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### **Descriptive Summary**

**Title:** Charles Sawyer Collection

**Dates:** 1978

**Collector:** Sawyer, Charles

**Physical Extent:** 1 box (.417 linear feet)

**Repository:** University of Mississippi. Department of Archives and Special Collections. University,

MS 38677, USA

Identification:MUM00257Location:Blues Archive

**Language of Material:** English

**Abstract:** Contains a photocopy of the typescript to Charles Sawyer's *The Arrival of B. B. King* 

(1978).

### **Administrative Information**

### **Acquisition Information**

This typescript was donated to the Blues Archive by B. B. King's manager Sidney A. Seidenberg, 3 May 1985.

### **Processing Information**

Collection received by Suzanne Flandreau Steel. Processing by Greg Johnson, Blues Curator and Assistant Professor.

#### Additions

No further additions are expected to this collection.

### **Subject Terms**

King, B. B. Sawyer, Charles Blues (Music)

### **Formats**

typescripts

### **Biographical Note**

Charles Sawyer teaches blues history at the Harvard Extension School.

### **Scope and Content Note**

This one-box collection contains a photocopy of the typescript to Charles Sawyer's *The Arrival of B. B. King* from 1978. Sections are divided into separate folders. This work was later published as a book of the same title by Doubleday in 1980 [Cataloged: ML420.K473 S3] and released in paperback by Da Capo in 1982 [Cataloged: ML420.K473 S3 1982].

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## **Related Material**

### Resources at the University of Mississippi

The arrival of B. B. King: the authorized biography / Charles Sawyer. Cataloged: ML420.K473 S3

## **Container List**

1	Preface	and	table	of	contents

- 2 Part One: A View through the Microscope
- 3 Part Two: Black Horatio Alger
- 4 Part Three: A View through the Kaleidescope [sic]
- 5 Postscript: An Ode to Jim Crow: The Author's Odyssey in Search of the Blues Boy