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Biographical / Historical

The West Virginia University Extension Service provided vital education and communication to farm families before and during World War II. This collection documents the Mountain State Tourist Homes Industries spearheaded by Extension Service during the depression years, and four programs during the World War II years: food preservation, Neighborhood Leaders, the Farm Women's Army, and mattress making.

The tourist homes in West Virginia were managed by Mountain State Tourist Homes and included the Mountain State Home Industries Shop. The homes not only provided a place for tourists and vacationers to sleep during the time when roads and automobiles were becoming more abundant in the early 1930s, but provided meals made with products from the farms and provided additional income for farm families. Much of this work was performed by women who maintained the homes. For \$5.00 an interested home owner could join the tourist home cooperative and receive a sign designating it as such. The sign indicated to travelers that the home had been inspected using scorecards and met the standards of the Mountain State Tourist Homes.

The U.S. government's expectations of support of the war effort by farms was communicated to localities through extension services mostly with directives from the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Women provided the labor for farms organized by the Farm Women's Bureau and Farm Women's Clubs, and food preservation for economy in feeding the family to keep up the war effort. The extension services guided local communities by organizing the Neighborhood Leaders program.

Mattress making became another program managed locally by the WWII era Extension Service. The U.S. government coined the saying "You can't eat cotton," thus mattress making. The surplus of cotton was used and poor families received mattresses.

Gertrude Humphreys who worked for Extension Service for 46 years, 1919-1965, played a major role in the implementation and management of the programs documented in this collection. It includes her correspondence, notes, and other collected material as well as her speech at the 45th annual conference of the American Country Life Association when she was serving as its president. Other women whose materials are included in this collection include Home Extension Agent Katherine Stump who managed the 1930s tourist home program, and Anna Boggs whose name is inscribed on Neighborhood Leaders Program materials as well as additional wartime directives.

Scope and Contents

Records of the Extension Service of West Virginia University. The records relate to the work of the Extension Service with the tourist home program, 1930-1933, and West Virginia women's efforts on the home front during World War II effort. War efforts include food preservation and conservation education and training including measures and programs such as annual food conservation schools for home economists with companies and agencies; the coordination of the Neighborhood Leaders program for farm families; women's farming including the Women's Farm Army through the Farm Women's Bureau and Farm Women's Clubs; and a mattress making program to use excess cotton. A few miscellaneous documents briefly touch on the history of the Extension Service as well as its wide range of activities.

World War II era Extension Service materials include the correspondence of home extension agents; program pamphlets and brochures; U.S. Department of Agriculture information sheets on a number of issues supporting these programs; a few photographs; reports and data by county for all programs; and directives and guidance from the federal government for all programs. In addition to correspondence to and from longtime Home Extension Demonstration Leader Gertrude Humphreys, the collection contains the booklets and other materials inscribed by Anna Boggs of Mineral County and the papers and correspondence of Katherine Stump who coordinated the Mountain State Tourist Home cooperative.

The collection is divided into 6 series:

Series 1. Tourist Homes (Boxes 1 and 3), 1924-1954; bulk dates 1930-1933

Series 2. Food Preservation (Boxes 1-3), 1938-1948

Series 3. Neighborhood Leaders (Box 2), 1942-1944

Series 4. Farm Women's Bureau and Clubs (Boxes 2-3), 1923-1996; bulk dates 1941-1945

Series 5. Mattress Making (Box 2), 1940-1949; bulk dates 1940-1941

Series 6. West Virginia University Extension Service Materials, Mostly War Effort (Boxes 2-3), 1939-1966

Separated Materials

Brochure to Printed Ephemera Collection: "Farm Families in War or Peace" by Extension Service of West Virginia University, ca. 1941-1945.

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Description of Subordinate Components

Series 1. Tourist Homes (boxes 1 and 3)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176195

Unit Date 1924-1949

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Scope and Contents

The tourist home records include correspondence with Home Demonstration Agent Katherine Stump and others regarding running tourist homes. Tourist home topics include application to have a tourist home; the creation, distribution, and maintenance of tourist home signs; financial matters; and data from scorecards and other evaluations. The papers include reports and details regarding county-by-county management, financial records, brochures and photographs of specific homes, and other promotional materials for the program.

Metal [sign?] Pieces

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176201

Unit Date ca. 1931-1932

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Sign Specifications, Brochure Design (includes brochure from River View, Franklin, WV)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176202

Unit Date 1931-1932

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Signs, Conference, Score Cards for Homes, etc.

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176203

Unit Date ca. 1932-1934

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Reports from Tourist Home Owners

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176204

Unit Date 1932

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Statewide Conference

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176205

Unit Date 1934

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Correspondence, Score Cards, etc.

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176206

Unit Date 1934

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Reports from Tourist Homes

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176207

Unit Date 1935-1936

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Contracts, Correspondence, Suggestions

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176208

Unit Date 1937

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Reports from Tourist Home Owners, Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176209

Unit Date 1937

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Correspondence, Completed Score Cards

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176210

Unit Date 1938

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Correspondence Regarding Status of Homes, Signs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176211

Unit Date 1939

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Home Visitation Notes by County

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176212

Unit Date ca. 1930

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Uniform Rates Survey

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176213

Unit Date 1932

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Correspondence Regarding Home Industry Shares; Signs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176214

Unit Date 1927-1931

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Correspondence, Mostly from Katherine Stump, Home Demonstration Agent

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176215

Unit Date 1931-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Correspondence, Photographs, Travel Literature

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176216

Unit Date 1931-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Promotional Articles for Tourist Homes

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176217

Unit Date 1931-1932

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Correspondence, Information Sheets

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176218

Unit Date 1927-1940

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Correspondence of Katherine Stump [1 of 2]

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176219

Unit Date 1931-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Correspondence of Katherine Stump [2 of 2]

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176220

Unit Date 1931-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Finances

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176221

Unit Date 1924, 1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Mountain State Home Industries Shop Financial Reports, Pt. 1, 1942-1954 ; By-Laws and Articles of Incorporation, 1932; Bank Book, 1937-1942; Brochures

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176222

Unit Date 1932-1954

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Mountain State Home Industries Shop Financial Reports, Pt. 2, 1934-1941 ; By-Laws and Articles of Incorporation, 1932; Upshur County Farm Women's Market

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176223

Unit Date 1932-1941

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Brochures, Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176224

Unit Date 1931-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Score Cards, Clippings, Brochures

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176225

Unit Date 1930-1932

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176226

Unit Date 1925-1946

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176227

Unit Date 1937-1942

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Correspondence, mostly to Martha Bonar, Home Demonstration Agent, Hampshire County

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176228

Unit Date 1929-1931

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Blank Score Cards

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176229

Unit Date ca. 1930s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Expectations for Homes; Tourism

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176230

Unit Date 1946-1947

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176231

Unit Date 1929-1931

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176232

Unit Date 1930-1931

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Suggestions to Homes

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176233

Unit Date 1935-1938

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Correspondence with Katherine Lawson Regarding Painting Tourist Home Signs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176234

Unit Date 1941-1942

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Contracts, Receipt Book

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176235

Unit Date 1931-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Brochure Layout, Magazine Articles

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176236

Unit Date 1932-1933

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Series 2. Food Preservation (boxes 1-3)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176196

Unit Date 1939-1948

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series contains materials on food preservation schools as well as the Feed the Family Program.

Summer Workers

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176237

Unit Date 1942

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Planning, Conferences, Information Sheets

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176238

Unit Date 1941 December 27-1942 May 07

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Feed the Family First Program

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176239

Unit Date 1938-1943

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Food Conservation School

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176240

Unit Date 1943

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Citizens Food Committee

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176241

Unit Date 1946-1948

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Food Conservation Schools

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176242

Unit Date 1942 May-1942 June

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Canning, Emergency War Food Assistants Report

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176243

Unit Date 1944

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Food Preservation Schools

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176244

Unit Date 1944

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Correspondence, Brochures

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176245

Unit Date 1943

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Office of Education Community Canning Program

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176246

Unit Date 1943 June 17

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Feed the Family First Program

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176247

Unit Date 1939

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Series 3. Neighborhood Leaders Program (box 2)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176197

Unit Date 1942-1944

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series includes training materials for local farm leader volunteers. Materials offer guidance on how to get organized and run meetings as well as lists of West Virginia leaders and county data.

Various State Guides, Other Literature

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176248

Unit Date 1942

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Brochures

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176249

Unit Date 1943

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Meetings and Surveys (includes reports by county, reports from Mineral and Braxton Counties)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176250

Unit Date 1943

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Pocahontas County

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176251

Unit Date 1944

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Leaders' Guidance, County Data (most materials inscribed Anna M. Boggs)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176252

Unit Date 1942-1943

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Planning Meetings, Reporting Forms, etc.

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176253

Unit Date 1942

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Conference in Washington

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176254

Unit Date 1943 March 3-1943 March 6

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Brochure, County Data, Handwritten Notes

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176255

Unit Date 1943-1944

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Plans, Guides

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176256

Unit Date 1943

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Series 4. Farm Women's Bureau and Clubs (boxes 2-3)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176198

Unit Date 1923-1965, 1996

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series includes materials on the organization of the Women's Land Army in West Virginia as well as the Farm Women's Clubs war effort contribution.

Women's Land Army

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176257

Unit Date 1943-1945

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Women's Land Army

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176258

Unit Date 1942-1950

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

West Virginia Farm Women's Clubs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176259

Unit Date 1933-1965

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Women's Clubs, Sugar Rationing

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176260

Unit Date 1941-1948

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Farm Women's Bureau Banquet; Scripture Readings; Victory Garden; Clothing "Problems"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176261

Unit Date 1941-1942

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Recommended Reading Lists from Radio Talks

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176262

Unit Date 1934-1938

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Farm Women's Clubs (includes handwritten report on home industries, paper on "Industrial West Virginia")

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176263

Unit Date 1930-1931

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

WV Farm Women's Clubs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176264

Unit Date 1923, 1943-1946

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Women's Land Army; Facsimile of Photographs from a Goldenseal Article about Mattress Making

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176265

Unit Date 1945, 1996

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Saturday Evening Post Article about Bella Gotti

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176266

Unit Date 1942 April 18

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

West Virginal Farm Women's Clubs Membership, Information Sheet from the Associated Country Women of the World

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176267

Unit Date 1943-1944

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Series 5. Mattress Making (box 2)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176199

Unit Date 1940-1942

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series contains brochures and other guidelines for creating spaces for mattress making as well as how to make them. Much of the correspondence is regarding obtaining supplies and, of particular note, an illness among some of the women who worked with "bad cotton." Includes county-by-county data with demographics and other details.

Pamphlets: "Mattress Making" and recipe booklet

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176268

Unit Date ca. 1940

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Guides, County Data on Mattress Making

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176269

Unit Date 1940-1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

How to Make Mattresses and Promotional Materials

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176270

Unit Date 1940-1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Correspondence, County Data

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176271

Unit Date 1940

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Monthly Reports

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176272

Unit Date 1941-1942

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Work Centers--Guidance

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176273

Unit Date 1940

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Supplies

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176274

Unit Date 1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Correspondence; Bad Cotton Incident, Photographs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176275

Unit Date 1940-1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

West Virginia Summary Data, Pamphlet

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176276

Unit Date 1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Series 6. West Virginia University Extension Service Materials, Mostly War Effort (boxes 2-3)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176200

Unit Date 1908, 1939-1950, 1966

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Care of Clothing

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176277

Unit Date 1944-1945

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Jackson's Mill Brochures

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176278

Unit Date 1939-1950

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Wartime (most inscribed by A. [Anna] Boggs)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176279

Unit Date 1942-1944

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

History of Extension Service, no date; "West Virginia Women at War," 1943 October-November; WVU College of Agriculture "Winter Course in Agriculture, January 6-31, 1908"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176280

Unit Date 1908, 1943 October-1943 November, 1966

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

American Country Life Association - Article by Gertrude Humphries

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176281

Unit Date 1966 July 12

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Blackouts

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176282

Unit Date 1941-1942

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

United States Office of Civil Defense Bulletin 170

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176283

Unit Date 1943 March 31

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Utility Clothes [for women] for Industry, Home, or Garden

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/176284

Unit Date ca. 1940

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This series includes circulars, brochures, and a research paper related to the work of Extension Service during World War II.