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The background of the page is a faded, sepia-toned photograph of a large, multi-story brick building with a prominent central clock tower. In the foreground, there is a large, circular fountain with a tall, thin water column. Several vintage cars from the 1920s or 30s are parked in front of the building. The overall scene is a campus courtyard.

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ROCK HILL BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB RECORDS

I

The records of the Rock Hill Business and Professional Women's Club (RHBPWC) were deposited in the Winthrop College Archives on January 13, 1977, by Miss Lois Peden, President of the Club.

Linear feet of shelf space occupied: 1.25
Approximate number of pieces: 2,500

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Scope and Content Note: **The Rock Hill Business and Professional Women's Club Records consist of minutes, correspondence, reports, financial records, membership lists, yearbooks, photographs, awards, news clippings, and records relating to the Rock Hill, South Carolina, and national Business and Professional Women's Club (BPWC). The collection documents the origin, history, and activities of the Club. The Business and Professional Women's state branch was organized in 1919 and the Rock Hill chapter was established in 1925 with the mission to achieve equity for all women in the workplace through advocacy, education and information.**

Transfer of items: Duplicate material were returned to Miss Peden, president of the organization, on February 3, 1977.

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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

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| 1 | 1 | MINUTES In chronological order. | 1970-1974 |
| 1 | 2-3 | GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE AND RELATED RECORDS Includes correspondence with Rock Hill organizations, government bodies, the RHBPW Club's membership, and the national office. In chronological order. | 1972-1976, nd |
| 1 | 4 | COMMITTEE AND OFFICE REPORTS In chronological order. | 1971-1976 |
| 1-2 | 5-6 | MEMBERSHIP LISTS AND RELATED RECORDS Includes officer, regular membership and committee assignment lists. In chronological order. | 1973-1975, nd |
| 2 | 7 | FINANCIAL RECORDS Pertains to the yearly budget of the RHBPW Club, including dues, protest allocations, receipts, expenditures and balances. In chronological order. | 1929-1933, 1966, 1972-1976, nd |
| 2 | 8 | YEARBOOKS In chronological order. | 1932-1933 1952- 1953, 1974-1976 |
| 2 | 9 | AWARDS AND CITATIONS Includes the charter as well as various records and citations from the national and state organization. In chronological order. | 1925-1976 |
| 2 | 10 | PHOTOGRAPHS Includes one of the winning floats in the 1928 York County Fair parade and several of the 1975 state convention. In chronological order. | 1928, 1975, nd |
| 2 | 11 | NEWSCLIPPINGS Includes articles about the 25 th and 50 th anniversary meetings. In chronological order | 1933, 1950, 1972, nd |

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| 2 | 12 | RECORDS RELATING TO THE CAREER WOMEN OF THE YEAR AWARD Arranged alphabetically by surname of recipient. | 1974-1976 |
| 3 | 13 | HISTORY Covers the period from 1919 to 1939 when the state organization was founded and includes short histories on the founding of various local chapters. | 1961 |
| 3 | 14 | CONSTITUTIONS AND BY-LAWS In chronological order. | 1972-1977, nd |
| 3 | 15 | PROPOSED LEGISLATIVE PLATFORM STATEMENTS In chronological order. | 1972-1977, nd |
| 3 | 15-16 | CORRESPONDENCE AND RELATED RECORDS The related records include mainly guidelines, membership lists, and directories. There is correspondence from state officers to the local chapter and many areas of activity of the state organizations are covered, including the ERA and the state convention. In chronological order. | 1973-1976 |
| 3 | 17 | PROGRAM NOTES Concerns various district Federation meetings, the annual convention, board meetings, and the legislative conference. | 1949-1976 |
| 3 | 18 | FINANCIAL REPORTS Pertain to budget proposals, state financial reports, and the headquarters fund. In chronological order. | 1973-1976 |
| 4 | 19 | MEMBERSHIP REPORTS Covers club membership district by district. Arranged chronologically by month. | 1973-1976 |

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| 4 | 20-21 | PUBLICATIONS Copies of the "S.C. Business and Professional Women's Club." In chronological order. | 1966-1976 |
| 4 | 22 | CORRESPONDENCE AND RELATED PAPERS The related records include notices, memoranda, convention delegate cards, project notes, and national committee reports. In chronological order. | 1974-1976, nd |
| 4 | 23 | CONVENTION PROGRAMS In chronological order. | 1956, 1964, 1966-1969, 1970, 1973-, 1974 |
| 5 | 24-25 | PUBLICATIONS Copies of the "National Business Women." In chronological order. | 1968, 1974-1976 |
| 5 | 26 | VARIOUS RECORDS Includes constitutions, by-laws, reports, and information on the International Federation. In chronological order. | 1973-1976, nd |
| 1 Bd. Vol | | SCRAPBOOK Pertains to the National BPWC Week activities. | 1961-1962 |