



Inventory of the

**Florida State College for Women College Song
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SUMMARY INFORMATION

Dates: 1915 (inclusive)

Extent: 1 Folder

Languages represented in collection: eng

Portions of collection available online?: Yes

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition Information:

The Florida State College for Women College Song was given in September 2007 by Gloria Colvin, whose great-aunt, Aldine Griffin, attended FSCW and owned this copy.

Provenance: Dr. William George Dodd composed the words and music for the Florida State College for Women College Song. This copy belonged to Aldine Griffin, a student who attended Florida State College for Women (FSCW).

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Processing History:

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BIOGRAPHICAL / HISTORICAL NOTES

According to Robin Sellers, in *Femina Perfecta*, the president of the University of Indiana delivered the FSCW Commencement address in 1915. FSCW students wrote to that university for a sheet music copy of its Alma Mater to use in their graduation program. The students appealed to Dr. William George Dodd, Dean of the FSCW College of Arts and Sciences and an accomplished local musician, to draft a similar song for FSCW. Dodd composed the words and

music for a new college song which the school adopted as its alma mater.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTES

Printed piano sheet music of the "Florida State College for Women College Song," with words and music composed by Dr. William George Dodd. Five pages. Published in 1915 by the Willis Music Company, Cincinnati, Ohio. It is noted on the item that the song was "Published for the College by the Class of 1918."

INDEXING TERMS

Personal Names:

Dodd, William George, 1874-1963

Subject Terms:

Florida State College for Women--History
Florida State College for Women--Songs and music
Students' songs--United States

Genre/Format Terms:

music
musical score

COLLECTION CONTENTS

Box 1816 Sheet Music (1915)

Box 1816 Folder 1 Florida State College for Women College Song (1915) : 1 item

Notes: A copy of this item is also available in the Allen Music Library, Florida State University.