

# Abernathy, Thomas P.

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama
<b>Creator:</b>	Abernathy, Thomas Perkins, 1890-1975
<b>Title:</b>	Thomas P. Abernethy manuscript
<b>ID:</b>	MSS.0004
<b>Date:</b>	circa 1965
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.4 Linear feet
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
<b>Language of Materials note :</b>	English
<b>Abstract:</b>	Two galleys with corrections and one type-written manuscript of Abernethy's study, <i>The Formative Period in Alabama</i> , subsequently published as part of the historical series of the Alabama Department of Archives and History. It is a social and political history and originated as Abernethy's doctoral thesis at Harvard University.

### Preferred Citation

Thomas P. Abernethy Manuscript, W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama

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## Biographical/Historical note

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Thomas P. Abernethy, a native Alabamian, received his doctoral degree from Harvard University and served as a professor of history at the University of Virginia.

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## Scope and Contents note

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Gift of Mrs. Elizabeth Fritz, 1962

### Restrictions

None

### Conditions Governing Use note

none

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Alabama--Authors

- Alabama--History--To 1819
- Alabama--Politics and government

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## Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Instances
manuscript	Box 2832