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INTRODUCTION

The Highlander Folk School Collection---Addition, 1938-1969, was made possible by Myles Horton, then director of the Highlander Folk School, who allowed the State Library and Archives to copy the original records and files of the school. The materials were also microfilmed by TSLA. The collection occupies 1.26 linear feet of shelf space and number approximately 750 items.

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SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Highlander Folk School Collection----Addition, comprising of 750 items, contains correspondences, speeches, memoranda, interviews, questionnaires, reports on Folk School extension projects, workshop evaluations, a play entitled "How Buddy Votes," a newsletter, "The Activist," and an audio tape of a speech by Martin Luther King, Jr. given at Highlander's Twenty-Fifth Year Celebration in 1957.

The bulk of the addition deals with Highlander's work with the Civil Rights Movement, particularly the school's extension projects devoted to developing local community leadership and voter registration. Additionally, material in this collection deals with topics such as migratory labor and the Highlander Alumni Association.

Finally, the addition includes transcripts of a number of speeches by politicians and by labor and civil rights leaders. These speeches relate either directly to the work of Highlander or to the labor and civil rights issues in which Highlander was involved.

CONTAINER LIST

Box 1

1. Community Leadership Training Program---1953
2. Community Leadership Training Program---Correspondence, 1954
3. Community Leadership Training Program---Correspondence, January-July, 1955
4. Community Leadership Training Program---Correspondence, August-December, 1955
5. Community Leadership Training Program---Correspondence, 1955
6. Community Leadership Training Program---Interviews, 1955
7. Community Leadership Training Program---Notes, 1955
8. Community Leadership Training Program---Notes and reports, 1958
9. Community Leadership Training Program---Reports and questionnaires, 1954
10. Community Leadership Training Program---Reports and memoranda, 1955
11. Community Leadership Training Program---Play---"How Buddy Votes," 1955
12. Community Leadership Training Program---Workshops---Questionnaires & Evaluations, 1955
13. Migratory Labor---Correspondence, February-August 14, 1958
14. Migratory Labor---Correspondence, August 15-December, 1958,1959

Box 2

1. Citizenship Program---Correspondence, 1959
2. Citizenship Program---Correspondence, 1960
3. Citizenship Program---Correspondence, January-March, 1961
4. Citizenship Program---Correspondence, April-September, 1961
5. Citizenship Program---Correspondence, n.d.
6. Citizenship Program---Georgia Crusade for Voters, 1963-1964
7. Citizenship Program---Notes, reports, transcripts, 1959
8. Citizenship Program---Notes, reports, memoranda, 1960
9. Citizenship Program---Notes, reports, memoranda, 1961
10. Citizenship Program---Notes, reports, memoranda, n.d.
11. Citizenship Program---Workshops enrollment, May & November, 1960
12. Newsletter---"The Activist," Spring, 1961

Box 3

1. Alumni Association, 1941
2. Alumni Association, 1942
3. Alumni Association, 1943
4. Speeches---Beecher, John, 1963
5. Speeches---Eastland, James O., 1955
6. Speeches---Frazier, Howard, 1964
7. Speeches---Frazier, Howard, 1969
8. Speeches---Ginzberg, Eli, 1961-1962
9. Speeches---Jones, Lewis W., 1968
10. Speeches---Mitchell, George S., 1955
11. Speeches---Smith, Ellsworth M., 1940

12. Speeches---Smith, Hilda W., 1938
13. Speeches---William, Aubrey, 1949
14. Speeches---Woodford, Harris Jr., 1961
15. Speeches---Wright, Marion A., 1954
16. Speeches---Audio tape---King, Martin Luther, Jr.,---Labor Day weekend, 1957
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SPEECH INDEX

This index contains an alphabetical listing, by author, of speeches filed in Box 3 of Highlander Folk School---Addition. Included are the title or subject of the speech, where delivered (if other than at Highlander) and the date of the speech. The last number given refers to the folder in which the material is to be found.

- Beecher, John---“Their Blood Cries Out” ---San Jose, California, September 29, 1963 (4)
- Eastland, James O.---“We’ve Reached Era of Judicial Tyranny”----Jackson, Mississippi, December 1, 1955 (5)
- Frazier, Howard---“Community Service Counseling Course of the Delaware State Labor Council, AFL-CIO”----Wilmington, Delaware, April 14, 1966 (6)
- Frazier, Howard---“Preserving Human Values In A Industrial Society”---Portland, Oregon, 1964 (4)
- Frazier, Howard---Untitled, re: Living and working conditions of industrial and Agricultural workers---Phoenix, Arizona, October 26, 1964
- Ginzberg, Eli---“Implications for Land Grant Colleges”---New York, New York, March, 1962 (8)
- Ginzberg, Eli----“The Negro and His Work”----Washington, D.C., November 2, 1961 (8)
- Horton, Myles---“The Layman’s Stake in Education”---Chicago, Illinois, April 2, 1952 (9)
- Horton, Myles---“The Place of Whites in the Civil Rights Movement”---Amherst, Massachusetts, April 1967 (9)
- Horton, Myles---“Rural Youth Problems”----Birmingham, Alabama, November 22, 1938
- Jones, Lewis W.----“An Overview of Rural Poverty”---New York, New York, April 29, 1968 (10)
- King, Martin Luther, Jr.----“Look to the Future”---Labor Day Weekend, 1957 (Audio Tape in Security Vault, Location: X-C-5, Box 5, F. 2)
- Mitchell, George S.----“The Spirit of the New South”---Atlanta, Georgia, December 28, 1949 (14)
- Smith, Hilda W.---“A Summary of Worker’s Education Under the WPA”----Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, May 10, 1938 (13)
- Williams, Aubrey----“The Failure of Gradualism”---Atlanta, Georgia, December 28, 1949 (14)
- Wofford, Harris---“The Peace Corps, Marjorie Michelmores and the Integration of the World”---Los Angeles, California, October 24, 1961 (15)
- Wright, Marion A.----Untitled, re: Testimonial to Judge J. Waties Waring---Charleston, South Carolina, November 8, 1954 (16)