

DUKE POWER RECORDS INVENTORY, 1935-1939, 1957

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ABSTRACT

Duke Energy began in the early 1900s, with the founding of the Catawba Power Company by Dr. W. Gill Wylie, James Buchanan Duke, and William States Lee. Initially primarily providing power to the mill companies, Duke Power boomed following the end of World War II. By 1997, Duke Power had grown tremendously, and merged with PanEnergy to create Duke Energy. Nine years later, Duke Energy and Cinergy Corp. merged as well. Another union with Progress Energy came in 2012, followed by the acquisition of Piedmont Natural Gas in 2016.

Today, Duke Energy is the largest electric utility in the United States, providing service to the Carolinas, Tennessee, Florida, Ohio, Kentucky, and Indiana. Focusing on the future, Duke Energy aims at innovation in environmental and economic sustainability.

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection contains rural line extension applications for service. The bulk of the collection is from 1935-1939, with one outlier.

PRELIMINARY INVENTORY

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