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## Summary Information

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## Historical Note

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In 1875, Isom L. Burrow moved to Altus and opened a school there which was called Central Collegiate Institute. Although it was a privately owned school, it was recognized and promoted by the Methodist Episcopal Church South. In 1882, the conferences adopted it as a training school and in 1884 purchased it. In 1886, Rev. A.C. Miller was elected president. He succeeded in moving the college to Conway in 1890, at which time it was renamed Hendrix College. The old property at Altus was turned over to Professor Burrow, who opened it as a private college under the name Hiram and Lydia College, after his parents. It survived until about 1906 when it was purchased by the town of Altus.

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## Scope and Contents

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This collection contains a special announcement of the commercial department of the Hiram and Lydia Burrow College in Altus, Arkansas, from 1894.

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## Administrative Information

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