Violet Study Club Collection
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### Summary Information

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History

The Violet Study Club was organized in March 1906 in north Minneapolis and federated in 1907. They were affiliated with the Argosy and Pathfinders Clubs. The motto of the Violet Study Club was “Knowledge is Power”. The purpose of the club was “self-improvement morally, socially, intellectually and spiritually”. The club gave its members an opportunity to continue their education in such areas as poetry, art and literature. Each year a theme for study was selected. Meetings were held every other week from September through May.

Charter Members

   President
       Mrs. Philena Wilder
   Vice President
       Mrs. Anna L. Close
   Secretary
       Mrs. Anna M. Spencer
   Treasurer
       Mrs. Lena Roberts
   Leader
       Mrs. Alma A. Howard
   Member
       Mrs. Ima Brown
   Member
       Mrs. Rose Friday

Description of the Collection

One Box. Collection consists of newspaper clippings about the Violet Study Club and the club’s annual programs spanning 1909-1973.

Administrative Information
Publication Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Argosy Club. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
- Pathfinder Club. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
- Pathfinders. (Club : Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)

- Clubs -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.
- Women -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis -- Societies and clubs.
## Collection Inventory

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Lists of officers and study topics; Newspaper clippings 1906-1966

Box

Annual programs (incomplete) 1909-1973