

Accession #1988-01
Ruth Kellogg Collection
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Background Information:

Ruth Elizabeth Kellogg was a Davenport, Iowa native, born 12Nov1909 and dying 12June1988. She was Director of Elkhart, Indiana Public Library from 1950-1976.

Ruth was a daughter of Henry Kellogg and Emma Heede, who were married in Davenport 22 October 1907. They set up housekeeping at 55 Glenwood in Davenport, Iowa. Henry is listed in the 1909 city directory as a storekeeper at Axle Co. Emma appears to be a daughter of Jacob Heede who resided at 1439 Marshall St. in Davenport in the city directories.

Folder 1

***12 Installments of Harry Hansen's "A Davenport Boyhood"

published May 1956 in the Davenport newspaper *The Daily Times*

"The Iowa Historical Society, Iowa City, which holds the copyright, has given special permission for the Times to reprint the fascinating story of early-day Davenport which appears in the April issue of *The Palimpsest*, official publication of the Society."

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| Part 1 A Davenport Boyhood!—Memoirs of Harry Hansen | Friday May 4, 1956 |
| Part 2 1890 Homes—Harry Hansen's Memoirs (photo of annual Vogelschiessen or bird shooting celebration) | no visible date |
| Part 3 Hansen recalls parades | no visible date |
| Part 4 A Boy's Horizon Widens—Hansen's Memoirs, Part 4 | Tues. May 8, 1956 |
| Part 5 When Principal of DHS Rode His Bike to Work | no visible date |
| Part 6 Davenport's Culture Changes | Thur. May 10, 1956 |
| Part 7 Music Appreciation Grows, Davenport gets the Movies | Fri. May 11, 1956 |
| Part 8 Steamboats 'Round Bend | Sat. May 12, 1956 |
| Part 9 A Boy Investigates the Courthouse Tower (photos School No. 8 at 4 th and Ripley Street; J. B. Young) | Mon. May 14, 1956 |
| Part 10 Book Arrangement Brings Librarian Post; Reading Is Youths' Pastime | Tues. May 15, 1956 |
| Part 11 The World of Reading (photos of Susan Glaspell, George Cram Cook, Alice French) | Wed. May 16, 1956 |
| Part 12 From Carrier to Writer (photo of Charles Daly, friend) | no visible date |

Churches, Long Neighbors, Move to Kimberly Rd. Sites (photo 10th & Perry St. of Unitarian Church and Edwards Congregational Church) By Virginia Davisson
The Daily Times p.19 Tues. April 24, 1956

***clippings were disposed of and information added to Procite Newspaper Database

small newsclipping with no date regarding Harry Hansen memoir series-saved

typed copy of document dated December 8, 1941-not signed-12 pages long
"Offer and Plan for the Deposit, with certain trustees, of undivided interests in the assets formerly owned by The Bettendorf Company (Niwde Company)"

Davenport High School "B" Class Programme, March 24th, 1899
"An Hour with the Story Tellers" lists 13 participants and the music or recitation printed on goldenrod paper

Original mortgage dated 1July1909 between Henry Kellogg and Emma H. Kellogg his wife and McClellan Heights Building Co.
\$3,000 for Lot number 36 in Block number 3 of McClellan Heights 1st addition to City of Davenport, Scott County, IA

Original satisfaction of Mortgage dated 10October1927 from Union Savings Bank & Trust Co. of Davenport Iowa for property above.

Original statement from Boston Store and Harned Von-Maur
Dated 28June1907 Stamped as paid 2Jul1907
Miss Emma Heede
1439 Marshall St. City
for toweling, towels, napkins, linen and pattern cloth
\$52.05

Contemporary Club paper by Seth Temple on Camp McClellan Oct. 22, 1927 in original mailing envelope with 2 cent stamp from Seth J. Temple to Mr. Henry Kellogg 55 Glenwood Avenue

Train ticket envelope
-no contents

Rock Island train ticket envelope
Kellogg Fare \$157.94
Contents:
Receipt "Ship and travel via Santa Fe"
Pullman Company ticket Chicago Ill. To San Francisco dated June 26, 1947

Photocopy of Ruth Kellogg obituary (no citation) Died Sunday, June 12, 1988
Librarian/Director Elkhart (Indiana) Public Library 1950-1976
Native of Davenport, Iowa
Born 12Nov1909

Folder 2

8 x 10" b/w reprint of 2 images of house; notation on back "55 Glenwood Ave.
Davenport, Iowa taken 1907-08?"

4 original prints 2 ½ x 4"; b/w; notation on envelope "pictures of 55 Glenwood"

items already in folder labeled "Brownie camera negatives 55 Glenwood Mother –
Dad"

Folder 3

World War II Ration Books

Book one, two, three and four-two of each
2 small tins with extra stamps and a ration point
application for sugar for home canning-blank
news clipping re: sugar stamp

Envelope 4

Davenport Bank and Trust Company

3 Savings account books for Ruth E. Kellogg and Mrs. Emma Kellogg with dates
from 1930's and 1940's

Envelope 5

German Savings Bank of Davenport, Iowa

Savings account book for Emma Heede 1439 Marshall St. City
1901-1905 stamped as cashed out September 1906

American Commercial and Savings Bank Davenport, Iowa

Savings account book for Emma H. Kellogg
1928-1931

Union Savings Bank and Trust Company

Blank and in excellent condition

"The Dime Saver: Self Computing For the exclusive use of ... For deposit only in
Union Savings Bank and Trust Company: A strong Bank: Third & Brady"

Slots inside for 30 dimes

"My War Bond Record: Compliments of Hill and Fredericks Mortuary Brady Street at 13th Davenport, Iowa"

no name, but bond numbers and values recorded

small booklet

small booklet "W. R. Weir, Davenport, Iowa Agent for The Old Connecticut Fire Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn."

recording travel expenses and brief notes for a trip for "Emma and Freda"

title page: Emma Heede 1439 Marshall St. Davenport, Iowa

In case of accident notify H. T. Schmidt-Electrician Davenport, Iowa"

Folder 6

1933 Silver Jubilee badge for Ruth E. Kellogg of Elkhart, Indiana

gold ribbon with black '33 and a small round pin with image of old capital on it and words "State University of Iowa Iowa City"

Card-University of Iowa Alumni Association Life Member for Ruth E. Kellogg

Bookmark? About 4 inches long with red carnation at top and can of Carnation Cream on bottom with words: "Souvenir of the Lewis & Clark Exposition 1905 Compliments of Pacific Coast Cond. Milk Co., Seattle, Wash. U.S.A.

Manufacturers of the Celebrated Carnation Cream The cream of creams.

A full pint can."

Pillsbury's Best Flour – small brown kraft paper envelope with handwriting in pen

"Happy Happy be thy days to come. To Miss Emma"

There is more writing but some missing because paper in such bad shape

Business Card "Geo. J. Reichel Photographer Postoffice Wawona, Cal.

Wawona Tree circumference 80 feet Height 265 feet Mariposa grove of big trees" photo of giant tree with opening cut in it and man on horse posed in front

Card and sticker: 25 cents for 1 full year of Country Gentleman

Mailing address to Mrs. Henry Kellogg

55 Glenwood Avenue Davenport Iowa

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Card: "Quick as a wink! Yellow Pages of your telephone Book-NW Bell" photo of a cat winking. Blotter type paper/card

2 Animal Cards from National Biscuit Shredded Wheat

"Tony Sarg's Animal Circus: In every package of National Biscuit Shredded Wheat are 3 Animal Cards. After coloring them with crayons, show them to your Mother or Teacher. Punch holes through circles and tie together. Ask Mother to get more "National Biscuit Shredded Wheat," the original Niagara Falls product, so you can get all 35 cards."

Cartoon type drawing in blue ink

Number 9 Elephants

Number 32 Bucking bronco and monkey

These are in excellent condition and have no coloring or writing on the front.

There are pencil figures on the back.

Card with "An Indian Prayer" printed on front. Back says "...sent to you as a gift from the Sioux Indian children of Red Cloud Indian School, Pine Ridge, South Dakota."