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

**Manuscripts and Records**

**Denison, Jesse W.** Papers, 1854-1870s. ½ ft. Materials of this Iowa businessman, Baptist minister, and politician who, as an agent of the Providence Western Land Company (Rhode Island), helped settle Crawford County and founded the county seat that bears his name. The collection contains memorandum books, correspondence, deeds, contracts, and some financial documentation related to a soap works he operated at one time. DM.

**Iowans Care for Prisoners of War and Missing in Action, Inc.** Records, 1968-1979. Materials created and compiled by this organization, which originated as the Iowa affiliate of the National League of Families of American Prisoners and Missing in Southeast Asia, and incorporated in 1970 with the stated purpose of securing humane treatment for American prisoners of war. Collection includes literature and decals disseminated by Iowans Care and other activist groups to raise awareness of their cause; a run of *The Voice of POWs and MIAs*, a newsletter published by Voices in Vital America; and news clippings documenting the organization's activities and providing updates on Iowa soldiers who were imprisoned or missing. DM.

**Nagel Music Club (Des Moines).** Records, 1930s-1976. ¼ ft. Minutes and scrapbook of this women's music appreciation club founded by former pupils of Frank Nagel, pianist, composer, and former Dean of the Highland Park College of Music and Oratory (Des Moines). DM.

**Shauck, Cornelius.** Day book, 1858-1873. Record kept by Shauck, millwright and proprietor of the Hartford Flouring Mills, Warren County. Included are itemized business accounts, some of which detail materials and labor involved in constructing several mills and a schoolhouse; recipes for paints, stains, and varnishes; domestic accounts; and several poems of unknown authorship. DM.

**Stuart, William W.** 61 diaries, 1909-1970. 5 ft. Diaries kept by Des Moines electrical engineer and patent holder William W. Stuart, who began recording daily entries while training at the Westinghouse Electric Company in Pittsburgh and continued the practice until the day before his death in 1970. Content includes technical information related to his work as well as commentary on his leisure activities in Des Moines. DM.
Audio-Visual Materials

Ft. Dodge Creamery (Rosedale Dairy). One digital video disk obtained from 16mm black-and-white film (with audio), ca. 1950. 5 mins. Promotional film segment showing operations at the Rosedale Dairy (Ft. Dodge), including packaging of ice cream and Eskimo Pie® ice cream bars. Footage introduced and narrated by Edward J. Breen, owner of Ft. Dodge’s KVFD radio and KQTV television stations. DM.

Marken, DeLoss. Two digital video disks obtained from videocassette version of 16mm color and black-and-white film (with added audio). 2 hrs., 50 mins. Footage taken by Chaplain DeLoss Marken while serving with the 34th Infantry Division during World War II, documenting troop activities and local conditions in Ireland, England, Northern Africa, and Italy. Includes oral commentary added by Marken when the original film was transferred to video. DM.

Talle, Henry O. One digital video disk obtained from 16mm black-and-white film (no audio). August 24, 1957. 5 mins. Footage showing Iowa Congressman Henry O. Talle at decommissioning ceremony for the U.S.S. Iowa (IV) at the U.S. Navy Yards, Norfolk, Virginia. Talle, a U.S. Navy veteran of World War I, is shown meeting ship’s Captain Julian Becton, reviewing the Marine honor guard, addressing the crowd, and touring the ship.

Published Materials


A Bill for an Iowa Public Service Commission, by Clarence M. Updegraff. 1952. Reprint. Iowa City: University of Iowa, [195-?]. 43 pp. IC.


Capitol of Iowa, by W. A. Duckworth. Des Moines, 1913. 24 pp. DM.


Ford or Pullman, by C. H. Claudy. Washington, DC: National Highways Association, 1922. 12 pp. Pamphlet arguing that travel by car is cheaper than by train. IC.

Fossils of Iowa. Iowa City: Iowa Dept. of Natural Resources, Geological Survey Bureau, 2001. 1 sheet. IC.


Iowa, The Hawkeye State. Des Moines: Iowa Dept. of History and Archives, 1946. 8 pp. DM.

Iowa Bird Study. Des Moines: Iowa Department of Natural Resources, 1989. 16 pp. A complete list of the birds of Iowa and the relative abundance of each species. DM.


Iowa Day for the Public Schools of the State, by B. W. Hoadley for the Department of Public Instruction. Des Moines: State Printer, 1916. 160 pp. DM, IC.

Iowa Facts. Des Moines: The State House, 1933. 24 pp. DM.


Iowa Inventors Hall of Fame Official Iowa Inventors Trading Cards, by Mike Condon. [Des Moines]: State Historical Society of Iowa, 2001/02. IC.

Iowa Synod of the Lutheran Church in America. N.p., n.d. 16 pp. IC.


Jacob Shuck and Susannah Jones Shuck: A Life that Spanned a Nation, compiled by Lynda Ott. Sammamish, WA, [1999]. 68 pp. Account of a couple that followed the frontier from Pennsylvania to Kentucky to Indiana, to Iowa to Oregon. DM.


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*One Hundred Years with Evangelicals in Iowa*, by Leonard E. Deaver. Story City: Historical Society of the Iowa Conference, Evangelical Church, 1944. 53 pp. IC.


Reconsideration of the Extent and Setting of Fort Des Moines No. 2 (13PK61), Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, by William E. Whittaker et al. Iowa City: University of Iowa, Office of the State Archaeologist, 2005. 18 pp. DM, IC.


Rivers and Lakes of Iowa. Iowa City: Iowa Department of Natural Resources, Geological Survey Bureau, 2001. IC.


Sny Magill Nonpoint Source Pollution Monitoring Project: Final Report, by C. L. Fields et al. [Iowa City]: Iowa Dept. of Natural Resources, [2005]. 39 pp. IC.


Soils of Iowa, by P. E. Brown. Ames: Agricultural Experiment Station, Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, 1936. 261 pp. DM.


Topographic Relief of Iowa. Iowa City: Iowa Department of Natural Resource, Geological Survey Bureau, 2001. IC.


Trends and Variations in Local Finances: The Case of Iowa Counties, by Deil S. Wright. Iowa City: Institute of Public Affairs, University of Iowa, 1965. x, 113 pp. DM, IC.


Welcome Aboard: Discovering Wisconsin’s Maritime Trails. [Madison]: Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources, 2005. 4 pp. IC.


