Montana Horse Breeders Association Records, 1908-1927

Overview of the Collection

Creator: Montana Horse Breeders Association
Title: Montana Horse Breeders Association Records
Dates: 1908-1927
Quantity: 1 folder
Collection Number: Collection 0875, MtBC, us (collection)
Summary: The Montana Horse Breeders Association records consist of a minute book, a typed copy of the original MHBA constitution, and a Montana State Examiner’s report on the cash and accounts of the Stallion Registration Board.
Repository: Montana State University Library, Merrill G. Burlingame Special Collections

Access Restrictions: This collection is open for research.
Languages: English

Biographical Note

The Montana Horse Breeders Association (MHBA) was founded on September 30, 1908, “to promote the legitimate interest of the breeders by encouraging the breeding of the highest type of all classes of horses and the development of the same To help to secure such legislation as will foster, protect, and encourage the horse breeding industry and suppress and prevent all frauds and vices pertaining thereto, and to disseminate information that will be valuable to stallion and mare owners.” Affiliated with the Montana Stallion Registration Board (MSRB), also created in 1909, the MHBA met several times prior to becoming inactive in 1917. The MSRB was abolished in 1943, and its duties transferred to the Livestock Sanitary Board. According to the Montana Secretary of State business registry, two other entities calling themselves by the same name as the MHBA were also founded in later years, one which was established in 1965 and became inactive in 1997, and another which spanned the years 2006-2011. Neither of these later organizations appear to have been the successors of the first named group.

Content Description

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The Montana Horse Breeders Association records consist of a minute book with sporadic entries dating from 1908-1917, a typed copy of the original MHBA constitution, and a 1927 Montana State Examiner’s report on the cash and accounts of the Stallion Registration Board.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Records of the Montana Horse Breeders Association were transferred from the Montana State University Archives to Special Collections in 1970.

Processing Note

This collection was processed 2016 September 22

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms:
Commercial associations -- Montana
Horse breeders -- Montana -- Societies, etc.
Societies -- Montana

Corporate Names:
Montana Horse Breeders Association
Stallion Registration Board

Form or Genre Terms:
Account books
Minute books
Records (Documents)

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