T Principal Shippers
Union Trust Co. of New York Trustees of M-K-T Railway—Contracts for Land Sold
Photographs (2 folders)
M-K-T metal sign
Brochures and pamphlets
Passenger tickets, stationary, and memorabilia
Description of Locomotives Missouri-Kansas-Texas Lines, 1942
“Super Railroads for a Dynamic American Economy” by John Walker Barriger
Diagrams of railroad cars
Miscellaneous research and articles (3 folders)
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OVERSIZE ITEMS
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