



Descriptive Summary:

Title: The Cora Thornes Collection

Repository: Northern State University Archives & Special Collections, Beulah Williams Library

Creator: Cora Thornes

Dates: 1932-1933

Extent: ½ linear foot

Administrative Information

Acquisitions Information: This collection was donated by Cora Thornes

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Biographical Note

Cora Olivia Thornes was born January 2, 1906. She attended Northern State Teachers College and graduated with her certificate in One Year Rural Curriculum in 1933. Cora later returned to Northern, attending summer classes to earn her four year teaching degree. She married Frank Jaspers in June of 1937. For much of her life, she taught school in Britton, South Dakota, first in a one room school and later as the second-grade teacher. Cora Olivia Thornes Jaspers passed away on August 18, 1988 near Britton, South Dakota.

Scope and Content

This collection has been arranged into one series *Northern State Teachers College* and has been left in original order. Formats in this collection include diplomas, activity tickets, handbooks, programs, and a stuffed animal. This collection is entirely in English.

Series Descriptions:

Series Title: Northern State Teachers College Boxes: 1

Dates: 1932-1933

Detailed Description of the Collection

1. Series Title: Northern State Teachers College

Box #1

FF1 Graduation Certificate One Year Rural Curriculum, 1933

FF2 NSTC 1932-1933 Student's Hand Book, 1932

FF3 Gypsy Day Souvenir Program, 1932

FF4 Student Activity Tickets, 1932-1933

Item 1 "N" Waldo, c. 1940 [currently on display]