



## Western Kentucky University

UA3 President's Office

Series 1 Henry Cherry

Subseries 6 Organizations

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**Administrative History:** The president's office was created in 1906. Henry Hardin Cherry served as founder of WKU and its first president, a position he held until his death in 1937.

Henry Hardin Cherry was born November 16, 1864 in Warren County, Kentucky, the son of George Washington and Frances (Stahl) Cherry. He attended the Southern Normal School and Business College along with his brother Thomas Crittenden Cherry. After college the Cherry brothers taught in rural schools and Henry returned to teach at the Southern Normal. They purchased the school in 1892 with Henry filling the main administrative role. Cherry actively pursued the creation of a state funded teacher training school and in 1906 succeeded in converting the Southern Normal into the Western Kentucky State Normal School.

Highlights of his administration include the purchase of the Potter College for Young Ladies property which resulted in the relocation of the school to "the Hill," the merger with Ogden College, construction of buildings, hiring of faculty and the evolution of the training school into a four year college.

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### Subject Analytics:

Cherry, Henry Hardin, 1864-1937

Kentucky Education Association

Kentucky Educational Association

Rotary Club

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## Container List

Container	Folder	Creator	Date	Title
Box 1	5	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Ackley, Clarence Akin, P.B. Anderson, Iva Baker, Newton Barnes, Ivan Bartlett, Erma Bass, R.D. Beauchamp, R.N Becraft, G.I. Bell, Stella Bell, W.C. Bennett, C.H. Beveridge, Albert Birckhead, E.F. Blair, D.I. Bledsoe, Baxter Bradner, J.W. Brandenburg, W.C. Bridges, D.W. Broach, R.E. Brooker, J.W. Brown, John Bryant, N.D. Buckman, Mary Bullock, D.G. Burnette, H.G. Burton, M.L. Byers, R.A. Cadsady, M.A. Cain, O.W. Caldwell, L.C. Calkins, Hugh Callahan, P.H. Caltin, Olive Canon, C.R. Carpenter, Meredith			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns

Chapman, J.V.  
 Chapman, Virgil  
 Cherry, T.C.  
 Chumbler, Roy  
 Clark, M.J.  
 Clarke, W.S.  
 Clay, Henry  
 Cofer, Ella  
 Committees  
 Condon, Randall  
 Cook, Dorothy  
 Cox, H.  
 Curry, D.B.  
 Dabney, O.B.  
 Dalton, Roscoe  
 Davis, Stark  
 Deedrick, J.S.  
 Dillehay, J.W.  
 Downard, O.E.  
 Dudley, C.E.  
 Eastern Kentucky University  
 Kentucky Federation of Womens Clubs  
 Kentucky. Division of Vocational Education  
 Louisville Courier-Journal  
 Speakers  
 University of Kentucky  
 University of Virginia  
 William Beck & Sons Company

Box 1	6	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Ivan Barnes
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Ivan Barnes, director of Vocational Education in Kentucky regarding KEA meetings and speakers.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	7	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - T.J. Coates
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and T.J. Coates of Eastern Kentucky University regarding KEA membership in the eastern part of the state.			Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 1	8	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1927	Kentucky Education Association - Ernest Burnham
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Ernest Burnham of Western Michigan University regarding speaking at the KEA meeting.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	9	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Frank Button
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Frank Button of Morehead State University regarding KEA and country schools.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	10	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Rotary
Description	Correspondence regarding speakers at Rotary Clubs regarding education and KEA.			Subjects Meetings

Altsheler, Yancy  
 Campbell, Stuart  
 Rotary Club (Louisville, KY)

Box 1	11	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - George Colvin
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and George Colvin of the University of Louisville regarding KEA meetings.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	12	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Mattie Dalton
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Mattie Dalton, Fayette County Superintendent of Education regarding KEA membership.			Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 1	13	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Eble, Carrie Embry, M.A. Evans, W.W. Exchange Club (Louisville, KY) Fahey, J.E. Falls, J.D. Fay, J.W. Ferguson, Mamie Ferris, Emery Ford, M.C. Foust, J.L. Fox, William. The Larger Mission of Motion Pictures, nd Frank, Glenn Galloway, O.F. Gatton, Harper Gentry, C.H. Glenn, J.J. Glover, R.I. Godby, S.G. Godman, Mark Gordon, J.C. Green, Mollie Green, R.P. Guilliams, J.M. Hall, T.O. Hammack, L.B. Hanifan, L.J. Hardeman, J.D. Harman, J. Lewie Harmon, Claude Harris, T.H. Harris, William Hartley, B.W. Helderman, N.E. Henry, Charles Hibbs, W.F. Hill, Ralph Holland, J.N. Howard, George Howard, J.A. Howton, Everett Hughes, M.C. Hume, Louis Hutson, Woodfin Ireland, J.W. Jenkins, Judson Jillson, W.R. Johnson, T.W. Jones, Clara			Subjects Membership campaigns Politicians

Jones, Mytrie  
 Jones, W.F.  
 Jouett, E.A.  
 Judd, R.D.  
 Kentucky State Fair Association  
 National Security League  
 Resolutions Committee  
 Speakers  
 Transcontinental Tours

Box 1	14	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1927	Kentucky Education Association - McCormick Memorial Fund
Description	Correspondence between Nellie Wright and Anne Grice of the Elizabeth McCormick Memorial Fund to arrange for Dr. Hedger to speak at the KEA meeting.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	15	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1927	Kentucky Education Association - J.B. Holloway
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and J.B. Holloway of the Kentucky Department of Education regarding KEA membership and meetings.  Lewis, J.O.			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns
Box 1	16	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - P.H. Hopkins
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and P.H. Hopkins of the Kentucky Department of Education regarding KEA membership.  Lewis, J.O.			Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 1	17	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - George Howard
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and George Howard, Rowan County, North Carolina Superintendent of Education regarding speaking at the KEA meeting.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	18	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926	Kentucky Education Association - William Hutchins
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and William Hutchins of Berea College regarding a meeting for the KEA board of directors.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	19	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - W.L. Jayne
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and W.L. Jayne of Morehead State University regarding KEA membership.			Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 1	20	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Pearle Jordan
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Pearle Jordan of Murray State University regarding KEA membership and meetings.			Subjects Membership campaigns Meetings
Box 1	21	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Colvin, George Kelly, S.C. Kendall, Glenn Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns

Kerr, W.B.  
Kinslow, Alcie  
Kirkpatrick, Lee  
Lancaster, J.W.  
Lee, Mayme  
Lee, Sophie  
Leigh Lecture Bureau  
Lester, Clyde  
Lewis, Mildred  
Lindsey, Gertie  
Long, W.S.  
Loy, Noah  
Luten, Inez  
Marshall, W.G.  
Martin, N.G.  
Mason, E.T.  
Matthews, W.L.  
McAllister, Claude  
McClain, W.T.  
McCormick, A.T.  
McCubbing, Margaret  
McDowell, Fred  
McGlone, Farris  
McGuire, W.A.  
McMahan, Oreana  
McVey, Frank  
McVey, J.M.  
Meece, L.E.  
Meinschein, Tim  
Miller, E.M.  
Mills, Vaught  
Monahon, Harry  
Montgomery, R.L.  
Moore, Cleveland  
Moore, Jonathan  
Morgan, Bettie  
Moss, Willia  
Mullikin, O.L.  
Muntz, J.H.  
Napier, M.C.  
Newman, James  
Norton, Marshall  
Nuckols, C.B.  
O'Donnell, W.R.  
O'Neal, Carrie  
Owen, B.M.  
Palmore, R.A.  
Parsons, Noah  
Patterson, Kenneth  
Paxton, E.J.  
Payne, Howard  
Peters, H.W.  
Peters, R.F.  
Petrie, Charles  
Peyton, Warren  
Pirtle, J.C.  
Powell, E.L.  
Powell, L.H.  
Powell, R.L.  
Southern School Journal  
Williams, R.E.

Box 1	22	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - N.O. Kimbler
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and N.O. Kimber, Henderson Superintendent of Schools regarding KEA membership and meetings.			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns
Box 1	23	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - J.O. Lewis
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and J.O.Lewis, Owensboro Superintendent of Schools regarding KEA membership and meetings.			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns
Box 1	24	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - M.E. Ligon
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and M.E. Ligon, of the University of Kentucky regarding KEA membership and meetings.			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns
Box 1	25	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Henry MacCracken
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Henry MacCracken, president of Vassar College regarding speaking at the KEA meeting.			Subjects Meetings
Box 1	26	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - J.T. Miracle
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and J.T. Miracle, Catlettsburg Superintendent of Schools regarding KEA membership and meetings.			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns
Box 1	27	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Homer Nichols
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Homer Nichols, Kentucky Supervisor of Civilian Rehabilitation regarding the KEA legislative committee.			
Box 1	28	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Wellington Patrick
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Wellington Patrick of the University of Kentucky regarding articles on education.			
Box 1	29	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - J. Howard Payne
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and J. Howard Payne, superintendent of schools regarding KEA membership.			Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 1	1	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Butler County Chapman, J.V. Committee lists Escott, Barnett & Company Form Letter - Banquet Tickets Form Letter - April 23rd meeting Godman, Mark Harry & Arthur Culbertson Holloway, J.B. Hopkins, P.H. Illiteracy Information Concerning the Kentucky Education Association KEA Major Objectives			Subjects Membership campaigns Correspondence Resolutions Meetings



Lewis, J.O.  
 Make Kentucky One Hundred Per Cent K.E.A.  
 Report of Secretary-Treasurer, Dec. 31, 1926  
 Report of Secretary-Treasurer, July 31, 1926  
 Report of Secretary-Treasurer, Nov. 30, 1926  
 Report of Secretary-Treasurer, Oct. 31, 1926  
 Taylor, L.N.  
 The Country School

Box 1	2	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1927	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Cherry, Henry. Educational Leadership Conservation Equalization Higher Education Legislative Committee Morality Parent Teacher Associations PTA Report of the Legislative Committee Report of the Resolutions Committee The Major Objective			Subjects Constitutions Moral conditions. Education Legislation Vocational education
Box 1	3	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1923-1926	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Affiliation of Kentucky's Educational Forces Budget, 1923-1924 KEA Program, 1900 Smith, Bert. Survey of Third Congressional District The Major Objective Williams, R.E.			
Box 1	4	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1927-1929	Kentucky Education Association - Financial Reports
Description	Finances Secretary-Treasurer reports			Subjects Budget.
Box 1	30	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Denhardt, H.H. Insurance Inter-Southern Life Insurance Co. Ranson, Neal Reavis, William Redmond, Harry Redpath Bureau Reed, Harold Reiley, H.R. Reiley, J.W. Rhoads, Wayland Richmond, James Riley, H.R. Roark, Ruth Roby, O.L. Rochester, Grey Rockefeller Foundation Rudolph, L.L. Sammons, Eugene Sanders, J.H. Sapp, George			Subjects Membership campaigns Meetings

Scholes, W.S.  
 Shultz, Fred  
 Shultz, Ozna  
 Small, R.O.  
 Smith, Bo  
 Smith, Lucy  
 Smith, Mrs. Joe  
 Spears, John  
 Stephens, John  
 Stivers, O.J.  
 Story, John  
 Stout, W.H.  
 Taylor, L.N.  
 Taylor, Ora  
 Tharpe, Clay  
 Thomas Brady Speakers' Bureau  
 Thomas, A.A.  
 Thomason, A.L.  
 Thompson, W.O.  
 Timberlake, Clarence  
 Traylor, R.E.  
 University of Wisconsin  
 Vass, R.G.  
 Veech, Annie  
 Vincent, Raymond  
 Waggoner, George  
 Walby, Lucy  
 Walker, Samuel  
 Wall, J.R.  
 Wallis, V.W.  
 Watkins, W.M.  
 Weldon, Elmer  
 Wells, Guy  
 Wells, Rainey  
 Wesley, L.G.  
 White, W.P.  
 Whitt, Bernard  
 Williams, Lista  
 Winship, A.E.  
 Worthington, William  
 Young, Rosa

Box 2	1	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926	Kentucky Education Association - McHenry Rhoads	
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and McHenry Rhoads, Kentucky Superintendent of Public Instruction regarding meetings and membership			Subjects	Membership campaigns Meetings
Box 2	2	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Payson Smith	
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Payson Smith, Massachusetts Commission of Education regarding speaking engagements.			Subjects	Meetings
Box 2	3	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - A.P. Taylor	
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and A.P. Taylor regarding meetings.			Subjects	Meetings

Box 2	4	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - W.S. Taylor
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and W.S. Taylor, University of Kentucky regarding meetings.			Subjects Meetings
Box 2	5	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association - Guy Whitehead
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and Guy Whitehead, Louisville Public Schools, regarding meetings.			Subjects Meetings
Box 2	6	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1927	Kentucky Education Association
Description	Alexander, Jonathan American Youth Foundation Bass, R.D. Birckhead, E.F. Boling, J.P. Bosley, L.C. Broach, R.E. Burd, F.G. Campbell, Stuart Chapman, J.V. Cherry, T.C. Chumbler, Roy Condon, Randall Cooper, Jonathan Cusick, J.F. Depew, Elizabeth Eble, Carrie Edwards, Fred Ernst, Richard Foust, J.L. Gordon, J.C. Green, R.P. Gruelle, O.P. Guest, Edgar Hall & McCreary Company Halleck, Reuben Hanifan, L.J. Hoover, Herbert Hurt, Sanford Jewell, J.J. Kirkpatrick, Lee Louisville & Jefferson County Children's Home Lovell, E.M. Loy, Noah Marshall, Mrs. W.G. Mell, A.W. Mills, J.C. Moore, Cleveland Moss, McKenzie Neal, Maye Nichols, G.G. Noe, J.T.C. Oglesby, Roscoe Patterson, Kenneth Paxton, E.J. Payne, George Pennybacker, Mrs. Percy Politicians Ray, Edward Reavis, W.C. Regenstein, Anna			Subjects Meetings Membership campaigns

Richardson, Mrs. C.W.  
 Rudolph, L.L.  
 Ryan, C.O.  
 Selph, J.W.  
 Smith, S.W.  
 Taylor, L.N.  
 Taylor, Ora  
 Wallis, V.W.  
 Wilkenson, Julia  
 Williams, Herman  
 Williams, R.E.  
 Wilson, Lucille  
 Wiric, V.J.  
 York, L.S.

Box 2	14	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1927	Kentucky Education Association - Meeting
Description	Committee lists Introductions used at meeting Program Rural Demonstration School SB78 / HB119 State Board of Education Bill			Subjects Meetings
Box 2	7	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926	Kentucky Education Association - County Superintendents
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and county superintendents regarding KEA membership. lists schools and teachers throughout Kentucky.			Contains Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 2	8-9	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926	Kentucky Education Association - County Organizations
Description	Lists of teachers and prominent people interested in education in each county.			Subjects Membership campaigns
Box 2	10-13	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926-1932	Kentucky Education Association - R.E. Williams
Description	Correspondence between Henry Cherry and KEA secretary R.E. Williams regarding meetings and membership			Subjects Membership campaigns Meetings Advertisements
Box 2	15	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1926	Kentucky Education Association - Meeting Minutes
Description	KEA meeting minutes			Subjects Meetings
Box 2	16	WKU President's Office - Cherry	1906-1926	Kentucky Education Association - Meeting Programs
Description	Declaration of Principles and Aims Unanimously Passed by the KEA, May 1, 1913 Kentucky Educational Association, Bowling Green, KY, June 19-21, 1906 KEA, 1913 Suggestive Program Conference, KEA, Cherry's Camp, Bowling Green, KY, Oct. 1-3, 1926 (3) - D1704 - <a href="https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/2048">https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_ua_records/2048</a> The Prize Winners			Subjects Meetings Programs