

## 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

Dallas County Rock Club (Adel). Newsletters, September 1969–April 1973. ¼ ft. Issues of *The Pyriter*, bulletin of this club for rock and mineral collectors and geology enthusiasts. DM.

Fletcher, Christopher C. Diaries, 1863 and 1864. Two Civil War diaries kept by Sgt. Christopher C. Fletcher (Chariton) while serving with Company K of the 34th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, which, during the time period covered by the diaries, participated in the siege of Vicksburg, the Rio Grande and Red River expeditions, and the capture of Ft. Morgan. DM.

Gordon, Samuel. Diaries, 1863 and 1865. Two Civil War diaries kept by Sgt. Samuel Gordon (Crawfordsville) while serving with Company F of the 11th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, which during the time period covered by the diaries, participated in the Vicksburg and Carolinas campaigns. The 1865 volume includes comments on activities in Washington, D.C., at time the Army of the Potomac was assembling for the Grand Review at the close of the war. DM.

Iowa’s Community Bankers (Iowa Savings and Loan League). Records, 1898–2008. 4 ft. Records of the Iowa state association for savings and loan institutions, including proceedings of annual meetings, newsletters, papers related to trade legislation, event programs, trade brochures, and scrapbooks. DM.

Kesselring, George M. (Major). 1 document, 2000. 46 pp. Reminiscences of Major Kesselring (Guthrie County), who flew 35 missions over Germany as a B-17 pilot with the 91st Bomb Group of the 8th Air Force, 1942–1945. DM.

Norby, Herbert G. Papers, 1941–1945. Ca. 250 letters. World War II correspondence of Pfc. Norby (Moorhead) written to his mother and sister while training and serving with the 184th Infantry’s Anti-Tank Company. Pfc. Norby comments on his training (Kansas, California, and Hawaii) and deployments (Aleutian Islands, Marshall Islands, Philippine Islands, and Ryuku Islands), writing regularly up until the time of his death at Okinawa in June 1945. DM.

Shearer, Silas I. Papers, 1862–1865. Ca. 130 letters. Primarily Civil War correspondence from Sgt. Silas I. Shearer (Story County) to his wife, written during the time he served with Company K of the 23rd Iowa Volunteer Infantry. He

comments on camp life and the movements of his regiment, which participated in the siege of Vicksburg, the battles of Port Gibson and Milliken's Bend, and the campaign against Mobile. DM.

Weaver, James Baird. Scrapbooks, 1880–1912. 1½ ft. Two volumes of news clippings documenting the political activities of James Baird Weaver, a U.S. Representative for the Greenback Party and presidential nominee of the Greenback (1880) and Populist Party (1892). The scrapbook covering 1880–1912 contains a significant number of political cartoons. DM.

Whittlesey, Sara. Diary, October 1930–December 1934. Depression-era diary kept by this Humboldt County farm wife. DM.

### Published Materials

*An Account of the Battle of Wilson's Creek*, by Holcombe and Adams. 1883. Reprint. Springfield, MO: Springfield Public Library and the Greene County Historical Society, 1985. 111 pp. DM, IC.

*And the Wilderness Shall Blossom: Henry Benjamin Whipple, Churchman, Educator, Advocate for the Indians*, by Anne Beiser Allen. Afton, MN: Afton Historical Society Press, 2008. 287 pp. IC.

*The Archaeology of Petaga Point: The Preceramic Component*, by Peter Bleed. St. Paul: Minnesota Historical Society, 1969. 51 pp. DM.

*Archaeology on the Road*. [Iowa City: Office of State Archaeologist, 2008?]. 14 pp. DM. For online version of this publication, see [www.uiowa.edu/~osa/edu/images/entirebookletforweb.pdf](http://www.uiowa.edu/~osa/edu/images/entirebookletforweb.pdf).

*Architecture of the Amana Colonies*, by Gordon Kellenberger and Jean Kellenberger. Art and Craft Series 7. Amana: Amana Artists Guild, [1987?]. 8 pp. IC.

*Aspects of Upper Great Lakes Anthropology: Papers in Honor of Lloyd A. Wilford*, edited by Elden Johnson. St. Paul: Minnesota Historical Society, 1974. x, 190 pp. DM.

*The Atlanta Campaign: A Civil War Driving Tour of Atlanta-Area Battlefields*, by J. Britt McCarley, with a reader's guide to the Atlanta Campaign, by Stephen Davis and Richard M. McMurry. Atlanta: Cherokee Pub. Co., 1989. 112 pp. DM.

*Barns around Iowa: A Sampling of Iowa's Round Barns*, by Luella Hazeltine. Iowa City: Penfield Books, 2008. 128 pp. IC.

*Basketmaking of the Amana Colonies*. Art and Craft Series 2. Amana: Amana Artists Guild, [1982?]. 8 pp. IC.

*Battle at Bull Run: A History of the First Major Campaign of the Civil War*, by William C. Davis. Garden City, NY: Doubleday, 1977. xiii, 298 pp. DM.

*The Battle of Scary Creek: Military Operations in the Kanawha Valley, April–July 1861*, by Terry Lowry. Rev. ed. Charleston, WV: Quarrier Press, 1998. xiv, 253 pp. DM.

*Black Southerners in Gray: Essays on Afro-Americans in Confederate Armies*, by Arthur W. Bergeron Jr. et al. Journal of Confederate History Series 11. Murfreesboro, TN: Southern Heritage Press, 1994. 172 pp. DM.

*Blacksmithing of the Amana Colonies*, by Gordon Kellenberger. Art and Craft Series 8. Amana: Amana Artists Guild, 1988. 8 pp. IC.

*Calico Prints of the Amana Colonies*, by Renate Schulte. Art and Craft Series 9. Amana: Amana Artists Guild, [1989]. 8 pp. IC.

*Captain James Wren's Civil War Diary: From New Bern to Fredericksburg: B Company, 48th Pennsylvania Volunteers, February 20, 1862–December 17, 1862*, edited by John Michael Priest et al. New York: Berkley Books, 1991. x, 181 pp. DM.

*Carpet Weaving of the Amana Colonies*, by Barbara Hoehnle. Art and Craft Series 4. Amana: Amana Artists Guild, [1984?]. 8 pp. IC.

*Chrysler: The Life and Times of an Automotive Genius*, by Vincent Curcio. New York: Oxford University Press, 2000. xiv, 699 pp. DM, IC.

*The Civil War*, by Robert Webb. Washington, DC: National Parks and Conservation Association, [199–]. 22 pp. DM.

*Civil War Maps: An Annotated List of Maps and Atlases in Map Collections of the Library of Congress*, compiled by Richard W. Stephenson. Falls Church, VA: Sterling Press, 1977. v, 138 pp. DM.

*Civil War Military Dictionary: Includes 1855 Rifle Manual, and 1861 Army Cook Book*, by H. L. Scott, edited by Martin Bywell. 1861. Reprint. Harriman, TN: Pioneer Press, 1956. DM.

*Civil War Sites in Virginia: A Tour Guide*, by James I. Robertson Jr. Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1982. xi, 108 pp. DM.

*The Civil War Trust's Official Guide to the Civil War Discovery Trail*, edited by Susan Collier Braselton. New York: Macmillan, 1998. xii, 319 pp. DM.

*Coal Resources of Iowa*, by E. R. Landis. [Iowa City]: State of Iowa, 1965. vi, 141 pp. DM, IC.

*Conceived in Liberty: Joshua Chamberlain, William Oates, and the American Civil War*, by Mark Perry. New York: Penguin Books, 1999. x, 500 pp. DM.

*Confederate Victories at Fort Pillow*, edited by Edward F. Williams III. Memphis, TN: Nathan Bedford Forrest Trail Committee, 1973. 48 pp. DM.

*Craftwork for the Kitchens and Gardens of the Amana Colonies*, by Emilie Hoppe. Art and Craft Series 11. Amana: Amana Artists Guild, [1991]. 8 pp. IC.

"Creating a Union of the Union: The Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Creation of a Politicized Female Reform Culture, 1880–1892," by Sarah Boyle. Ph.D. thesis, State University of New York at Binghamton, 2005. 248 pp. IC.

*The Decisive Battle of Nashville*, by Stanley F. Horn. 1956. Reprint. Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University Press, 1984. 181 pp. DM.

*Detailed Minutiae of Soldier Life in the Army of Northern Virginia, 1861–1865*, by Carlton McCarthy. 1882. Reprint. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1993. xix, 224 pp. DM.

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