

Getting To Know You: Special Collections In Your Library

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TOPICS FOR TODAY

- What is a special collection?
- How do I submit my special collection items for cataloging?
 - Examples of records created with a brief discussion of MARC fields that are found in these records.

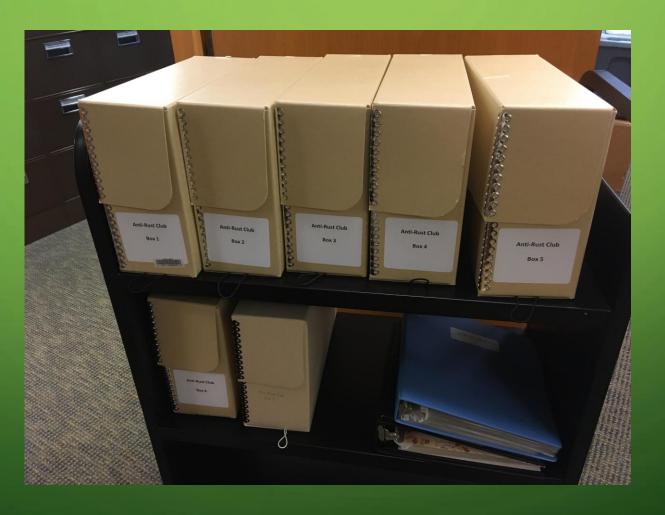
WHAT IS A SPECIAL COLLECTION?

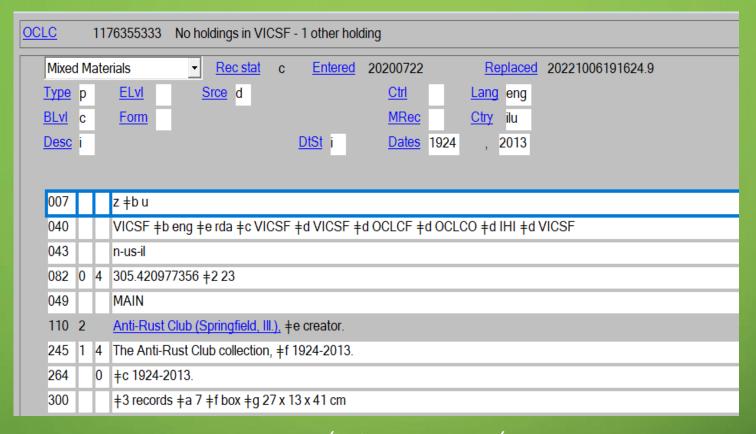
- A special collection consists of materials that cover a specific topic, theme, or area of interest. These materials are shelved together in a group.
- The Society of American Archivists states that, "unlike materials stored in an institutional archives, special collections materials generally are acquired from outside the institution, either by purchase or by donation."
- What can you put in your special collection? Anything you want!

SUBMITTING ITEMS TO THE CMC • Send items to the CMC. • Email. • CMC cataloger can do a site visit and come to your library. • Libraries can submit a collection that is "complete" or individual items that will be added to an existing collection.

LINCOLNLIBRARY

Anti-Rust Club





www.oclc.org/bibformats/en.htm

Subfields			
≠a Category of material	A one-character alphabetic code that indicates the category of material to which the item belongs is unspecified.		
	z	Unspecified. The category of material to which the item belongs is unspecified, which means that the item is not identified by one of the other 007 code values or that its multiple physical forms are not being specifically denoted (for instance, when the item in hand is a collection containing different material categories and an institution chooses not to input separate 007 fields for the various components).	
± b Specific material designation	A one-character alphabeti	c code that describes the special class of material (usually the class of physical object) to which an item belongs.	
designation	m	Multiple physical forms. Multiple physical forms are involved.	
	u	Unspecified. The physical form of the item is not specified.	
	z	Other. None of the other codes is appropriate.	

500	Staples and paper clips were removed. Fragile paper and photos from the 1994 100th anniversary celebration photo album were placed in clear archival sleeves. Original album's front and back covers were preserved, mounted onto new 3-ring binder. Loose leaf papers were taken out of binders and placed in archival folders.
506	Collection is open for research.
524	The Anti-Rust Club Collection, Sangamon Valley Collection, Lincoln Library, Springfield, Illinois. 1 box.
540	Requests for permission to publish materials from the collection must be submitted in writing to the director of the Sangamon Valley Collection.
541 1	‡c Gift; ‡a Nancy Chapin.
545	The Anti-Rust Club first began in the United States in the late 19th century; a literary forum for women, its motto is excerpted from a Robert Browning work "Just so much work as keeps the brain from rust, Just so much play as lets the heart expand." The Springfield chapter of the Anti-Rust Club began in February 1894. At each meeting a member presented a paper and current events were discussed. The last meeting of each year was known as "Gala Day" and often had its own theme.
546	Collection materials are in English.
561	Collection donated to the Lincoln Library, 326 South Seventh Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701.
555	Finding aid is available online.
520	The collection consists of chapter meeting minutes October 1924-October 2013, Attendance and Treasurer's Report 1924-1995, Secretary's Book 1910-1914, Yearly Program Calendars 1894-2004, Monthly Program Papers 1911, 1940s-1996, Gala Day materials 2000s-2010s, Club constitution, membership materials, chapter history materials, 100th Anniversary photo album and audio cassette tape.

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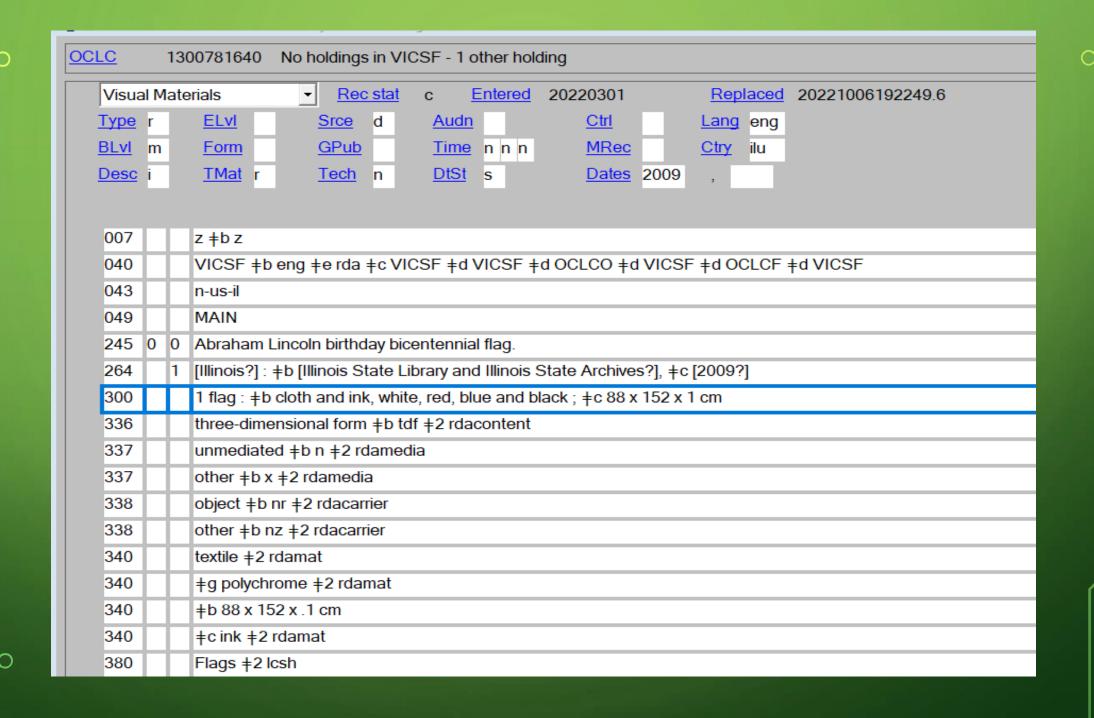
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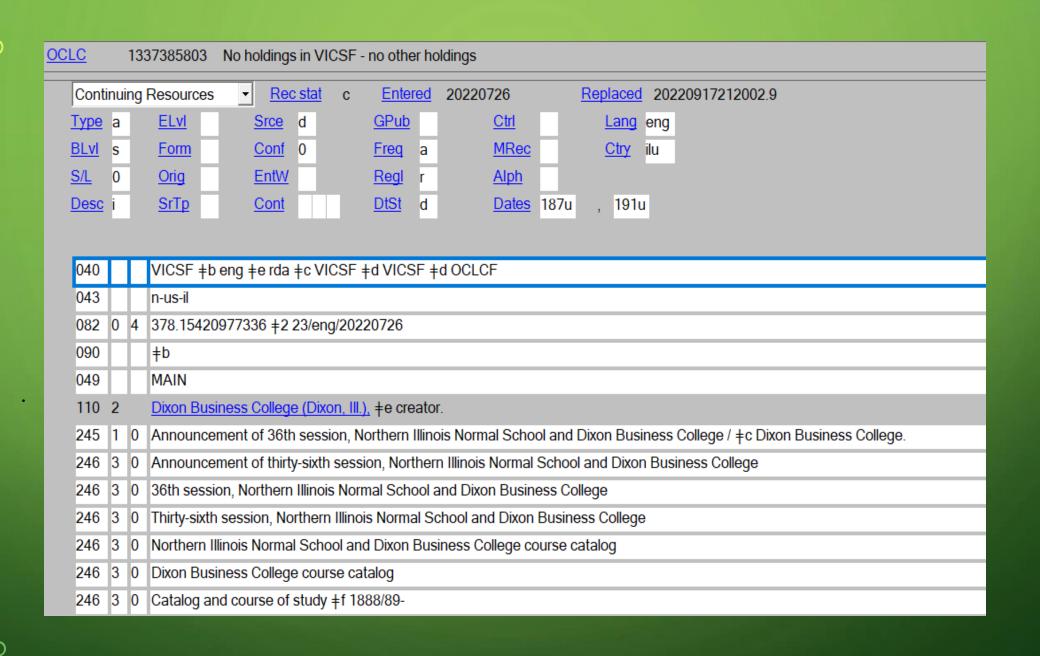
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- Abraham Lincoln Birthday Bicentennial Flag.
- The Northern Illinois Normal School and Dixon Business College pamphlet.

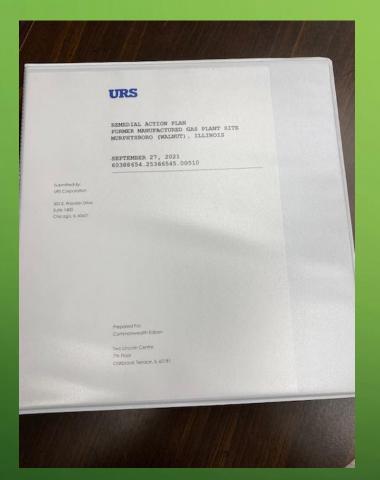


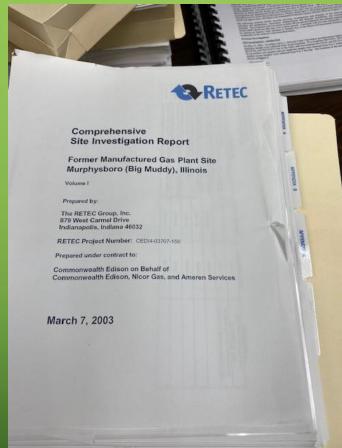


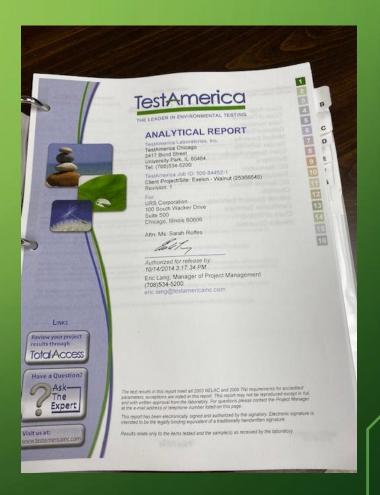


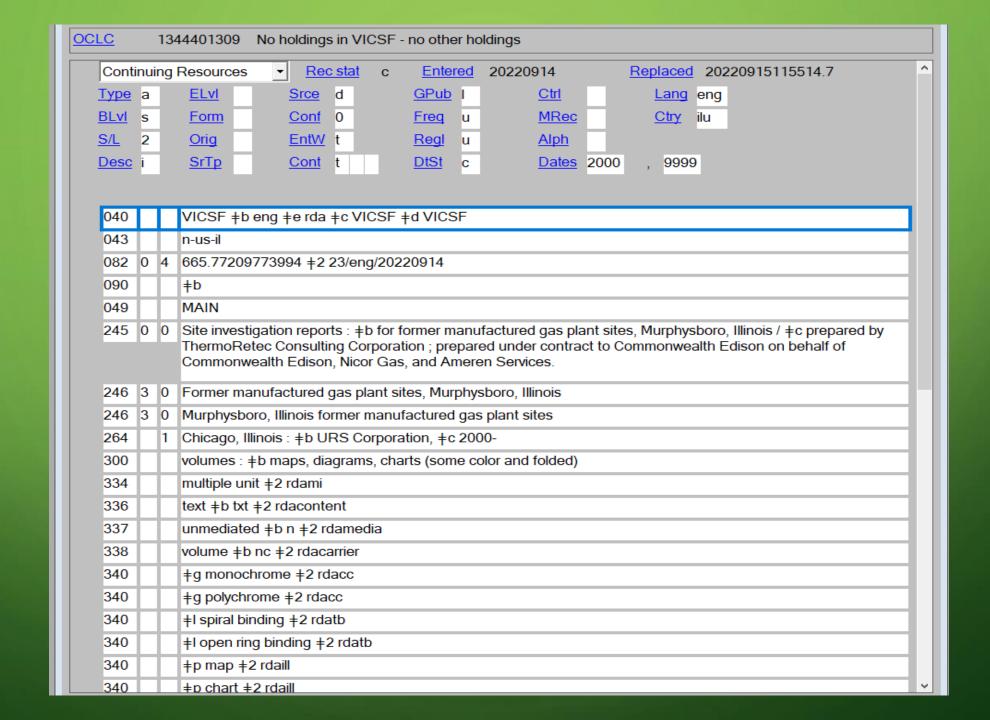


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340			‡p graph ‡2 rdaill	
340			‡p diagram	
362	1		Began with 9-14-2000 report Site Investigation Work Plan Former Manufactured Gas Plant, Murphysboro (Walnut), Illinois.	
500		Г	Title varies.	
500			Spiral and open ring binding.	
500			ThermoRetec project numbers CEDI4-03765-110, CEDI4-03707-150, and CEDI4-03765-150.	
520			Variety of documents and reports regarding the remediation of former manufactured gas plant sites in Murphysboro, Illinois as well as the demolition of the structures on the sites. Sites included in the investigation are the Walnut Street site and the Big Muddy site.	
500	П	Г	Various bindings.	
588	0	Г	Title devised by cataloger.	
650		0	Environmental impact analysis +z Illinois +z Murphysboro.	
650		0	Gas manufacture and works +x Environmental aspects +z Illinois +z Murphysboro.	
650		0	Gas power plants +z Illinois +z Murphysboro.	
650		0	Industrial sites +x Environmental aspects +z Illinois +z Murphysboro.	
650		0	<u>Hazardous wastes</u> ‡z <u>Illinois</u> ‡z <u>Murphysboro.</u>	
650		0	Soils †x Environmental aspects †z Illinois †z Murphysboro.	
650		0	Soils †z Illinois †z Murphysboro †x Analysis.	
650		0	Soil pollution +z Illinois +z Murphysboro.	
651		0	Murphysboro (III.) +x Environmental conditions.	
710	2	Г	ThermoRetec Consulting Corporation, ‡e researcher.	
710	2		Commonwealth Edison Company, ‡e commissioning body.	
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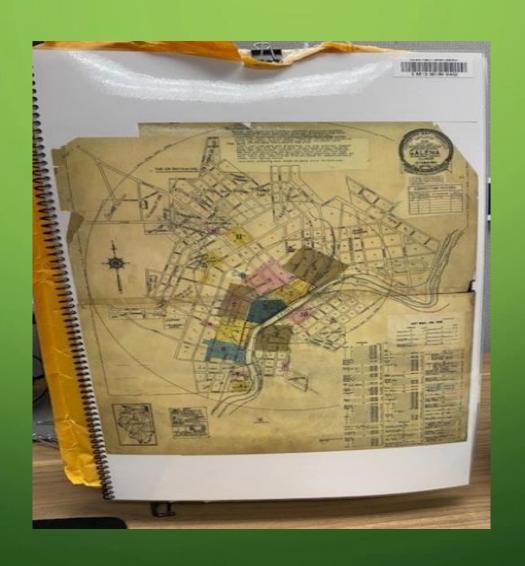
GALENA PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

- Galena Woman's Club annual calendar.
- Sanborn map.
- Galena Gus & Galena Gert tour Galena.

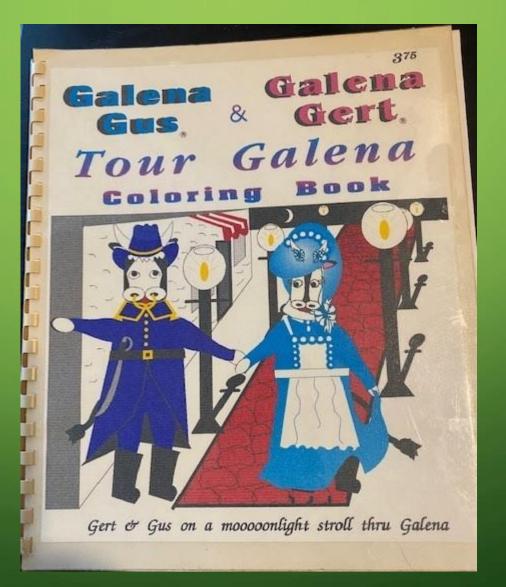
GALENA WOMAN'S CLUB ANNUAL CALENDAR OCLC # 1292691219



SANBORN FIRE INSURANCE MAP OCLC # 1343214564



GALENA GUS & GALENA GERT TOUR GALENA OCLC # 1345695948



SOURCES

- SangamonLink: https://sangamoncountyhistory.org/wp/?p=5770
- Susan Lenz Art in Stitches: https://artbysusanlenz.blogspot.com/2020/01/raven-anti-rust-and-springfield-art.html
- Bibliographic Formats and Standards: https://www.oclc.org/bibformats/en.html
- Society of American Archivists: https://dictionary.archivists.org/entry/special-collection.html
- Murphysboro Times: https://murphysborotimes.com/murphysboro-big-muddy-manufactured-gas-plant-cleanup-progressing-p1669-1.htm#.YzyKM3bMJD8
- Sanborn Maps: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sanborn maps

ON THE CALL TODAY

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QUESTIONS?