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Orpheus Club Collection

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Introduction

The Orpheus Club collection is about a men’s music club on campus in the late 1920’s. This club would later become a chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia. The collection consists of a scrapbook which contains member information, music programs and the history of Kansas State Teachers College and the Music Department.

Biography

The Orpheus Club was designed for men of KSTC who were interested in music and wanted to improve the music department and their own skills. After establishing their club and having a few successful years, they applied to the Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity to become the Beta Delta chapter.

Donor Information

There is no donor information for this collection.

Scope and Content Note

There is one scrapbook that makes up this collection. The items in the scrapbook are:

- An introduction to the club
- Information and dedication to the new music hall
- List of activities that the club will participate in
- List of members
- Clipping of the history of the college
- Clipping about the music hall
- Photos of the campus
- Photos of different music groups
- Programs of different musical events
- Biographies of the members

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