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Walk and Talk Club Records

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Summary Information

Repository:	North Carolina Collection Archives
Source:	Stanley, Mrs. W. E.
Title:	Walk and Talk Club records
ID:	NCC.0191
Date [inclusive]:	1959-1994
Date [inclusive]:	undated
Physical Description:	.5 Linear Feet (1 document box)
Language of the Material:	English

Preferred Citation

[Item, folder, and box information], Walk and Talk Club papers (NCC.0191), North Carolina Collection, Durham County Library, NC.

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Biographical / Historical

The Walk and Talk Club was an association of retired businessmen founded by W. E. Stanley. Stanley was superintendent of the Public Welfare Department of Durham County through June 1961. Upon his retirement, he met with thirteen other retirees and formally organized the Walk and Talk Club on July 6, 1961. Stanley's aim was to continue his fellowship during retirement and so organized a group for active retirees to share their life experiences. The group quickly increased in size and met monthly at the King's Daughters Home; it disbanded in 1994.

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Scope and Contents

The collection consists of newspaper clippings, photographs, brochures, correspondence, roll books, attendance cards, and meeting minutes. Of particular interest, the collection includes periodic brochures listing the club's roster, as well as photographs of members. There are also a few short biographies, photographs, and pieces of correspondence relating directly to the death of W.E. Stanley on July 16, 1967.

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Arrangement

The collection is arranged into club business areas and subject matter.

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This collection is open for research.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Flora Stanley (Mrs. W. E. Stanley)

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Controlled Access Headings

- Retirees -- Social networks
- Walk and Talk Club
- Stanley, Mrs. W. E.
- Stanley, William Ezra, Sr, 1888-1967

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
W. E. Stanley Materials, 1959, 1971, 1976, undated	box 1	folder 1
Photographs, invitations, etc., undated	box 1	folder 2
Clippings, 1961-1988	box 1	folder 3
Club Directories and Miscellaneous, 1961-1986	box 1	folder 4
Attendance Cards, 1982-1994	box 1	folder 5
Attendance Books, 1974-1994	box 1	folder 6-7
Meeting Minutes, 1968-1994	box 1	folder 8-11