

## **7 – SPECIAL COLLECTIONS AT THE JOHN B. COLEMAN LIBRARY/PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY**

The Coleman Library hosts a number of special collections with limited access. Some of these collections are housed in Special Collection/Archives, but others are located throughout the library. If you have any questions concerning locations, contact the Reference and Information Services Department at 936.261.1535 or stop by the first floor, Room 126:

- **RARE BOOKS**, devoted primarily, although not entirely, to rare works by African-Americans (Special Collections/Archives Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **BLACK HERITAGE OF THE WEST**, specializing in material about the American Southwest (Special Collections/Archives Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **BLACKS IN THE MILITARY**, focusing on the contributions of African-Americans to U.S. military history (Special Collections/Archives Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **T.K. LAWLESS COLLECTION** of materials by and about African-Americans (Special Collections/Archives Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **DELCO ARCHIVES** of the memorabilia of former Texas State Senator Wilhelmina Delco (Special Collections/Archives Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **HYMAN COLLECTION** of articles, manuscripts of Dr. Harold Hyman's research interests (Reference and Information Services Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **KING COLLECTION** is comprised of scholarly materials from the personal collection of Dr. Robert D. King, Distinguished Professor of History, and Philanthropist, from the University of Texas, Austin (Special Collections/Archives Dept., fifth floor, Room 505)
- **AFRICAN ART COLLECTION**, a collection of art from Africa and noted African-American artists (fourth floor)
- **LIBRARY OF AMERICAN CIVILIZATION** and the **LIBRARY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE COLLECTIONS**, original writings in U.S. history and British literature, all prior to the twentieth century (Periodicals/Microforms/Government Documents Room, first floor, Room 127)

## **8 – MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FOR PATRONS**

### **Audio-Visual Equipment**

The library has audio-visual equipment available for in-building use. Equipment includes but is not limited to VCRs, DVD players, CD players, LCD projectors, overhead