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## Descriptive Summary

### Unit ID

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### Unit Date

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### Language

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### Abstract

The collection contains a photograph of the Fancy Gap Church Singing Class.

### Extent

0.1 Cubic Feet 1 folder

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## **Biographical Note**

Fancy Gap is a community within Carroll County, Virginia. No historical information could be found regarding a Fancy Gap Church, although one source listed it as an alternative name for Fancy Gap Methodist Church. It is believed that the group in this photo may have been composed of members of various churches within the community.

## **Scope and Content**

The Fancy Gap Church Singing Group Photograph is a halftone print, showing a group standing in front of the north side of the Fancy Gap Church in Carroll County, Virginia. The names of individuals pictured are included in a caption beneath the photo itself and include Rev. John Horton, Rev. John Wm. Morris, Prof. J. C. Carper, D.D., and Judge D. W. Bolen. Other family names figuring predominantly within the group are Beamer, Combs, Monday, Morris, and Smith. The caption cites W. [R.?] Morris as the photo's printer and owner.

## **Keywords**

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### **Photograph**

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