**West End Revolver (Club) Records**  
**MS 65**

**Summary Information**

**Creator**  
West End Revolver (Club) (Lancaster, Pa.)

**Title**  
West End Revolver (Club) Records

**Dates**  
1890-1940

**Extent**  
.5 LF (1 ms. box)

**Arrangement**  
Collection organized into folders arranged by date.

**Language of Materials**  
All materials in English.

**Abstract**  
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**Subjects**  
West End Revolver (Club) (Lancaster, Pa.)  
Literature--Societies, etc.--Pennsylvania--Lancaster.  
Lancaster (Pa.)--Societies and clubs--History.

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Administrative Information

Acquisition Information
Source unknown, date of acquisition unknown (likely prior to 1983).

Custodial History (Provenance)
The provenance of these records are unknown. They were probably acquired by the Library with the papers of one of the Franklin and Marshall College-affiliated members of the West End Revolver. Since the donor is unknown, they were presumably part of the archival materials given to the library before the creation of the F&M Archives and Special Collections in 1983.

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Accruals
No further accruals are expected.

Additional Information
No additional information.

Historical/Biographical Information
No additional information.

Scope and Content Note
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Inventory/Contents
Box/Folder
1/1 Treasurer's Account book, 1890-1907.
1/2 Treasurer's Account book, 1908-1921.
1/3 Treasurer's Account book, 1921-1940.
1/4 Circulation forms.

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