

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

**Department or Office:** Department of Communication, Media & Leadership Studies

**Collection Title:** Trail Blazer Bound Volumes & Loose Issues, 1941-2012

**Record Group Number:** RG001-17-27

**Date transferred:** June 2016

**Processed by:** Dieter C. Ullrich

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**Date Listed:** August 31, 2017

**Date Span:** 1941-2012

**Size of Collection:** 18.0 linear feet.

**Number of Boxes:** 28 volumes and 13 oversized boxes.

**Type of Material:** Newspapers.

**Condition of Material:** Good.

**Arrangement:** Chronological arrangement.

**Historical Information:** The student newspaper of Morehead State University began publication as the *Morehead Light* in 1927. In October of 1929, the newspaper was renamed the *Trail Blazer*. From October of 1943 to May of 1944, students from the United States Navy Training Program published their newspaper, the *Mountain Cruiser*, on the reverse side of the *Trail Blazer*. The student newspaper at Morehead State ceased print publication in the fall semester of 2013.

**Scope and Content:** Collection consists of issues of the *Trail Blazer* student newspaper of Morehead State Teachers College, Morehead State College and Morehead State University from 1941 to 2012. There are 28 bound volumes (1941-1979) and 13 oversized boxes of loose issues of the newspaper.

**Subject Headings / Descriptors:**

Morehead State University. Department of Communication, Media & Leadership Studies.

Morehead State University – History.

College student newspapers and periodicals – Kentucky.

Morehead (Ky.) – Newspapers.

Morehead State University – Newspapers.

**Notes:** Collection was transferred from the Department of Communication, Media & Leadership Studies to the University Archives in June of 2016.