



**INVENTORY TO
THE DAVID BLOOD COLLECTION OF SLIDES
OF PURDUE UNIVERSITY, 1959**

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Descriptive Summary

Creator Information	Blood, David
Title	David Blood collection of slides of Purdue University
Collection Identifier	MSP 54
Date Span	1959
Abstract	Slides of students, buildings, and activities on Purdue campus photographed by a visitor in 1959
Extent	0.25 cubic feet (1 slide box)
Finding Aid Author	Shauna Borger, 2010
Languages	English
Repository	Virginia Kelly Karnes Archives and Special Collections Research Center, Purdue University Libraries

Administrative Information

Location Information:	ASC
Access Restrictions:	Collection is open for research.
Acquisition Information:	Donated by David Blood, 10 April 2009
Accession Number:	20090410
Preferred Citation:	MSP 54, David Blood collection of slides of Purdue University, Archives and Special Collections, Purdue University Libraries
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Related Materials Information:	Betty Lark-Horovitz Purdue University buildings, sketches, 1930 Collection of Purdue University postcards, 1900-2007

Subjects and Genres

Persons

Blood, David

Organizations

Purdue University

Topics

Purdue University--Buildings

Purdue University--Students

Meetings

Religious education of teenage boys

Form and Genre Types

Slides

Biography David Blood

David Blood visited Purdue University in August of 1959 when he attended the Seventh National Convocation of Methodist Youth. He was 17 years old at the time and took photographs of Purdue buildings and campus life. He eventually went to the College of William and Mary and graduated in 1964.

Source(s):

David Blood collection file

Collection Description

Scope

The David Blood collection of slides of Purdue University (1959; 0.25 cubic feet) documents David Blood's trip to Purdue University in 1959. He and his high school class took a train from New Jersey to Lafayette, Indiana. The slides document the trip to Purdue, campus buildings and scenes, the artwork displayed at the convocation, and his trip back to New Jersey. The slides have been kept in their original order. Blood arranged the slides chronologically into four categories: On the way to Purdue; Purdue University campus scenes; Artwork displayed at the convocation; The trip home.

Descriptive Rules

Describing Archives: A Content Standard

Processing Information

Original order of the slides was maintained. The items were housed in an acid-free slide box and relabeled.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

David Blood Collection of Slides of Purdue University, 1959

0.25 cubic feet

1 Box *Contents: Slides*

On the way to Purdue University

1. Inside the Fort Wayne, Indiana train station (PRR)
2. New Jersey delegates in Fort Wayne, Indiana, outside train station
3. Abraham Lincoln statue, Fort Wayne, Indiana
4. Abraham Lincoln statue, Fort Wayne, Indiana
5. Fort Wayne Street near train station
6. Indiana countryside from bus on way to Purdue University
7. Rest stop at root beer stand somewhere in Indiana on way to Purdue University

Purdue University campus scenes

8. Purdue University gym
9. Southwest Hall
10. West Hall
11. Purdue Memorial Union
12. Heavilon Hall
13. Building near music hall
14. Campus view
15. Wesley Foundation
16. Music Hall Statues
17. Music Hall Statues
18. Music Hall interior (very dark)
19. Southwest Hall lounge
20. Delegates lined up for lunch
21. My room and roommate (Southwest Hall, I believe)
22. New Jersey Boys (pre-Springsteen)
23. Dorm room discussion one night
24. Discussion group that was part of the program
25. Discussion group that was part of the program
26. Singing at piano in Purdue Memorial Union

Artwork displayed at convocation

27. Christ in thorns
28. How often
29. Eye of the sun
30. I am the door
31. Temptation

The trip home

32. PRR train arriving, Fort Wayne, Indiana
33. Dining car social and singing

34. Indiana countryside from train
35. Indiana countryside from train