New on the Shelves

"New on the Shelves" is a list of recent additions to the collections of the State Historical Society of Iowa. It includes manuscripts, audio-visual materials, and published materials recently acquired or newly processed that we think might be of interest to the readers of the *Annals of Iowa*. The "DM" or "IC" at the end of each entry denotes whether the item is held in Des Moines or Iowa City.

Manuscripts

Grgurich, Rudy. Papers, ca. 1942–ca. 1946. 2 files of documents, ephemera, and photographs. Materials of Rudy Grgurich (Des Moines) related to his service as an armed guard in the U.S. Navy during World War II, and career with the coast guard and merchant marine. DM.

Iowa Chapter, U.S. Submarine Veterans of World War II. Records, 1960–2012. 1 ft. Records of this state chapter of the U.S. Submarine Veterans of World War II, including minutes, newsletters, membership rosters, and miscellaneous documents related to activities of the chapter and its members. DM.

Monona County (Iowa) courts. Docket, 1867–1887. 1 vol. Monona County justice docket. DM.

Vorland, Gehard. Papers, 1972–2012. 1 ft. Materials related to the "Bridge of Fellowship" program conceived by Iowa missionary Gehard Vorland as an international exchange program through which members of the Japanese Evangelical Lutheran Church could share theological insights and fellowship with Iowa host families of the same faith. The initial round of exchanges that occurred in1974 and 1977 prompted expanded global exchanges in the 1980s and 1990s. Collection includes correspondence, planning materials, publications, photographs, and two oral interviews with Rev. Vorland. DM.

Published Materials

Along the Ohio Trail: A Short History of Ohio Lands, by Tanya West Dean and W. David Speas; edited by George W. Knepper. 3rd paperback ed. Columbus, OH: Auditor of State, 2002. 89 pp. IC.

American Sailing Ships: Their Plans and History, by Charles G. Davis. 1929. Reprint. New York: Dover Publications, 1984. xi, 196 pp. + 31 plates. IC.

Centerdale Woman's Club, Organized 1890, Federated 1920. N.p., [1920?] 60 pp. IC.

"Courting Controversy: Gender and Power in Iowa Girls Basketball," by Shelley Marie Lucas. Ph.D. thesis, University of Iowa, 2001. iv, 207 pp. IC.

"Fields of Dreams: Agriculture, Economy and Nature in Midwest United States Biofuel Production," by Sean Thomas Gillon. Ph.D. thesis, University of California, Santa Cruz, 2011. ix, 289 pp. IC.

"Forest Investigations in Northern and Northeastern Iowa," by Gilmour Byers MacDonald. M.S. thesis. University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1914. 163 pp. IC.

Grant Wood: Abandoned Plans, by Paul C. Juhl. Iowa City: Brushy Creek Publishing, 2012. 66 pp. IC.

"The Life and Career of Himie Voxman," by Michele Ann Bowen Hustedt. D.M.A. thesis, University of Iowa, 2010. vii, 152 pp. *Biography of longtime University of Iowa professor known for his contributions to the field of academic music as an educator and administrator, and for his publication of method books and arrangements of chamber music for wind instruments*. IC.

My Two Moms: Lessons of Love, Strength, and What Makes a Family, by Zach Wahls with Bruce Littlefield. New York: Gotham Books, 2012. xix, 234 pp. An advocate and son of same-gender parents recounts his famed address to the Iowa House of Representatives on civil unions, and describes his positive experiences of growing up in an alternative family in spite of prejudice. IC.

Preliminary Outline of Mineral Resources: State of Iowa, prepared by Engineering Experiment Station, Iowa State College, Ames, in collaboration with Research Department, Chicago and North Western Railway System. Chicago and North Western Railway System, 1953. 29 pp. + 6 plates. DM.

The Wever Bypass Excavations: Highway Archaeology along the Great River Road in Southeast Iowa, by Randall M. Withrow. Ames: Iowa Dept. of Transportation, 2012. 26 pp. IC. Also available at http://www.iowadot.gov/ole/documents/Booklet%20-%20Wever%20Bypass%20Excavations.pdf.

What G.I. Joe Heard about Iowa. Des Moines: Iowa Development Commission, 1945. 14 pp. Pamphlet about Iowa in wartime based on material prepared for broadcast over U.S. Army Network in the British Isles. DM, IC.

"Women Farmland Owners in Iowa: Cultivating Agency through Rhetorical Practice," by Rachel Marie Wolford. Ph.D. thesis, Iowa State University, 2011. 186 pp. IC.