



Western Kentucky University
UA37 Faculty Personal Papers
Series 19 Alonzo Burton Personal Papers

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Biographical History: Alonzo Carroll Burton was born in Lawrence County, Indiana on July 15, 1867. He served as Superintendent of the Mayfield City Schools prior to joining the faculty of the Western Kentucky State Normal School in 1912. He was head of the Rural Education Department until his death on October 14, 1933.

Description: Records consisting of Burton's writings on rural education and literacy. Also contains a compilation of his writings and sayings and a book of tributes assembled upon his death. It is arranged in chronological order.

Dates: 1932-1934

Extent: 7 folders

Subject Analytics:

Education

Rural schools

Digital Commons:

Elementary and Middle and Secondary Education Administration

Elementary Education

Elementary Education and Teaching

Accession Information: Donated by Alonzo Burton.

Access Restrictions: none

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Finding Aid Report

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UA37.19	Records	Date
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Container List

Container	Folder	Creator	Date	Title
Box 1	1-2	Burton, Alonzo Carroll, 1867-1933	1932	Rural Education
Description	Rural Education in Kentucky			Subjects Rural schools
Box 1	4	Burton, Alonzo Carroll, 1867-1933	1933	Kentucky Educational Commission
Box 1	5		1933	Tribute to Alonzo Burton
Box 1	3	Gorman, Burton W.	1934	Alonzo Burton
Description	Gorman, Burton W. Wit & Wisdom of Alonzo Carroll Burton, 1934			
Box 1	6-7	Burton, Alonzo Carroll, 1867-1933	nd	Articles
Description	Report on Moonlight School Work in Warren County Burton, A.C. & Horace McMurtry. Teaching in Elementary Schools.			Subjects Rural schools Literacy