Morehead State University Special Collections & Archives Archives Accession Form

Department or Office: Morehead State Normal School and Teachers College

Collection Title: Photographs

Record Group Number: RG023-15-15

Date transferred: No date of transferred recorded.

Processed by: Dieter C. Ullrich

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Date Listed: April 20, 2015

Date Span: ca. 1923-1944

Size of Collection: 2.0 linear feet.

Number of Boxes: 2 letter half size document case and 1 oversized box.

Type of Material: Photographic prints.

Condition of Material: Fair with some fading and foxing to older photographs due to aging and improper storage.

Arrangement: Organized alphabetically by subject of photographs; Chronological arrangement.

Historical Information: Morehead State Normal School was established in November of 1922 and officially opened on September 23, 1923. The school was granted the right to confer fouryear degrees and renamed Morehead State Normal School and Teachers College in 1926. By 1930, the name was changed to Morehead State Teachers College. In 1948, the Kentucky General Assembly renamed the teachers college at Morehead to Morehead State College.

Scope and Content: Collection consists of photographic prints of Morehead State Normal School and Teachers College from 1923 to 1944. Collection contains photographs of athletic teams, school bands, buildings and grounds, events, students, faculty, staff and group pictures. Included with the collection are photos of cadets of the United States Naval Training School, known locally as the "Blue Coats," that trained at Morehead during the Second World War.

Subject Headings / Descriptors:

Morehead State Normal School – History – Photographs. Morehead State Normal School and Teachers College – History – Photographs. Morehead State Teachers College – History – Photographs. Morehead State Teachers College. United States Naval Training School. United States – Naval Training School (Morehead State Teachers College) Morehead (Ky.) – Photographs.

Notes: Collection was located in various unorganized boxes in the archives and placed into this collection in the spring of 2015.