Millikin University Archives: Staley Library

Ruth Rink Collection

Collection Number: 4.07.107 **Inclusive Dates:** 1938 – 1945 **Bulk Dates:** 1938 – 1939

Quantity: 1 scrapbook.

Acquisition Information: Unknown.

Access Restrictions: This collection is open for research.

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Photographs: No.

Condition Notes: Scrapbook paper is moderately brittle, some loose pages (mainly in the center of the scrapbook) and items. Items are pasted onto pages and are generally in good condition.

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Biographical Note

Ruth Rink, of Edinburg, Illinois, graduated from Millikin in 1939 (attending 1935-1939). She was a member of Alpha Chi Omega, Pi Mu Theta (honorary for senior women), and Sigma Alpha Iota, Le Cercle Francais, and president of Aston Hall her senior year. She was also a member of the Kappa Society, which recognized high scholastic achievement. She was a violinist and played first violin in the orchestra.

Scope and Content Note

Sigma Alpha Iota is a women's musical fraternity, founded in 1903. Millikin University's Nu chapter was established in 1917. This scrapbook documents the musical and social activities of the chapter and its members from 1939-1939, mainly consisting of newspaper clippings, with a few musical event programs and pieces of ephemera.

Series Notes

Series 1: Scrapbook 1 item The scrapbook of Millikin University's Nu chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota.

Collection Inventory

Folder/Item Title	Container #	Item #	Description
Nu Chapter of	D-0002	1	Large, black

Sigma Alpha Iota	scrapbook of
Scrapbook	newspaper
	clippings, programs,
	and ephemera
	related to SAI and
	its members.
	Divided into the
	following sections:
	National
	Convention,
	Musical Activities
	of Nu Chapter,
	Social Activities of
	Nu Chapter, Social
	Activities of
	Members of Nu
	Chapter, Musical
	Activities of
	Members of Theta
	Nu and Other Nu
	Alumni/Social
	Activities of Theta
	Nu and Other Nu
	Alumni.