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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 94 LEWISBURG United Methodist Church – Lewisburg, Kentucky

2 ½ boxes. 28 folders. 131 items. 1875-1968. Photocopies.

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ORGANIZATIONAL HISTORY

Philip Kennerly, who was born in Virginia in 1759, settled in Logan County, Kentucky, in 1807. Shortly after arriving, he and his wife and John Groves and his wife organized Kennerly's Chapel, a Methodist church at location about ten or twelve miles north of Russellville. The church met originally in the Kennerly's home, but in 1812 a building was constructed on three acres of land donated by Kennerly and located about one-fourth mile from Henryville. Kennerly's Chapel was moved to Lewisburg and Drakesboro, it is noted that Kennerly's Chapel is usually called Lewisburg except in the minutes of the quarterly conference minutes. Then as time passed this congregation became known as the Lewisburg United Methodist Church.

BIBLIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

The Collection.
Coffman, Edward. *The Story of Logan County*, c 1962.

COLLECTION NOTES

The collection is composed of photocopies chiefly of quarterly conference records, 1885-1941, of the Lewisburg, Kentucky Methodist Episcopal, South Circuit. Logan and Muhlenberg County churches comprised this circuit. There is additional data about some of the churches, including roll books, 1875-1949, and minutes of the Woman's Missionary Society, 1883-1968.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1	Roll book and quarterly conference record books	1875 – 1929	17 items
Folder 1	Descriptive inventory and data		4 items
Folder 2	Roll book of Kennerly's Chapel (photocopy)	1875 – 1905	1 item
Folder 3	Church register of Concord (photocopy)	1895-1932	1 item
Folder 4	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Nov. 14, 1885 - Aug. 3, 1889	1 item
Folder 5	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Nov. 16, 1889 - Sept. 23, 1893	1 item
Folder 6	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Jan. 4, 189?-	1 item
Folder 7	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Dec. 22, 1894 - Sept. 10, 1898	1 item
Folder 8	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Dec. 3, 1898 - Sept. 13, 1902	1 item
Folder 9	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Dec. 20, 1902 - Aug. 11, 1906	1 item
Folder 10	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Dec. 5, 1910 - Dec. 2, 1911	1 item
Folder 11	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Apr. 20, 1915 - May 26, 1918	1 item
Folder 12	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Mar. 10, 1917 - Jan. 22, 1919	1 item
Folder 13	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Nov. 8, 1920 - Aug. 6, 1924	1 item
Folder 14	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	July 7, 1929 -	1 item

BOX 2	Roll book and quarterly conference record books	1931-1949	5 items
Folder 1	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	1931-Mar.4, 1934	1 item
Folder 2	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	1933-1937	1 item
Folder 3	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Nov. 24, 1935 - Oct. 29, 1939	1 item
Folder 4	Quarterly conference record book (photocopy)	Oct. 29, 1939 - June 14, 1941	1 item
Folder 5	Church roll for: Beechland, Concord, Sand Springs, Union Grove and Lewisburg (photocopy)	1939-1949	1 item
BOX 3	Woman's Missionary Society minutes and Wesleyan Circle records	May 30, 1883-Sept. 5, 1968	9 items
Folder 1	Woman's Missionary Society minutes (photocopy)	May 30, 1883-Feb. 3, 1890	1 item
Folder 2	Woman's Missionary Society minutes (photocopy)	Nov. 5, 1906-Nov. 3, 1919	1 item
Folder 3	Woman's Missionary Society minutes (photocopy)	Jan. 5, 1920-Dec. 15, 1924	1 item
Folder 4	Woman's Missionary Society minutes (photocopy)	Jan. 19, 1925-Nov. 19, 1933	1 item
Folder 5	Woman's Missionary Society minutes (photocopy)	Dec. 18, 1933-Nov., 1939	1 item
Folder 6	The Woman's Society of Christian Service minutes (photocopy)	Jan. 19, 1948-Dec. 22, 1952	1 item
Folder 7	The Woman's Society of Christian Service minutes (photocopy)	Jan. 19, 1953-June 24, 1959	1 item

Folder 8	The Woman's Society of Christian Service minutes (photocopy)	Dec. 6, 1962-Sept. 5, 1968	1 item
Folder 9	The Woman's Society of Christian Service minutes (photocopy)	1960-1962	1 item

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

MSS LEWISBURG United Methodist 1875-1968
94 Church – Lewisburg, Kentucky

Quarterly conference records of the Lewisburg, Kentucky Methodist Episcopal, South Circuit, which includes churches in Logan and Muhlenberg Counties, 1885-1941; additional data about churches in the conference; church roll books, 1875-1949; and Woman's Missionary Society minutes, 1883-1968.

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Beechland Methodist Church – Logan County B2, 1-5
 Concord Methodist Church – Logan County B1,3;B2, 1-5
 Kennerly's Chapel Methodist Church – Logan County B1,2,4&5
 Logan County – Churches – Methodist
 Methodist churches – Associations
 Methodist churches – Logan County
 Methodist churches – Muhlenberg County
 Methodist Episcopal Church, South
 Minute books
 Muhlenberg County – Churches – Methodist
 Sand Spring Methodist Church – Logan County B2,1-5
 Union Grove Methodist Church – Logan County B2,1-5
 Woman's Missionary Society

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