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Department or Office: Morehead Normal School Club

Collection Title: Papers

Record Group Number: RG030-15-40

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Date Span: 1887-1987 (bulk, 1942-1969)

Size of Collection: 0.25 linear feet.

Number of Boxes: 1 legal half size document case.

Type of Material: Records, photographs, scrapbooks, ephemera, etc.

Condition of Material: Good.

Arrangement: Organized alphabetically by title of file; Chronological arrangement.

Historical Information: The Morehead Normal School Club was established by fourteen former students at Ashland, Kentucky on April 18, 1942. The first annual meeting of the club was held on July 4, 1942 at Central Park in Ashland. The mission of the club was to “continue the fellowship and good will acquired during our school days” and “assist worthy young people to secure an education.” The club ceased to exist sometime after 1969 as membership diminished.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of records, photographs and ephemera related to the Morehead Normal School Club from 1887 to 1969. The collection contains meeting minutes of the club from 1942 to 1963, newspaper clippings from 1960 to 1962, lyrics to club and school songs, reunion programs from 1957 to 1969, a scrapbook on the history of the Normal School and memorabilia. Included with the collection are newspaper clippings from 1887, list of the School’s first students, correspondence from Cora A. (Hook) Behnlehr (1902-1904), letters to Ruth Lappin (1958-1961), photographs and ephemera (ca. 1900s) and brief school histories and stories.

Subject Headings / Descriptors:

Morehead Normal School – History.

Morehead Normal School Club (Ashland, Ky.)

Behnlehr, Cora A.

Lappin, Ruth.

Button family.

Notes: Collection was pieced together from uncatalogued materials located in the archives.

Provenance for the items in the collection was not documented.