

# Charles E. Fenner Collection

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**Louisiana State Museum Historical Center**

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## **Descriptive Summary**

<b>Provenance:</b>	Gift of Chas. E. Fenner, 1944
<b>Title:</b>	Charles E. Fenner Collection
<b>Dates:</b>	1862-1904, no date
<b>Abstract:</b>	This collection houses documents and correspondence related to the Civil War including the Union Democracy Admission ceremony, Fenner's Battery and the dedication of the Robert E. Lee statue.
<b>Extent:</b>	10 Folders
<b>Accession:</b>	12571.01-.10

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## **Biographical / Historical Note**

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## **Scope and Content**

This small collection of Civil War material includes documentation of the Union Democracy Admission Ceremony; documents regarding Fenner's Battery, the dedication of Robert E. Lee statue in New Orleans (1874), letters to Stephen Lee, and the history of Fenner's Battery.

## **Subjects**

Civil War  
Fenner's Battery  
Union Democracy Admission Ceremony  
Robert E. Lee (statue)  
Stephen Lee

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## **Access of Use Restrictions**

## Access

Collection is **open** for research

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## Related of Separated Materials

1992.007.4.06-7 Black and white photo, Rex parade, King's float, Rex Charles E. Fenner on float.

07620 Photo collage of men, "73 living members of Fenner's Louisiana Battery."

10347.020 Fenner's Battery flag

10347.053 Civil War military pin, "Fenner's Battery"

1974.070; 10347; 11144; 11147. Carroll Family Papers; documents re Fenner's Battery.

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## Administrative Information

### Preferred Citation

Charles E. Fenner Collection, Louisiana State Museum Historical Center

### Acquisition Information

This collection was a gift of Mr. Chas. E. Fenner in 1944, acquired through Major Alfred Grima.

### Notes

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## Contents List

**Folder 1:** Letter to W.N. Beall from Charles Fenner. Port Hudson. October 20, 1862.

**Folder 2:** Order to Captain Fener to report to Colonel Miles. Port Hudson. February 16, 1863.

**Folder 3:** Letter to Gen H. Gardner from Charles Fenner. Port Hudson. February 18, 1863.

**Folder 4:** Letter to Captain T.M. Scott from Charles Fenner. April 20, 1863.

**Folder 5:** Booklet. Ceremonies connected with the unveiling of the statue of R.E. Lee. New Orleans, February 22, 1884.

**Folder 6:** Letter to Stephen D. Lee. New Orleans. June 28, 1904.

**Folder 7:** Letter to Charles Fenner from Stephen D. Lee. Columbus, Mississippi, June 30, 1904

**Folder 8:** Pencilled manuscript. "History of Fenner's Battery". No date.

**Folder 9:** Envelope with notes made by Charles Fenner regarding his independent command. No date.

**Folder 10:** Booklet. Admission Ceremonies of the Union Democracy.