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Descriptive Inventory

FA 98 BASKET Making in the Mammoth Cave Area

1 box. 18 folders. 28 items. 1974-1977.

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COLLECTION NOTE

This collection consists of interviews done with basket makers in Hart, Grayson, Muhlenberg and Edmonson counties of Kentucky. Only the transcriptions of the interviews were donated, not the audio tapes. The makers discuss the history, process, marketing and distribution, social attitudes, historical patterns and aesthetics of basket making. The interviews were conducted by students in Lynwood Montell's Folk Art and Technology Class at Western Kentucky University in the Fall of 1977. There is one interview (Folder 12) from 1974. Folder 2 includes two short papers used for the project: "Hart County is Center of Kentucky Basket Industry" by W. I. Bavill, and "The Story of Basket Making" by Roy A. Cann.

BOX 1

Folder 1	Inventory and analysis	1977	4 items
Folder 2	Research materials	n.d.	2 items
Folder 3	Deborah Hall's transcription of interview with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burba: Interview #1 and #2	1977	2 items
Folder 4	John Marshall and Judith Schottenfeld's transcription of interview with Anderson Childress	1977	1 item
Folder 5	Lyndell Payton's transcription of interview with George Childress	1977	1 item
Folder 6	Jim Brown and Judith Schottenfeld's transcription of interview with Rec Childress	1977	1 item
Folder 7	Luann Bombard's transcription of interview with Newt and Lonie Cook: Interview #1 , #2 , #3	1977	3 items

Folder 8	Elizabeth Harzoff's transcription of interview with Stanley Cottrell	1977	1 item
Folder 9	Keith Ludden's transcription of interview with Audie Denison: Interview #1 , #2	1977	2 items
Folder 10	Michael Korn and Denis Kiely's transcription of interview with Thomas Fenwick	1977	1 item
Folder 11	Lynwood Montell's transcription of interview with Walter D. Logsdon and Bertha T. Skaggs	1977	1 item
Folder 12	Judi and Steve Sadewasser's transcription of interview with Walter D. Logsdon	1974	1 item
Folder 13	Martin B Ostrofsky's transcription of interview with Lillian and Loyd Meredith	1977	1 item
Folder 14	Pauline Pruet's data	1977	1 item
Folder 15	Molly Collins and Lynwood Montell's transcription of interview with Walker Thompson	1977	1 item
Folder 16	George Simpson's transcription of interview with Ella Trulock	1977	1 item
Folder 17	Gary Davis and Beth Wilson's transcription of interview with Gertie and Elwood West	1977	1 item
Folder 18	Appendix II & III	1977	2 items

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Basket making
 Basket making – Edmonson County
 Basket making – Grayson County
 Basket making – Hart County B1 F2
 Basket making – Muhlenberg County
 Basket making – History – 20th Century B1 F2
 Bombard, Luann (Strausbaug) – Collector B1 F7
 Brown, Jim (Interviewer) B1 F6
 Burba, Estella (Brooks), 1902-1988 (Informant) B1 F2-3
 Burba, Ralph, 1898-1988 (Informant) B1 F2-3
 Childress, Jesse Anderson, 1928-2012 (Informant) B1 F4,18
 Childress, Elijah Thomas B1 F18
 Childress, George Thomas, 1915-2006 (Informant) B1 F5
 Childress, Rector “Rec” (Informant) B1 F6,18
 Collins, Mary Sue “Molly” (Interviewer) B1 F15
 Cook, Lona (Stice), 1895-1994 (Informant) B1 F7
 Cook, Newton Henry, 1894-1978 (Informant) B1 F7
 Cottrell, Stanley Wilbur, 1912-1980 (Informant) B1 F8, 18
 Davis, Gary Mack (Interviewer) B1 F17
 Denison, Audie G., 1900-1999 (Informant) B1 F9
 Fenwick, Thomas Mayo, 1909-1997 (Informant) B1 F10
 Forests and forestry – Mammoth Cave B1 F2
 General stores – Hart County B1 F2
 Hall, Deborah (Interviewer) B1 F3
 Hall, Roger B1 F3
 Harzoff, Elizabeth Gail (Interviewer) B1 F8
 Jaggars family, 1700-1900 B1 F2
 Jaggars, Nimrod B1 F2
 Kiely, Denis Owen (Interviewer) B1 F10
 Korn, Michael Edward (Interviewer) B1 F10
 Logsdon, Walter Dawson, 1892-1979 (Informant) B1 F11
 Ludden, Keith J. (Interviewer) B1 F9
 Lumber trade B1 F2
 Mammoth Cave – History B1 F2
 Marshall, John (Interviewer) B1 F4
 Meredith, Lillian (Gonterman), 1915-2004 B1 F12
 Meredith, Loyd George, 1915-1984 (Informant) B1 F12-13
 Montell, William Lynwood, 1931-2023 (Interviewer) B1 F11,15
 Moody, Aza
 Ostrofsky, Martin Bruce (Interviewer) B1 F13
 Payton, Lyndell Ray (Interviewer) B1 F5
 Poetry – Mammoth Cave
 Pruett, Pauline (Informant) B1 F14
 Sadewassar, Judith K. “Judi” (Interviewer) B1 F12

Sadewassar, Steve (Interviewer) B1 F12
Schottenfeld, Judith Dian (Interviewer) B1 F4,6
Simpson, George (Interviewer) B1 F16
Skaggs, Bertha M. (Thompson), 1928-2020 (Informant) B1, F11
Strange, Walton B1 F2
Thomas, Elijah, 1863-1946
Thompson, Let B1 F2
Thompson, Walker, 1896-1985 (Informant) B1 F15
Timber B1 F2
Trulock, Ella Mae, 1903-1998 (Informant) B1 F16
West, Elwood, 1923-2004 (Informant) B1 F17
West, Mary Gertie, 1900-1981 (Informant) B1 F17
White oak B1 F2
Wilson, Beth (Interviewer) B1 F17

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