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Collection Title: Adron Doran Publications on Religion, 1981-1996

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Size of Collection: 2.0 linear feet.

Number of Boxes: 1 oversize box.

Type of Material: Newspaper clippings.

Condition of Material: Good.

Arrangement: Chronological arrangement.

Historical Information: Adron Doran was the seventh president of Morehead State University from 1954 to 1976. He was born at Boydsville, Kentucky on September 1, 1901. Doran graduated from Cuba High School in Graves County, Kentucky in 1928. He was a student at Freed-Hardeman College in Henderson, Tennessee from 1928 to 1930 and later earned a Bachelors' degree in 1932 and Masters' degree in 1948 from Murray State University. He received his Doctorate in Education from the University of Kentucky in 1950. For fifteen years prior to becoming president of Morehead State, Doran was a high school teacher, principal, and basketball coach. He served two and one-half years as Director of Teacher Education and Certification in the Kentucky State Department of Education. Doran served four terms in the Kentucky House of Representatives (1943-1951) and was Speaker of that House in 1950 and 1951. He also served as president of the Board of Directors of the Kentucky Education Association and as a member of the Legislative Commission of the National Education Association and Southern Regional Education Board of Directors. In 1971, he received the Horatio Alger Award from the Association of American Schools and Colleges. Adron Doran died November 23, 2001 at the age of 92 and buried at Highland Park Cemetery in Mayfield, Kentucky.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of articles written by Adron Doran and published by *The World Evangelist* from 1981 to 1996. Many of the articles focused upon the history of the Church of Christ and American Restoration Movement and published under the series title of “Perspectives and Profiles of the Past.”

Subject Headings / Descriptors:

Doran, Adron, 1901-2001.

Morehead State University. Office of the President.

Morehead State University – Presidents.

Restoration movement (Christianity)

Church of Christ – History.

Notes: