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Cary C. Burford Papers, 1930-60

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Box 1:

Personal Correspondence (1950-59, 1960) related to the Illinois State Historical Society and the Illinois State Archaeological Society and articles and books on the history of passenger trains in Illinois, including publications on The Chatsworth Wreck, The History and Romance of Danville Junction, "Abe Lincoln a Vast Future" and We're Loyal to You, Illinois. Correspondents include Bruce Catton, MacKinlay Kantor, Lloyd Morey, Timothy Swain, Mrs. Paul Douglas, David P. Henry, Claude V. Stone, Charles H. Coleman, Dan Morse, Byron Knoblock, 1950-59, 1960 (2 folders)

Correspondence (1940-49) concerning the Illinois Archaeological Society, an address by Burford to the Kiwanis Club of Champaign-Urbana, "Abraham Lincoln and the Pioneer Railroads of the Central West" (Edward A. DeGroot, Jr. to C. C. Burford, July 29, 1949) and a publication of the same name. Correspondents include Donald O. Boudeman, Sr., The Library of Social Sciences of the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R., requesting the quarterly of the Illinois State Archaeological Society (1946), the Mark Twain Association (1941) concerning article by Burford on John Hay and Paul Angle (September 22, 1942).

Correspondence (1930-39) concerning a lecture tour by C. C. Burford including a letter from Sir Harold Bellman of the Abbey Road Building Society (June 3, 1937).

Undated correspondence concerning the Illinois Archaeological Society.

Class Reunion, Correspondence (1954) concerning the 1904 class reunion including a letter from Lloyd Morey, invitation list and partial list of those who attended.

Correspondence from alumni concerning the 1949 reunion of the class of 1904 including a list of alumni

Correspondence - class reunion, 1944

Box 2:

Manuscripts, 1960, notes and correspondence concerning Santa Claus, Indiana.

Manuscripts concerning heart disease, Indian history, early history of the Lincoln Family and Mark Twain's childhood.

Papers on the history of the U.S. flag, historical attractions of Indiana, Indian history, historic attractions of Crawfordsville and Covington, Indiana and the history of Galesburg and Knox College.

Printed newspaper articles and editorials published in The Daily Illini (1954-57) about historical figures connected with the University of Illinois.

Newspaper articles and editorials (ca. 1935-60) on local history, much of which was written when Burford was on Illinois Civil War Centennial Commission in 1960, including articles on Burford by others and information on the University of Illinois.

Newspaper articles and editorials (ca. 1955 to 1958) about railroad stations in Farmer City during the heyday of the local passenger train; local passenger trains; figures prominent in the

university's history, e.g. Lloyd Morey, Albert Harding, Arthur Daniels, Arthur C. Willard and George Huff; University buildings and an announcement of Burford's talk on the Lincoln-Douglas Debate Centennial.

Printed Newspaper articles and editorials (1955-58) on figures important in university history (e.g. Nathan Ricker, Fred H. Turner, Rexford Newcomb, Lorado Taft, Cyrus E. Palmer and Allan Nevins) and buildings on the university campus such as Morrow Hall and the Gym Annex.

Clippings on the university, archaeology, alumni, 1955-56.

Membership - Illini History Club, 1939; Retired Railway Employees, 1954.

Illinois State Archaeological Society Newsletter and Illinois State Historical, 1952-53, 1959-60.

Financial records, 1960; We're Loyal to You, Illinois (1952), on A. A. Harding and the University Band.

Box 3:

Post card book on Yellowstone Park, 1909; post cards of Palisades Interstate Park (1925), Lexington, Kentucky (1927), Santa Cruz, California (1956).

Photographs, ca. 1941-49 of historic sites, friends, railroad stations, cemeteries, state parks, Indians, artifacts.

Box 4:

Post cards on London - parts of England, France, Germany, 1900-10