## Morehead State University Special Collections & Archives Archives Accession Form

**Department or Office:** Board of Regents

Collection Title: Allie W. Young Scrapbook

**Record Group Number:** RG020-15-37

**Date transferred:** No date of transfer has been recorded.

**Processed by:** Dieter C. Ullrich

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Date Listed: October 9, 2015

**Date Span:** 1904-1935

**Size of Collection:** 0.25 linear feet.

**Number of Boxes:** 1 letter half-size document cases.

Type of Material: Scrapbook.

Condition of Material: Good.

**Arrangement:** Organized by creator.

**Historical Information:** Alkahoun "Allie" Whittington Young was a prominent politician from Morehead, Kentucky during the latter part of the 19<sup>th</sup> century and early 20<sup>th</sup> century. He was born at Elizaville, Kentucky on December 29, 1865. He served as County Attorney, Master Commissioner Circuit Judge, state Senator and as the National Democratic Committeeman from Kentucky. Senator Young was very influential in securing the location of the State Normal School at Morehead. When serving as the Democratic floor leader in the Senate, he was dubbed the "Sage of Morehead" by his colleagues. He passed away in Louisville on February 18, 1935.

**Scope and Content:** Collection consists of detached scrapbook pages of newspaper articles related to the life and political career of Allie W. Young. Senator Young was member of the Morehead State Teachers College Board of Regents from 1924 to 1935. The collection mainly contains obituaries published in central and eastern Kentucky newspapers following his death on February 18, 1935.

## **Subject Headings / Descriptors:**

Young, Allie W., 1865-1935

Board of Regents. Morehead State Teachers College. Morehead State University – History. Kentucky -- Politics and government. Legislators – Kentucky.

**Notes:** Collection was located in amongst loose file folders in the Board of Regents meeting minutes and separated into its own collection in October of 2015.