GUIDE TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS' DOCUMENTATION RELATED TO THE ALLERTON FAMILY AND ROBERT ALLERTON PARK AND CONFERENCE CENTER

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FOREWORD

Since Robert Allerton gave his estate in Monticello to the University in 1946, the number and diversity of documents and related materials on this unique resource has grown steadily. By far the most ambitious and comprehensive attempt to identify and catalog major items is represented in this document which is the product of over a year's effort by Susan Enscore. Her work was carefully guided by Professors Maynard Brichford and William Maher, the University's archivist and assistant archivist.

As interim co-directors, we commissioned this project to learn more about how much "Allertonia" exists and where it can be found. The size of this report confirms our suspicions that a wealth of useful material is available.

A great deal of effort was involved in assembling this impressive reference document. It identifies the variety of documents that exist and their location, as well as serving as the basis for further expansion and update of the records of Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center.

Researchers interested in examining the history associated with this gift will find this a valuable reference source. We appreciate all of Susan's work and the enthusiasm with which she approached the task. We thank Professors Brichford and Maher who added their experience to producing a well-organized and comprehensive document.

Charles E. Kozoll Kathleen H. Pecknold Interim Co-Directors Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center January 1991

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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this guide is to provide a detailed listing of material held by the University of Illinois that is related to the Allerton family and Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center. This project has several goals including: expanding and updating the "Allerton Archives" booklet created by Laura Marshall-Lewis in 1984, providing easy access to this listing by creating a guide on a word processing file with searching capabilities, and creating a document that will provide future researchers with a comprehensive report on specific materials available.

Over the course of a year, January - December, 1990, several repositories of material relevant to the topic were searched. Since the largest amount of material is located in the University Archives, it served as the starting point for this guide. The first step was to examine all the Archives material listed in the "Allerton Archives" booklet to check for accuracy and completeness of listings and need for possible expansion. Next, the Archives holding of records of major offices or departments within the University that have been involved with the administration or use of the Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center, the Allerton Endowment Farms, and the 4-H Memorial Camp were examined. The selection of these groups of records was based on a review of Archives finding aids which provided broad overviews of the material contained in each box of a record series. The finding aids were checked for listings on "Allerton", "Robert Allerton", "Allerton Park", "4-H", and "Gift". Once a reference was found, the appropriate box and folder of records was searched, and a detailed description of the relevant documents was created. Approximately fifty record series were searched, and material from thirty-three of them is included in this document.

The second repository searched was the Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center. Material held at Allerton House was located with the assistance of Jennifer Eickman, then Assistant Director of Allerton House and Conference Center. The archival material was documented, and artifacts held in the Allerton House were listed. The extensive material held at the Visitor Center for the Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center was located with the assistance of David Bowman, Park Superintendent. Again, the archival material was documented, and artifacts were listed.

A visit was made to the 4-H Memorial Camp office which is also located on property given by Robert Allerton. The archival material in this office was located with the assistance of David Shiley, Director, and the documents were subsequently recorded.

The final phase of the search involved documenting material held by other offices and repositories on campus that have been involved in the administration and use of the Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center, the Allerton Endowment Farms, and the 4-H Memorial Camp. This material is supplemental to that found in the University Archives, usually of a more recent date, or is found in a special collection such as the Map and Geography Library.

The listings created through these searches were entered into a Word Perfect file. A subject index was created to allow easy access to the location and contents of specific records. Preliminary bibliographies were created to provide information on research activities conducted at the Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center, and on Allerton family history.

For a quick overview of the University's administration of the Allerton properties, researchers should consult the Index of the Proceedings of the Board of Trustees. The Board dealt with all aspects of these properties. A quick overview of the Allerton family can be found by examining the section of this report dealing with the material in David Bowman's office, Visitor Center at Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center. An overview of conferences held at Allerton House can be found in the Office of Continuing Education and Public Service where yearly reports listing conferences are kept. Researchers wishing to use this guide to locate Allerton related material should begin with

the subject index which will provide page locations for various topics. The pages will provide information on the location of material and an indication of what type of material can be found.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

This project would not have been possible without the assistance of several individuals. Maynard Brichford and William Maher provided guidance on matters relating to archival procedure, record location, and the form and contents of this document. Kathleen Pecknold and Charles Kozoll were instrumental in the supervision of this project and graciously provided what was at times much needed encouragement. Jennifer Eickman, David Shiley, and, particularly, David Bowman, willingly provided information and access to their collections for what sometimes became very extended forays.

The contents of this guide reflect the best effort to create a comprehensive listing. In all probability, however, some material has been overlooked. Notice of any omissions or errors should be submitted to the University Archives for inclusion in a possible future update of the guide.

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University Archives Holdings

The University Archives 19 Library Building, 1408 West Gregory University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Urbana, Illinois 61801 Maynard Brichford, Archivist (217-333-0798)

Material located in the Archives has been transferred from offices, organizations, and individuals connected with the University. This material is arranged by Series (administrative file). Within specific boxes, supplementary finding aids may list file folders by title and contents. Most of the information in the Archives deals with the administration of the Allerton properties. For additional information concerning the uses of the Allerton properties as a Conference Center, check Series 13/3/22, 18/1/815, and 41/69/322.

Series 1/1/4 Trustees, Secretary, Proceedings Indexes, 1867-1952 Volume: 1.0 cu. ft.

Typewritten indexes to proceedings of the Board of Trustees, compiled by the secretary, showing primary and secondary subject headings, date of action and page. These indexes provide a chronology of major administrative actions and changes affecting the Allerton properties. The underlined dates provide the date of publication for the volume of the Proceedings.

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Box 1: 1867 -- 1930-52, A-B
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Trustees Proceedings Indexes, 1930-52, A
          Allerton Center, converting and remodeling, appropriation, 1949 - 296
              furniture, purchase, 1949 - 306
           Allerton Farms, cribs, repair, contract, 1949 - 950
              easement, 1948 -1064
              easement for construction of pipe line, 1951 - 563
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              lease, 1947 - 924
                  elevator and office location, 1947 - 345; 1950 - 1063
                  ground for driveway, 1947 - 345
              oats, processing and distributing, 1948 - 1123
              painting and minor repairs, 1950 - 344
              purchase, automobile, 1947 - 374
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                  lightening rods, 1949 - 960
                  limestone, <u>1947</u> - 347; <u>1948</u> - 950, 1122, 61; <u>1949</u> - 901
                  rock phosphate, 1948 - 130; 1949 - 901, 959
                  roads, improvement, 1948 - 84
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                  taxes, payment in lieu of, 1949 - 921
          Allerton House, paintings by Rainey Bennett, gift, 1952 - 1471
              portraits, gift, 1951 - 1214
           Allerton Park
              brochure, appropriation, 1947 - 498
              electric service, contract, 1946 - 208; 1948 - 1036
              Four-H Club Camp, development, authority of Foundation to execute contracts, 1947 -
           Allerton, Robert, gift, 1931 - 220; 1932 -577; 1933 - 230, 422; 1935 - 186; 1936 - 636;
              1939 - 231; 1940 - 780, 13; 1941 - 229; 1942 - 775; 1946 - 1164, 204; <del>1</del>948 - 66; 1949
              <u>- 903</u>; 1950 <u>- 116</u>4; 1951 - 1210, 1214; 1952 - 1467, 1471
              appreciation, 1946 - 1165, 116
              deed, 1946 - 116, 155
              terms, 1946 - 17, 39
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valuation, 1947 - 892
           Allerton scholarships, appointment, 1949 - 427
               award, 1931 - 280; 1932 - 605; 1934 - 593; 1938 - 854; 1940 - 970; 1941 - 373; 1942 -
                  942; <u>1943</u> - 462; <u>1948</u> - 1118
              fund, budget, 1931 - 365; 1932 - 80; 1933 - 359; 1934 - 565; 1935 - 355; 1936 - 752;
                   1937 - 463: 1938 - 781
              gift, 1948 - 66; 1949 - 903; 1950 - 1164
              gift for continuation, 1933 - 230, 422; 1935 - 186; 1936 - 636; 1937 - 203; 1938 - 811
   Box 2:
                  1930-52, C-K
       Trustees Proceedings Indexes, 1930-52, G
           Gift
              Allerton, Robert, <u>1931</u> - 220; <u>1932</u> - 577; <u>1933</u> - 230, 422; <u>1935</u> - 186; <u>1936</u> - 636;
                  <u>1937</u> - 203; <u>1938</u> - 811; <u>1939</u> - 231; <u>1940</u> - 780, 13; <u>1941</u> - 229; <u>1942</u> - 775; <u>1946</u> -
                  1164, 204; 1951 - 1210, 1214; 1952 - 1467, 1473
   Box 3:
                  1930-52. L-Z
       Trustees Proceedings Indexes, 1930-52, R
           Robert Allerton Park, air compressor, purchase, 1950 - 501
               appropriations, balances reappropriated, 1950 - 38; 1951 - 1198
               booklet, printing, 1950 - 468
              budget, <u>1949</u> - 651, 764; <u>1950</u> - 171, 291; <u>1951</u> - 1007, 1127
              director, appointment, 1948 - 77
                  resignation, 1951 - 1308
              electric service, contract, 1949 - 525
              fire protection, contract, adjustment, 1951 - 1264
              fire protection equipment, appropriation, 1951 - 762
               Four-H Memorial Camp, lighting and power requirements, contract, 1949 - 936
               pipeline, right of way agreement, 1952 - 1464
               purchase, bedroom furniture, 1949 - 351, 352
                  carpeting, 1949 - 351
                  draperies, 1949 - 351
                  dumbwaiter, 1949 - 481
                  kitchen equipment, 1949 - 351
                  lamps, <u>1949</u> - 351
piano, <u>1949</u> -902
                  refrigerator, 1949 - 351
                  sand urns, 1949 - 351
                  tables and chairs, 1949 - 351
               radio transmitter, power and lighting, contract, 1951 - 560
               radio transmitter building, 1950 - 492
               remodeling, appropriation, 1949 -407, 824; 1950 - 1127
                  balance reappropriated, 1949 -485
                  contract, adjustment, 1952 - 1361
                  award, 1949 -372
                  referred to Committee on Buildings and Grounds, 1949 - 333
                  report, <u>1949</u> - 370
               right-of-way agreement, 1949 - 936
              road grader, purchase, 1952 - 1494
              sculpture, gift, 1951 - 1214
              sewage system, appropriation, 1951 - 1200
                  contracts, 1951 - 1201
                  wage rates, objection by Twin City Federation of Labor, 1951 - 1201
              wage rates on construction contracts, determination, 1949 - 812, 941
                  objections, 1949 - 405
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hearing, <u>1949</u> - 812 wage rates on construction work, determination, committee, <u>1950</u> - 992 investigation, <u>1950</u> - 1122 fact-finding committee, report, <u>1950</u> - 371 policy, <u>1950</u> - 372 referred to Committee on Civil Service and Employees, <u>1950</u> - 443 well, contract, <u>1949</u> - 299 drilling, 1950 - 500

For locating material after 1952, utilize the University of Illinois' AISS computer system through PROFS and RAMIS.

Series 2/9/21 President Arthur C. Willard, Newspaper Clippings, 1920, 1930, 1934-1946 Volume: 1.0 cu. ft.

Newspaper clippings saved by President and Mrs. Arthur C. Willard from local and Chicago papers; contents are both personal and University related. Arthur C. Willard was president of the University during early negotiations relating to Robert Allerton's gift of his estate. Material is arranged chronologically.

Box 1:

Newspaper Clipping: <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (6/30/46), article on Allerton Park donation, uses of Park, historical sketch of Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton, photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior) and grounds, aerial photo of Park.

Series 2/10/1 President George D. Stoddard, General Correspondence, 1946-53 Volume: 79.3 cu ft. SFA: 90 pages

Subject file including correspondence, reports, memoranda, publications, and files received from or sent to trustees, deans, university administrators, faculty, and the public during tenure as president. George D. Stoddard was president of the University when the gift of the Allerton estate was made in 1946. Documents relating to Allerton from President Willard's administration were brought forward into this group of material.

Box 1: A - Am, 1946 - 1947

Allerton Estate
proposed financial procedures (1946)
evaluation (breakdowns) of Allerton Gift (1947)
correspondence re: Committee on Robert Allerton Park; recommendations, report, transfer
to Extension, discharge of committee (1947)
first Brochure, reprint order, and text by President Stoddard (1947)
copy of letter to Robert Allerton re: election to membership in University of Illinois
Foundation
copy of letter to John Gregg Allerton re: formal opening of park (1947)
signed letter from John Gregg Allerton to Janata re: opening of park (1947)
copy of letters from Robert Allerton to Farm tenants re: gift of estate to University of Illinois
(1946)

correspondence re: Illinois Director of Public Works, Superintendent of Parks (1947) correspondence re: development of 4-H lake (1947)

correspondence re: employees; who stay/leave, salary (1946)

correspondence re: landscaping the 4-H Camp, trees from Park greenhouses (1946)

Series 2/10/1 Box 1 (continued)

Photos (with list) re: Allerton House (interior and exterior), gardens, grounds, statues (1946)

photostatic copy of Indentures (1946) with map (1947, 4 copies) "Mansion and Gardens, Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois"

copy of letter to Robert Allerton from Board of Trustees re: disposal of personal effects (1946)

correspondence re: physical plant to cover care of estate, not Farms (1946)

signed letter from Robert Allerton to President Stoddard re: list of mechanical equipment to be left at Farms (1946)

signed letter from Robert Állerton (with handwritten note) to President Stoddard re: employee's salaries and perquisites (1946)

list of rugs in Allerton House and purchase prices (1946)

correspondence re: revisions made by Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton in Gift contracts (1946)

correspondence with Mrs. Francis Lenygon of New York City re: gift of antiques (1946) photo of charcoal sketch of Robert Allerton from Vivian Forbes to Robert Allerton (2 copies) (no date)

5 copies of Indentures booklet (1946)

newspaper clipping: Chicago (no daté) re: advertisement for exhibitions and sale of the Robert Allerton Collection of Antique and Georgian Furniture, Oriental Art Objects, and personal effects from The Farms to be held at John A. Colby & Sons, Wabash at Randolph, Chicago, Illinois

Allerton Estate

signed letter from Robert Allerton to President Willard re: the idea of the bequest of the estate to the University (1941)

correspondence re: proposed will of Robert Allerton including the gift of the estate; copy of relevant parts of the will (1941)

correspondence re: securing aerial photos of farms under wartime restrictions (1944) reports re: soil survey and appraisal of farms with maps (1944)

memorandum re: position statement by University on Allerton gift (1946)

agenda item for executive session, Board of Trustees meeting re: acceptance of Allerton bequest (1944)

copy of letter to Róbert Allerton re: clarification of bequest specifics (1944)

correspondence re: public announcement of gift (1946)

Map (15 copies, no date) "Highway Approaches to Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois"

newspaper clipping: <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (6/30/46) re: Allerton gift to the University of Illinois

newspaper clipping: <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u> (6/30/46) re: Allerton gift to the University of Illinois

Map (6 copies, 1947) "Mansions and Gardens, Robert Allerton Park, University of Illinois, Monticello, Illinois"

Box 13: A - Br, 1947 - 1948

Allerton Estate

correspondence from Robert Allerton to Robert B. Browne re: maintenance specifics (1948)

proposal for use of Allerton House as a Conference Center and general operating policies and procedures (1948)

report re: finances and management of Allerton farms (1948)

correspondence re: resignation of Mauritz Anderson as Manager (1948), copy of 1946 Indentures

reports re: progress at Park, immediate needs, and future plans (1948)

Box 23: A - Association, 1948 - 1949

Allerton Estate

Series 2/10/1 Box 23 (continued)

correspondence re: maintenance, insurance, furnishings, and finances of Allerton House

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(1949)
       correspondence re: visit of Robert Allerton (summer, 1949)
       correspondence re: financial situation, maintenance, heating system for Allerton House
       correspondence re: visit of Charles Casey, Director of the Department of Public Works and
          Buildings (1949)
       report re: maintenance and renovations of Allerton House (1949)
       correspondence re: need for sewage system for Allerton House (1949)
       correspondence re: surveying for topographic map, Corps of Engineers proposed flood
          control plan (1949)
       correspondence re: list of items needed for Allerton House and a list of potential gifts
          (1949)
       correspondence re: naming of Park buildings (houses), including: copy of a letter from
          Robert Allerton (1949), handwritten and signed letter from Robert Allerton (3/18/49),
          and a handwritten, signed letter with envelope from Robert Allerton (2/2/49)
       memorandum re: organization of 4-H Camp (1948)
       correspondence re: possible conferences (1947, 1948)
       correspondence with Robert Allerton re: appointment of Par Danforth as Director (1948).
          and progress report on Park (1949)
Box 33:
             Am, 1949 - 1950
   Allerton Estate
       report re: prevailing wage rates in Piatt County for University use from Law Offices of
          Hutson & Hutson, Monticello (2 copies, 1950)
       agenda item. Board of Trustees executive session re: policy statement on wage rates for
          building trades (2 copies, 5/19/50)
       correspondence re: insurance on Park buildings (1950)
      complaint letter re: no admittance to Allerton House (1949)
Box 36:
              Con - Fi. 1949 - 1950
   Extension and Correspondence Division
      correspondence re: Creative Writers' Workshop to be held at Allerton House (1949, 1950)
Box 44:
             Agriculture, Home Economics - Ba, 1950 - 1951
   Allerton Estate
       complaint letter re: food service (1951)
       memo re: report on number of visitors to Park, conferences, farms and Allerton House
          income, and expenditures (1951)
      correspondence re: road improvement from Monticello to Robert Allerton Park (1951)
       correspondence re: natural gas pipeline right-of-way across part of the farms (1951)
       report (annual) re: finances, Allerton House operations, farms (1950)
      complaint letter re: charge for cancelled conference (1950)
   Allerton Estate - Construction Contracts at Robert Allerton Park
      correspondence re: wage rates, unions for construction work (1949, 1950)
      agenda item. Board of Trustees re: wage rates (1950)
      report re: wage rates (1950)
       correspondence re: proposals for exterior painting and minor repair of farm buildings
          (1950)
      correspondence re: formal objections to the determination of prevailing wage rates (1949)
      transcript of hearing re: determination of prevailing wage rates (9/14/49)
      correspondence and reports re: awarding of contracts for remodeling, repairs, and painting
          of Park buildings (1949)
Box 57:
             A - Association, 1951 - 1952
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Allerton Estate

correspondence re: transfer of management and development of Robert Allerton Park grounds to Department of Agriculture, and Robert Allerton Park buildings (houses) to Division of University Extension (1952)

correspondence and report re: Committee on Allerton Park Directorship (1952)

correspondence re: transfer of Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House from Division of Communications to Division of University Extension (1952)

press release re: appointment of Norman W. Johnson as Director of Allerton House (1952) report re: Committee on Allerton Park Directorship, recommendations for Director (1952) correspondence re: President Stoddard to Robert Allerton, plans for visit (1952) signed letter from Robert Allerton to President Stoddard re: plans for visit (1952) correspondence with Robert Allerton including: getting together with President Stoddard.

handwritten letter from Robert Allerton re: paintings commissioned for Allerton House (1951)

correspondence with Par Danforth re: possible purchase of 10 acre Elmer Priebe tract, proposed new wing for Allerton House with attached map and blueprints (1951) complaint letter re: facilities at Allerton House (1951)

report re: groups using conference facilities July 1, 1950 to June 30, 1951 including group name, dates, number of days, and number attending (1952)

report re: recommendations for use of Allerton Farm #2 (1951)

correspondence re: contracts for sewage system (1951)

report re: use of Robert Allerton Park facilities (1951)

Box 60: D - Ge, 1951 - 1952

Extension and Correspondence Division

Announcement, Program, and Registration Form re: Institute for the Illinois Chapter of International Association of Public Service Employees Conference, Allerton House, October 18-20, 1951 (1951)

Program re: Fourth Annual Short Course for Institutional Power Plant Engineers, Allerton House, October 7-12, 1951 (1951)

Box 68: A - As. 1952 - 1953

Allerton Park

report re: use of Allerton House for conferences 1949 - 1953 with list of conferences classified as "University of Illinois Conferences," "Division of University Extension Short Course," and "Other Meetings" showing number of days, number of persons, and summary (1953)

Agenda, List of participants re: Conference on Training for Political Participation, December 5-6, 1952, Allerton House (1952)

correspondence re: approval of sewage system by State Sanitary Water Board (1953) report re: Allerton House budget (1953)

Allerton Park, Directorship of

correspondence re: offers of Directorship (1952)

report re: Committee on the Allerton Park Directorship (7 copies, May 1952) report re: needs and objectives of Robert Allerton Park by Par Danforth (1951) correspondence re: organization and set-up of Committee on the Allerton Park Directorship (1951)

report re: Committee on the Allerton Park Directorship (7 copies, March 1952)

Series 2/10/20 President George D. Stoddard, George D. Stoddard Papers, 1925, 1932-77 Volume: 5.6 cu. ft. SFA: 5 pages

Papers, including correspondence, newspaper clippings, publications, and appointment records of both a personal and professional nature collected by George D. Stoddard. This material includes early publicity about the gift of the Allerton estate and the University's uses of the Allerton properties.

Box 4: Correspondence, T-Z, 1953-54--1976; Allerton Publications, 1946-49; Appointments, 1946-53

Allerton Park Publications, 1946-49

postcards (8) re: gardens, Allerton House (interior and exterior), statues (no dates) article, <u>Current Report</u>, Illinois State Chamber of Commerce re: gift of estate to University of Illinois, contents of gift, uses by University, brief biographical sketch of Robert Allerton with photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), main entrance to estate, gardens (October, 1946)

booklet, "Indentures by and between Robert Allerton and the University of Illinois" re: legal

document laying out terms of the gift (October 14, 1946)

newspaper clipping: <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (6/30/46) re: full page of photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), drive, gardens, statues, Chinese garden house

Birthday card, inside caption "For Robert Allerton with warm greetings and many good wishes for a happy birthday from his friends at the University of Illinois, March 20, 1949." Drawing of east facade of Allerton House on cover (1949)

booklet, "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" re: information on Park with foreword by President Stoddard, photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), gardens, statuary with enclosure of 1947 map of Park "Mansions and Gardens, Robert Allerton Park, University of Illinois, Monticello, Illinois" credited to "RLZ" (1947-48)

booklet, "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" by University of Illinois Press, text by Par Danforth, photos of gardens, statuary, Allerton House (exteriors) (1951)

Series 6/1/6 Comptroller, Comptroller's Office, Subject File, 1913-1974 Volume: 19.0 cu. ft. SFA: 8 pages

Correspondence, reports, and proposals relating to University grants, finances, capital projects, and contracts. A significant amount of material is related to the Oakley - Allerton controversy.

Box 14: Non-Recurring Appropriations Committee, 1950-70; Oakley Dam File, 1964-72

University Extension, Oakley Dam, 1964-66

correspondence re: Herbert O. Farber to Corps of Engineers on objections to proposed dam and effects on Allerton Park (1966)

correspondence re: Illinois Natural History Survey position on Oakley dam (1966)

reports and position papers re: Oakley dam by Allerton Park, University faculty, Committee on Natural Areas, Department of Recreation, Water Resources Center (1966)

copies (2) of Indentures for Park (1946)

copy of letter from William E. Britton to Dean Albert J. Harno re: University's rights regarding Allerton Park (1947)

correspondence between Senator Paul H. Douglas, Corps of Engineers, and Illinois Natural History Survey re: position on Oakley project - includes signed letter from Senator Douglas to Herbert O. Farber, 4/14/66 (1966)

correspondence re: Upper Sangamon River Valley Association plan for recreational development of Oakley reservoir (1966)

copy of letter from Walter Keith to Herbert O. Farber re: John Gregg Allerton's views on Oakley - Allerton (1966)

report re: status of Oakley project by Walter M. Keith (1966)

maps re: Robert Allerton Park, Upper Sangamon River Watershed, Upper Sangamon River Valley pool heights (1963-66)

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map re: Allerton Endowment Farms (n.d.)

map re: Forestry Research Properties, University of Illinois (n.d.)

report re: effect of Oakley project on Robert Allerton Park and University properties with map of Oakley Dam and Reservoir (n.d.)

correspondence re: debate over official University position on Oakley project proposals (1966)

newspaper clippings (copies) re: Oakley - Allerton controversy (1966)

report re: status of Oakley project (1964)

announcements and reports re: various meetings on Oakley project (1964-66)

report re: property acquisition, report by Corps of Engineers (1964)

correspondence and reports re: Oakley Reservoir Area Planning Program (1964)

correspondence re: replacement of water tower at Robert Allerton Park - includes photos of tower (1963)

maps re: Upper Sangamon River Watershed, Regional Soil Map, Regional Land Use, Regional Land Ownership, Project Proposals and Existing Land Use for Robert Allerton Park, Research Areas Being Used by Zoologists and other Natural Scientists at Robert Allerton Park (1961-63)

draft re: Constitution and By-Laws of the Upper Sangamon River Valley Association (n.d.) copy of letter to Robert Allerton from President David Henry re: receipt of funds from

Robert Allerton for Allerton Scholarships in Architecture (1962)

copy of telegram sent to Robert Allerton from President David Henry re: birthday wishes (1962)

University Extension, Oakley Dam, 1966-67

correspondence between Board of Trustees and Harza Engineering Company re: invoices, progress reports, study summary, proposals, copies of newspaper clippings (1968) press release from Illinois Audubon Society re: Senator Charles Percy's support for Oakley project (1968)

photos (4) re: Allerton bottom lands (1968)

letter from Walter M. Keith to Herbert O. Farber re: John Gregg Allerton's views on University action on Oakley - Allerton (1968)

correspondence between Herbert O. Farber and U.S. Representative John N. Erlenborn re: Harza Report findings (1968)

copy of letter from John Gregg Allerton re: need for University to more strongly oppose Oakley project plan (4/22/68)

correspondence re: studies of alternatives to Oakley project proposal (1968)

copy of letter from a group of Illinois citizens to Governor Otto Kerner re: objections to Oakley project (1968)

booklet: "Preserve Allerton" by Committee on Allerton Park (n.d.)

report: "Flooding in Allerton Park and its Relation to Plant and Animal Life" by Committee on Natural Areas (1968)

bound report: "Testimony on the Oakley Project, House and Senate Appropriations Committee, May 1 and 2, 1968" (1968)

correspondence re: general opinions on Oakley project - for and against (1966-68) copy of letter from Stuart Udall, Secretary of the Interior re: comments on Oakley project (1968)

copy of letter from Illinois Nature Preserves Commission to Stuart Udall, Secretary of the Interior re: correction of points in letter from Udall (1968)

report: "Use of Allerton Park for Education and Research by the University of Illinois" by Walter M. Keith from Dr. S. Charles Kendeigh (1968)

correspondence re: letter writing campaign by Committee on Allerton Park (1968) report: "Federal Flood Control Legislation: Related to Oakley Dam and Reservoir,

Sangamon River, Illinois" by Walter M. Keith (1968)

correspondence re: Planning Advisory Committee for Allerton Park questions and assumptions about Oakley - Allerton, committee membership and charges, meetings, list of areas of concern (1967)

copy of Indentures (1946)

correspondence re: Federal Water Pollution Control Administration and treatment solutions

for Decatur's water problem (1967)

position statement by Board of Trustees re: Oakley project (1966)

letter from Committee on Natural Areas to President David Henry re: objections to raising Oakley reservoir pool level (1966)

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copy of draft: "Constitution and By-Laws of the Upper Sangamon River Valley Association" (1964)

maps (10) of Robert Allerton Park re: soils, land uses, research areas, watersheds, land ownership (regional), project proposals (1961-63)

correspondence re: financial concerns at Robert Allerton Park and Allerton Farms (1957-64)

report: "Report of Survey: Classifications, Job Descriptions, and Salary-Wage Rates for Park Personnel" by Walter Keith (1964)

correspondence re: impact of Oakley Dam, University of Illinois position on Oakley (1962) report re: 1961 corn yields (1961)

copy of letter from Robert Allerton re: changes made at Robert Allerton Park (8/30/61) report: "Improvements Made on Allerton Trust Farms During the Eight Years 1953-1960" by J.B. Cunningham (1961)

correspondence re: Wolf Run Drainage District - includes a copy of contract for drainage services on Allerton Farms (1960)

correspondence re: Robert Allerton's agreement to pay the cost of University acquisition of 18 acres of land to be added to Park (1960)

report re: 1959 corn yields (1959)

correspondence re: visit of Robert Allerton and John Gregg to Robert Allerton Park (1958-59)

correspondence re: condition and use of greenhouses at Robert Allerton Park (1958) correspondence re: maintenance level at Robert Allerton Park (1958)

copy of press release re: story on Allerton Farms (1958)

Land, Allerton Estate, 1963

report: "Report on the Repair of the Sun Singer Statue" by Walter Keith (1963) correspondence re: request for maintenance funds for Allerton House (1963) report re: maintenance inspection of Park buildings (1963)

Series 8/4/807 Agriculture, Agricultural Economics, Departmental Publications & Issuances, 1920-25, 1928, 1931, 1935-37, 1947-58, 1961- Volume: 1.0 cu. ft.

Printed and duplicated publications and issuances including discussion materials, bibliographies, lists of research projects, reports, and papers. Allerton material is included due to the administration of the Allerton Endowment Farms by the College of Agriculture.

Box 1: Agricultural Economics - Extension

Allerton Trust Farms, 1965-69

report re: "The University of Illinois Trust Farms" by D.G. Smith, donors, uses, location map (2 copies, 1965)

correspondence re: managers to farm operators about crop yields (wheat, corn, soybeans) and news items (1965-66)

Allerton Farms, 1970-79

reports re: operations of farms (annual, 1971, 1974, 1981)

correspondence re: managers to farm operators about crop yields

Allerton Trust Farms, 1980-

correspondence re: managers to farm operators about crop yields (1980-87)

Series 8/5/1 Agricultural and Biological Engineering Subject File, 1937-2005

Subject and general correspondence file relating to departmental administration and programs also includes correspondence, photographs, specifications, and plans for the lakes and dam at the Allerton Park 4-H Memorial Camp (1947-60).

Box 3:

Allerton Park, Four-H (4-H) Memorial Camp Dam Construction Correspondence, Contracts, Price Estimates, 1949 Information for Bidders, 1950 Specifications, 1959 Construction Photographs, 1947-48 Aerial Photographs, ca. 1949, 1955, 1961 Northeast Pond Specifications, 1947

Box 4: (Oversize Map Folder in Map Case)

Plans and Technical Drawings

4-H Memorial Camp Watershed, 1949

Spillway, 1947 [5 sheets]

Northeast Pond ("Tomahawk" Pond), 1947 [7 sheets]

Sewage Drainage and Facilities, 1948 [9 sheets]

4-H Memorial Center Dam, 1949 [15 sheets]

Topographic Map of the 4-H Lake, 1952

Robert Allerton Park, Topographic Map, 1967
Allerton Park Topographic Map, Oakley Reservoir Pool Levels and Land Acquisition Policies, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, ca. 1968

Series 8/5/21 Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Arthur L. Young Photographs, 1948-1951 Volume: .3 cu. ft.

Photographs including black and white 35mm slides of campus buildings and campus construction projects, including construction of the lake at the 4-H Camp.

Box 1:

4-H Lake at Allerton

Photographs taken by Arthur L. Young, professor of Agricultural Engineering, 3 slides (lake, dam, spillway) before it was filled with water (November, 1951)

Series 12/1/1 Fine and Applied Arts, Dean's Office, Subject File, 1931-1977 Volume: 8.6 cu. ft. SFA: 5 pages

Subject file including correspondence, schedules, and reports concerning administration, professional societies, exhibits, and faculty research. Includes information about Allerton properties acquired through membership of Dean Allen S. Weller on Allerton related committees.

Box 1: Aeronautics - Architecture, 1932 - 35

Allerton House, 1944-68 (1) correspondence re: Administrative Committee on Allerton Park (1961-68) correspondence re: Planning Advisory Committee for Allerton Park (1967-68) correspondence re: invitations to functions at Allerton House (1968) correspondence and reports re: committee appointments, meetings, and policy (1963-68) correspondence re: Oakley Dam (1966-68) correspondence and reports re: improvements to Allerton House (1963, 1966) maps re: Allerton Park and Oakley Dam impact (n.d.) reports re: research at Park (1946-66) correspondence and reports re: Robert Allerton Park maintenance (1964) report re: biographical sketch of Robert Allerton (n.d.) correspondence re: Robert Allerton's proposal for the estate (5/1/1946) copy of letter to Robert Allerton re: use of Park buildings (8/12/44) Allerton House, 1944-68 (2) correspondence re: Administrative Committee on Allerton Park (1958-62) correspondence re: improvements to Park (1962) correspondence re: Oakley Dam controversy (1962-64) correspondence re: purchase of adjacent farm property (1960) correspondence re: appointment of Walter Keith as Director and re-vamping of administration (1960) reports re: Robert Allerton Park operations and budget (1958-60) copy of letter from Robert Allerton re: Committee on Operation and Maintenance (1959) correspondence re: statues in Park (1951, 1953, 1959) correspondence re: setting up of sub-committee for Planning and Development (1958) copy of Indentures of Estate (1946) correspondence re: loan of painting by Art Institute of Chicago (1955) correspondence re: conferences (1952-53) correspondence re: preparations for Park opening (1947, 1949) copy of letters from Robert Allerton re: elevator lease to Monticello Grain Company, notification of tenants of ownership change (1946) copies of correspondence between President Stoddard and Robert Allerton re: list of mechanical equipment (1946) gift correspondence Robert Allerton to Board of Trustees, President Stoddard to Robert Allerton, President Willard to Albert J. Harno, Albert J. Harno to Robert Allerton (all 1944-46) re: wording of deed of gift

Series 13/5/1 Journalism and Communications, Institute of Communications Research, Subject File, 1947-1953 Volume: 8 cu. ft. SFA: 27 pages

Subject file including correspondence, reports and publications concerning research projects, conferences, administration, and personal matters. The overall administration of Robert Allerton Park was the responsibility of the Division of Communications from 1947-1952, under Dean Wilbur Schramm.

Box 1: A-B, 1947-1950

Allerton Park, 1947-50

correspondence re: conferences, meetings, furnishings and physical arrangements (budgetary requests) (1948-50)

reports re: financial and narrative reports concerning state of Allerton Park (1947-50) correspondence re: operating policies (1947-50)

signed letter from Robert Allerton (May 14, 1948) re: administration and improvements to Park

copy of booklet: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (n.d.)

Box 2: C-Fl. 1947 - 1950

Danforth, Par 1948

correspondence re: Par Danforth's installation as Director of Robert Allerton Park; photo (of Danforth?)

Box 4: Press-T, 1947 - 50

Radio Seminar, 1949

Includes mimeographed copies of proceedings and papers on educational radio seminar held at Allerton House (June 27-July 9, 1949)

Radio Seminar, '50

correspondence and reports re: proposal to Rockefeller Foundation; announcement of seminar, mimeographed proceedings and papers; procedures; budget request (1950)

Box 5: U-Z. 1947 - 1950

X-Y-Z, 1948-50

correspondence re: Allerton Park Opera Workshop - staff, budget, procedure (1950)

Allerton Park, 1950-51

reports and correspondence re: groups using the conference facilities (1951)

blueprints for an addition to Allerton House (1951)

correspondence re:job description for the Assistant Director (1951)

proposal for a writer's center at Allerton House (1951)

report re: budget for Park fire protection (1951)

correspondence re: Allerton House operations (1950-51)

correspondence re: sewage system disposal plant (1951)

correspondence re: resignation of Par Danforth (1951) including copy of a letter from Robert Allerton to Danforth (1951)

Box 8: A-Z, 1951 - 53

A, 1952

correspondence re: transfer of administration of Robert Allerton Park from Communications to Extension; hiring of Director; maintenance; conferences; Directorship Committee report (all 1952)

S, 1952

correspondence re: Wilbur Schramm to President Stoddard re: transfer of administration to Extension (1952)

Series 13/6/1 Communications, Broadcasting, WILL Subject File, 1935, 1938-39, 1944, 1946, 1948-1971, 1973 Volume: 3.4 cu. ft. SFA: 1 page

Subject file including correspondence, reports, publications, and legal documents concerning radio seminars, audience surveys, antenna construction, and professional societies. Included is material on seminars held at Allerton House.

Box 1:

Allerton House Applicants, 1950
Arrivals (1950)
Budget (1950)
Committee Reports (1950)
Correspondence (1950)
Seminar on Educational Radio (1950)
Recorded Shows (1950)

Series 13/6/5 Journalism and Communications, Broadcasting, Sound Recordings, 1936 - Volume: 82.8 cu. ft. SFA: Archives card catalog

Sound recordings including disks and magnetic tapes of lectures, symposia, sports, and public events, recorded or rebroadcast by radio station WILL, including two Allerton related recordings.

Sound Recording #2223, Allerton Park, Extension Browne, Robert B., "The Gift of Robert Allerton Park", 12 minutes (2/26/48)

Series 13/6/5 (continued)

Movie Recording #M91, Stoddard, George D. Proceedings, Stoddard Installation, 16mm, 1800 ft. (1946)

Series 14/1/1 Law, Dean's Office, Correspondence, 1916-1967 Volume: 36.0 cu. ft. SFA: 30 pages

Correspondence of Deans with University officers, staff, students, and the public concerning legislation, budgets, faculty, publications, and professional associations. Of particular interest here are the papers of Albert J. Harno, who was Dean at the time of the Allerton properties acquisition, and served as chair of the first administrative committee on Robert Allerton Park.

Box 24: Administration - W, 1944-46; Acting President - Alumni, 1947-51

Allerton, Aerial maps and Blueprints

map re: vegetation at Robert Allerton Park (n.d.)

aerial photo re: Allerton Estate with vegetation notes written in (n.d.)

blueprints: "Diagram of the Allerton Tract" showing buildings, roads, and vegetation (n.d.)

Allerton (Acquisition), 1946, I

correspondence between President Stoddard and William E. Britton, Legal Counsel rechanges to Indentures draft (1946)

copy of letter to Robert Allerton from President Stoddard re: specifics of Indentures draft (1946)

letter to President Stoddard from Dean Albert J. Harno re: draft of Deed of Gift including a brief history of Robert Allerton's intention to make bequest (1946)

draft of Indentures (1946)

correspondence re: specifics of Indentures (1946)

memorandum re: terms of Deed of Gift by William E. Britton and N.D. Hodges (1946)

correspondence re: wording of 4-H gift (1946)

minutes of Board of Trustees meeting re: favorable opinion on acceptance of gift (7/22/41)

memorandum re: Allerton's proposed gift sent by Albert J. Harno (1946)

report re: property disposition as contained in Robert Allerton's proposal by Albert J. Harno (1946)

memorandum re: presentation to Board of Trustees of Robert Allerton's offer - includes a biographical sketch of Robert Allerton (6/25/46)

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confidential memorandum from Executive Session, Board of Trustees re: should University accept Robert Allerton's gift? (9/29/44) news clipping (Chicago Tribune) re: announcement of Robert Allerton's gift to the University of Illinois (6/30/46) memorandum to Committee on Robert Allerton Park re: policy, administrative organization, income and budget, committee members by Albert J. Harno, Chairman (1946) copy of letter to Robert Allerton from Albert J. Harno re: choice of farm to accompany gift, possible uses of Allerton House and Woodland property (1944) copy of letter to Robert Allerton from Albert J. Harno re: Robert Allerton's modifications to 1941 will, questions about gift (1944) Allerton, 1946-47, II letter from William E. Britton to Albert J. Harno re: University rights in managing and development of Woodland property (1947) press release re: Robert Allerton and his gift to the University of Illinois (1946) correspondence between Albert J. Harno and Jo Schmalhausen re: trip to Allerton House and conversation with Robert Allerton about the use of the Allerton House, maintenance, publicity about gift (1946) correspondence re: making gift public knowledge (1946) transcript of conversation between Dean Albert J. Harno and John Gregg re: publicity release, surveying property (6/19/46) memorandum re: provisions of Allerton gift by Albert J. Harno (1946) memorandum re: use of Robert Allerton Park for research and education in forestry by J.N. Spaeth (1946) correspondence re: selection of site for 4-H Camp, use of Allerton House (1946) memorandum from C.S. Havens to President Willard re: estimating costs on maintenance of proposed gift (1946) letter from Albert J. Harno to President Willard re: meeting with Robert Allerton and changes of Indentures draft (1946) letter from Henry P. Rusk to Albert J. Harno re: conference with Robert Allerton, his concerns over gift (1946) Allerton Park Committee, Correspondence, Reguests, 1946-47, III copy of Indentures booklet (1946) correspondence re: requests to visit Park (1947) correspondence re: request for reprints of Robert Allerton Park brochure (1947) memorandum re: Albert J. Harno's conference with President Stoddard on operation of Robert Allerton Park (1947) memorandum re: Albert J. Harno's conference with Dean Newcombe on administration of Robert Allerton Park (1946) correspondence re: issuance of keys to Park gate (1947) correspondence re: assignment of research areas at Robert Allerton Park (1947) correspondence re: University of Illinois Staff Open House at Robert Allerton Park includes preparations, invitations, directions to Park, acceptances, regrets (1947) handwritten notes re: things to be done to prepare Park for opening to the public (1947) correspondence re: meeting with W.A. Rosenfield, Director, Illinois Department of Public Works and Buildings (1947) correspondence re: water supply for Robert Allerton Park (1947) correspondence re: budget for Allerton Farms (1947) report re: Physical Plant Department inspection of Allerton Estate including information on pest control, fire protection, septic tanks, water supply, and plumbing (1946) correspondence re: conflict of interest between research and public uses of Robert Allerton Park (1947) report re: improvements to Robert Allerton Park by R.S. Chamberlin (1947) report re: Committee on Natural Areas and Uncultivated Lands entrusted with supervising and selecting Allerton research tracts by Victor E. Shelford, Chairman (1947) correspondence re: uses of Park for research (1947) memorandum re: 4-H Club fund raising organization (1947)

correspondence between Albert J. Harno and Illinois Supreme Court Chief Justice Walter

T. Gunn re: receipt of Indentures in office of Chief Justice (1947)

correspondence re: Allerton Farm tenants (1947)

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correspondence re: Physical Plant Department assuming responsibility for management of
      Allerton House and Woodland property, and carry-over of previous Allerton employees
      (1946)
   copy of letter from Robert Allerton re: employees to be kept on by University of Illinois, and
      living guarters for them (9/18/46)
   correspondence re: acquiring aerial photos of Robert Allerton Park (1946)
   correspondence re: possible purchase of one-half acre of Woodland property by Albert
      Priebe (1947)
   correspondence re: acquisition of Lenygon collection (1946)
   correspondence re: farm tenants, budget - includes copy of letter from Robert Allerton re:
      list of tenants and lease information (10/22/46), copy of letter from Robert Allerton to
      tenants re: conveyance of gift, and copy of letter from Robert Allerton to Monticello
      Grain Company re: conveyance of gift (10/17/46)
   correspondence re: insurance for Park (1946-47)
   correspondence re: questions about property - blueprints, insurance, aerial surveys (1946)
   correspondence re: Committee on Robert Allerton Park - includes establishment,
      acceptances by proposed members, press release on Committee formation (1946)
   correspondence re: duties of R.S. Chamberlin at Allerton Park (1946)
   brochure re: fund raising for 4-H Camp - includes photos of Robert Allerton Park and
      preliminary map of 4-H Camp (1946)
Allerton Park Committee, Correspondence, Requests, 1946-47, IV
   correspondence re: discharge of Committee on Robert Allerton Park and transfer of
      administration to Division of University Extension (1947)
   correspondence re: changes to Robert Allerton Park brochure for second edition (1947)
   report re: fire inspection of Robert Allerton Park by Physical Plant Department (1947)
   report re: findings of the Committee on Robert Allerton Park to President Stoddard by
      Albert J. Harno (1947)
   correspondence re: estimates of Allerton Farms income (1947)
   correspondence re: possible purchase of schoolhouse from Albert Priebe (1947)
   report re: assets of Robert Allerton Park by Physical Plant Department - includes Park
      buildings, outbuildings, gardens, rugs, farm equipment, furnishings (1947)
   report re: storm damage at Robert Allerton Park, June 29-30, 1947 (1947)
   copy of Indentures booklet (1946)
   correspondence re: taxes due on Allerton Farms, budget, improvements (1947)
   report re: farm operations, expenses, income (1947)
   report re: 1947-48 budget for Robert Allerton Park by Physical Plant Department (1947)
   report to President Stoddard by Albert J. Harno re: Committee on Robert Allerton Park
      proposals for Park (1947)
   confidential memorandum re: termination of Mauritz Anderson as Director of Robert
      Allerton Park (1947)
   correspondence re: requests for admission to Allerton House and grounds (1947)
   report re: estimated financial operations at Allerton Farms by Comptroller's Office (1947)
   correspondence re: water resources at Robert Allerton Park (1947)
   correspondence with Mauritz Anderson re: appointment as Director of Robert Allerton Park
      (1946-47)
Allerton Park Committee, Correspondence, 1946-47, V
   correspondence re: request by Victor E. Shelford for assigned space at Robert Allerton
      Park for biological research (1947)
   correspondence re: evaluation of Mauritz Anderson as Director of Robert Allerton Park,
      and objectives of Director (1946-47)
   report re: use of Robert Allerton Park by Mauritz Anderson (1947)
   correspondence re: appointment of Mauritz Anderson (1946-47)
   report re: development of Robert Allerton Park as a recreational facility for the University
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Series 14/1/1 Box 24 (continued)

of Illinois by A.V. Sapora and H.E. Kenney (1947) map re: soil survey of Piatt County (n.d.) correspondence re: use of Park by researchers and the public (1947) report re: proposed land use division of Robert Allerton Park by Physical Plant Department with proposed land use map by Mauritz Anderson (1947) correspondence re: opening Robert Allerton Park to the public (1947) correspondence re: need for aircraft landing field at Park (1947) correspondence re: requests for groups to visit Robert Allerton Park (1947) memorandum re: Installation activities for President Stoddard at Robert Allerton Park (1947)correspondence re: protection of wild animals at Robert Allerton Park (1947) correspondence re: uses, access, and funding for research work at Robert Allerton Park (1947)report re: suggestions for use of Allerton House as an Extension center by Robert B. Browne (1946) memorandum re: division of administration for Robert Allerton Park (1946) correspondence re: needs of Physical Plant for administration of Park and aerial survey correspondence re: University of Illinois' legal rights concerning Woodland property (1947) correspondence re: proposed budget for Robert Allerton Park - includes income, expenses. improvements, salaries, farm budget, and copy of income statement by Robert Allerton. (1946-47)report re: proposed financial procedure and budget for Allerton Farms by Lloyd Morey $(1946)^{\dot{}}$ report re: objectives of Committee on Robert Allerton Park by Albert J. Harno (1946) copy of Indentures booklet (1946) plat (copy): Township 18 North, Piatt County showing Allerton gift (1947)

Allerton Park and House Photographs, 1946

envelopes marked "Robert Allerton Story" (with photos also found in Series 39/2/20) and "Allerton Estate" (not found in 39/2/20 - photocopies have been placed in that Series) re: photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior, gardens, statuary (1946)

Series 15/24/26 Liberal Arts & Sciences, Zoology, S. Charles Kendeigh Papers, 1919-85 Volume: 33.3 cu. ft. SFA: 15 pages

Papers of S. Charles Kendeigh, professor of zoology, including correspondence, reports, research notes, and publications concerning ornithology, ecology, natural areas, and animal populations, with special emphasis on the Oakley - Allerton controversy.

Box 9:

Allerton Farms, 1945

Box 12:

Field Records (Maps), Bird Censuses, Forest-edge area at Allerton Park, 1952-61

Box 13:

Nesting Records at Allerton Park, 1966 Notebook of animal populations at Trelease Woods and Allerton Park, 1933-76

Box 17:

Allerton Park - Maps of stakes at Forest Edge

Box 18:

Environmental statement draft, William Springer Lake, Sangamon River, IL, Corps of Engineers, vols. 1-4, (2 folders), 1973

Box 32:

Allerton Grassland, 1954-73 Acquisition of Natural Area at Robert Allerton Park, 1946-48 Acquisition of Natural Area at Robert Allerton Park, 1948-63

Box 33:

Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy 1947-66 January - September, 1967 Related Publications, 1974 October - December, 1967 January - March 26, 1968 March 27 - December, 1968 Report: "Alternatives for the Oakley Reservoir Project" 1968 Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy, January - April, 1969 Report: "Suggested Development - Oakley Reservoir and Sangamon River" June. 1969 Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy April - May, 1969 June - December, 1969 January - April, 1970 May - December, 1970 Reports: "Status of the Allerton-Oakley Controversy" 3rd ed., July, 1970; "Environmental Guidelines for the Civil Works Program of the Corps of Engineers" November, 1970; Oakley Reservoir and Sangamon River - Modified Project 1970 Reports: Corps of Engineers: "Oakley Reservoir Project, Sangamon River, Illinois -Recommended Development" May, 1970; Corps of Engineers Report, December, 1970 Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy, January - May, 1971 Report: "Battle for the Sangamon - the Struggle to Save Allerton Park" 1971 Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy, June - December, 1971

Box 34:

Reports: "Feasibility of the Oakley Dam Project and Alternative Water Resources Recommendations," May 24, 1971; "A Probabalistic Model of a Floodplain Forest," PhD. dissertation, Eldon Franz, 1971

Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy, 1972

Reports Relating to Allerton Park -- Allerton Legacy Symposium, May, 1981

Robert Allerton Park Nature Trail Brochure

Committee on Natural Areas, Allerton Park -- Oakley Dam Controversy 1973

1974

1975-80

Series 16/1/22 Applied Life Studies, Dean's Office, King J. McCristal Papers, 1935-1975 Volume: 1.3 cu. ft. SFA: 2 pages

Papers of King J. McCristal, Dean of the College of Physical Education, including letters, reports, memoranda, and minutes concerning professional societies, budgets, planning utilization of Allerton Park, and other administrative matters.

Box 1: P.E. Deans' and Directors' Correspondence, 1966-75; AAHPER, 1958-72; Body of Knowledge Project, 1967-73

Allerton Planning Committee, 1967-68

correspondence re: requests for clarification from Corps of Engineers on Oakley - Allerton details (1967)

position statements of Allerton Planning Committee re: Oakley - Allerton (1967)

report re: meeting with Harza Engineering Company (1968)

correspondence re: alternatives to Corps of Engineers plan (1968)

correspondence re: press leaks (1967) memoranda on meetings (1967-68)

position statement of Department of Recreation and Park Administration on effect of Oakley project on Robert Allerton Park (1968)

report re: Harza Engineering Company study of feasibility of alternatives to Corps of Engineers plan (1968)

Series 24/1/1 Chancellor, Chancellor's Office, Subject File, 1967-74 Volume: 134.6 cu. ft. SFA: 61 pages

Subject file, including reports, memoranda, policy statements, minutes, publications, programs, and correspondence received from or sent to the President, Trustees, administrators, deans, faculty, students, and the public concerning Allerton Park, including a large amount of material relating to the Oakley - Allerton controversy.

Box 15: General File, Admissions & Records, Reports - Business Office 1968-69

Allerton Park, 1968-69

correspondence re: effects of Oakley project on Robert Allerton Park (1969)

itinerary for group from Secretary of the Army's Office to tour Allerton Park (1969)

report re: meeting of Committee on Buildings and Grounds with Corps of Engineers about Harza proposals (1968)

correspondence re: absence of University signs at Park (1969)

report by physical plant department re: recommendations for repairs to Allerton House with xeroxed photos of areas needing repair, and floor plans of House (1968)

Allerton Park - Oakley Dam

correspondence and reports re: development of Outdoor Recreation and Education Center on Oakley Reservoir including: 3 possible sites; recommendations for development at sites; possible purchase by University; proposals for development (1967)

correspondence re: Planning Advisory Committee questions to Corps of Engineers (1967)

Allerton Park - Oakley

correspondence re: student action (GSA, Senate) on Oakley project (1969)

position statement and report by Committee on Allerton Park (1969)

copy of letter from John Gregg Allerton re: his opposition to Oakley project (1968)

newspaper clippings re: visit of Justice William O. Douglas (<u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>) (1969)

correspondence re: Justice William O. Douglas visit including signed letter from Douglas (1967)

reports on meetings (1967-68)

position paper by Department of Recreation and Park Administration (1967)

report (final) re: Harza Engineering Company on alternatives (1968)

correspondence and reports re: proposed Outdoor Recreation and Education Center (1967)

Box 16: General File, Campus Planning Committee - Courses and Curricula, 1968-69

Chancellor's Allerton Conference 1968-69

correspondence and reports re: 1st faculty conference at Allerton including lists of faculty

(1969)

Main File - Allerton House - Chancellor's First Faculty Conference - April 11-13, 1969 booklet "Abstract of Proceedings of The President's Faculty Conference" June 9, 1958 booklet "The Intellectual Climate of the University: Report on the President's Second Faculty Conference. Allerton House. March 13-15. 1959"

correspondence and reports re: 1st Chancellor's Faculty Conference (1969) including: participants; letter of invitation and RSVP card; invitation list; galleys of article for <u>Campus Report</u>; resolutions passed and proposed; conference committees and contributors to study papers; discussion papers; itinerary

articles in <u>Faculty Letter</u> re: copies of opening remarks and reports on the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 8th Conferences

Box 33: General File, Admissions & Records, Disadvantaged - Athletic Association, 1969-70

Allerton Park - Oakley Dam, 1969-70

article, <u>Faculty Letter</u> re: Board of Trustees approval of modified Oakley project (May, 1970)

report re: tabulation and analysis of telegrams delivered during an Executive Board meeting of the University of Illinois Board of Trustees relating to Oakley Dam (1970) correspondence re: meetings and presentations for Board of Trustees (1970) brochure by Committee on Allerton Park (COAP) re: Oakley Dam (2 copies) (1970)

Box 52: General File, Academic Calendar - Allied Agencies 1970 - 1971

Allerton Park - Oakley Dam, 1970-71

correspondence re: Oakley Project (1971)

copy of letter from Thomas Flynn, Deputy Director, US Department of the Interior, National Park Service re: inclusion of Allerton Natural Area in Registry of Natural Landmarks (1971)

copy of injunction and declaratory judgement by Environmental Defense Fund, COAP, and Piatt County Board of Supervisors against Stanley L. Resor, Secretary of the Army; Frederick B. Clarke, Chief of Engineers, Corps of Engineers of the US Army; and Corps of Engineers of the US Army (1971)

booklet "Allerton Park Portfolio" re: black and white photos by Richard E. Brooks including: grounds, statues, flora, fauna, Allerton House exteriors, gardens (no date)

Box 62: General File, Organizations, Recognized, Benefits of - Quad Cities Graduate Studies Center, 1970 - 1971

President's Planning Conference - Allerton Dec. 8 & 9

correspondence re: conference itinerary, participants, invitation letters, study memoranda for discussion (1970)

Box 75: General File, Admissions & Records-Residency Requirements -Athletic Association, 1971 - 1972

Allerton Park - Oakley Dam, 1971-72

correspondence re: requests for information on Allerton Park (1972)

report: "A Brief History of the Oakley Dam and Reservoir and Robert Allerton Park" by Walter Keith (1972)

correspondence re: ceremony for inclusion of Allerton Natural Area in Registry of Natural Landmarks including: letter to John Gregg Allerton (Nov. 19, 1971); transcripts of remarks made; list of invitees; presentation of certificate and plaque (1971) report re: status of Oakley Dam (1971)

correspondence re: Conférence at Allérton House on Curriculum Development Styles in Industrialized Countries, September 19-23, 1971 including list of participants (1971)

correspondence re: maintenance inspection of Allerton House, Gate House, House in the Woods, Evergreen Lodge, and Morton building by Department of Physical Plant and Services; maintenance needs (1971)

Box 76: General File, Baccalaureate, Three Year - Chancellor's Office-Miscellaneous, 1971 - 1972

Chancellor - Allerton Conference, 1971-72 correspondence re: cancellation of 1972 Conference due to budget cuts (1971-72)

Box 96: General File, Admissions & Records, All-University Committee - Athletic Association, Board of Directors 1972 - 1973

Allerton Park and Oakley Dam, 1972-73

correspondence re: litigation concerning Allerton Park including: copy of Judge's Opinion on Motion to Dismiss Complaint for Injunction filed by Parsons et al. versus Ogilvie et al. (1973)

Box 119: General File, Admissions & Records, Latino - Baccalaureate, 1973-74

Allerton Park - Oakley Dam, 1973-74

correspondence re: Harza Engineering Company report on Springer Lake Project (1974) copy of "Revised Memorandum of Agreement" approved by Board of Trustees (Modified Project 1970) (1972)

position paper re: Board of Trustees "Statement on the William L. Springer Lake Project" (1974)

correspondence and reports re: Springer Lake Environmental Statement (1973)

Series 24/1/35 Chancellor, Chancellor's Office, Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs, Subject File, 1962-85 Volume: 25.6 cu. ft. SFA: 14 pages

Subject file, including correspondence, reports, and minutes concerning budgets, grants, administration, services, public relations, and Allerton Park conferences.

Box 1: H.E. Carter Files, 1966-70

Conference - Allerton House, December 13-15, 1970, Environmental Sciences - Agriculture correspondence and lists re: conference information, participants, program, map of Park location (1970)

correspondence ré: invitation to conference (for H.E. Carter) (1970)

press release re: Dean Bentley's announcement of the formation of a Council on Environmental Quality (1970)

correspondence re: research proposals for environmental studies program for Rockefeller Foundation funding (1970)

Box 16: Administrative - Housing, 1969-85

Organization/Conf: Sixth Allerton Conference on School Administration, April 10-11, 1969 program for conference (1969)

announcement of conference (1969)

list re: planning committee members (1969)

correspondence re: participants' information packets (1969)

list of participants for Chancellor's First Faculty Conference, Allerton Park, April 11-13, 1969 (1969)

correspondence re: conference participants (1969)

Chancellor's Faculty Conference, Decision Making, 1969

correspondence re: participant information for Chancellor's First Faculty Conference, Allerton Park, April 11-13, 1969 (1969) copies of discussion papers (1969)

Chancellor's Conference, April 11-13, 1969

bound report: "Summary: Provisional Development Plan: 1971-72 through 1980-81" (1970) program re: First Faculty Conference (1969)

correspondence re: steering committee meeting agenda (1969)

list of participants by College (n.d.) letter re: invitation to conference from Chancellor Peltason (1969) list of participants (alphabetical) (1969)

Chancellor's Conference at Allerton, 1970

bound report: "University of Illinois Provisional Development Plan: 1971-72 through 1980-81" (1970)

report: "Chancellor's Third Faculty Conference: Questionnaire Results" by Royall Brandis (1971)

correspondence re: steering committee for third conference (1971)

letter re: invitation to second conference from Chancellor Peltason (1970)

correspondence re: acceptances, lists of participants, lists of committee members (1970) copies of discussion papers (1970)

Chancellor's Second Faculty Conference, April 24-26, 1970, Allerton Park

correspondence re: steering committee (1969)

list of participants (1970)

reports re: discussions, faculty questionnaire (1970)

correspondence re: conference information and invitation letter from Chancellor Peltason to participants (1970)

Chancellor's Conference, April 16-18, 1971

reports re: faculty questionnaire, conference discussions (1971)

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copies of discussion papers (1971)

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correspondence re: steering committee (1970)

Box 23: R.E. Martin File: High Security Isolation, 1978; Foundation Fund Drives, 1978-79; Agricultural Research, 1973-76

Cooperative Extension Service - Allerton House Workshop "Illinois - Space for Tomorrow" - Extension Advisors Notebook, 1975

programs, reports, rosters, references, bibliographies for Workshop, June 30 - July 2, 1975 (1975)

Series 24/1/45 Chancellor, Chancellor's Office, Administrative Affairs, Subject File, 1965-76 Volume: 4.0 cu. ft. SFA: 3 pages

Subject file, including correspondence, reports, documents, and clippings relating to committees, administration, environmental protection, nonacademic personnel, and the Oakley - Allerton controversy.

Box 3: Oakley Dam - AD Hoc Committee for Safety Organization

Oakley Dam, Correspondence & Documents, 1967-68

report re: "Water Resources Policies and Authorities" Department of the Army, Office of the Chief of Engineers, Corps of Engineers (1967)

letter from Graduate Student Association re: need for independent investigation of Oakley project alternatives (1968)

report from Illinois State Water Survey re: alternative water sources for Decatur (1968) correspondence re: students members of Ad Hoc Committee (1967-68)

Oakley Dam, Correspondence & Documents, 1969

correspondence between Walter Keith, Herbert O. Farber, J. Briscoe, Bruce Hannon, and S. Charles Kendeigh re: water level at Robert Allerton Park, and Committee on Allerton Park (1969)

letter to Corps of Engineers from Committee on Allerton Park re: validity of Corps economic justification for Oakley project (1969)

letter to Dean D. Alpert from Walter Keith re: research at Robert Allerton Park - includes maps of park showing topography, hydrology, soils, vegetation, climate, land use, and circulation (1969)

memorandum re: visit to Robert Allerton Park by Major General F.J. Clarke, Deputy Chief of Engineers, Corps of Engineers (1969)

correspondence re: possible designation of Robert Allerton Park as National Landmark (1969)

report re: review of "Waterways Alternative" proposal by Walter Keith (1969)

correspondence re: "Waterways Alternative" proposal (1969)

report re: House and Senate Hearings in Washington, D.C., June 3-4, 1969 by Walter Keith - includes statements presented by Ralph Hahn, Walter Keith, Governor Richard B. Ogilvie, John Guillou, Congressman William Springer, and a copy of the "Memorandum of Agreement" (1969)

press release re: announcement of "Memorandum of Agreement" between State of Illinois, City of Decatur, and University of Illinois (1969)

position statement by University of Illinois re: alternatives for Oakley project (1969)

report: "The Value of Allerton Park for Continuing Research in the Biological Sciences" by the Committee on Natural Areas (1969)

correspondence re: public hearings on Oakley project (1969)

position statement by Committee on Allerton Park re: opposition to Oakley project (1969) copy of signed letter from John Gregg Allerton re: his opposition to Oakley project, and feeling that the University should more strongly oppose it (4/22/68)

report (draft): "Report to the State of Illinois on Oakley Reservoir and Allerton Park" by Walter Keith - includes copy of Indentures (1969)

report re: meeting of a Senate Conservation Committee on Oakley - Allerton by Walter Keith (1969)

memorandum re: visit to Robert Allerton Park by Col. Anderson, Corps of Engineers (1969)

correspondence between Bruce Hannon and Corps of Engineers re: Oakley - Allerton (1969)

Oakley Dam, Correspondence & Documents, 1970

correspondence re: "Revised Memorandum of Agreement" on Oakley project (1970) report re: effects on Allerton Park by Oakley project by Harza Engineering Company (1970)

report re: sedimentation effects of Modified Oakley project by John B. Stall, Illinois State Water Survey (1970)

transcripts re: Oakley Dam testimony to Senate and House Appropriations Committees, May 13-15, 1970 - includes statements by Ralph Hahn, Governor Richard B. Ogilvie, and John Guillou, and a copy of signed "Revised Memorandum of Agreement" (1970)

report: "Analysis of Telegrams Received at the May 6 meeting, Executive Meeting, Board of Trustees" by Walter Keith (1970)

report re: Modified Oakley project, recommendation for acceptance by President's Advisory Committee on Allerton Park (1970)

position statement (drafts) re: University Board of Trustees acceptance of Modified Oakley project (1970)

report re: analysis of Modified Oakley project with maps of potential Robert Allerton Park flooding by Walter Keith (1970)

report re: evaluation of the Modified Oakley project by the Committee on Natural Areas (1970)

correspondence re: the Modified Oakley project (1970)

correspondence re: meeting with Harza Engineering Company, Corps of Engineers, University of Illinois on Modified Oakley project (1970)

position statement by Committee on Allerton Park re: need for lower conservation pool level (1970)

Oakley Dam, Correspondence & Documents, 1971-73

correspondence re: topographic survey of Robert Allerton Park (1971)

transcript re: talk by William C. Ackermann, Chief, Illinois State Water Survey on the

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Oakley project controversy (1970)

copy of "Revised Memorandum of Agreement" (1970)

report re: status of Oakley - Allerton by Walter Keith - includes press release by Governor

Dan Walker supporting Oakley and a report by Walter Keith on the background of Oakley - Allerton (1973)

Oakley Dam Clippings, 1969

copies and originals of articles re: Oakley project taken from <u>Decatur Herald</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, <u>Sierra Club Bulletin</u>, <u>Prairie Post</u>, <u>Chicago Tribune</u>, <u>Monticello Journal-Republican</u>, and <u>Daily Illini</u> (1969)

Ad Hoc Committee on Oakley Dam, Clippings, 1970

copies and originals of articles re: Oakley project taken from <u>Decatur Herald</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Faculty Letter</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, and <u>Field and Stream</u> (1970)

Oakley Dam, Clippings, 1971

copies and originals of articles re: Oakley project taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Decatur Herald</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (1971)

Oakley Dam, Clippings, 1972-73

copies and originals of newspaper articles re: Oakley project taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, <u>Piatt County Journal-Republican</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (1972-73)

Oakley Dam, Clippings, 1974-75

original newspaper articles re: Oakley project taken from <u>Daily Illini</u> and <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u> (1974-75)

Unfoldered Material

bound report: "Alternatives for the Oakley Reservoir Project" by Harza Engineering Company for University of Illinois Board of Trustees (May, 1968)

bound report (preliminary): "Oakley Reservoir and Channel Improvement, Sangamon River, Illinois: Study of Alternatives" by Department of the Army, Chicago District, Corps of Engineers (March 15, 1969)

bound report: "Proposed Development, Oakley Reservoir and Sangamon River, `The Modified Project'" by State of Illinois, Department of Public Works and Buildings, Division of Waterways (February 20, 1970)

brochure: "Help Save Beautiful Allerton Park" by Committee on Allerton Park (1970) report: "Final Report for FY72 for the Oakley-Sangamon Environmental Research Program" by R.B. Uleck and D.T. Bell, Department of Forestry, University of Illinois (September 8, 1972)

bound report: "Potential Impacts of the Springer Lake Project on the Robert Allerton Park, University of Illinois" by Harza Engineering Company for the University of Illinois Board of Trustees (August, 1974)

Series 26/1/10 Alumni Association, Executive Director, Newsreels, 1960- Volume: 1.0 cu. ft. SFA: 5 pages

University of Illinois newsreels, black and white sound motion picture films, produced each semester for showing to alumni groups, including footage of Robert Allerton.

Reel 4:

appearance at Allerton House of donor: Robert Allerton (1962)

Reel 7:

Robert Allerton (1964)

Series 26/2/801 Alumni Association, Alumni News, Alumni News (Quarterly & Fortnightly Review, 1907- Volume: 5.6 cu. ft. SFA: 8 pages

Copies of issues, articles concerning faculty, editorials, obituaries, alumni clubs, and student life. Includes Allerton related articles. Index entries show subject, date of issue, volume, number and pages.

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Series 26/4/1 Alumni Association, Records, Alumni Morgue, 1882-1986 Volume: 187.5 cu. ft. SFA: 2 pages

Folders on deceased alumni, faculty, trustees, and former students including correspondence, photographs, newspaper clippings, and press releases on Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton.

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Allerton, John '26

press release (University of Illinois News Bureau) re: the death of John Gregg Allerton (5/2/86)

newspaper clippings re: death of John Gregg Allerton from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u> (5/2/86), <u>Illini Week</u> (5/8/86), and <u>Illinois Alumni News</u> (June, 1986)

newspaper clippings re: visit of John Gregg Allerton to Robert Allerton Park, his views on the Park, and background on John Gregg Allerton and Robert Allerton from Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette (3/30/80)

photos (3) re: John Gregg Allerton at "Allerton Revisited" opening with Jennifer Eickman and Barbara Bohen (1983), John Gregg Allerton with a group of young boys in the Robert Allerton Park greenhouse area (n.d.), and John Gregg Allerton outside white frame farmhouse (1985)

Allerton, Robert

fact sheets re: life of Robert Allerton (n.d.)

xerox copies of newspaper articles re: death of Robert Allerton from Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette (12/23/64), Champaign-Urbana Courier (12/23/64), Chicago Tribune

xerox copies of newspaper articles re: Robert Allerton's gift of one million dollars to the Pacific Tropical Botanical Garden from Champaign-Urbana Courier (12/11/64), and visit of Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton to Robert Allerton Park from Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette (6/3/62)

press release (First National Bank of Chicago) re: Robert Allerton adopts John Gregg

original letter to Robert Allerton from Minnie F. Menzie for John Wanamaker, New York re: possible purchase of statues (3/8/21) statement by President David Henry re: death of Robert Allerton (12/23/64)

resolution by Board of Trustees re: thanks to Robert Allerton on the 18th anniversary of his offer of gift to the University of Illinois (9/19/62)

press release re: gift of estate by Robert Allerton to University of Illinois (6/30/46)

Series 31/7/7 Extension, Fine Arts, Program File, 1964-1969 Volume: .6 cu. ft. SFA: 1 page

conferences, workshops, art councils, and extension programs. Subjects include Allerton Park Art School and "Adventures in the Arts".

Box 1: Adventures in the Arts - Extension Classes

Allerton Park Art School, Hodges Badge Company, Boston 16, Mass., 1964-66 newspaper clipping re: presentation on Allerton Park Art School given to the Pontiac Women's Club (n.d.)

registration cards rè: scholarships for the Allerton Park Art School (1967) brochures (2): "Robert Allerton Park" with Road and Trail guide (n.d.)

newspaper clipping (<u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>) re: presentation of Malmgren Award to art student at Allerton House (1966)

Adventures in the Arts (5th), 1969

correspondence, reports, rosters, schedules, staff, surveys, brochures, receipts and group photos re: art program for women at Allerton House, June 15-21, 1969 (1969)

Policy Suggestions -- Allerton Art School, 1968

report re: suggestions for operations and policy at Allerton Park Art School by Division of University Extension (1968)

correspondence re: supplies, équipment (1968)

roster re: Allerton Park Art School (1966)

report re: suggestions for operations at Allerton Park Art School by Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs (1968)

Allerton Park Art School, Inventory, 1957, 62

inventory of art supplies (1962)

inventory and budget for art supplies (1957)

Allerton Park Controversy, 1967-68

newspaper clippings, correspondence re: Oakley - Allerton (1967-68)

report: "Implications of Oakley Reservoir and Justifications for University Acquisition of Sites G, H, and I" by H.E. Weaver (1967)

report re: status of Oakley Reservoir by King J. McCristal (1967)

position statement by Walter M. Johnson re: anti-Oakley project (1968)

position statement by H.F. Breen re: anti-Oakley project (n.d.)

Series 31/7/20 Extension, Extension in Visual Arts, Walter M. Johnson Papers, 1944, 1947-1977 Volume: 9.0 cu. ft. SFA: 7 pages

Papers of Walter M. Johnson, head of Extension in Visual Arts, including correspondence, reports, and research notes concerning art extension programs (including Allerton Park Art School), professional associations, and educational television.

Box 5: Adult Education Conference - Town & Country Workshops

Allerton Art School, 1974

report re: number of students, towns represented, evaluations (1974)

correspondence re: scheduling, housing assignments, list of students (1974)

lists of materials (1973-74)

correspondence re: materials suppliers (1974)

photo re: 1st week session group (July 7, 1974)

printed class material (1974)

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brochure re: Robert Allerton Park with road and trail guide (n.d.) newspaper clipping (<u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>) re: applications for Allerton Park Art School (12/29/73)

copy of information sheet for students (1974) envelope with photos and negatives re: group photos of 2nd and 3rd week sessions (1974) correspondence re: thank you letters to all involved with Art School (1974) receipts re: art supplies (1974) IFWC Allerton Park Art School, 1973 report re: attendance for school (1973) correspondence re: evaluations, student information, worksheets (1973) correspondence re: information sheet and registration cards sent to Illinois High School Art Teachers (1973) rosters of students (1973) report re: proposed budget for 1973 (1973) receipts re: art supplies (1973) draft copy of statement: "Illinois Summer Youth Art: Philosophy, Purpose, Objectives, Aims, and Goals" (1973) brochure: "25th Anniversary - 1948-1973, Allerton Federated Art School" re: general information, road and trail guide for Robert Allerton Park, and photo of Allerton House (1973)correspondence re: needs for Art School (1973) correspondence re: program administration by Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs (1973) correspondence re: scheduling assignments (1973) photos and negatives re: Art School groups (n.d.) minutes of meetings re: Art School details (1973) report re: 1973 Allerton Park Art School by Walter M. Johnson (1973) report re: 1973 recipients of Malmgren Awards by Walter M. Johnson (1973) correspondence re: thank you letters to those involved with Art School (1973) Allerton Park Youth Program, July 9-15, July 16-22, July 23-29, 1972 report re: general observations, evaluations of 1972 Allerton Park Art School (1972) rosters of students (1972) awards sheets for Summer, 1972 (1972) correspondence re: article about Allerton Park Art School in Metro-East Journal, East St. Louis, Illinois (1972) correspondence re: inventory of supplies (1972) brochure: "Allerton Federated Art School, 1972" re: announcement, general information, photos of House in the Woods, Fu Dog garden, and Allerton House (n.d.) correspondence re: Malmgren awards for 1972 (1972) student information sheets (1972) correspondence re: University of Illinois budget reduction effects on Allerton Park Art School (1972) correspondence with students and teachers re: Art School (1972) correspondence re: supplies needed (1972) clipping from Metro-East Journal re: Art School (8/13/72) photos re: groups for summer 1972 (1972) Allerton Federated Art School, July 11-31, 1971 report re: student information, evaluations, comments (1971) correspondence re: teachers, salaries (1971) list of supplies and receipts (1971) student awards (1971) photos re: group's for 1971 Art School (1971) report re: summary report of evaluations (1971) correspondence ré: requests for information on Allerton Park Art School (1971) rosters of students (1971) brochure: "Allerton Federated Art School, 1971" re: announcement, general information, Series 31/7/20 Box 5 (continued) photos of Fu Dog garden and Allerton House (n.d.)

letter from F.J. Mula re: observations on 1971 Allerton Park Art School (1971)

correspondence re: supplies (1970)

announcement re: University of Illinois Division of University Extension, "Institute on

Employment Security", Allerton House, September 1-3, 1971 - includes program and

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general information (1971)
Allerton Youth Program, July 12 - August 1, 1970
   copy of project proposal re: Allerton Federated Art School, 1970 by Norman W. Johnson
      (1970)
   information sheets for counselors re: staff, general information, rules, schedules (n.d.)
   roster of students (1970)
   correspondence re: Malmgren awards (1971)
   report re: Natural Areas Instructional Development Project by Committee on Natural Areas
      (1970)
   correspondence re: staff, teaching assignments (1970)
   copy of critique of Allerton Park Art School by S. Lybarger (n.d.)
   minutes of meetings of Administrative Committee for the Allerton Federated Art School
      (1968-70)
   letter to Dean Robinson from M. Pauilac, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs re: budget
      problems with supplies (1970)
   newspaper clipping (St. Louis Post-Dispatch) re: Allerton Art School and Allerton Park
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   correspondence re: inquiries by prospective students (1970)
   brochure re: announcement of 1970 Allerton Federated Art School (1970)
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   list of art supplies (1969)
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   correspondence re: Malmgren awards (1969)
   information sheet on Allerton Park Art School for Illinois Federated Women's Clubs
      members (n.d.)
   correspondence re: Allerton Park Conservation Weekend, May 17-18 coinciding with visit
      of Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas - including registration form, schedule of
      activities, press releases (1969)
   correspondence re: prospective students and staff (1969)
   correspondence re: scheduling, receipts, and bills (1969)
   photos and negatives re: the three session groups (1969)
Allerton Park Youth Program, 1969
   survey form for students (1969)
   roster of students (1969)
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Series 31/13/5 Continuing Education and Public Service, Conferences and Institutes, Allerton Park Collection, 1848-2003 Volume: 4.3 cu. ft. SFA: 5 pages

Correspondence, articles, newspaper clippings, photographs, maps, plats, publications, and blueprints concerning Allerton Park history, art and architecture, employees, guests and resident artists as well as Piatt County and Allerton family history.

(Note: This record series appears to contain some of the documents that are still listed as being held at the "Park Superintendent's Office", but which were probably transferred to University Archives from this office on 10/1/2003, after the initial compilation of this finding aid in 1991.)

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       Bement/Voorhies Number 1
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       13 Sheets Deeds, 1892-1947
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Correspondence 1963-1982

Jane Gregg Schowalter (niece)

(Note: the following folders were found, upon examination, to be empty, and were therefore

removed to the end of the series)

Allen, Burgess and Son

Beckhart, Ervin and Sons

Bennett, James and Sons

Buckman, Lou

Dalton, L.D.

Glasgow, Everett

Harmes, Alfred D.

Mcfeeters, Lyle

Shelton, Louise

Turner, S.O

U.I: Farmers Hall of Fam

Behment/Voorhies #2-#4 (3 folders)

Series 31/13/20

Continuing Education and Public Service, Conferences and Institutes, Robert Allerton Family Collection, 1881, 1889, 1896, 1898, 1902, 1919, 1937-1951, 1991 Volume: 1.6 cu. ft. SFA: 2 pages

Collection includes material removed from the Allerton House library during inventory of books left by Robert Allerton, correspondence between Robert Allerton, Helen Murphy, and Herbert Gorsuch, and correspondence between John G. Allerton, Helen Murphy, and Herbert Gorsuch.

Box 1:

book: <u>The Standard Operas</u> by George P. Upton. Chicago: A.C. McClurg and Company. 1886. Book was owned by Agnes Allerton and used as a personal opera scrapbook with reviews, programs, handwritten notes (1880's)

book: <u>Hazen's Complete Spelling Book</u> by M.W. Hazen. Boston: Ginn & Company. 1889. Book was owned by Robert Allerton and contains many pencil sketches possibly drawn by Robert Allerton (n.d.)

Poem "The Lonely Mother"

handwritten poem (probably by Robert Allerton) found inserted into one of his books (n.d.)

Samuel W. Allerton Telegram and Business Documents

telegram from W.M. White to Samuel W. Allerton re: raising funds for a business deal (5/11/96)

envelope hand-addressed by Samuel W. Allerton to Agnes Allerton at a Paris address (1896)

receipt from a Paris jewelry store (1896)

Photograph

Series 31/13/20 Box 1 (continued)

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photo of Robert Allerton (1920's)
   Opera Clippings and Program
      manila envelope containing newspaper clippings re: opera reviews, cast changes.
          announcements (1880's)
      program for opera gala at The Auditorium, Chicago (1880's)
   Train Tickets and Business Cards
      train tickets (3) for Wabash Rail Road Parlor Car (Cash Fare) dated 6/2/19
      business card re: John Borie, architect (1902)
      business card re: Drexel Cyclery, Chicago (n.d.)
      business card re: Grand Central Station, New York City (n.d.)
   Cyril G. Hopkins, 1910
      signed letter from Cyril G. Hopkins, College of Agriculture, to Samuel W. Allerton re: gift to
          Samuel of Hopkins' book, Soil Fertility and Permanent Agriculture; letter located in this
          book, book signed by Samuel W. Allerton (4/19/10)
   Allerton House Library Bibliography
      report re: bibliography of books in the Allerton House library that were left in the House by
          Robert Allerton; compiled by Susan Enscore and Etta Arntzen (in progress 12/90)
   Correspondence (Photocopies of Originals)
      (Note: original correspondence and photocopies were received 10/1/2003 from David
          Bowman. Most correspondence concerns Robert Allertons' and John G. Allertons'
          personal and professional financial, business, and legal matters.)
      Robert Allerton with Helen Murphy
          1939
          January - September 1940
Box 2:
          September - December 1940
          1941
          1942
          1943
      Robert Allerton with Helen Murphy and Herbert Gorsuch
          1944-1945
          1946-1948
          1949
Box 3:
          1950
      John G. Allerton with Helen Murphy
          1934-1936
          1937-1939
          1940-1942
      John G. Allerton Correspondence with Helen Murphy and Herbert Gorsuch
          1943-1944
          1945-1946
          1947-1948
          1949-1951
Box 4:
   Correspondence (Brittle Originals, Please restrict research use to photocopies in Boxes 1-3)
      Robert Allerton with Helen Murphy
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Series 31/13/20 Box 4 (continued)

1939

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1940
      1941
      1942
      1943
   Robert Allerton with Helen Murphy and Herbert Gorsuch
      1944-1945
      1946-1948
Box 5:
      1949-1950
   John G. Allerton with Helen Murphy
      1934-1936
      1937-1939
      1940-1942
   John G. Allerton with Helen Murphy and Herbert Gorsuch
      1943-1944
      1945-1948
      1949-1951
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Series 31/13/21 Continuing Education and Public Service, Conferences and Institutes, Etta Arntzen Papers, 1840-2000 Volume: 1.4 cu. ft. SFA: 2 pages

Working papers of Etta Arntzen, volunteer researcher at Allerton Park, contains research notes, correspondence, articles, newspaper clippings, photographs, and publications concerning Allerton Park history, Allerton Park architecture and art, the Allerton family and friends, and Allerton Park employees.

Box 1:

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Adler, David, Architect, 1989-1992
      Allerton Family, 1892-1987
          General; Chronology
          Samuel
          Samuel, Lake Geneva
          Agnes
          John Gregg
          Robert
       Allerton Hotel, 1989-1997
       Allerton House Library Location Guide, 1991
      Allerton House Library Catalogue (3 folders)
       Allerton Legacy
       Allerton Park Articles, Brochures, and Arntzen Notes and Correspondence, 1955-1997
       Appraisal, Peckham: Allerton House Chest, Statue, Cabinet, 1995
      Archives, 1984
       Artifacts, Allerton House
       Art Institute - Allerton Gifts
      Bartlett, Frederic Clay, Artist and Collector, 1965-1999
       Becker Thesis (Nancy Becker Hahn), Undated
       Bennett, Rainey
       Borie, John J. Jr., Architect
          Allerton Architecture
          Family, 1896-1986
          Niece - Correspondence, 1992-1996
          "Architects in Practice in New York City 1900-1940," 1989
          Ecole des Beaux Arts, 1980
      Canova, Antonio, Sculptor, 1972-1994
       Carpenter, Rue (Mrs. John Alden), 1929
Series 31/13/21 Box 1 (continued)
       Chicago: Prairie Avenue, Aster St.-Michigan Ave., 1988-1994 (2 folders)
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Chicago Friends, 1931-1932 Cope and Stewardson Architectural Firm Country Living, "Twelve Gardens that Inspire Experts," 1999 Cross, Henry H., Painter, Bibliographical Information Dance, Robert Allerton and, 1930-1996 Fremist, Emmanuel, Sculptor, 1989

Furniture, Garden

Hawaii - Lawaii-Kai, 1964-1998

Box 2:

Ham House (England), 1966-1995

Hu Jie Thesis, "Modeling Landscape Changes through Computers," 1995 Jones, Almut G., "A Guide to Common Woody Plants of Robert Allerton Park,"1976 and

"Spring Flowers of Robert Allerton Park and Adjacent Areas," 1977

Kluesing, Cherie

Llewellyn, Joseph C., Architect, 1917-1996

Mavor, William, 1891

Mehaffey, Scott, Architect, 1840-1993

Miller, Wilhelm, 1915

Munich (Germany), Chapter 4: "Munich: An Entr'acte," by Macmonnies, Undated

Nature - Allerton Park Species, "Creating a Sustainable Environment: Reversing a Legacy of Neglect," 1989

Nichols, Beverly, 1932-1955 Philadelphia - Slides, Tourist Brochures, Photographs Philpot, Glyn, Artist, 1984-1992 (2 folders)

Platt, Charles, Architect, 1985-1991

Box 3:

Schweiker, Paul

Sculpture and Books - Allerton House Library, 1981-1983

Sun Dial, 1991-1999

Topiary

Robert Allerton Last Will and Testament, Inventory, 1964 (5 folders)

Series 31/13/801

Extension, Conferences and Institutes, Announcements and Programs, 1916 - Volume: .6 cu. ft.

Printed programs and announcements of short courses and conferences, listing dates, times, speakers, and explaining procedures for registration, room and board, and directions. Many of the conferences were held at Allerton House and Conference Center.

Box 1: Adolescents - Human Relations

Adolescents - Business

"Annual Adult Education Conference", Allerton House, April 19-20, 1963

agenda re: "Assembly on Africa" Conference, Allerton House, February 28, 29, and March 1, 1960

"Third Annual Institute for Administrators and Boards of Directors of Homes for the Aged", Allerton House, September 12-15, 1962

Art School, 1956-65

brochures re: Allerton art school at Allerton House (1956-60, 1962, 1964-65)

Cardiac - Criminology

brochures (2) re: "Teaching Scientific and Technical Subjects by Correspondence" Allerton

Series 31/13/801 Box 1 (continued)

House, October 12-15, 1958

"1957 Conference of Administrators of College and University Counseling Services", Allerton House, November 3-6, 1957

Employment Security, 1960-64

programs re: "Institute on Employment Security", Allerton House (1960-64)

Encounter Groups - Human Relations

"Conference on Environmental Impact Analysis: The Decision Process", Allerton House, May 22-25, 1977

brochure re: "18th Allerton Institute: Information Resources in the Environmental Sciences", Allerton House, November 12-15, 1972

"Fifth Allerton Leadership Conference in Parent and Family Life Education", Allerton House, September 27-28, 1959

brochure re: "Rural Fire Instructor's Course", Allerton House, March 15-19, 1965 "Illinois Conference on Higher Education", Allerton House, November 13-14, 1958

letter to members of the Illinois Conference on Higher Education from Robert W. Gibson, President of the Illinois Federation of Colleges re: invitation to meeting at Allerton House, November 19-20, 1959 (1959)

roster re: "Illinois Conference on Higher Éducation", Allerton House, November 5-6, 1964 brochure re: "Second Annual High School Student Council Workshop", Memorial 4-H Camp, Robert Allerton Park, August 16-18, 1953

brochure re: "ISDA National Meeting", Allerton House, March 24-26, 1968

"Speech Seminar for Representatives of the Illinois Insurance Speakers Bureau", Allerton House, February 11-12, 1957

brochures re: "Annual Short Course for Illinois Institutional Chief Engineers", Allerton House (1983-86)

Box 2: Labor - Women

Labor Law - Municipal Clerks

brochure re: "Second Annual Residential Liberal Arts Seminar", Allerton House, June 9-11,

brochure re: "17th Allerton Institute: Libraries and Neighborhood Information Centers", Allerton House, October 24-27, 1971

brochure re: "Conference on Selling Motor Freight Service", Allerton House, April 10-12, 1967

Nursing Home Administrators, 1958-62

brochures re: "Annual Institute for Nursing Home Administrators", Allerton House (1958, 1960-62)

brochure re: "Second Annual Institute for Administrators and Boards of Directors of Homes for the Aged", Allerton House, September 13-16, 1961

Pacemaker - Publishing

"15th Annual University of Illinois Photojournalism Short Course" - Photo contests, Allerton Park, May 25-27, 1962

"12th Annual University of Illinois Press Photographers Short Course" - Photo contests,

Allerton Park, May 22-24, 1959 brochures re: "Annual Short Course for Illinois Institutional Power Plant Chief Engineers", Allerton House (1978, 1981)

Quartenary - Systems

brochure re: "Four 1960 Summer Social Work Institutes", Allerton House, June 20 - August

brochure re: "Stress Management and Organizational Administration", Allerton House, May 9-11, 1985

Semantics, General 1961-68

Series 31/13/801 Box 2 (continued)

information sheets re: "Seminar on General Semantics", Allerton House (1961-64, 1967-

68)

Telecommunications - Wind

brochure re: "Allerton '86 Wind Chamber Music Symposium", Allerton House, February 21-22, 1986

Water

brochures re: "Annual Allerton House Conference for Water Utility Management", Allerton House (1976-78, 1989)

Women

press release re: "Adventures in the Arts" Conference, Allerton House, June 15-21, 1969 information sheets re: "Speech Seminar for Women's Club Officers", Allerton House (1957-58)

Series 31/13/805

Extension, Short Course & Conference, Robert Allerton Park Brochures, 1951- Volume: .3 cu. ft.

Printed brochures and booklet describing Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center, including history, art works, photographs, and maps.

Box 1:

Open House, May 24, 1947

letter from Albert J. Harno, Chairman, Committee on Robert Allerton Park and Robert B. Browne, Dean, Division of University Extension to staff members re: invitation to open house with directions to Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House (May 9, 1947)

Robert Allerton Park, ca 1948

booklet: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" with foreword by George D. Stoddard and photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), gardens, statuary (4 copies)

Robert Allerton Park, 41 pp., 1951

booklet: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" by University of Illinois Press includes: text by Par Danforth, photos of gardens, statuary, Allerton House (exterior), aerial photos, and map "Road and Trail Guide" (3 copies)

Allerton House Holiday Programs, 1954

Christmas Card from staff of Allerton House (1954)

brochure: "Over the River and through the Woods" re: Thanksgiving Dinner at Allerton House; menu, seating times (no date) (2 copies)

Place Mats

place mats (16) with scenes of gardens, statues, buildings, and wrought-iron gate (no date)

Allerton House & Park Brochures

brochure: "Allerton" re: conference promotion with photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), grounds, gardens, statues (no date) (3 copies)

brochure (fold-out): "Robert Allerton Park" with general information, photos of Allerton House (exterior), gardens, and statues, guide map of Park, location map of Park (no date) (3 copies)

brochure (fold-out): "Enjoy Robert Allerton Park" produced by Office of the Associate Chancellor for Public Affairs/Office of Publications for Robert Allerton Park with general information, highlights of Park, hours and rules, guide map, photos of statues (no date) brochure (fold-out): "Allerton House: A Conference Center" re: conference promotion

including: color photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), statues, grounds, gardens; brief text on general information, location map (no date)

Directional Maps

"Road and Trail Guide" (no date)

brochure: "Robert Allerton Park" re: general history and Park information, Road and Trail guide (no date) (5 copies, minor text changes among them)

location map: "University of Illinois Robert Allerton Park", one page map and text (no date) (2 copies, some minor changes)

Allerton Trust Farms

plat: "Allerton Endowment Farms" re: plat of farms with location, acreage, farmers' names (no date) (2 copies)

Conference Promotional

booklet: "Allerton House: A Conference Center" with general promotional text, directional map, and color photos of conference facilities in Allerton House, gardens, and statues (no date) (appears to be update of brochure by same name in Folder "Allerton House & Park Brochures") information packet: "Allerton House" re: information on Conference Center use, facilities,

information packet: "Allerton House" re: information on Conference Center use, facilities reservation forms, sample programs from conferences (no date)

Allerton Archives, 1984

booklet: "Allerton Archives" by Laura Marshall-Lewis re: guide to archival material on the Allerton Family and Robert Allerton Park (1984)

Allerton Legacy, 1981

letter from J.B. Claar, Chairman, Allerton Trust Management Board and Lachlan F. Blair, Symposium Coordinator re: invitation to Allerton Legacy Symposium on May 22, 1981 including: program, registration form, return envelope (1981)

symposium packet re: conference materials (2 sets) including: description of 1927 plat of Allerton Estate; list of participants; chronology of Allerton family and history of Estate; program for symposium; map "The Chronology of Pioneer Land Acquisition" re: Allerton lands in Piatt County circa 1910; selected bibliography of sources held by University of Illinois on Allerton family and property; fact sheet on University of Illinois Allerton Farms; report and map "Farms Held in Trust by the University of Illinois"; letter from Lachlan F. Blair (in 2nd set of material only) re: distribution of packets to individuals not present at symposium (May 22, 1981)

Art Institute, 1985

brochure (fold-out): "Allerton Art Institute" with program, faculty, registration, and photo of Fu Dog (1986)

brochure (fold-out): "Allerton Art Institute" with program, faculty, registration, photo of Allerton House exterior (1985)

Nature Trail, 1971

booklet: "Robert Allerton Park Nature Trail" re: guide to plants in Park, contour map of trail (1971)

Series 39/1/1 Public Information, Director's Office, Subject File, 1919-84 Volume: 34.3 cu. ft. SFA: 30 pages

Subject file, including correspondence, news releases, reports, clippings, and photographs concerning publicity, radio and television stations, and Public Information Office activities. Includes announcements of activities held at Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center.

Box 9: Agriculture - Radio Telescope, 1935, 1938-40, 1943-47, 1950-73

Allerton Park, 1954-58

brochures: "Allerton Art School" re: announcement, schedule, general information (1956-57)

newspaper clippings re: Allerton Art School taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, Chicago Sun-Times and Chicago Tribune (1954-56)

press release re: Illinois Federated Women's Clubs announce Art School (1955)

newspaper clipping re: announcement of Eugene H. Schroth as facility manager of Robert Allerton Park (8/15/52)

location map: "University of Illinois Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (n.d.) booklet: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" with text re: Allerton Famiily, Park, photos of statues, gardens, Allerton House (interior and exterior), drives - includes foreword by President George D. Stoddard (1947)

Box 12: Admissions, Clippings - Corbally, President John, Speeches, 1946-1975

Allerton Estate, 1946-50

brochure: "University of Illinois Robert Allerton Park" re: general information on history and use of Robert Allerton Park with road and trail guide (n.d.)

brochure: "Allerton" re: history and description of facilities at Robert Allerton Park with photos of Allerton House (interior and exterior), gardens, Sun Singer (n.d.)

copies (2) re: Indentures booklet (1946)

tent cards (2) re: food service at Allerton House (n.d.)

newspaper clipping re: letter to the editor from Par Danforth explaining facilities for visitors at Robert Allerton Park (n.d.)

statement on Robert Allerton Park re: history of Robert Allerton, construction of Allerton House, University of Illinois uses (n.d.)

map re: location of Robert Allerton Park and Allerton Farms (n.d.)

information sheet: "Notes on <u>Samuel W. Allerton</u> from the column "When Chicago Was Young" by Herma Clark (<u>Chicago Sunday Tribune</u>, Aug. 14, 1949)" re: biographical notes on Samuel W. Allerton (n.d.)

newspaper clipping (<u>Kansas City Star</u>) re: history, uses, facilities of Robert Allerton Park, biography of Robert Allerton, photos of Allerton House (exterior), formal garden, Sun Singer (10/9/49)

newspaper clipping (<u>Chicago Tribune</u>) re: Robert Allerton's gift to the University of Illinois with photos of Robert Allerton, Allerton House (exterior and library interior) (6/30/46)

newspaper clipping (<u>Chicago Daily News</u>) re: Robert Allerton's gift to the University of Illinois, use as public park (7/2/46)

newspaper clipping (<u>Times</u>) re: Robert Allerton's gift to the University of Illinois (6/30/46) map: "Highway Approaches to Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (n.d.)

information sheet re: Robert Allerton biographical details (n.d.)

press release re: appointment of Committee on Robert Allerton Park, members, objectives (11/4/46)

booklet: "University of Illinois Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" by University of Illinois Press re: text and photos of woodlands, artwork, trails, gardens, Allerton House, other Park buildings (1951)

booklet: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (same as in Box 9)

Box 17: General: Adams - Greater Champaign-Urbana Development Association

Allerton Park: 1951, 1971

Series 39/1/1 Box 17 (continued)

booklet: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (same as in Boxes 9 and 12) newspaper clipping (Champaign-Urbana Courier) re: text of address by William C. Ackermann, Illinois State Water Survey to American Association for the Advancement of Science, topic was Oakley - Allerton (2/7/71) brochure: "Allerton" (same as in Box 12) booklet: "University of Illinois, Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (same as in Box 12)

Box 38: News Media - Television, 1956-77

Oakley Dam - Springer Lake Project, 1973-75

newspaper clipping (Chicago Tribune) re: Corps of Engineers decision to stop planning for Oakley Reservoir (5/30/75)

newspaper clipping (Chicago Sun-Times) re: University of Illinois Board of Trustees' decision to withdraw support from Oakley project (1/16/75)

correspondence between University of Illinois Board of Trustees and City of Decatur re: University of Illinois withdrawal of support for Oakley project (1975)

report from Walter Keith to Board of Trustees re: Harza Engineering Company research and Corps of Engineers Environmental Impact Statement for Oakley project (1974) report from Harza Engineering Company re: hydrologic and environmental aspects of

Oakley project (1974) report from Walter Keith to Corps of Engineers re: review of "Draft Environmental Statement, William L. Springer Lake Project--Sangamon River, Illinois, Sept., 1973" (1974)

report from Walter Keith to Board of Trustees re: status of Oakley project (1973)

Series 39/2/20 Public Information, Photography, Photographic Subject File, 1868- Volume: 63.6 SFA: 6 pages

Photographic subject file, including prints and glass plates concerning student activities, alumni, campus scenes (including Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center), conferences and short courses, and non-university topics. Negatives are in Series 39/2/22.

Box 46: BUI, (Allerton Farm - Allerton Park) (12 folders containing photographs and negatives for which prints are not available, 1946-

Allerton Farms

BUI, Allerton Park, 4-H Camp

BUI, Allerton Park, Natural Areas

BUI, Allerton Park, Gardens, Formal Garden

BUI, Allerton Park, Paths and Roads

BUI, Allerton Park, Gardens, Lost Garden

BUI, Allerton Park, Gardens, Sunken Garden BUI, Allerton Park, Gardens, Garden of the Chinese Dogs BUI, Allerton Park, Statues

BUI, Allerton House, Interiors - Libraries

BUI, Allerton House, Interiors

BUI, Allerton House

Box 102: CON9

Art Groups (1950s)

Box 136: NUN1 - NUN4 (A-C)

NUN4. A

Series 39/2/20 Box 136 (continued)

photos (4) of Robert Allerton (circa 1946) photo (1) re: sketch of Robert Allerton by Vivian Forbes (sketch dated 1921)

Series 41/8/13 Student Affairs, Illini Publishing Company, <u>Daily Illini</u> Photographs, Subject Index, 1971-78 Volume: 3.0 cu. ft.

Subject index, includes 3 x 5 index cards for news, portrait, and feature photographs taken for publication in the <u>Daily Illini</u>, <u>Illio</u>, and <u>Technograph</u>. Subjects include Robert Allerton and Park activities.

Index provides dates of publication of photographs and has listings for Robert Allerton, Robert Allerton Park, concerts and conferences at the Park (1971-1980)

Series 41/62/12 Student Affairs, Student Organizations - Government Student Senate Files, 1948-1968 Volume: 3.0 cu. ft. SFA: 2 pages

Champaign-Urbana Student Senate files, including reports, bills, agendas, minutes, clippings, and correspondence concerning student organizations, state legislation, student regulations, campus events, and Allerton House conferences.

Box 4: Minutes, 1959-1964; President's Reports, 1952-1967; Committees

Summit Conference, 1961

report re: Student Summit Conference at Allerton House, September 9, 1961 by Gil Simon (1961)

report re: First Annual Student Summit Conference, Allerton House, September 12-13, 1959 - includes agenda and roster of participants (n.d.)

Series 41/62/15 Student Affairs, Student Organizations and Activities, Graduate Student Association Subject File, 1967-1971 Volume: 6.0 cu. ft. SFA: 7 pages

Subject file, including minutes, correspondence, petitions, referenda, and flyers concerning current and proposed projects, community relations, policies, and public issues (including the Oakley - Allerton controversy).

Box 3: Student and Faculty Organizations; Student Life; Oakley Dam Project; Student Activism, 1967-1970

Citizens and Groups Against Oakley

original newspaper clippings re: opposition to Oakley project taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u> (1967-69)

Citizens and Groups For Oakley

original newspaper clippings re: support for Oakley project taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana</u> Courier, Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette, and Daily Illini (1967-70)

State and Cabinet Officials on Oakley - Allerton

originals of newspaper clippings re: government officials' views and actions on Oakley - Allerton taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, and Daily Illini (1967-69)

Local Politics and Allerton (Decatur, Champaign-Urbana, Springfield, Piatt County, etc) originals of newspaper articles re: local government officials and actions on Oakley -

41/62/15 Box 3 (continued)

Allerton taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u> (1967-69)

Congress and Oakley - Allerton (Springer, Percy and Dirksen)

originals of newspaper articles re: Congress members and actions on Oakley - Allerton taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, and <u>Chicago Daily News</u> (1967-69)

Douglas and Allerton Hike

originals of newspaper articles re: visit of Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas to Robert Allerton Park, May 17-18, 1969 taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, <u>Daily</u> Illini, Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette (1967-69)

US Army Corps of Engineers

originals of newspaper articles re: Corps of Engineers plans and statements on Oakley taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>, and <u>Chicago Daily News</u> (1967-69)

University of Illinois and Allerton

originals of newspaper articles re: University of Illinois statements and actions on Oakley - Allerton taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, and <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (1967-69)

General Oakley - Allerton Information

originals of newspaper articles re: Oakley Dam project taken from <u>Champaign-Urbana</u> <u>News-Gazette</u>, <u>Daily Illini</u>, and <u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u> (1967-69)

Series 48/3/3 Faculty, Recreational & Special Interest, Hikers' Records, 1914-16, 1938-47, 1961 Volume: .3 cu. ft.

Walking Club records including trip itineraries, budgets, announcements, and correspondence concerning club activities. Many activities were photographed, including a trip to the Allerton Estate.

Box 1:

Walking Club, Allerton Estate, Photographs, 1914-15 photos (31) with negative numbers on the backs re:

Subject	Negative #	Number of copies
group photo by pool walkers by reflecting pool garden walkers in garden Allerton House exterior coffee break in woods Allerton House exterior Allerton House exterior	2 3 4 6 7 8 10	Number of copies 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Allerton House exterior wall and path to gate Allerton House exterior Allerton House exterior walkers/campfires in woods Allerton House exterior brick wall Allerton House exterior Allerton House exterior	14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22	1 4 1 2 1 1 1

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26		1
27		1
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	24 25 26 27	24 25 26 27

Series 48/5/3 Faculty Organizations, Political, Committee on Allerton Park Records, 1961-1976 Volume: 8.0 cu. ft. SFA: 5 pages

Correspondence, clippings, data, depositions, legislation, maps, minutes, petitions, press releases, reports, and testimony concerning the Oakley Dam project and its potential effect on Robert Allerton Park.

Box 1: Bound Reports, 1948-73

Lake Decatur Development and Water Supply, Warren and Van Praag, 1948
Oakley Reservoir Recreation, Macon County Regional Planners, 1954
Illinois Rivers and Tributaries, Corps of Engineers (2 reports), 1961-62
Water Supply and Quality, Oakley Reservoir, HEW, 1965
Oakley Comprehensive Plan, Schellie Associates, 1966
Operational and Cost Studies, Decatur Sanitary district (2 reports), 1966-68
Groundwater Resources of Mahomet Babcock Valley, Illinois State Water Survey, 1969
Oakley "Waterways Alternative", Illinois Public Works, 1969
Oakley "Modified Project", Illinois Public Works, 1970
Oakley Recommended Development, Corps of Engineers, 1970
Status of Allerton-Oakley Controversy, COAP, 1970
Proposed Modifications, Oakley, U.S. Senate Public Works Committee, 1970
Flood Plain Information, Corps of Engineers, 1971
Macon County Water Management Program, Macon County Planning Commission, 1971
Battle for the Sangamon, COAP, three bound copies and one newsletter copy, 1971
Recreation Resources, Oakley, Corps of Engineers, 1973
Draft Environmental Statement, Oakley, Corps of Engineers, 4 volumes, 1974
Springer-Sangamon Environmental Research Program (SSERP) Annual Report, Illinois Experiment Station, 1973

Box 2: Bound Reports, 1974-75

Revised Oakley Design Memorandum, 3 volumes, 1974
Updated Environmental Statement, Corps of Engineers: Preliminary Report, 1974
Main Draft, 1974
Comments and Responses, 1974
SSERP Annual Report, Experiment Station, 2 volumes, 1974-75
Economic and Environmental Aspects, Oakley, U.S. Comptroller, General, 1975
Reference Files, A-Decatur
Allerton Committee, University of Illinois, general, 2 folders, 1967, 1970
Allerton Day, Invites, 1974, Political Statements, 1974
Allerton, general reports, 2 folders, 1967-70, 1970-77
Allerton, Landmark Eligibility, 1971
Allerton Press Releases, COAP, 1971-74
Anti-Allerton, general, 1966-72

Series 48/5/3 Box 2 (continued)

Anti-Oakley, general references, 1970-72
Battle for the Sangamon, sources, 1970-71
Campaign and Oakley Issue, 1974
CHOW Student Report, Oakley Alternatives, 1971
COAP, general references, 4 folders, 1967-73
Construction Index, 1971
Corps of Engineers, Dead Trees, Press Releases, 1969-71
County Opposition to Oakley, general, 1969-72
Decatur Club, 1971-72
Decatur, general references, 1972-73
Decatur Letter, regarding Harza Report, 1968
Decatur Position, regarding Oakley Project, 1974

Box 3: Reference Files, Decatur-Local Assurance

Decatur Report, 1974 COAP Response, 1974 Decatur Water Rate Study, 1970 Decatur Water Supply, (2 folders), 1974 Decatur Water Users Petition Depositions, Oakley, 1972 Dredging, 1969 Ecology Law Reprint, Reservoir Law and Policies, 1973 Environmental Impact Studies (EIS), mailing list, 1973 Draft Copy, 1973 Main Statement, 1973-74 COAP Draft Comments, 1974 EPA Federal Response, 1974 General Comments, 1974 Interior EIS Response, 1974 University of Illinois Trustees Response, 1974 Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Oakley Report Summary, 1973 EPA Report, State Report, 1973 Environmental Report, Anette Rice, M.A. Thesis, 1966, 1972-74 Farmers, Opposition to Oakley, 1973 Feasibility and Alternatives Report, Oakley, 1971 Federal Suits, Complaint, 1973 General, (3 folders), 1961-69 Interrogation (3 folders), 1971-72 Policies and Procedures (2 folders), 1962-73 Freiz Study, 1971 Friends Creek Valley Press Releases, 1974 General Materials, (3 folders), 1969-75 Green Belt Project Guillou, John C., Pro-Oakley Press Releases, 1975 Harza Reports (2 folders), 1968-70, 1974 Hearing Records, 1970 Illinois-Oakley Act, PA-76-2564 Illinois State Anti Oakley Lobby, Illinois House and Senate Votes, Oakley, 1970, 1974 Lawsuits, Oakley, 1974 Legislative Questionnaire, Local Assurance, Sangamon Bill, 1971

Box 4: Reference Files, Maps-Swimming

Maps, Allerton

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Piatt County Plat Books, 1964, 1967 Oakley Projects Memo of Agreement, Revised, 1970 Mosquitoes, Oakley Report, 1962 Natural Areas Committee, general references (2 folders), 1968-71 Newspapers, general references (2 folders), 1971-73 Nitrates Pollution, Oakley, 1967-74 Paxton Press Releases, 1974 Petitioning Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) Allerton Park Indentures, 1946 Oakley Project Reports, 1967-68 Origins, PAC, 1967 Press Releases, general, 1968-72, Pro-Oakley Price Study, M.S. Thesis, 1974 Published References, 1968-73 Oakley Attacks, 1972 Recreation and Oakley Project, (3 folders), 1967-73 Recommended Developments, 1972-74 Research Value Report, Allerton Park, 1972 Resolutions, 1967-68 Samuel's Letter, Environmental Lawyers Clinic, 1973 Sangamon Basin Study Sangamon Press Association, 1973 Suits, (4 folders), 1971 SSERP Reports, 1973 Swimming Facilities and Oakley, 1966-71

Box 5: Reference Files, Testimony-Z

Testimony, U.S. Congress (5 folders), 1962-73
U.S. Congressional Public Works Hearings, 1970-71
Walker, Gov. Dan, Press Releases (2 folders), 1972-73
Water Quality Reports (3 folders), 1967-73
Water Rates, Anti-Oakley Petitions
Water Supply Reports (2 folders), 1970-73
Correspondence, A-Conservation Groups
Allerton Park, 1967-70
Appropriations Committee, U.S. Congress (2 folders), 1968-73
Attorneys, 1968-74
Board of Trustees, 1968, 1974
Burdett, George, Illinois Senate Candidate, 1974
Bureau of Budget, Federal (2 folders), 1968-70
C.O.A.P. (3 folders), 1967-73
Conservation Groups (4 folders), 1967-73

Box 6: Correspondence, Congress-Interior

Congress, U.S., House (3 folders), 1966-73, Senate (3 folders), 1966-72
Corps of Engineers (6 folders), 1966-73
Clark, William, Illinois Attorney General, 1968
Conservation Department, Federal, 1969
Corporations, 1969-70
Dirksen, Senator Everett, 1968-69
Douglas, Justice William O., 1968-69
Duncan, Don, Army Civil Functions, 1974
Editors, Letters to (2 folders), 1967-74
Engineers, Private, 1968-69
EPA, 1971-73

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General Letters, 1967-71 Guillou, Cellini, Illinois Public Works, 1969-71 Hall, Harber, Illinois Senator, 1971-73 Hirschfeld, John, Illinois Representative, 1973 Illinois Legislature and Bureaus (4 folders), 1968-72 Interior, U.S. Department (2 folders), 1967-74

Box 7: Correspondence, Johnson-Z

Johnson, Lyndon, and Nixon, Richard, 1966-73 Kerner, Otto, Governor, 1967 Leahy, Mary Sue, Illinois Bureau of Budget, 1966-73 Macon County Health Department, 1969, 1971 Madigan, Ed. Illinois Representative, 1973-75 Melrose, Mary, Assistant to Senator Percy, 1974 Morton Arboretum, 1968 Oakley Political Letters, politicians to citizens, 1973-74 Office of Management and Budget, Federal, 1972-74 Ogilvie, Richard, Illinois Governor, 1969-70 Organizations, general, 1967-75 Paxton Letters, 1968-70 Percy, Charles, U.S. Senator, 1974-75 Presidents' Council on Environmental Quality, 1970 Proxmire, William, U.S. Senator, 1968-73 Public Works Committee, U.S. Congress, 1968-74 Soil Conservation Service, 1969-70 Springer, Congressman William, 1968-70 Stevenson, Senator Adlai, 1974-75 State of Illinois, general (2 folders), 1970-71 State Water Survey, 1970-71, 1973 Transportation, Illinois Department, 1970-74 Taxpayers, Illinois, 1973-74 Universities, general, 1968-74 University of Illinois, 1972-74 Walker, Governor Dan, 1973-74 News Clippings, Xeroxes' A-Oakley, September 1974 Allerton News Clips (5 folders), 1967-70 Oakley Clips (24 folders), pre-1971-9/1974

Box 8: News Clippings, Xeroxes, Oakley, 10/74 to Z

Oakley Clippings (14 folders) 10/1974-5/1976

News Clippings, Originals, 1966-74, A-Z
Articles, 1968-69
Borchers, Representative A. Webber, 1975
Corps of Engineers, 1967-68
General Clippings, (5 folders), 1967-72
Guillou, John, 1972
Oakley Clippings, (7 folders), 1962-74
Piatt County and Upper Sangamon Association Clippings, 1966-69
University Affairs Clippings, 1966-68
Walker, Governor Dan, 1975-76

H. Paul Friesma, Northwestern University, Correspondence, 1973-75
Poster: "Stop the Dam". Coalition on American Rivers, ca. 1976.

PRIVATE COLLECTIONS 59

Private and Other Public Collections

Walter Keith, former Director of Robert Allerton Park (1960-1988), has three to four file drawers of material he is processing (as of December, 1990) for transfer to the University Archives. This material concerns the Oakley Dam - Allerton Park controversy and includes newspaper clippings, internal documents, and Environmental Impact Statements from 1961 to 1975.

Macon County Conservation District 3939 Nearing Lane Decatur, IL 62521 217-423-7708 mccd@maconcountyconservation.org www.maconcountyconservation.org

As of May, 2009, materials consist of the following:

1. Clippings from local newspapers including the Decatur Herald and the Decatur Review

- Several published reports and engineering studies by the federal government and the City of Decatur
- 3. Correspondence between Macon County citizens and members of Congress including Charles Percy and others
- 4. Correspondence from staff of the Macon County Conservation District
- 5. Scrapbooks and correspondence of the Sangamon Valley Association
- 6. Several maps of the proposed project area
- 7. Publications of the Save Allerton Park group

ALLERTON HOUSE 60

Allerton House and Conference Center

Allerton House Office Rural Route 2 Monticello, Illinois 61856 Gary Eickman, Director (217-333-3287)

Material related to the Allerton Family and to the operation of the Allerton House Conference Center is located at this facility. Much of this material is visual in nature, including drawings, photographs, motion pictures and home movies. There are a large number of operational records.

Drawings

Four map drawers in the Loft closet containing hundreds of drawings (both original and copies) relating to the Allerton Estate:

drawings dating from 1899 to 1946, including work by John W. Gregg and John J. Borie. A catalogue of these drawings, titled "The Allerton Architectural Archives, Part I: 1899-1946" by Scott Alan Mehaffey (1988) is available. The catalogue can be found in the Office of the Park Superintendent, Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center, file drawer "Allertonia: pre-1946", folder "Drawing Archives".

Photos

There are over sixty-five photographs (reproductions) hanging on the walls throughout Allerton House, all were taken during the time Robert Allerton lived in the House, from 1900 to the 1940's. A list of photographs (by room) is available in the Appendix.

Conference records

There are file folders for each conference held re: contracts, room assignments, meal counts, registration information, itineraries, menus, accounting sheets, names of participants, correspondence with groups. Records for 1974 - 1990 are kept in chronological order in file drawers in the office area. These file folders are titled by conference and date. Earlier records (1960 - 1973) are stored in boxes located in the attic and basement of Allerton House.

Books

Over 2,000 books were left behind by Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton when the estate was given to the University of Illinois. Most have been gathered along two walls on the upper floor of the Library. A catalog of these books has been completed, and can be found in the University Archives, Series 31/13/20.

Motion pictures and home movies:

"The Chronicle of an Illinois Garden", 16mm color motion picture, 15 minutes, circa 1935, by Robert Allerton and John Gregg, possibly prepared for Garden Club use. Subjects re: footage of flowers in gardens in all seasons of the year, beginning with Spring.

Home movies:

"The Farms 1932 - Some of the Guests", black and white, subjects re: guests at Allerton Estate, footage of Sun Singer uncrating, hoisting and site construction, gardens, flowers, Sunken Garden remodeling.

Color home movie, circa 1930's, subjects re: Lost Garden Tea House picnic, flowers, costume party, white farmhouse, Robert Allerton and friends, greenhouses, gardens, farm hands with tractor, harvesting hay, dalmatian puppies, Fu Dog Garden, Allerton House interiors and exteriors.

Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center

Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center Rural Route 2 Monticello, Illinois 61856 David Bowman, Park Superintendent (217-244-1035)

David Bowman has compiled a large amount of material including reports, correspondence, clippings, books, artifacts, and photographs relating to the Allerton Family and to Robert Allerton Park. The material contains both original and xerox copies. This material is located in three offices or rooms within the Visitor Center: David Bowman's office, Jennifer Eickman's office, and the Video Room.

Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center Park Superintendent's Office

The material in this office consists of operating records, research reports, clippings, and photographs. The historical material on the Allertons is primarily located in one file drawer. The material is listed here by file folder name, followed by a description of the folder's contents.

(Note: Some of the Park Superintendent's Office materials appear to have been transferred to University Archives on 10/1/2003, and subsequently processed as record series 31/13/5. See pages 40-44)

File Drawer: Allertonia: pre-1946

Allerton Family Chronology

report: "Allerton Family Tree" re: chronology from Isaac Allerton (1586-1659) to John Wyatt Gregg Allerton (1900-1986) with important life dates (n.d.)

photographs (18) re: Allerton House exteriors and interiors - one original (photo of roof with overhanging tree), other 17 are copies, subjects all pre-1946, some appear much older (maybe early 1900's)

report: "Allerton Ancestors" - biographical sketches of Isaac, Samuel, and Robert, with chronology of development of "The Farms" (n.d.)

correspondence re: request for information on Allerton history (1983-85)

Allerton Home Movies

memorandum re: identification by Amelie Blyth of people in rowboat from home movie as: Peter Brown, William Brown, Almee Blyth, Amelie Blyth, Randolph Blyth (1983)

Practical Farming

copies (2), xeroxed, of: Practical Farming: A Treatise on Present Farming Conditions and How to Improve Them by Samuel W. Allerton, published by Rand, McNally & Company (1907)

Drawing Archives

report: "The Allerton Architectural Archives: Part I: 1899-1946" by Scott Alan Mehaffey re: catalogue of drawings of The Farms (1988)

index of drawings by subject (n.d.)

correspondence re: Mehaffey's appointment, schedule, budget proposal (1987-88) report: "List of Drawings Held in Loft Closet, Allerton House - Post-1946" by Susan Enscore re: list of drawings of Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park (1990)

Index of Stored Drawings

memorandum re: reproduction of original drawings of The Farms (1988)

report: "Index of Drawings and Blueprints for The Farms" re: drawings housed in Visitor Center, Robert Allerton Park (n.d.)

lists re: reproductions housed in Visitor Center (1983)

Allertonia Drawings

copy of "Township Plat: Township 18 North, Range S.E. of 3rd P.M., County of Platt,

Illinois" re: land given to the University of Illinois by Robert Allerton (n.d.)

copy of report: "Index of Drawings and Blue-Prints for The Farms" (n.d.)

report: "A Listing of Maps and Tracings Located At Robert Allerton Park as of September 1987" by Robert Kingston re: material housed in Visitor Center (1987)

xerox copy of list of deeds, abstracts, affidavits re: property transferred to University of Illinois by Robert Allerton (1947)

Agnes C. Allerton

copies of newspaper articles re: Agnes' obituary (12/29/24), razing of family home on Prairie Avenue (9/16/15)

copy of photograph of Agnes at The Folly (summer home on Lake Geneva, Wisconsin), original photo signed by Leo D. Weil (photographer) circa 1900

copies of newspaper articles re: terms of Samuel W. Allerton's will (3/17/14), robbery of Prairie Avenue home (6/6/12), terms of Agnes' will (1925)

John Allerton

signed letter from John Gregg Allerton to Walter Keith re: market values for statuary at Robert Allerton Park (8/29/77)

John Gregg Allerton

letter to John Gregg Allerton from Walter Keith and response (signed) from John Gregg Allerton (12/28/77) re: possible rebuilding of Lost Garden Tea House (1977)

copy of article (Illinois Magazine) by David Fletcher re: interview with John Gregg Allerton (May, 1979)

transcript of comments made by John Gregg Allerton on visit (September 26-October 4, 1979) re: maintenance details at Robert Allerton Park (1979)

press release (University of Illinois New Bureau) re: death of John Gregg Allerton (5/2/86) article (Illini Week) re: death of John Gregg Allerton (5/8/86)

signed letter to Walter Keith from John Gregg Allerton re: disposition of Elmer Priebe's

farmhouse (12/23/70) bound report: "John Gregg Allerton Memoir" oral interview by Nancy Becker (1984) copy of signed letter from John Gregg Allerton to Frank Turok re: plantings around Centaur, maintenance details (9/20/75)

slide of John Gregg Allerton taken by Lochlan F. Blair at Allerton Legacy Symposium

newspaper articles (Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette, Illini Week, Decatur Herald and Review) re: death of John Gregg Allerton (5/2/86)

handwritten letter from John Gregg Allerton to David Bowman re: shipping copies of "The Robert Allerton Story" (8/17/85)

copy of letter to John Gregg Allerton from Vice Chancellor Donald F. Wendel re: arranging a meeting during John Gregg Allerton's next visit (3/7/84)

signed letter from John Gregg Allerton to David Bowman re: his thoughts on Robert Allerton Park after recent visit (10/5/83)

copy of letter to John Gregg Allerton from Chancellor John Cribbet re: arranging a meeting with John Gregg Allerton (9/12/83)

signed letters from John Gregg Allerton to David Bowman re: congratulations on his appointment as Park Superintendent (7/6/82), how greenhouses were used in the past (9/22/82), how gardens were kept in the past (11/16/82)

letter to John Gregg Allerton from David Bowman re: thoughts on Robert Allerton Park (8/9/82)

letter from John Gregg Allerton to David Bowman re: sending photos of gardens in old davs (n.d.)

correspondence between Robert Allerton and George D. Stoddard re: Robert Allerton's views on uses of Allerton House (1952)

booklet: "The Robert Allerton Story" by Kathryn Hulme, published by John Gregg Allerton (1979)

copy of newspaper article (Champaign-Urbana Courier) re: John Gregg files notice to change name to John Wyatt Gregg Allerton (1/15/65)

copy of newspaper article (Champaign-Urbana Courier) re: terms of Robert Allerton's will (12/30/64)

handwritten letter from John Gregg Allerton to David Bowman re: thanks for the good job

at the Park (10/19/82)

copy of photograph of Robert Allerton, John Gregg Allerton, and Elmer Priebe (n.d.) copy of letter from Walter Keith to John Gregg Allerton re: Frank Turok replacing Fay H. Root (4/23/73)

copy of signed letter from John Gregg Allerton to Frank Turok re: upcoming visit to Robert Allerton Park (3/13/78)

R.H.A. - Campus Plan Committee

xerox copies of Board of Trustees Meeting minutes re: Robert Allerton being asked to serve as advisory member of the University Campus Plan Commission (9/14/20), meetings attended by Robert Allerton (1921-1922)

Robert Allerton

copy of correspondence from Robert Allerton re: leases and tenants of farms given to University of Illinois by Robert Allerton (10/29/46)

copy of correspondence re: valuation of farm buildings (4/1/48)

correspondence re: insurance carried on farm buildings re: Farms 1 and 4 (n.d.)

press release re: Robert Allerton's gift to the University of Illinois (6/20/46)

copy of memorandum to Board of Trustees re: Robert Allerton's proposed gift (5/22/46) copy of press release (First National Bank of Chicago) re: Robert Allerton's adoption of John Gregg (3/4/60)

copy of newspaper article (<u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>) re: Robert Allerton gives one million dollars for Pacific Tropical Botanical Gardens (12/11/64)

copy of signed letter from Robert Allerton to Walter Keith re: thanking him for sending aerial photos of Robert Allerton Park (2/28/64)

copy of signed letter from Robert Allerton to Herbert O. Farber re: approval for erection of broadcasting tower on farm land (8/5/63)

copy of photo of Robert Allerton as a young man captioned: "Robert Allerton, Proprietor of The Farms', Monticello, Illinois" (n.d.)

Lawai-Kai/P.T.B.G.

journal (Pacific Horticulture) with article re: Lawai-Kai by G. Waters (Fall 1983)

brochure re: Pacific Tropical Botanical Garden (n.d.)

copy of article in <u>Horticulture</u>, "Two in the Tropics" by Suzanne Dworsky (March, 1986) reprint article (<u>Pacific Horticulture</u>, "The Nation's Tropical Garden" by William L. Theobald (Summer 1980)

copy of article (<u>Latitude 20</u>), "The Garden of Eden: Alive and Blooming" by Mazeppa Costa (March, 1978)

copy of article (<u>Spirit of Aloha</u>), "The Rare Gardens of Kauai" by Karen Horton (June, 1981)

copy of article (Life), "Tropic Garden" (3/17/58)

copy of map re: Lawai-Kai (n.d.)

xerox copies of postcards sent by Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Priebe (1950's)

copies of 2 newsletters (Hawaiian Botanical Gardens Foundation) re: Robert Allerton's gift to Pacific Tropical Botanical Garden, death of Robert Allerton, and Lawai-Kai (n.d.) copy of newspaper article (Honolulu's Star-Bulletin) re: visit of Garden Club members to Lawai-Kai (n.d.)

journal (<u>The Bulletin: Pacific Tropical Botanical Garden</u>) re: hurricane damage to Lawai-Kai (January, 1983)

slides (20) of Lawai-Kai (February, 1987)

copy of article (Architectural Digest), "Hawaiian Arcadia" by Barnaby Conrad (1977)

booklet: "The Robert Allerton Story" by Kathyrn Hulme (1979)

Robert Henry Allerton

photos (23) and negatives of Robert Allerton, John Gregg Allerton, Elmer Priebe and Irene Priebe taken by Robert Kaiser of Monticello (Spring 1962)

xeroxed photograph of Robert Allerton at Lawai-Kai (n.d.)

xeroxed photographs of Kate Allerton, Pamilla Allerton, and Robert Allerton (1870-1880?) copy of photo of Kate Allerton and Robert Allerton taken by Leo D. Weil at The Folly, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin (circa 1895)

xerox copy of photo of Robert Allerton on porch of farmhouse, "The Farms" (circa 1897-99)

xerox copies of sketch of Robert Allerton by Vivian Forbes (1921)

xerox copy of page from <u>The Biggest Little Town</u> - DeLand, Illinois' centennial book with article re: sundial given to DeLand by Robert Allerton in 1924 (1973)

copy of article from <u>Museum Studies</u>, "Frederic Clay and Helen Birch Bartlett: The Collectors" by Courtney Graham Donnell, Vol 12, #2 (n.d.)

copy of newspaper article (<u>Chicago Sun-Times</u>) re: attendance of Robert Allerton at dedication of Frederic Clay Bartlett Memorial Gallery in the Art Institute of Chicago - includes photos of Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton (6/20/62)

xerox copies of newspaper articles re: death of Robert Allerton (1964)

xerox copy of list of land grants given by Robert Allerton and John Grégg Allerton in Piatt County (1919-1980)

memorandum re: dedication of memorial to Robert Allerton in Robert Allerton Park (1973) copy of signed letter from Robert Allerton to President Arthur C. Willard re: Robert Allerton's proposal to give "The Farms" to the University of Illinois (written on "The Farms" letterhead) (7/17/41)

copy of Board of Trustees minutes re: valuation of Robert Allerton's gift (10/30/47) xerox copy of pages from The Good Life in Piatt County, Jessie Morgan, Ed. re: Allerton

family history (n.d.)

copy of article in <u>Champaign-Urbana Guide</u>, "Spring Comes to the Woodlands" by Jennifer Eickman re: Robert Allerton, Robert Allerton Park (March, 1981)

signed letter from Robert Allerton to Walter Keith re: thanking him for sending aerial photos of Allerton House (2/28/64)

Samuel Waters Allerton

xerox copies of newspaper clippings re: Samuel W. Allerton's death (2/23/14)

copy of letter from Samuel W. Allerton to Kate Allerton and Robert Allerton re: history and philosophy of his life (5/25/1878)

xerox copy of pages from <u>A History of the Allerton Family in the United States, and a Genealogy of the Descendants of Isaac Allerton</u> by Walter Scott Allerton re: Samuel W. Allerton's biography (1900)

report: "A Brief History of the Allerton Family" by Walter Keith (1975)

xerox copies of pages from <u>The History of the First National Bank of Chicago</u> by Morris re: biography of Samuel W. Allerton (1902)

letter from Mrs. C.E. Hutchins to David Bowman re: request to visit Robert Allerton Park and relationship to Robert Allerton (a distant relative) (1985)

copy of pages from <u>Piatt County</u>, <u>Past and Present</u> by Charles McIntosh re: Samuel W. Allerton's life (n.d.)

copy of pages from <u>A Biographical Catalog of the Portrait Gallery of the Saddle and Sirloin Club</u> by Edward N. Wentworth re: Samuel W. Allerton's biography (1920)

photos (2) of portrait of Samuel W. Allerton which hangs in Allerton State Bank, Allerton, Illinois - includes negatives (n.d.)

xerox copy of Samuel W. Allerton's signed will (11/11/13)

xerox copy of inventory of Samuel W. Allerton's estate - signed by Robert Allerton and Agnes Allerton (6/12/14)

xerox copy of Table of Heirship for Samuel W. Allerton's estate (3/26/14)

xerox copy of legal document showing execution of Samuel W. Allerton's will - signed by Robert Allerton and Agnes Allerton, Kate Allerton Johnstone, and Hugo Richards Johnstone (7/19/15)

newspaper clipping (<u>Chicago Sunday Tribune</u>) re: Samuel W. Allerton's biography (8/14/49)

report re: newspaper mentions of Samuel W. Allerton and Robert Allerton in Monticello area, 1880's, 1930's by Myrt Pierson (1988)

report re: biography of Samuel W. Allerton by Pat Bose (1983)

copy of pages from <u>History of Chicago</u>, <u>Illinois</u>, by Moses and Kirkland re: biography of Samuel W. Allerton (1895)

copy of pages from <u>History of Piatt County</u>, by Emma C. Piatt re: mentions of Samuel W. Allerton with drawing of house owned by Samuel in Piatt County (1883)

copy of pages from Monticello...A Celebration: 150 Years of Memories re: mentions of Samuel W. Allerton and Robert Allerton (n.d.)

typed extracts from Piatt County, Past and Present by Charles McIntosh re: letter from

Samuel W. Allerton to Piatt County farmer dated 11/14/1889 (1903) report: "Selected Bibliography" prepared for Allerton Legacy Symposium (1981)

Allerton Library, Monticello

xerox copy of page from Monticello centennial book re: gift of library to Monticello from Robert Allerton and Agnes Allerton with photo of building (n.d.)

xerox copies of items (newspaper articles, photographs) from Sam Roane's scrapbook at Allerton Library re: Robert Allerton Park, Oakley - Allerton controversy, Allerton House exterior, grounds, statues (1940's - 1970's)

Fletcher, David J. MDMPH

copies of old photographs (most labeled on back with subject and date), topics include: uncrating and hoisting of Sun Singer (1930), Fu Dog Garden (1930), Fu Dog Tower (1930, 1935), Lost Garden (1930), Sunken Garden (1930), Entrance to Lawai-Kai (n.d.) photos (2) of John Gregg Allerton taken at Lawai-Kai by David J. Fletcher (8/4/78) copies of handwritten correspondence from John Gregg Allerton re: visit of Dr. Flétcher to Lawai-Kai (7/2/78)

copy of photo of Robert Allerton in Lawai-Kai (late 1950's - early 1960's?)

photos of Lawai-Kai taken by Dr. Fletcher (labeled with subject and date), topics include: Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton's house, John Gregg Allerton in chair on porch (8/78)

copy of article from Illinois Magazine, "The Building of Allerton Park" by David J. Fletcher (May, 1979)

Prairie Avenue Home

contains xerox copies of photos of Samuel W. Allerton's home (n.d.)

John Borie, Architect

photocopy of portrait of Borie by Eakins at Hood Museum of Art, Dartmouth College (n.d.) copy of statement by Mr. Adolphe Borie (cousin of John Borie) re: history of John Borie, Adolphe's gift of painting from Eakins (May, 1933)

xerox copies of newspaper articles (The North American) re: history of the Borie family $(1/5/\dot{1}3)$

copy of family history written by John Borie (circa 1906)

copy of short biographical sketch of John Borie by Etta Arntzen, Volunteer in charge of research, Robert Allerton Park (1988)

Mansion Furnishings

photocopy of ad for "Exhibition and Sale of The Robert Allerton Collection" by John A. Colby and Sons, Wabash at Randolf, Chicago, Illinois (n.d.)

Ham House, Richmond, Surrey booklet: "Ham House" re: description and history of House and occupants (1976) 1 slide and 1 negative of architectural drawing of Ham House reproduced from above booklet (n.d.)

xerox of article: "Ham House" by Maurice Tomlin (1986)

Wm. Mayor Co. (mansion contractor)

xerox of biographical sketch of William Mayor (n.d.)

J.C. Llewellyn, Architect

xerox copy of biographical sketch of J.C. Llewellyn from Biographical Dictionary of American Architects by Henry F. Withey and Rathbun (1956)

C. Laing, Sculptor

correspondence between Art Institute of Chicago and Robert Allerton Park re: Charles Laing who created or copied limestone statuary and garden ornament for "The Farms" (1988)

Blake, Margaret (Tiffany)

xerox copies of correspondence between Mrs. Blake and President David Kinley re: letter received from Mrs. C.G. Hopkins mentioning Samuel W. Allerton's proposal to give the University of Illinois a new agricultural building (Mrs. Blake was on the Board of Trustees of the University (1919)

Allerton Museum (Allerton, Illinois)

correspondence between Margaret Morris and David Bowman re: publication of Allerton, Illinois centennial history book (1986)

Union Stockyards

xeroxed pages from Chicago: A Historical Guide to the Neighborhoods by Glen E. Holt and Dominic A. Pacyga re: Stockyards neighborhoods (1979)

John Phalen, Farm Foreman

photographs (2) re: John Phalen with horse and buggy, Elizabeth and Edith Phalen in Fu Dog Garden (reproductions of originals held by Edith Phalen) with negatives and slides (circa 1917)

xerox copy of "Remembering John Phalen" by Edith Phalen (circa 1969)

xerox copy of page from Historical Encyclopedia of Illinois and History of Piatt County by Francis M. Shonkwiler re: biographical sketch of John Phalen (1917)

xerox copy of "The Phalens" by Edith Phalen re: family history (1970)

Allerton-Phalen Trust

copies of legal papers setting up trust re: Samuel W. Allerton Farm Memorial and John Phalen Old People's Home Memorial, set up by Robert Allerton with gift of land to support it (11/21/29)

copies of other legal documents re: appointment of new trustee (10/21/52)

copy of Trustee's reports (6/16/55, 11/3/83)

copy of legal document re: allowing Trust land to be sold (8/15/35)

copy of legal document re: allowing expenditure of Trust income and changing the name to the Samuel W. Allerton and John Phalen Memorial Trust (10/31/46)

copy of court transcript re: examination of Joseph Phalen on petition to allow Trust property to be sold (8/15/35)

Joe Phalen, Farm Foreman

correspondence with Mrs. Joseph Phalen re: identification of individuals in a photograph showing Samuel W. Allerton (and others) with his steam engine (1988)

Priebe Oral History

newspaper clippings re: obituary for Elmer Priebe (January, 1985)

transcript of oral history interview with Elmer Priebe by Susan Gortner re: his life, working for Robert Allerton, life on "The Farms" (3/1/83)

Main House

recent photograph of Allerton House exterior (n.d.)

photographs (5) of pergola in front of Allerton House (reproductions of originals from the 1910's, 1920's) (n.d.)

copy of John Borie drawing for Allerton House - First Floor Plan (n.d.)

recent photograph of stable exterior (n.d.)

xerox of photo and reproduction photo of Allerton House under construction (circa 1900)

photos (2, enlargements) of Allerton House exteriors (originals pre-1946)

xerox copy of photo of Allerton House exterior from Piatt County, Past and Present, by Charles McIntosh (1903)

xerox of aerial photos (2) re: Allerton House, Gardens (n.d.)

photos (12, enlargements) re: lake, stables, Allerton House exteriors and interiors (originals pre-1946)

The Folly, Lake Geneva

copies of correspondence between Robert Allerton Park, Mrs. Betty Blackwood Host and Alice Hackett re: acquiring copies of photos of The Folly for Robert Allerton Park (1983-86)

negatives (4) and photo reproductions of pages from <u>Lake Geneva: Newport of the West 1870-1920</u>, Vol 1. by Ann Wolfmeyer and Mary Burns Gage re: The Folly and Blacktoft (1976)

negative (1) re: reproduction of family photo at the Folly showing Samuel W. Allerton, Agnes Allerton, Robert Allerton, and Kate Allerton (original 1895)

negatives (2, reproductions) re: exterior views of The Folly (original circa 1885?) color photos (7, enlargements, reproductions) re: exterior views of The Folly (n.d.)

Fulton County Farm

xerox of "Outline Map of Fulton County, Illinois" by Geo. A. Ogle & Co. (1912)

Henry County Farm

xerox copy of plat map (Henry County Plat Book) re: Allerton Ranch Farms (1911)

Allerton, Illinois, Vermillion County

photo (reproduction) re: grain elevator (n.d.)

xerox copy of pages from Allerton, Illinois centennial book re: Allerton Ranch (n.d.)

photo (reproduction) re: grain elevator and main street (n.d.)

program re: Allerton, Illinois Centennial Celebration (1987)

photo (reproduction) re: main street (labeled on back "1907")

photos (5, reproductions) re: street in Allerton, Illinois; steam engine and men - including Samuel W. Allerton; men with horses and wagon (n.d.)

xerox copy of plat map of Allerton, Illinois (n.d.)

reports re: village history, William G. Herron, Samuel W. Allerton's grain elevator (n.d.) aerial photo of Allerton, Illinois (n.d.)

xerox copy of 1875 map of Townships 17 and 18 North in Vermillion County re: village of Allerton, Illinois (1875)

xerox copy of pages from Piatt County, Past and Present by Charles McIntosh re: biographical sketch of Samuel W. Allerton (1903)

report: "Historical: Business Men of Allerton" by Margaret Morris, Allerton, Illinois Historical Society (n.d.)

Land Acquisition

aerial photos (2) re: Robert Allerton Park (n.d.)

xerox copy of deeds, abstracts re: property transferred to University of Illinois by Robert Allerton (1947)

A Brief History of the Allerton Family

report: "Allerton Family and Park History" by Irene Priebe (1964)

report re: chronology of Allerton family prepared for Allerton Legacy Symposium (May, 1981)

report: "Á Brief History of the Allerton Family", Walter Keith and Frank Turok, Eds. (1975)

Charlie Fulk

information sheet re: employment period, names of wife and children (n.d.)

Ted Page

copy of letter of inquiry from David Bowman to Mrs. Robert Gale re: exchange of information on her father, Ted Page, Mansion Butler (1987)

Page Daughters

photos (5, reproductions) re: Edith Phalen, unidentified woman, Robert Allerton's dogs, Primitive Man statue - all given to Park by Robert and Juanita Gale (n.d.) research notes re: Ted Page by Robert Kingston (n.d.)

Art Institute of Chicago

photos (2, reproductions) re: Helen and Frederic Bartlett (circa 1923); Frederic C. Bartlett's mural "The Great Wall of China" in the Art Institute Ryerson Library (1920)

photos (3, xerox copies) re: Robert Allerton at Art Institute graduation (circa 1950's); Robert Allerton and New Building Designs Jury (n.d.); Robert Allerton in Hawaii (circa late 1950's or early 1960's) - all from the Art Institute of Chicago

correspondence between Nancy Becker and Art Institute staff re: requests for information and photos on Robert Allerton's contributions to the Art Institute of Chicago (1986) xerox copy of Art Institute's Resolution re: death of Robert Allerton (1964 or 1965)

Illinois State Museum

correspondence re: Illinois State Museum display on Robert Allerton's connoisseurship of the Arts (1986)

Lion Hunt

xerox copies of newspaper articles re: attempts to catch a lioness roaming estate after escaping from a carnival (may just have been a large dog) (July 15-16, 1917)

Early Roads (Piatt County)

photos (2) re: old brick paving on Monticello Road (n.d.) report: "Some Notes on Early Roads in Piatt County" by Harvey Harding (1954)

Visitors and Guests

copy of newspaper article (<u>The Review</u>) re: visit of Joseph McCormick and bride to "The Farms" (circa 1905)

photo re: watercolor by Rainey Bennett in the 1937-38 Allerton Guest Book (n.d.)

Historical (Piatt)

list re: books and other information available from the Piatt County Historical and Genealogical Society (1984)

Wilhelm Miller

xerox copy of article from <u>Billerica</u>, "Some Inspiring Examples of Roadside Planting" by Wilhelm Miller (July, 1915)

Piatt County Atlases

photocopy of 1865 map of Piatt County (n.d.)

Carl Milles

booklet and cards from Milles exhibition at Laumeier Sculpture Park, St. Louis, Mo. (1985) copy of article (<u>St. Louis Post-Dispatch</u>) re: purchase of seven Milles sculptures for Shaw's Garden (7/10/87)

copy of article (St. Louis Post-Dispatch) re: the Milles fountain across from Union Station (1985)

copy of article (New York Times) re: Millesgarden in Stockholm (12/27/87)

copy of biographical sketch of Carl Milles by Debbie Reinhardt, Laumeier Sculpture Park (n.d.)

xerox of pages from Carl Milles: An Interpretation of His Work by Meyric R. Rogers (1940)

Morgan, Jesse - papers

copy of newspaper article (Chicago Daily News) re: Robert Allerton Park (10/8/55)

copy of handwritten notes on research re: Robert Allerton Park buildings, Park, estate, gardens, trees, statues, Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton (n.d.)

xerox copy of business card: "Allerton Farms, Monticello, Illinois; Robert Állerton, Owner; Elmer Priebe, Farm Mgr." (n.d.)

copy of newspaper article (<u>Daily Illini</u>) re: Robert Allerton Park (4/28/56)

copy of newspaper article (<u>Decatur Herald and Review</u>) re: Robert Allerton gives property to University of Illinois (6/30/46)

copy of newspaper article (Chicago Sunday Tribune) re: Robert Allerton Park (11/18/62) copy of letter from President George D. Stoddard to Albert Priebe re: Priebe's retirement as Park Foreman (10/24/51)

copy of newspaper article (<u>St. Louis Post-Dispatch</u>) re: Robert Allerton Park (8/9/64) copy of newspaper article (<u>Champaign-Urbana Courier</u>) re: remodeling of Park buildings (houses) at Robert Allerton Park (6/27/49)

xerox copy of receipt for \$5,000.00 given by Robert Allerton to Piatt County re: partial

payment for State Aid Road (December, 1915)

copies of correspondence (letters, telegrams) between John Gregg Allerton and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Priebe re: death of Robert Allerton (December, 1964)

report: "Robert Allerton - The Man" by Irene Priebe (n.d.)

copy of handwritten pages (15) re: transcriptions of correspondence sent by Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton to Elmer and Irene Priebe over the years (1950's-1960's)

copy of transcription of letter to Robert Allerton from Samuel W. Allerton (letter written in "Black Leather Book") re: advice for living (original letter 1/1/1886)

copy of pages from The Monticello Community Handbook re: Robert Allerton, Community House (1909)

(The material in this folder could be the work of Jessie Morgan, Irene Priebe, or xeroxed by Nancy Becker)

South Pioneer Cemetery

copy of list re: people buried in this cemetery on Allerton property and their genealogies (n.d.)

photos (3) re: tombstones (n.d.)

A Brief History of Development of Allerton Park

copy of press release re: Robert Allerton's gift to the University of Illinois (6/20/46)

booklet: "University of Illinois, Robert Allerton Park" (1950)

map: "Road and Trail Guide, Robert Allerton Park" (n.d.)

copy of pages from <u>The Good Life in Piatt County</u> by Jessie Morgan re: Allerton Park (n.d.) paperback book: <u>Battle for the Sangamon</u> by Committee on Allerton Park, 3rd edition (1973)

copy of legal agreement (Cook County, Illinois) to convey property from Robert Allerton as gift to University of Illinois (10/14/46)

Allertonia Newspaper Clippings

original and xeroxed newspaper articles re: Robert Allerton Park from: <u>Bloomington Pantagraph</u> (6/1/86), <u>Chicago Tribune</u> (8/2/79, 7/20/84), <u>Illinois Times</u> (October, 1984), <u>State Journal-Register</u> (5/9/81), <u>Decatur Herald</u> (9/23/75, 10/1/83), <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u> (2/16/79)

Farm: Piatt South No. 1

photos (14, reproductions) re: farmhouses, outbuildings, fields (originals 1944)

fact sheet on farmhouses re: use as farm manager's home and as home for Ted Page and family, then used by Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton on return visits (n.d.) copy of soil map for farm (n.d.)

report re: appraisal for South Farms #2-5 (August, 1944)

negatives (2, large format) re: farmhouses (n.d.)

Farm: Piatt South No. 3

report re: appraisal of buildings, outbuildings, map of farm (1944)

Farm: Piatt South No. 4

copy of map of farm (n.d.)

report re: appraisal of farmhouse, outbuildings, map of farm (1944)

Farm: Piatt South No. 5

copy of map of farm (n.d.)

report re: appraisal of farmhouse, outbuildings, map of farm (1944)

Unfoldered:

negatives (19, large format) re: North Farm buildings (probably taken for appraisal in 1944)

Farm: Piatt North No. 1

report re: appraisal of North Farms # 1-7 and the Agnes Allerton Farm - includes information on roads, maps of farms, crop incomes, operating expenses, value of farm buildings (August, 1944)

report: "Report on the Management of the University of Illinois Allerton Farms, Monticello,

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Illinois - 1947" by W.N. Stevenson and J.B. Andrews re: soils, crops, buildings
       (5/17/48)
   aerial photo (copy) re: Piatt North No. 1 (n.d.)
   report re: insurance coverage for North No. 1 (n.d.)
   copy of soil map for Piatt North Farms (n.d.)
Farm: Piatt North No. 2
   aerial photo of farm (n.d.)
   fact sheet re: Piatt North No. 2 (n.d.)
Farm: Piatt North No. 3
   aerial photo (xerox) re: North No. 3 (n.d.)
Farm: Piatt North No. 4
   copy of notice of sale of personal property by James Heath (Allerton farm tenant)
       (2/5/1925)
   copy of insurance coverage on farm buildings (n.d.)
   aerial photo (xerox) re: North No. 4 (n.d.)
   photos (5, reproductions) re: farm buildings (n.d.)
Farm: Piatt North No. 5
   photos (2, very old) re: farm buildings (one labeled 1916)
   aerial photo (xerox) re: North No. 5 (n.d.)
Farm: Piatt North No. 6
   aerial photo (xerox) re: North No. 6 (n.d.)
   copies of drawings re: drainage tile locations on Allerton Trust Farms (1957-58)
Farm: Piatt North No. 7
   aerial photo (xerox) re: North No. 7 (n.d.)
Farm: Piatt North No. 8
   aerial photo (print and xerox) re: North No. 8 (n.d.)
Archives
   booklet: "Allerton Archives" by Laura Marshall-Lewis (1984)
Historical Photos
   photos (147, reproductions) in looseleaf binder pages re: gardens, park buildings, statues,
       woodland, Allerton House interiors and exteriors, John Gregg Allerton (originals circa
       1915? - 1970's)
   photos (94, reproductions) re: gardens, walks, woodlands, buildings, statuary (originals 1915 - 1960's)
   photos (6, polaroíds) re: Allerton House exterior (1970's)
   photos (6) re: brick columns (1970's)
   photo (1, original) sent to David Bowman from John Gregg Allerton showing early Fu Dog
       Garden (1931)
Historical Negatives
   negatives (68, duplicates) from originals found in "My Scrap Book" donated anonymously
       to Robèrt Allerton Park re: gardens, walks, statués, park buildings (originals circa 1930-
   negatives (4) re: Sun Singer pedestal repair (1963)
   negatives (5) re: 1910 plat maps for Unity, Monticello, Sangamon, Cerro Gordo, and
       Willow Branch Townships (n.d.)
   negative (1) from 1910 Piatt County Platbook re: Robert Allerton (n.d.)
   negative (1) re: John Gregg Allerton's snapshot of Fu Dog Garden (1931) - see above
   negative (1) and slide (1) re: Lead Faun statue (circa 1976)
   negatives (3, duplicates) from original photos of Margaret Morris re: Allerton, Illinois
       scenes - including shot of Samuel W. Allerton with steam engine (originals circa 1900)
   negative (1) re: Allerton House Carriage House (circa 1910)
   negative (1) re: photo collage "The Farms" from 1910 Piatt County Platbook (n.d.)
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negative (1, duplicate) re: Agnes Allerton at The Folly (original circa 1895)

negative (1, duplicate) re: Kate Allerton and Robert Allerton at The Folly (original circa 1895)

negatives (2) re: photos of newspaper articles (<u>Decatur Herald</u> and <u>Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette</u>) re: gift from Robert Allerton to the University of Illinois (6/30/46)

Aerial Photos

copy of aerial photo (with negative) re: land that is now Robert Allerton Park (1936) contact sheet re: closer aerial views of Robert Allerton Park (n.d.)

Photo File - Negatives

negatives (38 file sleeves) re: recent photos of gardens, plants, statues, maintenance work, park buildings, storm damage (1980's)

Material yet to be Filed

photocopy of card file re: donations to the Art Institute of Chicago from Robert Allerton (n.d.)

report: "The Allerton Architectural Archives, Part I: 1899-1946" by Scott Mehaffey (1988) photo (xerox) re: Samuel W. Allerton residence, 1936 Prairie Avenue, Chicago (original 1905)

transcription re: remarks made by Fred Foster on Allerton farmlands for Allerton Legacy Symposium (May 22, 1981)

copy of newspaper article (<u>Chicago Daily Tribune</u>) re: Robert Allerton made Honorary President of Art Institute of Chicago (10/22/56)

photo (xerox) re: Allerton Public Library, Monticello, Illinois (original circa 1900?)

press release by First National Bank of Chicago re: adoption of John Gregg by Robert Allerton (3/4/60)

copy of letter from Robert Allerton to President George D. Stoddard re: gardeners at estate and notes on Allerton House (9/18/46)

copy of Indentures (1946)

copies of legal papers re: estate of Agnes Allerton - includes inventory of estate (4/22/25), executor's report (3/26), will (and codicil) of Agnes Allerton (7/26/23), and executor's final account (3/29/26)

copies of legal papers re: estate of John Gregg Allerton - includes affidavits of heirship by Scranton H. Gregg (5/20/86) and Frank L. Bixby (5/23/86), will of John Gregg Allerton (5/19/80), and handwritten codicil (5/23/85)

copy of Inheritance Tax Return for estate of Robert Allerton (4/20/66) - includes will of Robert Allerton (4/15/64), appraisal of estate (1965), and list of trust funds set up by Robert Allerton (1915-1963)

copy of Robert Allerton's will (4/15/64) - includes decree of heirship (12/29/64), executor's inventory of estate (5/13/65), and executor's reports (5/8/67 and 5/3/68)

Other material found in Office:

Correspondence and operating records for Robert Allerton Park including personnel, budgets, contracts, and security

Files on gardens and sculpture

Departmental and student work on Robert Allerton Park from Forestry, Botany, Ecology, Architecture, and Landscape Architecture

Files on information from the Dean of Agriculture's Office re: Allerton Farms by year (1946 - present)

copies of records from the Piatt County Superintendent of Highways and Surveyor Archives re: names, locations, dates of surveys of landholdings by Samuel W. Allerton and Robert Allerton (1893-1947)

Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center Office of Jennifer Eickman, Program Director

The material in the Program Director's Office includes books, reports, student theses, photographs, slides, negatives, maps, and drawings. This material concerns both Allerton history

and Robert Allerton Park. The material is listed by location, beginning to the left of the door, and moving around the room. Contents of bookshelves are listed from left to right.

Bookcase #2 (from door, to left):

Shelf #1 (top shelf):

Garden Ornaments: An Encyclopedia by Kenneth Lynch. Vol 1. Canterbury, Conn: The Canterbury Publishing Co. 1974.

Carl Milles: An Interpretation of His Work by Meyric R. Rogers. New Haven: Yale University Press. 1940.

folder with newspaper clippings (Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette Weekend) re: restoration of Fu Dogs, visit of John Gregg Allerton to Robert Allerton Park (6/3/83)

Shelf #3:

thesis: "The Oakley Mirage: A Case Study In Water Resource Decision Making" by Britta Borgeson Harris, for M.A. in Public Administration in the Graduate College of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (1975) - 4 Vols.

bound folder: "Water" compiled by David Bowman re: reports on status of Robert Allerton Park water supply system (n.d.) bound folder: "Waste Water Plant" compiled by David Bowman re: reports on status of Robert

Allerton Park sewage system (n.d.)

Bookcase 3:

Shelf 1:

"The Upper Sangamon River Basin: Final Report for the Springer-Sangamon Environmental Research Program" by David T. Bell and Forrest L. Johnson. Urbana-Champaign, II: Department of Forestry and the Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station. July 1, 1975.

"Draft Environmental Statement: William L. Springer Lake, Sangamon River, Illinois" by U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Vols. I - IV. Chicago: U.S. Army Engineer District. September, 1973.

"Annual Report - FY73 for the Springer-Sangamon Environmental Research Program" by David T. Bell. Department of Forestry, University of Illinois. July 1, 1973.

"Oakley-Sangamon Environmental Research Program: Micro-Climatic Data, 1972" by David T. Bell and Stanley K. Sipp. Department of Forestry, University of Illinois. February, 1973.

"Annual Report - FY74 for the Springer-Sangamon Environmental Research Program" by David T. Bell and Forrest L. Johnson. Department of Forestry and the Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Illinois. July 1, 1974.

Shelf #2:

Flora of Illinois by George N. Jones. The American Midland Naturalist, Monograph #7. 3rd

edition. Notre Dame, Indiana: The University of Notre Dame Press. 1963.

Garden Colour by C.W. Eearle, E.V.B., Rose Kingsley, and the Honorable Vicary Gibbs.

London: J.M. Dent & Sons, Ltd. 1922.

Taylor's Encyclopedia of Gardening: Horticulture and Landscape Design by Norman Taylor, Ed. 2nd edition. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company. 1942.

The Vegetable Garden by Ida D. Bennett. New York: The McClure Company. 1908.

A Guide to the Trees by Carlton C. Curtis. Garden City: Garden City Publishing Company, Inc. 1925.

A Practical Guide to Garden Plants by John Weathers. London: Longmans, Green, and Co. 1901. Signed by Agnes Allerton.

Notes on Lilies and their Culture by Dr. Wallace. 2nd edition. London: H.M. Pollett & Co. 1879. Signed: "Agnes Allerton, Lake Geneva, Wis. July '94".

Bulbs: A Treatise on Hardy and Tender Bulbs and Tubers by Edward Sprague Rand, Jr.

Boston: Houghton, Mifflin and Company. 1884. Signed: "Agnes Allerton 1893".

The History of the First National Bank of Chicago by Henry C. Morris. Chicago: R.R. Donnelley & Sons Company. 1902.

The First National Bank of Chicago: Charter Number Eight; History 1863-1913 by Guy Wickes Cooke. Chicago: M.A. Donohue & Co. 1913. (printed for private circulation among the stock holders and patrons of the Bank).

Shelf #3:

Pleasures and Problems of a Rock Garden by Louise Beebe Wilder. Garden City: Garden City

Publishing Company, Inc. 1937.

Colour Planning of the Garden by George F. Tinley, Thomas Humphreys, and William Irving. London: T.C. & E.C. Jack, Ltd. 1924.

More Aristocrats of the Garden by Ernest H. Wilson. Boston: The Stratford Company. 1928. The Garden Encyclopedia by E.L.D. Seymour, Ed. New York: Wm. H. Wise & Co. 1936.

- Hardwicke's Science Gossip: An Illustrated Medium of Interchange and Gossip for Students and Lovers of Nature by J.E. Taylor, Ed. Vol. XXII. London: Chatto and Windus. 1886. Bookplate: "Agnes Allerton".
- <u>The Spirit of the Ğarden</u> by Martha Brookes Hutcheson. Boston: The Atlantic Monthly Press. 1923.
- <u>Allerton, Illinois: 1887-1987</u> by Margaret E. Morris, Ed. Allerton, Illinois: Allerton Historical Society. n.d.

Charles A. Platt: The Artist as Architect by Keith N. Morgan.

- three ring binder: "The Allerton Legacy: An Exhibit Plan Prepared for the Robert Allerton Park Information and Visitor Center" by Nancy M. Becker. 1987. Submitted as part of degree requirements for M.A. in Public History, Sangamon State University. re: Allerton Legacy Exhibit
- "My Scrap Book" re: large collection of photos (reproductions) given anonymously to Robert Allerton Park. Subjects of photos indicate that most of the originals were probably taken in the 1930's. Subjects include: grounds, gardens, Allerton House exterior, statuary, greenhouses, Sun Singer uncrating and placement, Last Centaur uncrating and placement, John Gregg with toy yachts in swimming hole.

folder containing enlargement photos of those found in "My Scrap Book" (1985?)

brochure: "University of Illinois, Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" Urbana: University of Illinois Press. 1951.

"Art Collecting at the University of Illinois: A History and Catalogue" by Muriel Scheinman. Ph.D. Thesis, University of Illinois, 1981.

<u>History of the Poland China Breed of Swine 1876-1976</u>. Galesburg, II: Poland China Record Association. 1976. Lists National Champion Boars and Sows from Allerton Farms in 1925, 1927.

History of the Growth and Development of the Campus of the University of Illinois by Leon Deming Tilton and Thomas Edward O'Donnell. Urbana, II: University of Illinois Press. 1930. (on page 89: Robert Allerton asked to serve as advisory member to Campus Plan Commission in September, 1920).

<u>Italian Villas and their Gardens</u> by Edith Wharton. Illustrated by Maxfield Parrish. New York: The Century Co. 1904.

The Cottage Homes of England by Helen Allingham and Stewart Dick. London: Edward Arnold. 1909.

Lake Geneva: Newport of the West, 1870-1920 by Ann Wolfmeyer and Mary Burns Gage. Vol. 1. Lake Geneva, Wis.: Lake Geneva Historical Society. 1976. Contains information on Samuel W. Allerton and family, The Folly.

Shelf #5:

- 2 three ring binders containing parts 1 and 2 of "Guidelines for Summer Annual Flower Beds" by Jo Menacher. M.S. Degree Paper, Department of Leisure Studies, University of Illinois. December, 1981.
- bound report: "Refurbishing and Remodeling Greenhouses, Information Center, and Toilet Shelter, Allerton Park, Illinois" from Board of Trustees, University of Illinois, Office of Capital Programs re: instructions to bidders for project (1979)
- report: "The Oakley Reservoir Mirage: A Case Study in Water Résource Decision Making" by Britta B. Harris. Urbana: University of Illinois, Institute of Government and Public Affairs, Institute for Environmental Studies (1978)

Bookcase #4:

On top of case:

<u>Standard Atlas of Piatt County, Illinois</u>. Chicago: Geo. A. Ogle & Co. 1910. (rebound in 1987, original binding is available)

Shelf #1:

binder notebooks (7) of slides taken by Walter Keith and David Bowman of Robert Allerton

Park from the 1960's to the present:

Binder #1: Maintenance, Aerials

Binder #2: Prairie Plants ID

Binder #3: Buildings Binder #4: Gardens

Binder #5: Gardens

Binder #6: Seasons

Binder #7: Statuary

binder notebooks (2) of slides taken by Carl Regehr of Robert Allerton Park for visitor center displays (1980), and slide show and script for Allerton Legacy Symposium (May 22, 1981)

Shelf #2:

slides for "Master Plan for Robert Allerton Park" by Samuel Morse re: drawings, maps, plats, surveys (1988)

box of Ektachrome negatives re: winter scenes of gardens, statues taken by Walter Keith

binder with contact sheets, negatives, slides of Robert Allerton Park gardens, statues (1960's) binder labeled "Allerton Park Photos" re: Hanson Engineering study of bridge (1984) binder with slides by Scott Mehaffey, Walter Keith, Fred Foster re: Allerton Legacy Symposium (1981)

Shelf #3:

"The Robert Allerton Park: A Planning-Management Guide Workbook" by Cherie Kluesing. M.A. Project - Department of Landscape Architecture, University of Illinois. 1978. Contains information on Allerton family, Park, sculpture, gardens, Allerton House.

Maps and Drawings

Map case with sixteen drawers contains hundreds of maps and drawings (originals and copies) relating to Allerton House, Robert Allerton Park and the 4-H Memorial Camp. Oversized maps and drawings are located on top of the case. Titles on map drawers are:

Drawer #1: Visitor Center (remodel) Drawer #2: Main House (Historic)

Drawer #3: Gardens

Drawer #4: House 1900; Gate House

Drawer #5: Master Plannings

Drawer #6: Restrooms; Maintenance Buildings; Lodging Buildings Drawer #7: Roads and Parking; Walks - Paths - Trails; Signage

Drawer #8: Site Analysis; Soils; Biocenology

Drawer #9: Topography
Drawer #10: Maps; Plats; Surveys

Drawer #11: Photos; Aerials

Drawer #12: Garden Settings/Plant Lists

Drawer #13: Garden Ornaments; Sculpture Details

Drawer #14: Proposals (Outdated)

Drawer #15: 4-H Drawer #16: Utilities

4 boxes of drawings relating to Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park have recently been moved from Allerton House to the Visitor Center, Robert Allerton Park. These drawings date from 1947 to 1987, and were primarily executed by the Physical Plant Department, University of Illinois. Others were done by the Office of the University Architect and several outside engineering firms. These drawings have not yet been processed, however, a listing of them is available and can be found in the Office of the Park Superintendent, Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center, file drawer "Allertonia: pre-1946", folder "Drawing Archives".

VIDEO ROOM 76

Robert Allerton Park Visitor Center Video Room

The material in this room consists of videotapes and artifacts concerning the history of the Allerton family and the Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center. The listing below is arranged by type of material.

Material in Video Cabinet:

Videotapes:

"The Allerton Legacy" (copy from WCIA-TV), 3/4" videotape, Fall, 1983. Contents re:

3 five minute spots:

- 1) Interview with John Gregg Allerton, trails, operations, uses of Park, vandalism and theft problem, art and nature.
- 2) Oakley Allerton controversy, interview with Bruce Hannon, Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas' visit footage and interview, Lost Garden home movie footage.
- 3) Man and nature, interview with David Bowman, information and visitor center, greenhouse plants, interview with Donald F. Wendel, interview with John Gregg Allerton.

30 minute program:

- History of Allerton family, village of Allerton, Illinois, interview with John Gregg Allerton, construction of Allerton House, garden development, how John Gregg met Robert Allerton, interview with Jennifer Eickman, statues, houseguests (old footage re: costume party, bowling, picnics), interview with David Bowman, footage of Lawai-Kai, gift to University of Illinois, Oakley Allerton controversy, interview with Bruce Hannon, Justice William O. Douglas' visit, 4-H Camp, Allerton House interiors, greenhouse renovation.
- "Allerton Park Public Service Announcement" 60 seconds, and "The Robert Allerton Story" (raw footage) 28:15 minutes. Both by WCIA-TV, 3/4" videotape copy. 1983.
- "Allerton Park" (possibly from University Public Affairs). 3/4" videotape copy. n.d.
- "University of Illinois Office of Public Affairs Urbana/Champaign: 5 Educational Spots Used During the 1979 Basketball Telecasts". Contains two minute spot: "Allerton Park Feature". 3/4" videotape copy. 1979.
- "Aerial Shots". 3/4" videotape copy by WCIA-TV re: aerial footage of Robert Allerton Park. 1983.
- "John Gregg Allerton Interview" by WCIA-TV. 3/4" videotape copy (original probably at WCIA-TV). Approx. 90 minutes. 1976 or 1977.
- "Allerton PM Magazine" by WCIA-TV. 3/4" videotape copy (original probably at WCIA-TV). n.d.
- "The Farms 1932 Some of the Guests" black and white home movie (videotape copy) with text (below) inserted into footage re:

May 1st: Mrs. Crane and Florence

May 6th: Caroline Ely, Rue Winterbotham, Walter Frazier, Al Shaw

Week End of May 13, 1932: Pauline Palmer, Ann Winterbotham, John Carpenter, the Langhornes

May 21st: Alice Roullier, The Goodspeeds, Tom Furness

May 27th: Margaret and Tiffany Blake

July: Aunt Belle and Mary Scranton

Week End of Aug. 26th: Bessie Bennett, Helen Murphy, Dorothy and Paul Schweiker Oct. 7th: Caroline Ely, Margaret and Tiffany Blake, Alice Roullier, David Adler

Oct. 17th: Frank and Katherine Courtenay

footage of Sun Singer uncrating, hoisting, site construction (1931-32)

footage of flowers

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Aug. 7th: The Blue Dogs

Sept. 14th: Making a Lily Garden

Some Autumn Views

The Farms in 1931: Margaret and Tiffany, Dodo and Shreve, Alice Roullier, Mary and

George, Ann Winterbotham, Rue, Ditto, Tom Furness

footage of Allerton House and garden scenes, Sunken Garden remodeling

"The Chronicle of an Illinois Garden" (videotape copy) made by Robert Allerton and John Gregg. Approximately 15 minutes. Circa 1935. Subjects re: footage of flowers in gardens in all seasons of the year, beginning with Spring.

Color Home Movie (videotape copy) circa 1930's, re: Lost Garden Tea House picnic, flowers, costume party, white farm house, Robert Allerton and friends, greenhouses, gardens, farm hands with tractor, harvesting hay, dalmatian puppies, Fu Dog Garden, Allerton House interiors and exteriors.

Other Material in Video Room

Carpet bag owned by Robert Allerton (circa 1900) - given to University by Loretta Phalen (farm foreman's widow)

Photo of Samuel W. Allerton with original frame (circa 1900) - given by Edith Taflan

Chest (3 drawer) owned by Robert Allerton - given by Loretta Phalen (n.d.)

China dinner plates (3) from Allerton House - all different patterns (things of this nature were often given by Robert Allerton to friends and acquaintances) - given to Robert Allerton Park by Edith Taflan (n.d.)

4-H Memorial Camp Office

4-H Memorial Camp Rural Route 2 Monticello, Illinois 61856 David Shiley, Director (217-762-2741)

This office contains correspondence, reports, photographs, minutes, and copies of legal documents concerning Camp history, administration, policies, budgets, activities, and buildings. Most of the material is located in file folders, a small amount is held loose. This listing below is organized by folder title, followed by a description of the contents. Material not in folders is listed separately.

8 file folders of material:

Folder 1: untitled

copy of Indentures conveying gift of estate from Robert Allerton to University of Illinois (1946)copy of Memorandum of Agreement between University of Illinois and Wilson & Anderson, Engineers re: development of 4-H Camp (1947) contract re: lighting and power requirements with the Illinois Power Company (1949) correspondence re: protection of campers in the event of a tornado (1973) report: "The Chronological Order of Structures as they were Built at 4-H Memorial Camp" (n.d.)

Folder 2: History: 4-H Camp and Allerton Park

report: "History of 4-H Camping in Illinois and in Particular 4-H Memorial Camp" by Fay H. Root (1970)

xerox of pages from Camp Waterfront Programs and Management by Richard Pohndorf re: 4-H Memorial Camp (1960)

reports, minutes re: meetings of State 4-H Camp Advisory Committee (1947), State Camping Committee (1952), and Building & Grounds Committee (1952)

copy of proposed "Articles of Association of the Central Illinois 4-H Club Camp Association" (1949)

copy of "By-Laws of the Central Illinois 4-H Club Camp Association" (1949)

copy of inventory by Jennifer Eickman re: Robert Allerton Park sculptures (1974)

photographs (19) ré: 4-H camp activities (1960's)

aerial photographs (2) re: camp area (early 1950's) program re: dedication of State 4-H Memorial Camp (6/4/50)

report: "Robert Allerton Park: The Gift" by Kirsten R. Reeder (1976) report: "4-H Club Memorial Camp History and Philosophy" by E.E. Golden (1954) booklet: "Central Illinois 4-H Club Camp Association Handbook on Policy and Procedure, 4-H Memorial Camp" (late 1980's)

Folder 3: Camp - Central Illinois 4-H Club Camp Association - Minutes correspondence, minutes, reports re: Association meetings - includes annual reports (1949-1969) for 4-H Memorial Camp (1947-48)

Folder 4: 4-H Camp - Indentures - Gen Info

booklet: "4-H Memorial Camp Lakes" by Ralph C. Hay and Benjamin A. Jones, Jr., Department of Agricultural Engineering, University of Illinois (1967) reports re: financial statements for Camp (1954-55)

Folder 5: Memorial Camp Lakes (Engineering)

report re: fish census from Arrowhead Pond (1953)

correspondence re: lake design and construction (1949-50)

Folder 6: Camp Board Meetings

report: "Procedures for Employing Permanent Camp Staff" (1962)

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minutes re: meetings of Central Illinois 4-H Club Camp Association (1972, 1974-75, 1977-79, 1981), State 4-H Camp Executive Committee (1972), and State 4-H Camp and Outdoor Education Committee (1980) report: "4-H Memorial Camp Policies" (n.d.)

Folder 7: 4-H Club Property Legal Description

copy of legal description extracted from 1946 Indentures (1961) report: "Specifications for 4-H Memorial Center Dam" (1949)

Folder 8: 4-H Club Indentures copies of Indentures (1946)

Unfoldered Material:

reports re: annual budget reports for 4-H Memorial Camp (1952-1980)

copy of text re: walking tour of Robert Allerton Park with background information on Park gardens (n.d.)

report: "4-H Memorial Camp History: Beginnings and Early Development, 1944-50" by Frank H. Mynard (1989)

report: "Illinois 4-H Camping Program: History, General Policies, Procedures" by Policy and Public Relations Subcommittee of the State Camp Committee (1959)

Chancellor's Office, Central Files and Records

Office of the Chancellor Central Files and Records Swanlund Building 601 East John Champaign, Illinois 61820 Robert Switzer, Chief Clerk (217-333-8832)

The administration of Robert Allerton Park was transferred from University Administration to the Urbana Campus administration under the Chancellor in 1976. This office contains correspondence, reports, minutes, booklets, and brochures concerning administration, budgets, policies, publicity, conferences, and capital improvements. The material is housed in file folders, arranged chronolgically. The listing below provides folder titles, followed by a description of the folder's contents.

Allerton Park and Oakley Dam, 7/1/74 - 6/30/75 copies of blueprints re: Evergreen Lodge and Allerton House Floor Plans (7/2/59) correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park public water supply (1974)

Allerton Park - Oakley Dam/Springer Lake Project

report: "Updated Final Environmental Statement, William L. Springer Lake, Sangamon River Basin, Illinois" Vols. 1 and 2 by US Army Corps of Engineers (August. 1974) report: "The Upper Sangamon River Basin: Final Report for the Springer-Sangamon Environmental Research Program" by David T. Bell and Forrest L. Johnson (July, 1975)

correspondence re: research uses of Robert Allerton Park by College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and College of Agriculture, meeting with Decatur officials about University of Illinois position on Oakley project, complaint filed by Piatt County residents opposing Oakley, Board of Trustees recommendation to withdraw support from Oakley (1975)

report: "Summary Report, Status of Review of Final Environmental Impact Statement, Implementation of the Harza Report recommendations - Springer Lake Project and Allerton Park" by Walter Keith (12/11/74)

report: "The Lake Springer - Sangamon Valley Agreement: A Report on the Decatur Position" by Leslie T. Allen, City Manager of Decatur (12/18/74)

transcripts of speeches made by Decatur officials (Mayor James Rupp, City Manager Leslie T. Allen) to Policy Committee of the Board of Trustees re: Oakley project (12/18/74)

Allerton Material (general file)

copy of Indentures from Robert Allerton to University of Illinois (1946)

correspondence re: Allerton House maintenance needs, park building inspections, and copy of building inspection report (1973-75)

report: "Robert Allerton Park Building Inspection Report: 1975" by Operations and Maintenance Division (8/12/75)

report: "Financial Statement of the Allerton House as of June 30, 1975" by University of Illinois Business Office (9/10/75)

report: "Financial Statement of the Allerton House as of December 31, 1974" by University of Illinois Business Office (3/3/75)

report: "Report of Endowment Farms for the Year Ended December 31, 1974" by University of Illinois Business Office (7/3/75)

Allerton Park (includes) Oakley Dam, 1975-76

correspondence re: use of Allerton House by Argenta Civic Club (1975) correspondence re: uses of Robert Allerton Park and Park security (1976) report re: Allerton Park Safety and Health Inspection (1975)

Allerton Park (includes Oakley Dam), 1976-77 correspondence re: possible designation of Robert Allerton Park as a "State Nature Preserve" (1977)

newspaper clipping (<u>St. Louis Post-Dispatch</u>) re: article on Robert Allerton Park (6/8/77) correspondence re: Education and Research Potential Committee for Allerton Park and the Allerton Park Improvements Committee, Robert Allerton Park policy (1977) article (<u>Champaign-Urbana Guide</u>) re: Robert Allerton Park (September, 1977)

Allerton Park

minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1977)

correspondence re: appointment of Jack Claar as Director of the Allerton Trust (1977)

report: "Progress Report on the Allerton Trust Complex: May, 1977" (1977)

report: "Statement of Policy for the Use of Robert Allerton Park" by Walter Keith (1977)

report: "Chronology of Philosophy, Policy, Personnel and Organization for Robert Allerton Park, University of Illinois" by Walter Keith (1977)

correspondence re: recommendations for administration of Robert Allerton Park (1976)

map re: Robert Allerton Park and Sangamon River Valley (1975)

report: "Annual Report of the Director, Robert Allerton Park covering the period from May 1, 1976 to April 30, 1977" by Walter Keith (1977)

Allerton - Allerton Trust Management Board Meetings, 1977-78

minutes, budget reports, operating policy and procedure, planning and park improvements (1977-78)

Allerton Park - House (includes Allerton Trust), 1977-78

correspondence with John Gregg Allerton re: administration of Robert Allerton Park (1978) report: "Allerton Park Management Board Report: February 1, 1977 - January 31, 1978, Annual Report" (5/10/78)

report: "Annual Report, Director, Robert Allerton Park, Walter M. Keith, (covering the period from February 1, 1977 to January 31, 1978) (1978)

correspondence re: operating policies and guidelines (1978)

correspondence re: Allerton Park Art School (1977)

Allerton Trust, 1976-77

correspondence re: budget for Robert Allerton Park and report on endowment farms (1977-78)

report: "Report of Endowment Farms for the Year Ended December 31, 1975" (1976)

Allerton Trust, 1977-78

reports re: budgets (1977-78)

correspondence re: allocation of money for improvements, contracts for work, raising Walter Keith's time appointment (1978)

report re: 1977 crop yields (1978)

correspondence re: administration of Robert Allerton Park (1977-78)

Allerton Park (includes Oakley Dam), 7/1/78 - 6/30/79

correspondence re: construction of Visitor Center at Robert Allerton Park, copy of signed letter from John Gregg Allerton dated 5/7/79 re: modifying greenhouse area for visitor center (1979)

report: "Allerton Park Management Board Report, February 1, 1978 - January 31, 1979, Annual Report" (4/5/79)

report: "Director's Report for the Allerton Trust Management Board" by J.B. Claar (10/11/78)

copy of forms re: nomination of Robert Allerton Park to National Register of Historic Places (1974)

minutes re: meetings of Board and committees (1978-79)

correspondence re: sending John Gregg Allerton reports on farm expenditures (1978) reports re: budgets (1978)

Allerton - Allerton Trust Management Board Meetings, 1978-79

minutes, program planning, and reports on improvements (1978-79)

Allerton Trust - House and Park, 1978-79

reports re: budgets for 1978-79 (1978-79)

report: "Allerton Park Management Board Report, February 1, 1978 - January 31, 1979,

Annual Report" (4/5/79) reports re: 1978 crop yields (1978) correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park operation reports (1978) Allerton Trust - House & Park, 1979-80 report: "Allerton Park Management Board Report, February 1, 1979 - June 30, 1980, Annual Report" (12/80) report re: budget for Robert Allerton Park, FY 1980 (9/3/80) correspondence re: Allerton Park and Allerton House financial responsibilities (1980) report: "Financial Statement of the Allerton House Operations as of March 31, 1980 (5/12/80)Allerton Park, 7/1/79 - 6/30/80 correspondence re: meeting with John Gregg Allerton - includes copy of letter from John Gregg Allerton (May, 1980) correspondence re: consulting service for Park interpretation (1980) report re: park buildings inspection at Robert Allerton Park (1980) correspondence re: use of visitor center (1980) correspondence re: landscape development at Robert Allerton Park (1980) report re: condition of sculpture at Robert Allerton Park (1980) correspondence re: mission statement for Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park (1980) correspondence re: appointment of Lachlan F. Blair to Allerton Trust Management Board (1980)correspondence re: proposal for development of Master Plan for Robert Allerton Park (1979)reports ré: 1979 crop yields (1979) correspondence re: visit of John Gregg Allerton - includes copy of letter from John Gregg Allerton (October, 1979) postcard from John Gregg Allerton to Chancellor John Cribbet (10/14/79) copy of letters from John Gregg Allerton to Ralph Hahn re: visitor center and parking lot 8/25/79, 9/12/79) booklet: "The Robert Allerton Story" by Kathryn Hulme (1979) correspondence re: visitor center parking lot (1979) Allerton Trust Management Board Meetings, 1979-80 minutes, correspondence re: meetings, Director's reports by Walter Keith, committees, greenhouse project bids (1979-80) Allerton Park, Allerton Legacy, 80-81 Allerton Legacy Symposium packet (1981) correspondence re: Symposium (1981) Symposium information re: invitation, registration sheet, agenda (1981) correspondence re: financial arrangements for Allerton Legacy Symposium (1981) correspondence re: seeking financial support for visitor center (1980) Allerton Park & Oakley Dam, 7/1/80 - 6/30/81 minutes of the Allerton Trust Management Board (1980-81) correspondence re: replacement of J.B. Claar as Chairman of Board (1981) postcard (original) and letters (copies) from John Gregg Allerton re: Allerton Legacy Symposium, visit to Illinois (1981) reports re: Robert Allerton Park improvements, committees (1981) correspondence re: maintenance concerns about Robert Allerton Park (1981) report: "Annual Report, Robert Allerton Park, February 1, 1979 to June 30, 1980" by Walter Keith (11/6/80) correspondence re: trapping of muskrats at Robert Allerton Park (1980) correspondence re: elimination of landing field at 4-H Camp (1980) draft of mission statement re: Robert Allerton Park (1980) report: "Allerton House Conference Center, 1979-80 Annual Report" (1980)

Allerton Park, 7/1/81 - 6/30/82

minutes re: meetings of Allerton Trust Management Board (1981-82)

correspondence re: central air-conditioning for Allerton House (1982) report re: FY 1983 budget planning (1982) report re: 1981 crop yields (1981) report: "Allerton Trust Properties Guidelines for Forward Planning" (1981) Allerton Trust, House and Park (B), 81-82 report re: suggested improvements for Robert Allerton Park (1982) report re: security services at Robert Allerton Park (1982) budget statements re: FY 1981, 1982 (1982) report: "University of Illinois, Allerton Farms, January 1 - December 31, 1981" (1982) correspondence re: fund-raising efforts for Robert Allerton Park (1981) Allerton Park, 7/1/82 - 6/30/83 copy of Indentures (1946) correspondence re: status of Robert Allerton Park as National Natural Landmark (1983) copies of newspaper article (Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette) re: John Gregg Allerton's visit to Robert Allerton Park (6/3/83), and Fu Dog repair (6/3/83) minutes re: meetings of Allerton Trust Management Board (1982-83) correspondence re: acceptance of gifts to Robert Allerton Park (1983) report re: condition of mechanical systems at Robert Allerton Park (1983) report re: park buildings inspection at Robert Allerton Park (1983) brochure re: availability of Allerton House for conferences (1983) Allerton Trust and Management (House and Park) (B), 82-83 correspondence re: appointment of Charles Kozoll and Frederick Holhubner to Allerton Trust Management Board (1982, 1983) correspondence re: possible purchase of 77 acres to the south-west of Robert Allerton Park (1983) report re: budget for FY 1983, preliminary budget for FY 1984 (1983) correspondence re: park security (1983) report re: Allerton House mechanical equipment inspection (1983) reports re: 1982 crop yields (1983) report: "University of Illinois Report of Endowment Farms for the Year Ended December 31, 1982" (1983) correspondence re: park boundary fencing (1982) correspondence re: appointment of David Bowman as Superintendent of Robert Allerton Park (1982) - includes copy of letter from John Gregg Allerton to David Bowman (7/6/82)correspondence re: repainting the water tower at Robert Allerton Park (1982) correspondence re: security services at Robert Allerton Park (1982) correspondence re: use of picnic tables at Robert Allerton Park (1982) report re: 1982-83 Allerton House budget (1982) correspondence re: suggested improvements at Robert Allerton Park (1982) correspondence re: air-conditioning at Allerton House (1982) Allerton Park, 7/1/83 - 6/30/84 correspondence re: appraisal of John Gregg Allerton's personal property at White Cottage (1984)minutes re: meetings of Allerton Trust Management Board (1983-84) report re: status of Robert Allerton Park improvements (1983) correspondence re: John Gregg Allerton's spring visit - includes signed letters from John Gregg Allerton (10/5/83, 3/15/84) correspondence re: inspection of Allerton Park Bridge (1984) correspondence re: appointment of members to Allerton Park Improvements Committee (1984)correspondence re: fund-raising for Robert Allerton Park (1984) correspondence re: signage system for Robert Allerton Park (1984) reports re: operations review at Robert Allerton Park (1983) Allerton Trust Management (House and Park) (B), 83-84 report re: Robert Allerton Park expenses for FY 83-84 (1984)

report re: 1983 crop yields (1983)

report re: Robert Allerton Park budget FY 83, Allerton House operations budget, **Endowment Farms (1983)** report re: visitor suggestions (1983) Allerton Park, 7/1/84 - 6/30/85 photo of Fu Dog Tower (n.d.) report re: recommendations by Allerton Park Improvements Committee (1985) minutes re: meetings of the Allerton Trust Management Board (1984-85) report re: FY 85 Annual Traffic Count (1985) correspondence re: fund-raising for Robert Allerton Park (1985) booklet: "Allerton Archives" by Laura Marshall-Lewis (1984) report: "Allerton House and Park Personnel Review" (1981) report: "Allerton Trust Properties Building Inventory Listing" (1984) report re: inspection of Robert Allerton Park bridge by Hanson Engineers (1984) Allerton Park - Improvements (B) 84-85 correspondence re: proposal for temporary greenhouse (1984) Allerton Trust Management (B) 84-85 correspondence re: funding allocations to various Park services (1985) correspondence re: bids for security guard service (1984) Allerton Park & House - Review of Mission, Organization, and Resources of the Allerton **Properties** report, mission statement: "A Review of the Mission, Organization, and Resources of the Allerton Properties" by Richard F. Wilson (1986) report: "Response to the Wilson Report: A Review of Future Plans and Resources of the Allerton Properties" by Walter Keith (1986) correspondence re: comments on Wilson report (1986) correspondence re: outlook for farm activity (1986) report: "Memorial 4-H Camp, Review and Řevenué Outlook, 12/18/85" (1985) report: "Robert Allerton Park - Review and Revenue Outlook, January 3, 1986" by Walter Keith (1986) report: "University of Illinois Report of Allerton Park, Allerton House, Allerton Farms" (1985)report: "Chronology: Philosophy, Policy, Personnel and Organization for Robert Allerton Park, University of Illinois" by Walter Keith (1985) report: "Allerton Properties Review and Revenue Outlook, Unit: The Allerton House Conference Center" by Charles Kozoll, Gary Eickman and Jennifer Eickman (1985) copy of Indentures (1946) booklet: "Allerton Archives" by Laura Marshall-Lewis (1984) Allerton Park. 7/1/85 - 6/30/86 correspondence re: proposed park entrance fee (1986) reports re: budgets (1984-85) report: "Entrance Control Procedure, Robert Allerton Park, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, January 1986" reports re: monthly Park attendance (1986) press release re: statement by President Stanley O. Ikenberry re: death of John Gregg Allerton (1986) report re: deer census at Robert Allerton Park (1986) report re: visitor comments at Robert Allerton Park (1986) correspondence re: Allerton Park Bridge restoration (1985) report: "Structural Investigation, Bridge Over the Sangamon River, Allerton Park, University of Illinois" by Hanson Engineers (1985) correspondence re: handicapped access to Allerton House (1985) Allerton Trust Management Board, 7/1/85 - 6/30/86 minutes re: Board meetings (1985) correspondence re: mission statement (1986)

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report: "University of Illinois Report of Allerton Park, Allerton House, Allerton Farms" (1986)correspondence re: job description for maintenance workers (1986) brochure re: fund-raising for 4-H Camp (1986) correspondence re: removal of tree growth along roads (1986) reports re: 1985 crop yields (1985) correspondence re: Gate House remodeling (1985) Allerton Park & House, 7/1/86 - 10/31/86 reports re: monthly Park visitation (1986) report re: handicapped access ramp proposal by Walter Keith (1986) correspondence re: student internship research project (1986) report re: FY 85 traffic count (1986) correspondence re: internship of Nancy Becker (1986) Allerton Park & House, 11/1/86 - 12/31/86 report re: monthly Park visitation (1986) report re: safety evaluation of Robert Allerton Park (1986) brochure re: Allerton House Conference Center (1986) report: "Allerton Properties Historical Overview" (1986) report: "A Review of the Mission, Organization, and Resources of the Allerton Properties" by Richard F. Wilson (1986) correspondence re: appointment of Wesley D. Seitz to Allerton Trust Management Board (1986)Allerton (B) 86-87 reports re: financial reports on Robert Allerton Park, Allerton House, and Allerton Farms (1987) report re: Robert Allerton Park revenue and expenses FY 87 (1987) correspondence and reports re: improvement of rental properties (1987) report: "Financial Statements of the Allerton House Operations as of September 30, 1986" (1987)reports re: 1986 crop yields (1986) report re: 4-H Camp financial statement (1987) report: "Financial Statements of the Allerton House Operations as of June 30, 1987" (1987)Allerton Park - Improvements (B) 86-87 report re: condition of nature trails (1987) booklet: "Robert Allerton Park Nature Tráil, Monticello, Illinois" (1972) correspondence re: Allerton Master Plan, funding for major improvements, improvement/development plan, expanding Evergreen Lodge (1987) correspondence and reports re: proposals for handicapped ramp for Allerton House (1986-87) Allerton Trust Management Board, 1986-87 minutes re: meetings of Board (1986-87) Allerton Park & House, 1/1/87 - 6/30/87 brochure: "Enjoy Robert Allerton Park" (1987) correspondence re: moving the Fremiet statues to Krannert Art Museum (1986) report: "Visitor Report, 1986" by Walter Keith (1987) correspondence re: transfer of park buildings from University Trust Farm operations to Robert Allerton Park (1985) Allerton Park, 7/87 - 8/87 correspondence re: requests for use of Robert Allerton Park (1987) copy of 1946 index of drawings and blueprints for The Farms (1987) brochure: "Enjoy Robert Allerton Park" (1987) report: "FY87 Annual Traffic Count" (1987)

report re: inventory of sculptures at Robert Allerton Park (1987)

Pecknold (1988)

Allerton Park, 9/87 - 10/87 reports re: monthly visitation (1987) report: "Allerton Trust Properties Building Inventory Listing" (1987) correspondence re: use and improvements of 9.6 acre tract held jointly with First National Bank of Chicago (1987) report re: results of tests on water supply samples from Robert Allerton Park (1987) report re: Allerton House Conference Center activities for 1986-87 (1987) Allerton Park, 11/87 - 6/88 correspondence re: deer count at Robert Allerton Park (1988) report re: visitation records at Robert Allerton Park (1988) brochure re: Robert Allerton Park (1987) correspondence re: use of visitor center facilities (1987) Allerton Trust Management Board (1987) minutes re: meetings of Board (1987) report: "4-H Memorial Camp Financial Statement, January 1, 1986 thru December 31, 1986" (1987) reports re: budget analysis for FY 1987 and 1988 (1987) bound report: "Allerton Trust Management Board, Annual Park Report, Fiscal Year 1987, ending June 30, 1987" (1987) report: "4-H Memorial Camp Report (1986-87) to: Allerton Trust Management Board, October 21, 1987" (1987) report re: allocation of funds from Allerton Farms to Allerton Park (1987) Allerton Park and House - Allerton Legacy Exhibition, 8/14/87 - 6/88 correspondence, reports, xeroxed photos of Allerton House and Park grounds, consultant agreement with Nancy Becker, funding information, newspaper articles re: Allerton Legacy Exhibition (1987) correspondence re: gathering and protection of Allerton archival materials (1987) report: "List of Works Contained in the Allerton Legacy Exhibit, Visitor Center, Robert Allerton Park" re: transcript of text and photo captions from exhibit (1987) Allerton Park and House - Allerton Legacy Exhibition, 7/87 - 8/13/87 report re: list of works contained in Allerton Legacy Exhibit (1987) copy of consultant agreement with Nancy Becker for exhibition (1987) correspondence re: consultant agreement and project funding (1987) invitation cards for Exhibition preview (1987) Allerton House and Park (B), 1987-88 correspondence re: retirement of Frank Turok (1988) reports re: budget statements for Robert Allerton Park (Jan-Feb, 1988) application to UIUC Research Board for funding of "Allerton Architectural Archives" (1987) reports re: 1987 crop yields (1987) report re: paving inspection of roads at Robert Allerton Park (1987) Allerton - Improvements (B), 1987-88 bound report: "University of Illinois, Robert Allerton Properties, Master Plan" (1988) correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park site improvements cost summary (1988) correspondence re: proposed sprinkler system for Allerton House (1987) Allerton Park, 7/1/88 - 6/30/89 correspondence re: meeting of Policy Advisory Board, Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center (1989) correspondence re: establishment of Policy Advisory Board, and consolidation of operations (1989) correspondence re: condition of roads at Robert Allerton Park (1989) correspondence re: sale of tree remains at Robert Allerton Park (1989) report: "Management Study, Robert Allerton Park" by Charles Kozoll and Kathleen

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reports re: 1988 crop yields (1989)

press release re: search for Director of Robert Allerton Park (1988)

correspondence re: application for exemption from Illinois property tax for Robert Allerton

correspondence re: retirement of Walter Keith (1987)

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correspondence re: Master Plan (1990)

correspondence re: funding for Master Plan (1989) bound report: "University of Illinois, Robert Allerton Properties, Master Plan" (1988)

correspondence re: meetings on Robert Allerton Park Master Plan (1987)

copies of proposals for Master Plan sent by planners (1987)

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The administration of Robert Allerton Park and Conference Center was consolidated in 1989 under the direction of Steven F. Schomberg, Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Director, Office of Continuing Education and Public Service. The material contained in this office consists of correspondence, reports, minutes, and brochures relating primarily to administration, capital improvements, budgets, marketing, maintenance, and conferences. The material is located in a file drawer, and is listed here by file folder title followed by a description of the folder's contents.

File Drawer: Allerton House

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correspondence re: financial status of Allerton House - elimination of operations deficit (1981)

correspondence re: air-conditioning of Allerton House (1981)

report re: meeting between Allerton House and Division of Conferences and Institutes over operating policy (1981)

correspondence re: chain of administration for discussing problems (1981)

correspondence re: dram shop insurance for Allerton House (1981)

report: "Allerton House Conference Center Mission Statement" (n.d.)

Allerton House, 1982-83

correspondence re: dismissal of three Allerton House employees (1983)

correspondence re: Allerton House maintenance needs (1983)

correspondence re: insurance coverage at Robert Allerton Park (1982) report: "Allerton House Conference Center, 1982-83 Budget" (1982)

correspondence re: air-conditioning for Allerton House (1982)

Allerton House, 1983-84

report: "Proposed Evergreen Lodge #2, Study and Analysis: (1984)

correspondence re: brochure for Allerton House Conference Center (1984)

correspondence re: marketing for the Allerton House Conference Center (1983-84)

newspaper article (Herald and Review) re: Allerton House (10/19/83)

report: "Allerton Conference Center Evaluation, December 1980" re: results of a conference participant survey (1980)

brochure: "Allerton House: A Conference Center" with photos of Allerton House (interiors and exteriors), gardens, statues (n.d.)

Allerton, 85-86

report re: annual report FY 1985-86 for Allerton House Conference Center - includes list of conferences held (1987)

correspondence re: congratulations to Gary Eickman and Jennifer Eickman for receiving the 1986 Award For Excellence in Administration of Continuing Education Programs at the University of Illinois (1986)

correspondence re: security policy for Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House guests (1986)

brochure: "Allerton Art Institute" (1986)

correspondence re: river bridge structural investigation (1986)

information sheet re: Allerton House Conference Center (n.d.)

correspondence re: proposed study of Allerton operations (1985)

correspondence re: advertising of Allerton House Conference Center (1985)

correspondence re: handicapped access to Allerton House (1985)

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Allerton, 1986-1987
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meeting (4/11/88)
   correspondence re: combining management of Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House
       Conference Center (1987-88)
   correspondence re: Allerton Master Plan review (1988)
   report: "Allerton House Operations Budget" (1986-88)
Allerton House Annual Report, 1981-82
   reports: "Financial Statement of the Allerton House Operations" (1982-84)
   report re: annual report of Allerton House for FY 83-84 - includes list of conferences held
   correspondence re: financing of water tower project (1982)
   correspondence re: Allerton Park Improvements Committee (1981)
   reports re: 1982 budget projections for Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House (1981)
   correspondence re: integration of management for Robert Allerton Park and Allerton
       House (1981)
   report: "Allerton House Conference Center, 1980-81 Annual Report" - includes list of
      conferences (n.d.)
Allerton House, 1980-81
   correspondence re: improving communication between Allerton House and Robert Allerton
       Park management (1981)
   correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House security (1981)
   correspondence re: visitor center at Robert Allerton Park (1980-81)
   report: "Allerton House Conference Center, 1979-80 Annual Report" (1980)
   correspondence re: Allerton House improvements (1981)
   report: "University of Illinois Report of Endowment Farms For The Year Ended December
   31, 1980" by Ř.W. Brady (1981) correspondence re: Allerton House, Robert Allerton Park staff relations (1980)
   correspondence re: lodging maintenance needs (1980-81)
   report re: summary of conferences (1979-80)
   correspondence re: financial obligations of Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park (1980)
   correspondence re: Jennifer Eickman's slide shows and presentations on Allerton House
       and Robert Allerton Park (1980)
   correspondence re: Allerton Trust Management Board evaluation of Allerton House and
      Robert Allerton Park (1980)
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   correspondence re: fire alarm system, air-conditioning at Allerton House (1977)
   report: "Audit Report, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Robert Allerton House,
      Moveable Equipment Inventory" by Samuel Cohn, Staff Auditor Assistant (1974)
   correspondence re: Allerton House operations deficit (1973)
   report: "Allerton House Complex and Hott Memorial Center, Building Maintenance
      Inspection, October 1973" (1973)
   correspondence re: hunting at Robert Allerton Park (1949)
   report re: recommendations of the Committee on Robert Allerton Park (1947)
   correspondence re: requirements for plant and wildlife preserve (1947)
   correspondence re: charges and objectives for Committee on Robert Allerton Park (1946)
Allerton House, 1978-79
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1979-80)
   correspondence re: Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park joint staff meetings (1979-80)
   correspondence re: Monticello High School students employed at Allerton House (1979)
   correspondence re: housing furnished to employees (1979)
   correspondence re: construction of garage at Robert Allerton Park Gate House (1979)
   correspondence re: signage at Robert Allerton Park (1979)
   report re: Allerton House operations, FY 79 budget (1978)
   correspondence re: valuation of park buildings for insurance purposes (1979)
   report: "Security Study, University of Illinois Robert Allerton Park" by Richard Burch (1977)
   transcript of taped interview with John Gregg Allerton by Sherie Kluesing re: history of
       estate, past appearance, current philosophy on uses of Park, life at "The Farms",
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construction of park buildings, gardens (1978)

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Allerton Trust Management Board, 85-86
   correspondence re: renovation of rental houses (1986)
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1985-86)
   correspondence re: security and use of Robert Allerton Park by guests (1986)
   report (draft): "Security Policy for Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House Guests" by
      Walter Keith (1986)
   map (copy) re: topography of Robert Allerton Park (from U.S. Geological Survey
       Topographic Series) (n.d.)
Allerton House, 1984-1985
   correspondence re: reduction in funds for Allerton House (1985)
   correspondence re: proposed entry fee for Robert Allerton Park (1985)
   correspondence re: administration problems between Allerton House an Robert Allerton
      Park (1985)
   brochure: "Allerton House: A Conference Center" re: promotional information (n.d.)
   correspondence re: promotional activities (1984)
   correspondence re: financial obligations of Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park (1984-
   correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House guest safety (1984)
   report: "Investigation of Concrete Bridge, South Entrance Road, Allerton Park" by Hanson
      Engineers (10/9/84)
   report: "Financial Statement of the Allerton House Operations As Of September 30, 1984
      & 1983" (1985)
   correspondence re: promotional material (1984)
Allerton Trust Management Board, 1984-1985
   report re: recommendations of Allerton Park Improvements Committee by Eric C. Freund,
      Chairman (1985)
   minutes re: meetings of the Allerton Trust Management Board (1984)
   bound report and booklet: "Allerton Archives" by Laura Marshall-Lewis (1984)
   photo (reproduction) of Fu Dog Tower during Allerton era (n.d.)
Allerton Trust Management Board, 1983-84
   minutes re: meeting of the Allerton Park Improvements Committee (4/16/84)
   correspondence re: invitations to prospective members of the Allerton Park Improvements
      Committee (1984)
   report re: list of Robert Allerton Park improvements by David Bowman (1983)
   report: "Allerton Trust Properties, Building Inventory Listing" by David Bowman (1984)
   minutes re: meetings of the Allerton Trust Management Board (1983-84)
   report: "Signage System Recommendations" by Office for Capital Programs, University of
      Illinois (1983)
   correspondence re: budgeting endowment income (1983)
   report: "Allerton Trust Properties Guidelines for Forward Planning" by the Allerton Trust
      Management Board (9/1981)
   reports re: budget statements for Robert Allerton Park for FY 82-84 (1983)
   report: "Allerton Conference Center Evaluation, December, 1980" by Judith K. Riggs,
      Office of Continuing Education and Public Service re: survey of conference participants
      (1980)
Allerton Trust Management Board, 1980-1981
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1980-81)
   correspondence re: resignation of Jack Claar and appointment of Donald F. Wendel as
      Chairman of Allerton Trust Management Board (1981)
   correspondence re: Allerton mission statement (1981)
   correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park picnicking policy, Park maintenance (1981)
   report: "Allerton Trust Complex Guidelines for Forward Planning" (1981)
   correspondence re: need for integration of Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park
      organizations (1981)
   correspondence re: proposed Sun Singer parking lot (1981)
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report re: status of Allerton Legacy Symposium (1981)

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correspondence re: funding for Symposium (1980-81)
   correspondence re: fund-raising for visitor center (1981)
   correspondence re: salary negotiations with AFSCME for Robert Allerton Park employees
       (1980-81)
   report: "Quarterly Security Report of Allerton Park, Fall 1980" (1980)
   report: "Traffic Sign Survey of Allerton Park, 11/06/80" by Cpl. Kallmayer, UIPD and Illinois
       Department of Transportation Engineers (1980)
   report: "Annual Report (18 month period from February 1, 1979 to June 30, 1980), Robert
       Allerton Park" by Walter Keith (1980)
   correspondence re: possible upgrading of Evergreen Lodge (1980)
   correspondence re: muskrat trapping in Robert Allerton Park (1977-80)
   proposal re: funding for Allerton Legacy Symposium (1980)
   correspondence re: development of visitor center at Robert Allerton Park (1980)
   report: "Allerton Park -- Grounds Operations Evaluation" by David Bowman, Operation and
       Maintenance Division (1980)
   report: "Proposal for a Conference and Publication Series on `The Allerton Legacy'" by
   Lochlan F. Blair (1980) correspondence re: facilities to be offered in visitor center (1980)
   reports re: financial statements for Robert Allerton Park for FY 80-81 (1980)
   correspondence re: Allerton Legacy Symposium (1980-81)
   report: "Quarterly Security Report of Allerton Park, Summer, 1980" (1980)
   report: "Allerton Park - Fire Safety Survey" by M.G. Mecum (1980)
   correspondence re: financial responsibilities of Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park
   correspondence re: slide presentation for visitor center (1980)
   correspondence re: alternative energy sources for Robert Allerton Park (1980)
   report (draft): "Audit Report, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Office of
       Continuing Education and Public Service, Allerton House, Operational Review for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1979" by T.C. Hinesly, Staff Auditor (1979)
   report re: list of conferences held at Allerton House during FY 79 (n.d.)
   correspondence re: security at Robert Allerton Park (1980)
   report re: annual report on Allerton Farms for 1979 (1980)
   report re: status of display objectives for visitor center by Walter Keith (1980)
   report re: condition of sculptures at Robert Allerton Park by W.R. Youngman (1980)
Allerton Trust Management Board, 1978-79
   report: "Financial Statement of the Allerton House Operations as of June 30, 1978" (1978)
   report re: Allerton Farms operations for 1977 (1978)
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1978-79)
   report re: FY 78 financial report for Robert Allerton Park (1979)
   correspondence re: renovation of greenhouses for visitor center (1979)
   report re: 1978 crop yields (1978)
   correspondence re: interpretation program for Robert Allerton Park (1978)
   correspondence re: hiring of Security Officer for Robert Allerton Park (1978)
   report re: preliminary budget for Robert Allerton Park for FY 79 (1978)
   correspondence re: comments on "Robert Allerton Park, A Planning-Management
       Guide/Workbook" by Cherie Kluesing (1978)
   correspondence re: comments on article in the 1978 Illio which negatively represented
       Robert Allerton Properties management practices - includes copy of article (1978)
   reports re: financial statements for Robert Allerton Park for FY 77, 78 (1978)
   correspondence re: Robert Allerton Park security (1978)
   report re: preliminary FY 78 budget for Allerton House (1978)
   correspondence re: financial transactions at Robert Allerton Park (1978)
   correspondence re: 4-H Camp and Robert Allerton Park sharing of services (1978)
   report re: annual report for Robert Allerton Park for FY 77 by Walter Keith - includes list of
       improvements (1978)
   correspondence re: improvements at Robert Allerton Park (1978)
   copy of letter to John Gregg Allerton from J.B. Claar re: renovation and potential uses of
       greenhouses (1979)
   correspondence re: potential uses of greenhouses (1978-79)
   report: "Mechanical/Electrical Report for Head House Remodeling, Allerton Park" by Ralph
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Henneman & Associates, Inc., Consulting Engineers (4/16/79)

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copy of National Register of Historic Places nomination forms for Robert Allerton Park
       (1974)
   correspondence re: hazardous condition of greenhouses complex (1978)
   report re: Allerton House operations, 1977-78 (1978)
   report: "Concepts and Guidelines for the Planning and Operation of Allerton Park" by J.B.
       Claar (1977)
   correspondence re: University of Illinois' limits and guidelines for renovating greenhouses
       (1977-78)
   correspondence re: administrative and finance areas of responsibility for Robert Allerton
       Park and Allerton House (1976)
   map: "Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois, University of Illinois" by Jack Trevett and
       Larry Hemp (n.d.)
   map: "Greenhouse Study Base Map, Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" by Walter
       Keith (1977)
Untitled folder
   correspondence re: fund-raising, Friends of Allerton (1984)
   report re: list of Foundations for possible fund-raising efforts (1981)
Allerton Trust Management Board General Evaluation
   report re: 1981 budget projections for Allerton House operations (1980)
   correspondence re: greenhouse renovation and information center (1980)
   correspondence re: updating mission statement for Robert Allerton Park and Allerton
       House (1980)
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1979-80)
   correspondence re: Allerton Trust Management Board's evaluation - includes guidelines
       for evaluation process, questions to be addressed (1979-80)
   correspondence re: bids for greenhouse renovation project - includes list of bids (1979)
   report: "Statement of Policy for the Use of Robert Allerton Park" by Walter Keith (1977) report: "Philosophy, Policy, Personnel and Organization for Robert Allerton Park,
       University of Illinois" by Walter Keith - includes chronology of management (1977)
   copy of Indentures (1946)
Allerton Computer File
   list of computer programs and stores (n.d.)
Allerton House Marketing
   correspondence re: promotional materials (1984)
   collection of promotional material from comparable sites (1984)
   brochure: "Allerton House: A Conference Center" (n.d.)
   correspondence re: marketing plan for Allerton House (1984)
   report: "Marketing Allerton House" by Gwen Shipp and Mary Dillavou (1982) report: "Marketing Allerton House Outline" by Gwen Shipp and Mary Dillavou (1982) report: "Marketing Allerton House: A Background Report" by Gwen Shipp and Mary
       Dillavou (1982)
   report re: guidelines and objectives for marketing study (n.d.)
The Allerton Heritage, Hapke
   correspondence re: research project on the Allerton Family, Robert Allerton Park, and
       Lawai-Kai (1986)
Allerton Trust. 1977
   report re: tentative budget FY 88 for Allerton House operations (n.d.)
   copy of newspaper article (Chicago Tribune) re: Robert Allerton Park (12/4/77)
   report: "A Working Report: The Future Use and Development of Allerton Park" by Anthony
       C. Wood (1976)
   report: "Robert Allerton Park: The Gift" by Kirsten R. Reeder (1976)
   minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1977)
   correspondence re: condition and safety of greenhouses (1977)
   correspondence re: hiring security guard (1977)
   minutes re: Allerton Park Improvements Committee meetings (1977)
   correspondence and text re: new map-rules-information handout for visitors to Robert
       Allerton Park (1977)
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report re: budget proposal for FY 78 for Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House (1977) report re: Park buildings maintenance needs at Robert Allerton Park by D.S. Charlton report: "Annual Report of the Director, Robert Allerton Park covering the period from May 1, 1976 to April 30, 1977" by Walter Keith (1977) correspondence re: possible designation of Robert Allerton Park natural area as Nature Preserve (1975-77) correspondence re: formation of Allerton Trust Management Board, Allerton Park Improvements Committee, and Education and Research Potential Committee for Allerton Park (1976-77) report: "Endowment and Loan Fund Register" (n.d.) reports re: 1976 crop yields (1977) correspondence re: possibility of new Decatur reservoir (1976-77) report: "Maintenance and Improvement Program For Robert Allerton Park" by Robert S. Chamberlain (1947) maps (5) re: topography of Robert Allerton Park (n.d.) brochuré: "Allerton" (n.d., but early in University of Illinois administration) Adventures in the Arts - Allerton brochures (4) re: announcements of programs (1981-84) Allerton House - Alcohol Policy correspondence re: qualification of functions for alcohol sales (1981) report: "Guidelines For the Sale of Alcoholic Liquors to Convention and conference Participants on the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Campus" (1981) Allerton House Audit, 1980 correspondence re: telephone survey of conference participants - includes transcript of phone survey text (1980) report: "Allerton Park - Fire Safety Survey" by M.G. Mecum (1980) report: "Audit Report, Allerton House Operational Review for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1979" by T.C. Hinesly, Staff Auditor (1980) Allerton House Evaluation, 1980-81 correspondence re: Park Superintendent Search - includes references, resumes, job description (1981-82) correspondence re: integration of Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House management (1981)report (draft): "Allerton House and Park Personnel Review" by Marcia Kirkpatrick (1981) correspondence re: progress of evaluation (1980) report: "Allerton House Conference Center, 1979-80 Annual Report" by James Votruba and Gary Eickman (1980) correspondence re: Allerton House Evaluation Team meetings (1980) report: "Allerton House, Gate House, House in the Woods, Evergreen Lodge and Morton Building -- Building Inspections" by George Butts (1980) report re: condition of Allerton House finances (1979) report re: list of conferences held FY 79 (1979) copy of Indentures (1946) Allerton Study, 85-86 correspondence re: reactions to study of University of Illinois' mission at Allerton (1986) report: "Response to the Wilson Report: A Review of Future Plans and Resources of the Allerton Properties" by Walter Keith (1986) report: "Allerton Properties Review and Revenue Outlook" re: outline for mission study (1985)correspondence re: scope and formulation of study (1985) report re: Allerton House Conference Center operations for FY 85 - includes financial statements and list of conferences (1985) correspondence re: need for study (1985) correspondence re: reduction in endowment income allocated to Allerton House (1985) report (draft): "Allerton House and Park Personnel Review" by Marcia Kirkpatrick (1981)

report: "Allerton Trust Complex Guidelines for Forward Planning" (1978)

report (draft): "Allerton Properties Review and Revenue Outlook, Unit: The Allerton House Conference Center" (1985)

Allerton Study - Reports/CES/Park/House

correspondence re: responses and reactions to study of University of Illinois' mission at Allerton properties (1986)

report (drafts): "A Review of Future Plans and Resources of the Allerton Properties" by Richard F. Wilson (1986)

report: "Robert Allerton Park - Review and Revenue Outlook" by Walter Keith (1986) correspondence re: outlook for future Allerton Farms income (1985-86)

report: "Allerton Properties Review and Revenue Outlook, Unit: The Allerton House

Conference Center" by Charles Kozoll, Gary and Jennifer Eickman (1985) report: "Allerton Properties Review and Revenue Outlook, 4-H Memorial Camp" by Fred Holhubner (1985)

report: "University of Illinois Report of Allerton Park, Allerton House, Allerton Farms" re: financial statements (1985)

Allerton - Gatehouse Move

correspondence re: Gate House remodeling (1985)

correspondence re: moving Eickman residence from Gate House to house formerly

occupied by Elmer Priebe (1985)

correspondence re: use of Gate House as conference lodging (1985)

Allerton Green House Renovation

correspondence re: selection of windows (1979)

correspondence re: plans for alterations (1979)

correspondence re: design details (1979)

correspondence re: bids and contracts - includes list of bids received (1979)

correspondence with John Gregg Allerton re: his approval and comments for greenhouse project - includes copies of signed letters from John Gregg Allerton to J.B. Claar and Ralph Hahn (5/2/79 and 9/12/79)

correspondence re: budget for project (1979)

report: "Mechanical/Electrical Report for Head House Remodeling, Allerton Park" by Ralph Henneman & Associates, Inc., Consulting Engineers (1979)

copy of Indentures (1946)

Untitled folder

report: "Allerton Park Management Board Report, February 1, 1977 - January 31, 1978, Annual Report" (1978)

minutes re: Allerton Trust Management Board meetings (1979)

correspondence re: greenhouse remodeling plans (1979) report re: Robert Allerton Park budget analysis, FY 78-80 (1978-79)

correspondence re: possible restoration of Allerton House entrance (1979)

correspondence re: insurance for Allerton Properties (1979)

correspondence re: handicapped access to Allerton House (1979)

correspondence re: security at Robert Allerton Park (1979)

reports re: Robert Allerton Park and Allerton House operations reports for FY 79 and Allerton Farms report for 1978 (1979)

correspondence re: theft of Fu Dog an subsequent removal of those remaining from Fu Dog Garden (1979)

correspondence re: appraisal of Fu Dog statues (1979)

correspondence re: Allerton Trust Management Board committees (1977-79)

report: "Security Study, University of Illinois, Robert Allerton Park" by Richard Burch (1977)

Unfoldered Material

bindered and loose reports: "Financial Statements of the Allerton House Operations" by University of Illinois Business Affairs Office - quarterly reports (1972-1990)

bound report: "Allerton Park Management Board Report, February 1, 1979 - June 30, 1980, Annual Report" (1980)

bound report: "Allerton House, Gate House, House in the Woods, Evergreen Lodge and

Morton Building -- Building Inspections" by Operation and Maintenance Division (1983)

FORESTRY OFFICE 96

Department of Forestry Office

Department of Forestry Office 110 Mumford Hall 1301 West Gregory Urbana, Illinois 61801 Gary Rolfe, Head (217-333-2770)

As part of the College of Argriculture, which administers the Allerton Endowment Farms, the Department of Forestry has been involved in research and education on the Allerton properties since 1946. The historical material contained in this office includes correspondence, reports, and clippings concerning research, education, and the controversy over Oakley - Allerton. Contents of the file folder of historical material is listed below.

One (1) folder of historical material

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Land, Allerton Park
   correspondence re: possible sale of black walnut trees on Allerton Trust Farms (1951,
      1959, 1963, 1967)
   report: "Flooding in Allerton Park and Its Relation to Plant and Animal Life" by Committee
      on Natural Areas (n.d.)
   correspondence re: proposed uses of a portion of Robert Allerton Park forest area south of
      the Sangamon River (1963)
   report (tables) re: inventory of Robert Allerton Park forest (1962)
   correspondence re: Harza Engineering Report on alternatives for Oakley project (1968)
   correspondence re: research ideas for estimating the effects of flooding on Allerton
      bottomlands (1968)
   correspondence re: easement through Allerton property for natural gas pipeline - includes
      copy of easement (1967)
   correspondence re: petition for tax exemption of some Allerton bottomland under Forestry
      jurisdiction (1957)
   correspondence re: proposals for uses of areas within Robert Allerton Park (1953)
   report: "Woody Plant Materials List Compiled by Mrs. Love, June, 1952, 4-H Memorial
      Camp" (1952)
   report: "The Spontaneous Flora of Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Piatt County, Illinois"
      by G.N. Jones (1952)
   correspondence re: forestry education at Robert Allerton Park (1953)
   correspondence re: fire protection at Robert Allerton Park (1952)
   correspondence re: assignment of Woodland Property to College of Agriculture,
      appointment of Fay H. Root as Park Supervisor, objectives for use of Robert Allerton
      Park (1952)
   correspondence re: designation of part of Robert Allerton Park as wildlife preserve -
      includes copy (unsigned) of Agreement with Illinois Department of Conservation (1952)
   correspondence re: assignment of bottomland field on Allerton Farm No. 2 to Forestry, use
      of bottomland field, possible purchase by Elmer Priebe (1951)
   report: "Comments on Examination of Bottomland - Allerton Farm No. 2" by J.N. Spaeth
      (1951)
   correspondence re: planting trees on 4-H Camp property (1947)
   correspondence re: valuation of woodland areas at Robert Allerton Park (1947)
   report: "Allerton Park, Recommendations of the Committee on Natural Areas and
      Uncultivated Lands for its Use in Biological Research and Instruction" (12/1947)
   report: "Memorandum on the Use of Allerton Park For Research and Education in
      Forestry" by J.N. Spaeth (1946)
   newspaper article (Decatur Sunday Herald and Review) re: planting of pine trees at
      Allerton Properties using mechanical planter (4/6/47)
   photocopy of drawing re: development of 4-H Camp (1947)
   map: "Preliminary State 4-H Memorial Camp" (1946)
   map: "Diagram of the Allerton Tract" (n.d.)
   map: "Highway Approaches to Robert Allerton Park, Monticello, Illinois" (n.d.)
   newspaper clipping (Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette) re: Robert Allerton's gift of estate
      to the University of Illinois" (6/30/46)
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FORESTRY OFFICE 97

Forestry Department research conducted at Robert Allerton Park is filed in the office under the specific research project. According to Dr. Gary Rolfe:

The Department of Forestry has conducted extensive research in the woodland areas of Robert Allerton Park. Studies have involved both the bottomland and upland forest areas and include stand development, nutrient cycling, regeneration, soil-site relation-ships, phenology, succession, productivity and a variety of other management and ecological research topics. The Department also completes a 10-year inventory on the natural area and maintains a data-base of the last three inventories. Current research involves decomposition of woody debris in the forested bottomlands, deposition and soil-site relationships.

Map and Geography Library

Map and Geography Library 418 Library Building 1408 West Gregory Urbana, Illinois 61801 David Cobb, Librarian (217-333-0827)

The material contained in this library consists of maps, aerial photographs, county plat books that delineate land ownership, and land surveys. The relevant material is listed below by type.

County Plat Books

Piatt County plat books available include the years 1896, 1928, and 1949

Vermillion County plat books available include the years 1875, 1907, 1915, and 1946

U.S. Geological Survey Topographic Maps

Topographic maps of the area are available in the 1:24,000 scale

Aerial Photographs

Aerial photos of Piatt County and Robert Allerton Park are available for 1936, 1940, 1946, 1955, 1960, and 1966.

Two (2) folders in Map Drawers

Map Folders (both labeled "Robert Allerton Park, 1948, Department of Civil Engineering Surveys")

Folder #1

aerial photo re: Allerton tract (1940) survey maps (6) of Robert Allerton Park re: topography, vegetation, roads, surface water, park buildings, and gardens (1948)

Folder #2

same material as in Folder #1, but in a larger format and color-keyed (1948)

The Map and Geography Library has recently received a large collection of maps and drawings related to the Oakley - Allerton controversy. These documents are being processed (as of December, 1990) and are not yet available for use.

WORLD HERITAGE MUSEUM 99

World Heritage Museum

World Heritage Museum 484 Lincoln Hall 702 South Wright Urbana, Illinois 61801 Barbara Bohen, Director (217-3332360)

The Museum holds one artifact:

Secretary (possibly Chinoisery) from the late 18th or early 19th century. The secretary was a gift from the Allerton Estate by either Robert Allerton or John Gregg Allerton. It was most likely received by the Museum in the 1930's or 1940's.

Photographic Services Office

Photographic Services 713 South Wright Champaign, Illinois 61820 J. L. Tarr, Manager (217-333-4677)

The Photographic Services Office is the central repository for photographic work by University of Illinois photographers. The photographs are used for public relations, research, and instructional purposes. They are also available for purchase.

This office has negatives and black and white enlargements of a series of photographs of Allerton House and Robert Allerton Park. The enlargements are held in a file drawer titled "File Prints #1". There are five folders of material. Enlargements are not dated, but do have titles. A list of these enlargements can be found in the Appendix.

Board of Trustees' Office

Board of Trustees 354 Henry Administration 506 South Wright Urbana, Illinois 61801 Romayne Wicklund, Associate Secretary (217-333-1920)

This office has one box of material:

photostatic copy of map re: Allerton properties (9/18/46) correspondence re: transferral of deeds, abstracts, affidavits (includes typed list) gift of Robert Allerton to the University of Illinois (8/14/47) copy of Indentures (1946)

original legal documents (approximately 165) re: deeds, abstracts, affidavits, correspondence relating to property owned by the Allerton family (Samuel W. Allerton, Robert Allerton, Kate Allerton) and given to the University of Illinois. A brief examination of these documents revealed dates ranging from 1865 to 1929.

Appendix A Artifacts in Allerton House

Books (left with house when University took over, some in very fragile condition):

In Loft Closet:

<u>The History of Chicago Illinois</u>, by Hon. John Moses and Maj. Joseph Kirkland, eds. Vols. I & II (1895)

Encyclopaedia of Biography of Illinois, no author given (1892) - two copies

A Biographical History with Portraits of Prominent Men of the Great West, by John A. Campbell, ed. (1902)

<u>Historical Review of Chicago and Cook County and Selected Biography</u>, by A.N. Waterman, Vols. I & II (1908)

Prominent and Progressive Americans: An Encyclopaedia of Contemporaneous Biography, by Mitchell C. Harrison, Vol. I (1902)

Books in Basement ("T-Shirt Room"):

The History of Modern Painting by Richard Muther. Vol I - III. London: Henry & Company. 1895-96. Inscribed "Robert Allerton, The Farms".

<u>Istar of Babylon</u> by Margaret Horton Potter. New York: Harper and Brothers. 1902. Inscribed "Robert Henry Allerton, October 1902, The Farms".

My Chicago by Anna Morgan. Chicago: Ralph Fletcher. 1918.

The Stately Homes of England by Llewellynn Jewitt and S.C. Hall. London: Virtue, Spalding, and Daldy. First and Second Series. 1877. Inscribed "Robert Allerton, The Farms".

<u>Upon a Cast</u> by Charlotte Dunning. New York: Harper and Brothers. 1885. Inscribed "Robert H. Allerton, Aug. 1, 1886, The Folly".

Sandy by Alice Hegan Rice. New York: The Century Co. 1905. Inscribed "Robert Allerton, The Farms, May 6, 1905".

Books in Library:

Over 2,000 books were left behind by Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton when the estate was given to the University of Illinois. Most have been gathered along two walls on the upper floor of the Library. A catalog of these books has been completed, and can be found in the University Archives, Series 31/13/20.

Furniture and paintings (original to house):

three (3) sofas in Gallery (were originally in Library) (circa 1920's)

Black Chinese Lacquer table with mother-of-pearl inlay (acquired between 1900 and 1930) two (2) oriental rugs (blue and white), now in Guest Rooms 6 and 7 (acquired circa 1930's) paintings in Oak Room:

four (4) florals by Rainey Bennett, commissioned in the 1940's by Robert Allerton portrait of Mrs. Rathbone (pre-1915)

painting in Butternut Room:

portrait of Robert Allerton by Ellen Emmett Rand (pre-1915)

paintings in Library (all Baroque period):

three (3) landscapes

two (2) Venice Canal scenes

Appendix B Photographs in Allerton House

(reproductions)

First Floor, Back Hall entry

photos of Robert Allerton's trips to Tahiti (pre-1927), and Venice (late 1800's or early 1900's)

Back Hall, Second Floor service quarters (going counter-clockwise from the stairway)

- 1. courtyard and stables, Allerton House, with staff car (1920's)
- 2. stable under construction, with horses and wagons (1900-1905)
- 3. stable under construction, with dog (1900-1905)
- 4. front of Allerton House, under construction (c. 1900)
- 5. Agnes Allerton and dog on side bowling lawn (1920's)
- 6. construction on Allerton House, lady on horse with dog (1905)
- 7. Allerton House under construction, with horse and wagon (c. 1900)
- 8. front of Allerton House, under construction, with only first floor completed (c. 1899)

Back Hall, Second Floor

(going counter-clockwise from door)

- 1. Charioteer (n.d.)
- 2. Secretary now in World Heritage Museum (n.d.)
- 3. view of Allerton House (1920's)
- 4. pergola that was removed from front of Allerton House (1930's)
- 5. another view of pergola (1930's)
- 6. stable under construction (1900-1905)
- 7. view of Allerton House (1920's)
- 8. gallery, view of stairs (1920's)
- 9. Mrs. Rathbone in front of Allerton House (1915)
- 10. driver (?) and car in front of stables (1915)
- 11. kitchen (1920)

Loft Conference Room

(going counter-clockwise from door)

- photo of portrait "Man in Black" (painting, by Phillpot, in Tate Gallery) (n.d.)
- 2. Robert Allerton and John Gregg Allerton, possibly in Europe (late 1920's or early 1930's)
- Robert Allerton with dog (1915)
- 4. Secretary, now in World Heritage Museum (pre-1920)
- 5. library interior (pre-1920)
- 6. Robert Allerton by the river with Mrs. Burr and her grandson (late 1930's or early 1940's)
- 7. library interior (pre-1920)
- 8. steps in front of Allerton House (1920's)
- 9. back side of library terrace, with topiaries (1915)
- 10. John Gregg, Robert Allerton, with friend, and butler having a picnic on the library terrace (late 1930's)
- 11. library interior (pre-1920)
- 12. two men in a canoe on the lake (1920's)
- 13. Robert Allerton and four friends, with butler on front porch (1910)
- 14. brick garden iron gates (1920's)
- 15. costume closet, with costumes (1920's)
- 16. man and woman in costume (1920's)
- 17. Fu Dog Tower (1930)

- 18. Fu Dog Garden from top of tower (1940's)
- 19. Chinese Garden (1940's)
- 20. Fu Dog Garden (1940's)
- 21. aerial view of Lost Garden (1940's)
- 22. Fu Dog Garden (early 1930's)
- 23. view down path to brick garden (1940's)
- 24. greenhouse (1915)
- 25. Sun Singer and approach drive (1940's)
- 26. positioning Sun Singer (c. 1931)
- 27. uncrating Sun Singer (1931)
- 28. uncrating Sun Singer (close-up) (1931)
- 29. unloading Sun Singer (1931)
- 30. Oak Room (pre-1920)
- 31. library (1940's)
- 32. Music Room (pre-1920's)
- 33. Solarium (1940's)
- 34. stable interior (1940's)
- 35. Butternut Room (1930's)

Office Hall information board

- 1. Sun Singer uncrating (1931)
- 2. Death of the Last Centaur uncrating (1929)

Office Hall

(going counter-clockwise)

- 1. stable interior (1940's)
- stable interior (1940's)
- 3. library interior (1940's)
- 4. library interior (1940's)
- 5. Fu Dog Tower (1940's)
- 6. Drive to Allerton House (1940's)
- 7. Allerton House exterior (1940's)
- 8. Lost Garden Tea House (1940's)
- 9. Sunken Garden (1940's)
- 10. Park entrance (1940's)
- 11. Fu Dog Garden (1940's)
- 12. Chinese Garden (1940's)
- 13. Allerton House exterior and lake (1940's)
- 14. Staircase from gallery (1940's)

Appendix C Photographs at Photographic Services Office

Five (5) file folders of material (8 x 10 black and white enlargements), (Series C236). Photographs are listed by title written on enlargement. No dates were available for the photos (the majority seem to be 1960's).

Allerton House:

Stair Case (Center)

Allerton House

Residence, Looking Across Lake

Allerton House

Library

Large Library

Pine Room

Library

The Butternut Room

Reading Room

Residence - S. Elev.

Gate House

House in the Woods

Entrance Courtyard, Allerton House

The Gate House

Snow Scene at Allerton

Allerton House, without reflection

Stair Case

Stable Library at Allerton Estate

Entrance Courtyard, Allerton House

The Lounge

Dining Room at Allerton Estate

Lounge, Carriage House

Fire Place - Reception Hall

Sun Room

Chinese Sun Room

Stable Library

Pine Room

The Lounge

Looking thru Sun room to Pool at Allerton

Terrace, Allerton House

Reception Hall looking S.

Dining Room

Residence West Elevation at Allerton Estate

Fover

Allerton House, reflection

Allerton - 69-2, Statuary

Chinese Fish

Sun Singer

Allerton Estate

Death of the Last Centaur

The Sphinx

Chinese Musician

Death of the Last Centaur

Shepherd

White Lady

Close-up, Sun Singer

The Faun

Shepherdess

Figure on Terrace, Allerton House

Gold Buddha

Cambodian God

Philpott Figure

Allerton Estate

Philpott Figure

Sicilian Lion

The Blue Dog

The Blue Dog

Albert Priebe

The Blue Dog

Looking West from Tower at Allerton

Dog of Fu, Korean

Diana

Ephebe

Picnic Grove

Sicilian Lion

Shepherdess

Elmer Priebe House

Robert Allerton House

Sun Singer

The Blue Dog

Lost Garden

Sun Singer - Distant View

The Sun Singer

Entrance to Estate at Allerton

Gold Buddha

Bacchus

Julius Caesar

Narcissus

The White Lady

Sun Singer - Distant View

Sphinx Profile

Lookout Tower, Garden of Blue Dogs

Chinese Musician

Garden Tower

The Sun Singer

Death of the Last Centaur

Japanese Gold Fish "Pair"

Japanese Gold Fish

So. End of Sunken Garden

Looking thru Garden from Entrance

Three Graces

New Orlean Summer House

The Blue Dog

Centaur

The Charioteer of Delphi

Allerton - 69-1, Garden & Woodland Scenes

Hedge Garden and Fish

Sun Singer

Lost Garden, looking South

Woodland Scene

Lost Garden

Landscape from Allerton House

Entrance to Garden

Entrance to Garden at Allerton

Proposed lake site at Allerton Estate

Woodland Scene

Woodland Scene

Lost Garden

Lost Garden

Statue of Adam

Looking down Garden of Blue Dogs

View into Vegetable Garden

Entrance to Residence Road

Flower Garden at Allerton Estate

Path to Centaur

Entrance, Vegetable Garden

Evergreen Lane to House

Indian Bluff

Path to Centaur

Road Entrance to Estate

Entrance to Greenhouse at Allerton Estate

Hamburg Maiden

Twin Elms

Gateway to Garden

Garden of Blue Dogs at Allerton Estate

Lost Garden

Garden of the Blue Dogs

Highway to Estate

Woodland Trail

Meadows

Steps to Centaur

Gold Fish Pond

Spring Garden House

Looking down two rows of Evergreens at Allerton

Proposed 4-H Club Playground at Allerton

Hedge Garden at Allerton Estate

Roadway over Bridge

Proposed 4-H Club Bldg. Site at Allerton

Allerton - 69-4. Snow Scenes

Allerton Estate (Sunken Garden)

Allerton Estate (Allerton House exterior)

Snow Scene at Allerton (House in the Woods)

Snow Scene at Allerton (trees and snow)

Allerton Estate (snowy path)

Snow Scene at Allerton (Fu Dogs in snow)

Allerton Estate (lake)

Allerton Estate (lake and Allerton House)

Snow Scene at Allerton (Fu Dog Garden)

Snow Scene at Allerton (snowy path)

Snow Scene at Allerton (snowy road)

Snow Scene at Allerton (snowy path)

Snow Scene at Allerton (entrance drive)

Snow Scene at Allerton (path and Allerton House exterior)

Allerton Estate (Fu Dog Garden)

Allerton Estate (Allerton House courtyard)

Allerton Estate (path and Allerton House exterior)

Allerton Estate (statue of Adam)

Snow Scene of Sun Singer

Allerton Estate (drive to Allerton House)

Snow Scene at Allerton (front terrace of Allerton House)

Snow Scene at Allerton (brick columns) Snow Scene at Allerton (snowy road)

Snow Scene at Allerton (trees and Allerton House exterior)

Snow Scene at Allerton (snowy road)

Allerton - 69-3, Other Buildings on the Allerton Estate

Evans House

Gate House

Gate House

Motel, Allerton Park

Gate House

Buckingham House

Gate House

Greenhouses

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