



Western Kentucky University
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Series 7 Training Schools
Subseries 2 Mary Grise

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Actors

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Charitable organizations

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College High (WKU)

Correspondence

Drama

Graduation ceremonies

Membership cards

Music festivals

Programs

Speeches, address, etc.

Theatrical productions

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Box 1	1	Grise, Mary	1952-1956	Memory Book
Description	Class of 1956 (CHS) My School Memory Book			Subjects Scrapbooks
Box 1	2	Grise, Mary	1955-1959	Papers
Description	Affirmation Team All-Kentucky High School Orchestra, 1955 American Legion Auxiliary, Girls Nation Calling cards Class of 1956 (CHS) Miller, Russell. Giants Lie Sleeping, 1851 Bell's Tavern Script Senior Class Memories The Curious Savage The Debate of the Decade, 1959			Subjects Programs Music festivals Musicians Clubs Student organizations Postcards Advertisements Membership cards Broad sides
Box 1	3	Grise, Mary	1951-1954	Scrapbook
Description	Items removed from scrapbook. D3575 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/stu_alum_papers/100/ 26 Received Superior Ratings in Region Speech Festival Held Here Saturday, np, 1954 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet - Piano Solo (2) All District Choristers, PCDN, 1953 Ann Tabb, Junior at BGHS, Is Contest Winner, PCDN, 1953 Beta Club Chapter at College High, np, 1953 Citizens of the Week, PCDN, 1954 Class of 1956 (WKU) College High (WKU) Denton, Milton Favorites Win in Girls' Tennis Tournament, np, nd Five from City Win Superior Ratings at Speech Festival, np, nd Five Schools Receive High Drama Ratings, np, nd			Subjects Programs Clippings Receipts Tennis Music festivals Musicians Speeches, address, etc. Clubs Student organizations

GAL is Host at Banquet Friday, np, nd
 Girl Scouts Give Program, np, nd
 Girls Scouts 42nd Birthday Anniversary, 1954
 Girls Tennis Tournament
 I Speak for Democracy
 Judge's Rating Sheet - Kentucky High School Speech Festival, 4/13/1954
 Kentucky High School Drama Festival, 3/1954
 Kentucky High School Speech Festival, 3/13/1954, 4/1954
 Madisonville Team Wins High-School Debate Title, np, 1954
 Miss Celeste Natcher Honor Guest at Shower, np, 1953
 Mr., Mrs. Denton Hosts at Reception, np, nd
 Music Club Host at May Luncheon, np, nd
 Music Test Won by Campbellsville, LCJ, 4/10/1954
 Participants in Music Festival May Hit Record High, np, nd
 Pattye Thompson Captures Girls City Tennis Crown, np, nd
 Pattye Thompson Tops Defending Champ in Girls' Net Tourney, np, 1953
 Polly Elkin Begins Defense of City Girls' Tennis Title, np, 1953
 Record 22 in Girls' Meet, np, nd
 Regional Drama Festival, 3/6/1954
 Six to Speak in Contest, np, nd
 Southern Kentucky Music Educators Association. Regional Music Festival, 4/1954
 Speech Program 3/3/1954
 State Music Festival, 1954
 The Debutteen Club, np, nd
 The Rich Young Ruler
 Training School Unit is Host at Reception, np, nd
 Transylvania University.
 Warren County High School Commencement, 4/18/1954
 Warren High Baccalaureate Set Sunday, np, 4/18/1954
 West Kentucky Finals in Music Event Today, LCJ, nd
 Western Kentucky State College. Department of Music Preparatory Recital, 1953-54
 What America Means to Me
 Why Study English?
 Winners in Essay Contest Announced, np, 1951

Box 1 4 Grise, Mary 1954-1955

Scrapbook

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Subjects Correspondence
 Programs
 Photographs
 Music festivals

1000 Pupils Toot or Sing at Festival, PCDN, nd
 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Choral Groups
 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Piano
 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Vocal Solo
 American Legion Auxiliary
 Beta Club
 Bowling Green District Youth Institute, 2/1955
 Campbellsville Takes Top Honors in Music Festival, PCDN, nd
 Clements, Earle
 College High Debate Team Wins Superior in State Contest, PCDN, 4/1955
 College High Orchestra
 College High Student is Winner of 'Voice of Democracy' Contest, 12/1954
 College High Wins Superior, 3 Excellent Ratings in Festival, PCDN, 2/1955
 College Hi-Lights, 12/3/1954
 DeMille, Cecil B.
 Drama Festival is Tomorrow, PCDN, 2/1955
 Field, Eugene. Just 'Fore Christmas
 Grise, George
 Judge's Rating Sheet - Kentucky High School Regional Festival (2)
 Kentucky High School Drama Festival, 3/21/1955
 Kentucky High School Speech Festival, 3/26/1955
 Kentucky High School Speech Festival, 4/1955
 Kentucky Homemakers
 March of Dimes

Mary Ruth Grise Won Essay Contest, PCDN, 12/1954
 Mayfield's Debate Team is State Champion, np, nd
 Music (WKU)
 Natcher, William
 Park Methodist Church (Lexington, KY)
 Schoolmasters Club
 Shopping Tour, Parties Set for Dec. 17, PCDN, nd
 State Street Methodist Church (Bowling Green, KY)
 Superior Ratings Go to 11 in Speech Festival, PCDN, nd
 Teens Take Part, PCDN, nd - March of Dimes
 Ten From College High Attend Beta Meeting, PCDN, 12/1954
 Visit with Vice President Richard Nixon, PCDN, nd
 Why Study English?, General Electric Company, nd
 Winner of Jaycee Essay Contest to be Decided Tonight, PCDN, 12/1954
 Word, Elizabeth

Box 1 5 Grise, Mary 1955-1956
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Scrapbook

Subjects Programs
 Photographs
 Clippings
 Commencement
 Graduations
 Membership cards

1000 Pupils Expected for Festival Opener, PCDN, nd
 3500 Are Due to Attend Music-Fete Finale Today, LCJ, nd
 43 Models are Selected for Style Show, PCDN, nd
 600 Musicians Perform at Western, LCJ, nd
 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Piano
 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Piano
 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Vocal Solo
 All-State High School Orchestra, PCDN, nd
 Alumnus to Speak at College High Commencement Tonight, PCDN, 5/1956 George Grise
 Alvaton Girl Named "Junior Citizen," PCDN, nd, Sue Hays
 B.G., College High Take Top Honors in Speech Meet, PCDN, nd
 Bands, Orchestras Close Festival, PCDN, nd
 Beta Club
 Broadway Methodist Church (Bowling Green, KY)
 Christ Episcopal Church (Bowling Green, KY)
 Class of 1956 (CHS)
 College High Graduates, PCDN, nd
 College High Wins Top Debate Honors, PCDN, nd
 Commencement Set Tonight at Western, PCDN, 5/1956
 Cotillion Club Entertains with Christmas Dance, PCDN, nd
 Debate Team Places Third, PCDN, nd
 Festival Concert Fills Auditorium, LCJ, nd
 Hopkinsville Team Cops State Debate Tournament, np, nd
 Jaycees to Name "Junior Citizen," PCDN, nd
 Judge's Rating Sheet - Kentucky High School State Festival
 Kentucky High School Drama Festival, 3/1956
 Kentucky High School Speech Festival, 4/1956
 Music (WKU)
 Music Educators National Conference, 4/16/1956
 Natcher, William
 Presbyterian Church (Bowling Green, KY)
 Regional Music Festival, 4/1956
 Russellville Wins Sweepstakes Honors During 2-Day Regional Music Festival, PCDN, nd
 Scholarships
 State Street Methodist Church (Bowling Green, KY)
 Women's Night Services Planned for Sunday Vesper, PCDN, nd
 Young People to Present Program at State Street Church, PCDN, nd

Description	Items removed from scrapbook. D3597 - https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/stu_alum_papers/97	Subjects	Awards Speeches, etc. Programs Autographs Business cards
	<p>1955 Girls State Officers Sworn in on Capitol Steps, LCJ, 6/15/1955 Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Piano Adjudicator's Comment Sheet, Vocal Solo All Kentucky High School Chorus, 11/30/1955 All-Kentucky High School Orchestra, 12/2/1955 All-State Orchestra to Present Concert, np, nd All-State Orchestra to Present Concert, np, nd American Legion Auxiliary American Red Cross Barkley, Alben Beacon Mutual Indemnity Company Benner, Millicent. Girls' Nation Delegates Meet Vice President Nixon at Capitol, Washington Post, 8/6/1955 Beta Club CDS Drugstore Christmas Pageant at Methodist Church, np, nd Clements, Earle College Heights Herald, 10/7/1955 College High Basketball Banquet, np, nd College High Graduates, PCDN, 5/27/1956 College High Graduation Activities Begin Sunday, 1956 College High Seniors Return from Trip Cotillion Club Craig, ? Delegates to Girls Nation are Selected, Lexington Herald, nd Elder, Shirley. Mrs. Lainsen Stresses Home Role, np, nd Elder, Shirley. All Who Vote Are in Political Role, np, nd Elson, Katharine. Tennessee Hails a (Girl) President, np, nd, Brenda Russ Fair Board Offers KEA Break-Even Price on Coliseum, PCDN, 5/27/1956 Girls Nation, 1955 Girls State Delegates Elect Officers, np, nd Girls State Delegates Pick County Officials, LCJ, 1955 Girls State Officers are Inaugurated Today, np, nd Girls' Nation Elects New President, Veep, Evening Star, 8/9/1955 Gordon Wilson Award, 1959 Granthams, Dewey Grise, Mary. Government of the People, 1956 Grise, Mary. Let's Go to the Dogs!!, nd Harris, Frances Kentucky Girls State Kentucky High School State Music Festival, 4/1955 Lide, Frances. Women's Issues Outdated, Girls Told, np, nd Louisville Methodist Conference MYF. Argus, Summer Camp Edition, 1955 Louisville Methodist Conference MYF. Argus, Vol. I, No. 2, March 1958 Maguire, Mary Mary Ruth Grise Chosen Girls Nation Delegate, CHH, 1955 Mary Ruth Grise is Chosen to Sing in All-National Chorus, 1956 Mary Ruth Grise is Chosen to Sing in All-National Chorus, np, nd Mary Ruth Grise to be State Delegate at Girls Nation, PCDN, 1955 Meisler, Stanley. Bird Fans Begin Watch Over Whooping Crane Eggs, PCDN, 5/27/1956 Methodist Group at Lindsey Wilson, np, nd Miller, Russell Miss Grise Chosen, LCJ, 1955 Music Club Presents Family Program, np, nd Natcher, William Old Tomb is Discovered in Israel, PCDN, 5/27/1956 Paducah and Lexington Girls Head Officials of Mythical Girls State, Lexington Leader, 6/15/1955 Paducah Pupil Elected Girls State Governor, np, nd Pattye Thompson Repeats as Girls' Tennis Champ, np, nd Regional Drama Festival, 2/25/1956</p>		

Seven Delegates leave Here for Girls State at Lexington, PCDN, 1955
Southern Baptists to Convene, PCDN, 5/27/1956
State Street Methodist Church (Bowling Green, KY)
Summers, Eileen. Hear Requisites for Women's Services, np, nd
Tate-Stewart Wedding May 27, PCDN, nd, Linda Tate & Hoye Stewart
Taylor, Guy
Thompson, Kelly
Two From Here Elected to Office at Girls State, PCDN, 1955
Vaughan, Mary. Everyone Who Votes is a Politician Today, np, nd
Vets' Digest, PCDN, 5/27/1956
Visit with Vice President Richard Nixon, PCDN, nd
Warren Post Honors Girls and Boys, PCDN, nd
Wilson, Gordon
Wilson, Gordon. Frontiers, 7/15/1959