

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 manuscript, audio-visual, and government records recently acquired or newly processed that we think might be of particular interest to readers of the *Annals of Iowa*. The list also includes published materials added to either library that are not reviewed elsewhere in some issue of the *Annals*. The "DM" or "IC" at the end of each entry denotes whether the item is held in Des Moines or Iowa City.

Government Records (in the State Archives in Des Moines)

General Assembly, House of Representatives. Ethics Reporting Forms. 1992–1994. 1 ft.

General Assembly, House of Representatives. Lobbying Registration and Reporting Forms. 1993–1994. 10 ft.

General Assembly, House of Representatives. Original Bills and Joint Resolutions (not adopted). 1995–1996. 9 ft.

General Assembly, Senate. Legislative Standing Committee Minutes and Subcommittee Reports. 1985–1986. 3 ft.

General Assembly, Senate. Photographs. 1979–1980, 1991–1992. ¼ ft.

Manuscripts and Records

American Legion Post #60 (Argonne Post, Des Moines). Yearbooks, 1919–1993. 3 reels of microfilm. DM.

Delk, O. L. (Roy). Correspondence, 1898–1899. Letters between Roy Delk and family members at Coin, Iowa, written during the Spanish-American War while Delk was serving as a musician in the Third U.S. Volunteer Engineers Band. Related photographs also available. 167 letters. DM.

Dial, Denise. "The Corn Belt Derby—Come By Hi-Way, Air Way, Any Way: The National Corn Husking Contest at Grundy County, Iowa, 1931." Ames, 1996. 28 pp. IC.

Hammond, John B. "The Rise and Fall of Prohibition, and the Way Back." Manuscript discusses the history of temperance legislation, 1898–1933. The author was a social reformer who served as head of the state liquor law enforcement commission during World War I, and was Chief of Police in Des Moines in the 1920s. Des Moines, ca. 1935. 290 pp. IC.

Kays, James R. "Memories of James Ryerson Kays." Manuscript describing author's life experiences dating back to 1835, including moving from Ohio to Pennsylvania, then on to Wisconsin, and finally to Iowa. Also includes letter dated December 2, 1916, giving family history. Waterloo, 1910. 37 pp. IC.

McMillan, James E. "Tom and Murray Cox: Pella's Music Men, 1855-1925." Pella, 1996. 43 pp. IC.

Nash, Jan. Three items. Iowa City, 1996-97. National Register of Historic Places nominations for the Lincoln Hotel at Lowden, Cedar County, Iowa; and for the commercial district in Oxford, Johnson County, Iowa; along with architectural and historical survey of the Campbell Baking Company (Continental Baking Co.) building in Sioux City. IC.

Packer, Mary (Bliss). Papers and photographs, 1895-1924. ½ ft. and 10 photos. Diary of Mary C. Bliss, 1900-1910, discussing mostly school and friends in Salem, Iowa, and Galesburg, Illinois, and later her courtship with future husband, Paul C. Packer (principal of Iowa City Grammar School and dean of the College of Education at the University of Iowa). Also includes correspondence, miscellaneous papers, and unidentified portraits. IC.

Pearl Harbor Veterans' Organizations. Correspondence, meeting minutes, organizational records, and newsletters of the Iowa Veterans of Pearl Harbor, and the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association. 1956-1995. 1½ ft. DM.

Purcell, Sarah J. "Republican Prospects Are Bright: The Political Culture of Page County, Iowa." Providence, RI, 1993. 26 pp. IC.

Pythian Sisters, White Rose Temple No. 111. Records, 1906-1996. 1½ ft. Records of the Pythian Sisters lodge at Martelle, Iowa. Materials include meeting records, dues ledgers, cash books, rosters of members, roll of officers and past chiefs, and books of drills and forms. IC.

Audio-Visual

Beranek, Jamie. 29 postcards, ca. 1906-1923. Addition to collection: original postcard views from various towns across Iowa. Images include street scenes, businesses and other buildings, bird's eye views, etc. IC.

Clinton Bridge Works. Views of three bridges constructed by the Clinton Bridge Works in 1933. DM.

Delk, O. L. (Roy). 17 photographs, 1895-1928. Photos of Delk and other Coin, Iowa, musicians in the Third U.S. Volunteer Engineers Band during the Spanish-American War, and in the Coin community band; photos of the Delk family, their hotel, and grocery store; images of Coin, Iowa, including views of a local mine and an oil well. Related manuscript collection available. DM.

Fitzsimmons, Betty. 26 photographs, 1993-1995. Photos taken by Fitzsimmons at the gorge created by the 1993 floods at Saylorville Lake, Polk County. Subjects include fossils and rock strata exposed by the flooding. Prints were part of an exhibit sponsored by the Iowa Arts Council. DM.

Grant Wood Area Education Agency. Records, ca. 1904-1970 (bulk 1950-1960s). Ca. 120 maps and 17 bound volumes. Addition to records: maps relating to

school district consolidations or reorganization, rural resident directories, and annual reports. IC.

Iowa State Capitol. 4 stereograph views showing the interior of the State Capitol at Des Moines, ca. 1886. DM.

McGregor, Iowa. 33 photographs, ca. 1885. Photos taken in and around McGregor, following a flood. Many focus on damage to local railroads. DM.

Railroad and Township Map of the State of Iowa, engraved and published by Mills & Co., Des Moines, 1872. Commissioned by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., the map shows the main and branch lines of the railroad, stations, and lands available for sale (giving terms and conditions of purchase on reverse side). One map, 33 × 50 cm. IC.

Rodman, Jeremy W. 26 contact prints (made from 4 × 5 glass plate negatives). Unidentified images from southwest Iowa and Nebraska, near Council Bluffs, showing farm scenes, children's activities, and landscape (including the Loess Hills), ca. 1905–1910. IC.

Schwieder, Dorothy A. Audio tapes of 75 oral history interviews conducted during Schwieder's research on Buxton, Iowa, and transcripts of those interviews. 1980–1982. 95 audio cassettes, 1,737 pages of transcripts. DM.

Published Materials

Adaptation of the Icarians to America: Proceedings of the 1987 Cours Icarien Symposium, Corning, Iowa and Omaha, Nebraska, July 18 & 19, 1987, edited by Robert P. Sutton. Nauvoo, IL: National Icarian Heritage Society, 1993. iv, 47 pp. DM.

Archaic Hunters and Gatherers in the American Midwest, edited by James L. Phillips and James A. Brown. New York: Academic Press, 1983. xvi, 349 pp. IC.

Assimilation of Icarians into American Life: Proceedings of the 1988 Cours Icarien Symposium, edited by Lillian M. Snyder. Nauvoo, IL: National Icarian Heritage Society, 1994. iv, 52 pp. DM.

Atlas of Marshall County, Iowa: Drawn From Actual Surveys and the County Records to Which is Added a Railroad Map of the State of Iowa, published by Harrison & Warner. Mt. Vernon, IN: Windmill Publications, 1994. 53 pp. DM, IC.

Chancellorsville, by Stephen W. Sears. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co., 1996. x, 593 pp. IC.

Earl O. Heady: His Impact on Agricultural Economics, edited by James Langley, Gary Vocke, and Larry Whitting. Ames: Iowa State University Press, 1994. xiii, 197 pp. DM, IC.

Ethnomimesis: Folklife and the Representation of Culture, by Robert Cantwell. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1993. xx, 323 pp. DM.

Gifts of the Spirit: Works by Nineteenth Century and Contemporary Native American Artists. Salem, MA: Peabody Essex Museum, 1996. 239 pp. IC.

History of Czechs in America, by Jan Habenicht. St. Paul, MN: Czechoslovak Genealogical Society International, 1996. xii, 582 pp. IC.

Immortal Blue: Co. "H," 19th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, 1862-1865, by Geo. W. Sommerville. Revised and reissued by Theo. M. Cook. Bonaparte: Record-Republican, 1966. 117 pp. DM.

Men to Remember: How 100,000 Neighbors Made History, as told by Kenneth D. Ruble. [Chicago?: n.p.], 1947. xv, 318 pp. IC.

Minneapolis & St. Louis in Color: Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway, Peoria Gateway, by Gene Green. Edison, NJ: Morning Sun Books, 1996. 123 pp. IC.

Mississippi Currents: Journeys Through Time and a Valley, by Andrew H. Malcolm. New York: William Morrow and Co., 1996. xv, 221 pp. IC.

My Vegetable Love: A Journal of a Growing Season, by Carl H. Klaus. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co., 1996. 344 pp. IC.

Sherman's Horsemen: Union Cavalry Operations in the Atlanta Campaign, by David Evans. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 1996. xxxvi, 645 pp. DM.

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