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**ANNE EDNA WILLIS LEWIS COLLECTION**

1921-1928, 1975

1 Box, 1 Folder

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**ANNE EDNA WILLIS LEWIS COLLECTION**

**I**

The collection of Anne Edna Willis Lewis, student at Winthrop College, was received by the Archives and deposited on September, 21 2005, donated by her niece Carolyn Williams.

Linear feet of shelf space occupied: **.25**  
Approximate number of pieces: **500**

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Scope and Contents Note: **The Anne Edna Willis Lewis Collection consists of materials collected by Anne Edna Willis Lewis (1902-2001) during her academic career at Winthrop College from 1921-1925. She graduated as part of the Winthrop Class of 1925. Her collection consists of 11 reports cards, 2 photographs taken at her 50<sup>th</sup> reunion, and a scrapbook containing photographs, programs, correspondence, tickets, invitations, newspaper clippings memorabilia, and commencement programs. A Winthrop scholarship was named in her and her husband's honor titled the Anne W. Lewis and Robert M. Lewis Endowed Scholarship to assist academically talented students with financial need.**

## II

### BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

#### ANNE EDNA WILLIS LEWIS (1902-2001)

- 1921 Entered Winthrop College, had been the 7<sup>th</sup> child of a family of 17 and only 1 of 2 children to go to college.
- June 2, 1925 Graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in education
- 1932 Married Robert Lewis, an eventual elected member of the New Hampshire Legislature.
- 1976 Moved to the south from New Hampshire.
- 1981 Robert Lewis passed away.
- 1996 Her adopted son James passed away.
- 2001 Anne Edna Willis Lewis passed away
- 2003 Leaves 1.2 million dollars to Winthrop University to fund scholarship in her name.



**III**

**DESCRIPTION OF SERIES**

<b><u>Box(es)</u></b>	<b><u>Folder(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Series</u></b>	<b><u>Year(s)</u></b>
1	1	MEMORABILIA Contains report cards, a photograph of Anne Edna Willis Lewis circa 1975 and a 50 <sup>th</sup> year anniversary class photograph ca1975.	Dec. 1921- Mar. 1925
1	--	SCRAPBOOK Contains Winthrop College memorabilia, news clippings, photographs, flyers, correspondence, programs, and post-graduation memorabilia.	1921-1928