

RED WING STATE TRAINING SCHOOL An Inventory of Its Farm Records

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

Agency:	Minnesota State Training School for Boys.
Series Title:	Farm records.
Dates:	1912-1958.
Quantity:	1.1 cu. ft. (1 box and 1 partial half-height oversize box).
Location:	See Detailed Description section for box locations.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE RECORDS

Records documenting the institution's farm, which began operation in 1891 and closed in the mid-1960s. Included are monthly reports (1912-1928, 1943-1958), annual inventories (1917-1947), and herd record books (1927-1946).

INDEX TERMS

These records are indexed under the following headings in the catalog of the Minnesota Historical Society. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Topics:

Dairy cattle—Minnesota. Dairy farming—Minnesota. Juvenile corrections—Minnesota. Juvenile delinquents—Institutional care—Minnesota. Juvenile detention homes—Minnesota—Accounting. Milk yield—Minnesota. Schools—Minnesota. State farms—Minnesota—Accounting. State farms—Minnesota—Inventories. State farms—Minnesota—Inventories.

Places:

Red Wing (Minn.).

Organizations:

Minnesota State Reform School.

Types of Documents:

Inventories.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RECORDS

Note to Researchers: To request materials, please note both the location and box numbers shown below. Each file consists of one folder unless specified otherwise.

Location	Box	
111.K.10.6F	1	 Farm credits monthly reports, 1912-1922. Farm monthly reports, 1914-1928, 1943-1958. 19 folders. August 1914 – February 1928. 3 folders. 1943 – October 1958. 16 folders. Farm inventories as of January 1st, 1917-1947. 2 folders. Herd record books, 1939-1946. 5 volumes in folders. Missing November 1942 – November 1944. Records kept by individual cow on a monthly testing basis. Data collected included number, name, breed, age, sire and dam, and for each testing period, number of days milked, number of times milked per day, pounds of milk and butterfat, feed and roughage, pasture time, and value of product.
		November 1939 - November 1940. November 1940 - November 1941. November 1941 - November 1942. November 1944 - November 1945. November 1945 - November 1946. Statement of Industrial Departments Delivered to Steward, 1951-1957. [0.1 cu. ft. legal, empty]

Location	Box	
108.J.10.5B-2	2	Herd record book, 1927-1946. 1 oversize volume. Record kept by individual cow over the entire period at the school; includes information on milk and butter fat production and progeny.