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Manuscript Collection

Willis J. Spaulding Papers, 1890-1937

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Box 1

Folders

"The Story of the City Records, Compiled in Honor of the Dedication of Lake Springfield and Spaulding Dam," by Helen V. C. Blankmeyer [typescript carbon, unnumbered pages, inscribed "Property of V. Y. Dallman, Springfield, Illinois"]

History of the Springfield city government and development of city services -- parks, water, electricity, gas, streetcars -- 1821 - 1935

"Lake Springfield Dedication Celebration," July 12, 1935

Letter from William Dodd Chenery to Willis J. Spaulding thanking Spaulding for loan of "The Story of the City Records."

Program of the Springfield Centennial Pageant (1837 - 1937), inscribed "To Springfield's Premier Benefactor, Willis J. Spaulding, from the author, William Dodd Chenery"

Xerograph of "The Story of the City Records"

Biographical matter on Willis J. Spaulding

Box 2

Folders

Pencil-written notes by Georgia Ann Saylor* on news stories in *Illinois State Register*, 1890-1899

Notes by Saylor, 1900-1903

Notes by Saylor, 1904-1908

Notes by Saylor, 1909-1913

Notes by Saylor, 1914-1915

Subject index to Saylor's notes by Dean DeBolt, 1974

*Used by Blankmeyer in compiling "The Story of the City Records"