

A decorative lantern with intricate cutouts and a string of dark beads. The lantern is illuminated from within, casting a warm glow. It has a tiered, conical top and a square body with ornate patterns. A string of dark, round beads lies on the surface in front of the lantern.

Getting Real:

Cataloging Realia

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Definition

- **Realia:** “All naturally occurring objects and any other three-dimensional item made or modified by humans that does not fit into any of the other categories. Use for machines, stitchery, clothing, rubber stamps, templates, pattern stencils, alphabets for lettering, shapes for flowcharts, jewelry, pottery, musical instruments, fabrics, tools, utensils, sea shells, rocks, holograms, and furniture” —OCLC Bibliographic Formats and Standards.



Preferred Source of Title

- RDA requires that a preferred source of information be chosen. For objects, the preferred source of information may come from any number of locations.
- **Best Practice Recommendation:** Always make a note on the source of title.
- **Best Practice Recommendation:** Always indicate when information that comes from outside the resource itself for transcription elements other than the title proper. This may be done through notes or square brackets.
- **Best Practice Recommendation:** With an eye towards future cataloging systems and standards, we encourage using the MARC 588 field to record notes on sources of information since it is a more specific and structured field. However, we recognize that not all catalogs may be configured to support display of the 588.



Distinction that keeps cropping up

Human-made


Naturally-occurring

Has a producer, publisher, etc.

No producer or publisher

Has a date

No date determinable, other than date collected



Red Cross 1918 Roll of Honor Quilt

Title: *Red Cross 1918* roll of honor quilt.

Format: Two Dimensional Nonprojected Graphic, Three Dimensional Object (Artifact), Visual Materials

Publisher, Date: 1918.

Produced by: 1918.

Description: 1 quilt : muslin, color ; 202 x 238 cm
muslin.
202 x 238 cm.
ink
thread.
muslin.

Summary: Quilt in honor of the soldiers of Grayville, Illinois made of unbleached muslin with a diamond pattern and narrow red binding. Quilt back is of solid unbleached muslin. Includes panels with names, Red Cross emblem, quilt title, and date hand appliquéd. Includes 960 local citizen's names who contributed funds for placement of names on quilt.

Subjects: Quilts -- Illinois -- Grayville.
Soldiers -- Illinois -- Grayville.

Other Author: Tinkham, W. D., letterer.
Jordan, Martha, donor, contributor.
Grayville Ladies (Grayville, Ill.), creator.

Notes: "June 1918."
Hand lettered by W. D. Tinkham (professional letterer) of Lacon, Illinois in red, fast color ink.
Quilt was auctioned to highest bidder with proceeds going to local Red Cross Society.
Gift; Martha "Marty" Jordan.
Purchase at auction; Mildred Green Estate.
Title from quilt.

Other Number: 1237655612

Control Number: 3815489

Red Cross 1918 Roll of Honor Quilt



Red Cross Quilt, Fixed-Field Elements

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Red Cross Quilt, MARC Fields, 007- 340

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049			IHIA
245	0	0	Red Cross 1918 roll of honor quilt.
264		0	‡c 1918.
300			1 quilt : ‡b muslin, color ; ‡c 202 x 238 cm
336			three-dimensional form ‡b tdf ‡2 rdacontent
337			unmediated ‡b n ‡2 rdamedia
337			unspecified ‡b z ‡2 rdamedia
338			object ‡b nr ‡2 rdacarrier
338			unspecified ‡b zu ‡2 rdacarrier
340			‡b 202 x 238 cm.
340			‡c ink ‡2 rdamat
340			‡c thread.
340			‡e muslin.



Red Cross Quilt, MARC Fields, 5XX-700

588	0		Title from quilt.
500			"June 1918."
500			Hand lettered by W. D. Tinkham (professional letterer) of Lacon, Illinois in red, fast color ink.
500			Quilt was auctioned to highest bidder with proceeds going to local Red Cross Society.
520			Quilt in honor of the soldiers of Grayville, Illinois made of unbleached muslin with a diamond pattern and narrow red binding. Quilt back is of solid unbleached muslin. Includes panels with names, Red Cross emblem, quilt title, and date hand appliquéd. Includes 960 local citizen's names who contributed funds for placement of names on quilt.
541	1		‡c Gift; ‡a Martha "Marty" Jordan.
541			‡c Purchase at auction; ‡f Mildred Green Estate.
650	0		Quilts ‡z Illinois ‡z Grayville .
650	0		Soldiers ‡z Illinois ‡z Grayville .
650		7	Quilts. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01085804
650		7	Soldiers. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01125233
651		7	Illinois ‡z Grayville. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01237718
700	1		Tinkham, W. D., ‡e letterer.
700	1		Jordan, Martha, ‡e donor, ‡e contributor.
710	2		Grayville Ladies (Grayville, Ill.), ‡e creator.



Centennial celebration Dixon, Illinois, 1830-1930

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Summary

No Content Available

Title

Centennial celebration Dixon, Illinois, 1830-1930

Subjects

[Lincoln, Abraham, -- 1809-1865 -- Medals.](#)

[Airports -- Illinois -- Dixon -- Medals.](#)

Notes

1 medal (3 cm) with image of Abraham Lincoln as a soldier on one side and an airplane on the opposite side, affixed to a pin and a red, white and blue ribbon.

Summary

Medal of Abraham Lincoln commemorating the centennial anniversary of Dixon, Illinois and the dedication of the Dixon municipal airport in 1930.

Length

1 medal ;

Alternate Titles

Title on back of medal: Dedication of municipal airport, Dixon, Illinois, 1930.

Centennial
Celebration,
Dixon, Medal,
Front view



Centennial Celebration, Dixon Medal, Back View



Centennial celebration Dixon, Illinois, 1830-1930

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Dates	1930						

Centennial Celebration, MARC Fields, 007- 338

007			z ‡b u
040			VICSF ‡b eng ‡e rda ‡c VICSF ‡d VICSF ‡d OCLCO ‡d OCLCF ‡d VICSF ‡d IHI
043			n-us-il
082	0	4	737.2220977336 ‡2 23
049			IHIA
245	0	0	Centennial celebration Dixon, Illinois, 1830-1930.
246	1		‡i Title on back of medal: ‡a Dedication of municipal airport, Dixon, Illinois, 1930
264		0	‡c [1930?]
300			1 medal ; ‡c in display box 15 x 15 x 3 cm
336			three-dimensional form ‡b tdf ‡2 rdacontent
337			unmediated ‡b n ‡2 rdamedia
337			unspecified ‡2 rdamedia
338			object ‡b nr ‡2 rdacarrier
338			unspecified ‡b zu ‡2 rdacarrier

Centennial Celebration, MARC Fields, 340-655

340			‡b 15 x 15 x 3 cm.
340			‡c metal ‡2 rdamat
588	0		Title from front of medal.
500			1 medal (3 cm) with image of Abraham Lincoln as a soldier on one side and an airplane on the opposite side, affixed to a pin and a red, white and blue ribbon.
520			Medal of Abraham Lincoln commemorating the centennial anniversary of Dixon, Illinois and the dedication of the Dixon municipal airport in 1930.
545			Abraham Lincoln served as a volunteer in the Illinois Militia April 21, 1832 - July 10, 1832, during the Black Hawk War. Lincoln never saw combat during his tour but was elected captain of his first company. He was also present in the aftermath of two of the war's battles, where he helped to bury the militia dead.
600	1	0	Lincoln, Abraham . ‡d 1809-1865 ‡x Medals .
651		0	Dixon (Ill.) ‡x Centennial celebrations, etc. ‡x Medals .
650		0	Airports ‡z Illinois ‡z Dixon ‡x Medals .
600	1	7	Lincoln, Abraham, ‡d 1809-1865. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst00030184
650		7	Medals. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01013537
651		7	Illinois ‡z Dixon. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01217732
655		0	Medals.



Lincoln Button and Coin

Lincoln button and coin.

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Summary

No Content Available

Title

Lincoln button and coin.

Subjects

[Lincoln, Abraham, -- 1809-1865.](#)

[Campaign buttons -- United States.](#)

[Campaign buttons -- Specimens.](#)

[Coins -- United States -- Specimens.](#)

[Political campaigns -- United States.](#)

[Presidents -- United States -- Election -- 1860.](#)

Notes

Collection contains 1 metal button of Abraham Lincoln produced by Bastian Bros. in Rochester, New York and 1 large copper penny (replica) with Abraham Lincoln produced in 1965.

Length

1 button, 1 coin

Lincoln Button and Coin, Front View



Lincoln Button and Coin, Back View



Lincoln Button and Coin, Fixed-Field Elements

OCLC	1240362907	No holdings in IHI - no other holdings										
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Desc	i	TMat	r	Tech	n	DtSt	m	Dates	1860	,	1965	

Lincoln Button and Coin, MARC Fields, 007- 588

007			z ‡b z
007			z ‡b u
040			VICSF ‡b eng ‡e rda ‡c VICSF ‡d VICSF ‡d OCLCO ‡d OCLCF
043			n-us---
082	0	4	973.7 ‡2 23
090			‡b
049			IHIA
245	0	0	Lincoln button and coin.
264		1	[United States?] : ‡b [publisher not identified], ‡c [1860?]-1965.
300			1 button, 1 coin : ‡b metal ; ‡c 2-4 cm, in case 10 x 10 x 3 cm
336			three-dimensional form ‡b tdf ‡2 rdacontent
337			unmediated ‡b n ‡2 rdamedia
337			unspecified ‡b z ‡2 rdamedia
338			object ‡b nr ‡2 rdacarrier
338			unspecified ‡b zu ‡2 rdacarrier
340			‡b 2-4 cm, in case 10 x 10 x 3 cm.
340			‡c metal ‡2 rdamat
340			‡3 button ‡e lacquer ‡2 rdamat
588			Title devised by cataloger.


Lincoln Button and Coin, MARC Fields, 500- 655

500			Collection contains 1 metal button of Abraham Lincoln produced by Bastian Bros. in Rochester, New York and 1 large copper penny (replica) with Abraham Lincoln produced in 1965.
600	1	0	Lincoln, Abraham . ‡d 1809-1865 .
650		0	Campaign buttons ‡z United States .
650		0	Campaign buttons ‡v Specimens .
650		0	Coins ‡z United States ‡v Specimens .
650		0	Political campaigns ‡z United States .
650		0	Presidents ‡z United States ‡x Election ‡y 1860.
600	1	7	Lincoln, Abraham, ‡d 1809-1865. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst00030184
650		7	Campaign buttons. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01758719
650		7	Coins. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst00866649
650		7	Political campaigns. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01069212
650		7	Presidents ‡x Election. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01075747
651		7	United States. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01204155
648		7	1860 ‡2 fast
655		0	Campaign buttons.
655		0	Money.
655		7	Specimens. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01423861


Eller and Willey Block Company Christmas Ornament

Eller and Willey Block Company Christmas Ornament.

Publisher: Chicago, Illinois : Jannes Assoc., [between 1950 and 1960?]

Edition/Format:  Image : Real object : English

Summary: Paper Christmas ornament to be folded into a hanging ornament by a yellow ribbon.

Rating: ☆☆☆☆☆ (not yet rated)  0 with reviews - Be the first.

Subjects [Christmas tree ornaments -- Illinois -- Dixon.](#)
[Christmas tree ornaments.](#)
[Illinois -- Dixon.](#)

Eller and Willey Block Company Christmas Ornament, Red Panel



Eller and Willey
Block Company
Christmas
Ornament, Blue
Panel



Christmas Ornament, Fixed-Field Elements

[OCLC](#) 1220950949 No holdings in VI# - 1 other holding

Visual Materials		Rec stat	c	Entered	20201116	Replaced	20211018142116.9				
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Christmas Tree Ornament, MARC Fields, 007-588

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019			1220951023
043			n-us-il
082	0	4	745.594/12 ‡2 23
090			‡b
049			IHIA
245	0	0	Eller and Willey Block Company Christmas Ornament.
264		1	Chicago, Illinois : ‡b Jannes Assoc., ‡c [between 1950 and 1960?]
300			1 specimen : ‡b paper ; ‡c 14 x 8 cm; folded to 7 x 10 cm
336			three-dimensional form ‡b tdf ‡2 rdacontent
337			unmediated ‡b n ‡2 rdamedia
337			unspecified ‡b z ‡2 rdamedia
338			object ‡b nr ‡2 rdacarrier
338			unspecified ‡b zu ‡2 rdacarrier
588			Title devised by cataloger.




Christmas Tree Ornament, MARC Fields, 500-651

500		"Sincerest seasons' greetings" on one of the panels and "Eller & Willey Block Co., Dixon, Illinois" on another panel.
520		Paper Christmas ornament to be folded into a hanging ornament by a yellow ribbon.
650	0	Christmas tree ornaments ‡z Illinois ‡z Dixon .
650	7	Christmas tree ornaments. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst00859899
651	7	Illinois ‡z Dixon. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01217732



Dixon, The Petunia City: Illinois, Land of Lincoln

Dixon "the Petunia City" : Illinois "Land of Lincoln."

Publisher: [Place of publication not identified] : [publisher not identified], [Place of manufacture not identified] : [manufacturer not identified], [between 1951 and 2019?] [between 1951 and 2019?]

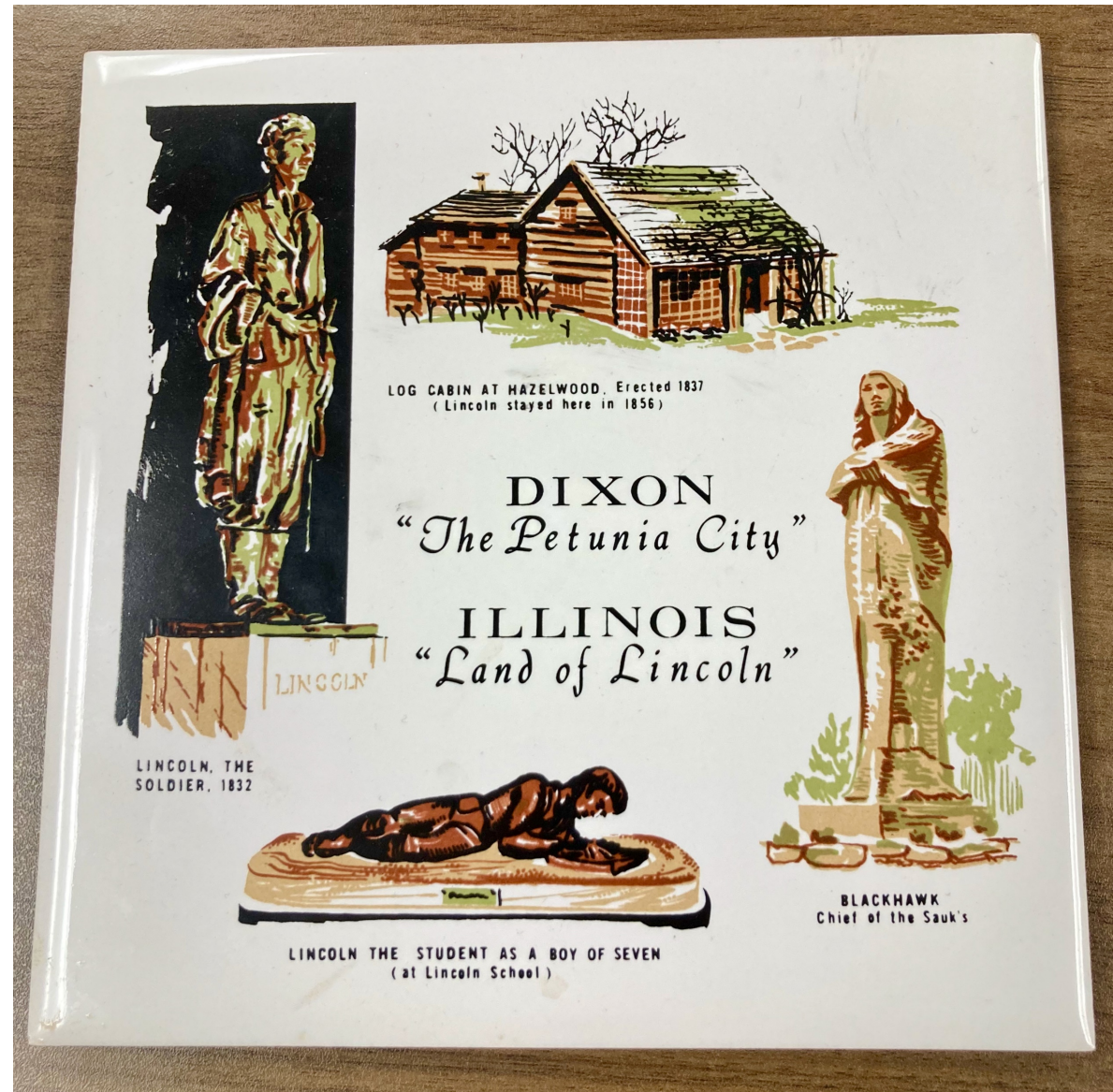
Edition/Format:  Object : Real object : No Linguistic Content

Summary: 1 ceramic tile of sites in Dixon, Illinois. The sites depicted are a log cabin where Abraham Lincoln stayed in 1856; a statue of Lincoln, the soldier, 1832; sculpture of Lincoln, the student as a boy of seven at Lincoln School; and a statue of Black Hawk, chief of the Sauks. The back of the ceramic tile is cork with a hanger for hanging on a wall.

Rating:  (not yet rated)  0 with reviews - Be the first.

Subjects [Lincoln, Abraham, -- 1809-1865.](#)
[Black Hawk, -- Sauk chief, -- 1767-1838.](#)
[Dixon \(Ill.\)](#)

Dixon, Petunia City, Ceramic Tile



Dixon, Petunia City Ceramic Tile History

The Nachusa Hotel is the 11th oldest hotel in continuous operation in the United States. Foundation laid in 1837. Panic of 1838 stopped construction. Completed in 1853. South wing added in 1915. Remodeled and refurbished by the late Mabel S. Shaw in 1955. Purchased by Mr. Walter Williamson of Rockford in March 1966. Abraham Lincoln, Jefferson Davis, U. S. Grant were but a few of the notables who stayed there.

The first Memorial Arch was erected of wood by Dixon Post #12, American Legion, with help of Dixon citizens, in memory of those who gave their lives during the first World War. In 1949 it was replaced by a concrete and steel arch as a permanent memorial to those of both wars; \$8000 cost contributed by the Post and citizens. Dedicated and presented to the city on Armistice Day 1949. Rebuilt in 1965 with the widening of Galena Avenue.

The Petunia plantings were started by the Men's Garden Club in 1960. 11,500 Pink Magic Petunias line the main north-south highway through the city. Dixon is known as "The Petunia City". Thousands attend the Annual Petunia Festival during the July 4th holiday.

Beyond the petunias is the Peonia Ave. bridge located near the site of Ogee's Ferry later purchased by Father Dixon in 1830.

History of the hotel and arch from the May 1, 1951 Centennial Edition of the Dixon Evening Telegraph. A1-1550

Dixon, the Petunia City, Fixed-Field Elements

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Dixon the Petunia City, MARC Fields, 007- 338

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049			IHIA
245	0	0	Dixon "the Petunia City" : ‡b Illinois "Land of Lincoln."
246	3	0	Illinois "Land of Lincoln"
264		1	[Place of publication not identified] : ‡b [publisher not identified], ‡c [between 1951 and 2019?]
264		3	[Place of manufacture not identified] : ‡b [manufacturer not identified], ‡c [between 1951 and 2019?]
300			1 ceramic tile ; ‡c 16 x 16 x 1 cm
336			three-dimensional form ‡b tdf ‡2 rdacontent
337			unmediated ‡b n ‡2 rdamedia
337			unspecified ‡b z ‡2 rdamedia
338			object ‡b nr ‡2 rdacarrier
338			unspecified ‡b zu ‡2 rdacarrier

Dixon the Petunia City, MARC Fields, 340-520

340			ceramic ÷2 rdamat
340			÷b 16 x 16 x 1 cm.
340			÷c ceramic ÷2 rdamat
340			÷d stamping ÷2 rdapm
340			÷e ceramic ÷2 rdamat
340			÷g color.
380			Pottery ÷2 lcgft
588	0		Title from ceramic tile.
500			Ceramic tile manufactured not before 1951.
520			1 ceramic tile of sites in Dixon, Illinois. The sites depicted are a log cabin where Abraham Lincoln stayed in 1856; a statue of Lincoln, the soldier, 1832; sculpture of Lincoln, the student as a boy of seven at Lincoln School; and a statue of Black Hawk, chief of the Sauks. The back of the ceramic tile is cork with a hanger for hanging on a wall.

Dixon the Petunia City, MARC Fields, 600-655

600	1	0	Lincoln, Abraham , ‡d 1809-1865 .
600	0	0	Black Hawk , ‡c Sauk chief , ‡d 1767-1838 .
651		0	Dixon (Ill.)
600	0	7	Black Hawk, ‡c Sauk chief, ‡d 1767-1838. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst00036663
600	1	7	Lincoln, Abraham, ‡d 1809-1865. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst00030184
651		7	Illinois ‡z Dixon. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst01217732
655		7	Pottery. ‡2 fast ‡0 (OCoLC)fst02003982
655		7	Pottery . ‡2 lcgft



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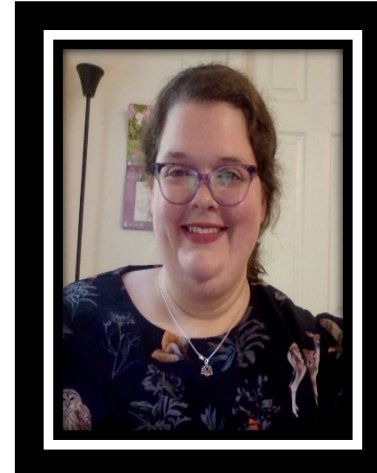
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