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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 134 UNITED Service Organization - Bowling Green, Kentucky

1 box. 10 folders. 19 items. 1942-1945. Originals, photocopies, computer disc.

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THE COLLECTION

In August 2000, Dr. John Warren Oakes, a retired Western Kentucky University art faculty member, donated a box of registration cards that had been kept by the Bowling Green United Service Organization during World War II. The cards were dated and contained the following information: name, camp address, relative's name, relative's address, city/state, relationship to soldier, and notes. Some cards were illegible.

The cards were incomplete; only fourteen of the cards fall within the range of letters A-L. The surnames on the remaining cards are from Mc-Z. Only cards containing interesting notes were kept in hard copy. A listing of the notes found on all the cards is included. All the information from the cards was entered in a Microsoft Access database. The database information is on disc, which is in the collection.

SHELF LIST

| BOX 1 | United Service Organization - Bowling Green | 1942-1945 | 19 items |
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| Folder 1 | Descriptive inventory, listing of visitors and their comments, and disc | 1942-1945 | 4 items |
| Folder 2 | Registration cards: Mc - W (originals) | 1942-1945 | 14 items |
| Folder 3 | Registration cards: B - M (photocopies) | 1943-1944 | 1 item; p.1-56a |
| Folder 4 | Registration cards: N (photocopies) | 1942-1944 | p.57-138a |

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| Folder 5 | Registration cards: O-Pa (photocopies) | 1942-1945 | p.139-261a |
| Folder 6 | Registration cards: Pe - Pi (photocopies) | 1942-1944 | p.262-346a |
| Folder 7 | Registration cards: PI - V (photocopies) | 1942-1944 | p.347-444 |
| Folder 8 | Registration cards: W - We (photocopies) | 1942-1945 | p.445-558a |
| Folder 9 | Registration cards: Wh - Wi (photocopies) | 1943-1945 | p.559-641a |
| Folder 10 | Registration cards: WI - Z | 1942-1945 | p.642-723 |

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

MSS 134 UNITED Service Organization -
Bowling Green 1942-1945

Registration cards kept of visitors to the Bowling Green, Kentucky United Service Organization during World War II. Most of the cards fall in the range of letters Mc-Z.

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Bowling Green – World War II, 1939-1945 – United Service Organizations, 1942-1945
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