

Charlie Poole Records

- Repository:** Rockingham Co. Historical Collections
Gerald B. James Library
Rockingham Community College
P. O. Box 38
Wentworth, NC 27375
- Title:** Charlie Poole Records
- Accession No.:** 93-061
- Extent:** 2 vinyl records
- Provenance:** Donated by John Gentry
- Inclusive Dates:** 1925
- Subject Headings:** Musicians – Rockingham County (N. C.)
Poole, Charlie, 1892-1931
- Preferred Citation:** *Charlie Poole Records. 93-061. Rockingham Co. Historical Collections, Gerald B. James Library, Rockingham Community College.*
- Descriptive Note:** Charlie Poole was a singer and banjo player known for laying the foundations of modern country and bluegrass music with his unique 3-finger picking style. He lived most of his life in Spray, N. C., but traveled extensively with his band, the North Carolina Ramblers. Poole died in 1931 at the age of 39.
- Contents:** 2 (78 RPM) records with the following songs:
Don't Let Your Deal Go Down
Can I Sleep in Your Barn Tonight Mister
I'm the Man That Rode the Mule Round the World
The Girl I Left in Sunny Tennessee