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## Peridot Pictures - Bowling Green-Warren County Bicentennial Film (MSS 715)

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*Descriptive Inventory*

**MSS 715 PERIDOT Pictures – Bowling Green-Warren County  
 Bicentennial Film**

½ box. 7 folders. 39 items. 1997. Originals, typescripts.

SC2017.22.4

**COLLECTION NOTE**

Peridot Pictures, owned by Dorian and Elaine Walker, moved to Bowling Green from Los Angeles in 1993. In 1997, in connection with the celebration of the Bowling Green-Warren County (Kentucky) bicentennial and in partnership with the Landmark Association of Bowling Green, the company produced a film exploring the history of the city and county. Featuring interviews, archival material from WKU's Department of Library Special Collections, and dramatizations using local talent, the one-hour film premiered in March 1998 at the Capitol Arts Theatre in Bowling Green. Videocassettes of the film were also made available.

This collection consists of materials created during the planning and production of the film: a proposal to the Bowling-Green Warren County Bicentennial Commission; sponsorship appeals; correspondence; publicity materials; personnel lists; script materials; and interviews with local historians and other citizens, who provided background and sometimes personal memories about various aspects of the area's history.

**SHELF LIST**

<b>BOX 1</b>	<b>Peridot Pictures</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>39 items</b>
Folder 1	Inventory		1 item
Folder 2	Proposal, sponsorships, general information	1997	6 items
Folder 3	Correspondence, press releases, announcements	1997	14 items
Folder 4	Film personnel and participant lists	1997	3 items
Folder 5	Dramatization summaries and script	1997	2 items
Folder 6	Interviews	1997	7 items

Folder 7      Interviews      1997      6 items

***BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD***

MSS PERIDOT Pictures – Bowling Green-      1997  
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Proposal, script materials, correspondence, publicity, interviews and other items relating to the production of a film for the Bowling Green-Warren County (Kentucky) bicentennial by Peridot Pictures and the Landmark Association of Bowling Green.  
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***SUBJECT ANALYTICS***

Baird, Nancy (Disher), b. 1935 (Informant)      B1,F6  
Bowling Green – African Americans      B1,F7  
Bowling Green – History      B1,F6,7  
Bowling Green – Religion      B1,F6,7  
Buckberry, Ray B., Jr., b. 1934 (Informant)      B1,F6  
Cox, Brent (Informant)      B1,F6  
Crowe-Carraco, Carol, b. 1943 (Informant)      B1,F6  
Handy, Riley Dean, 1941-2010 (Informant)      B1,F6  
Harrison, Lowell Hayes, 1922-2011 (Informant)      B1,F6  
Haskins, Clem Smith, b. 1943 – Relating to      B1,F6,7  
Jeffrey, Jonathan David, b. 1960 (Informant)      B1,F6  
Landmark Association – Bowling Green  
Long, John E., b. 1941 (Informant)      B1,F7  
Moore, Taylor, Jr. (Informant)      B1,F7  
Motion pictures, 1997  
Orendorf, Jo Tilden “Top,” 1910-2003 (Informant)      B1,F7  
Pearson, Emmons Orville, Jr., 1917-2004 (Informant)      B1,F7  
Smith, Billy B., 1933-2017 (Informant)      B1,F7  
Spiller, Cora Jane (Morningstar), 1928-2020 (Informant)      B1,F7  
Walker, Dorian  
Walker, Elaine (Nogay), b. 1951  
Warren County – History      B1,F6,7  
Western Kentucky University – History      B1,F6  
Women – Bowling Green      B1,F6