

COLLECTED MOMENTS

CREATING BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORDS FOR PERSONAL COLLECTIONS AND SCRAPBOOKS

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Introductions: Barb Scoby

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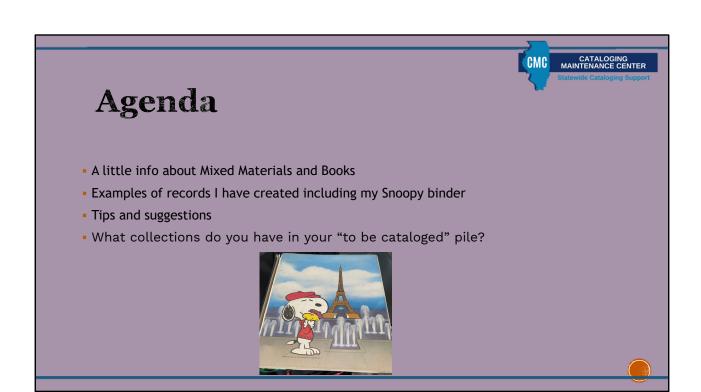




Hello. Thank you for coming to today's Online with the CMC. My name is Barb Scoby and I have been working at the CMC for a little over two years. Previously, I was the cataloger for Pinal County in Arizona

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My presentation today is going to be relatively short as I want to give you a chance to ask questions that you may have about specific items that you have at your library.

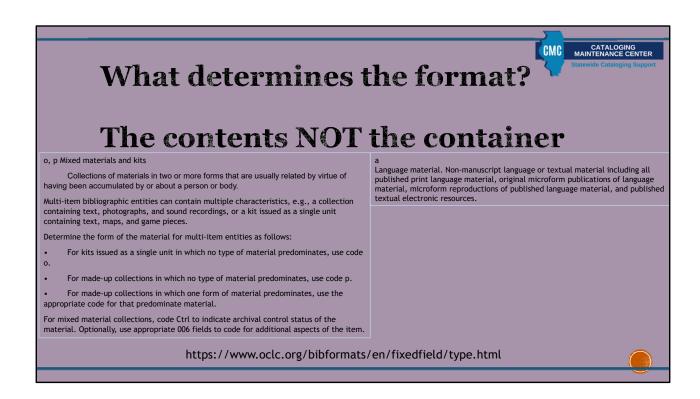
I decided to take on this topic because I wanted to dig in and see if there were resources or guidelines that I hadn't consulted. So, I did some searching AND I did what many people do — I posted a question to the Troublesome Catalogers and Magical Metadata Fairies on Facebook...

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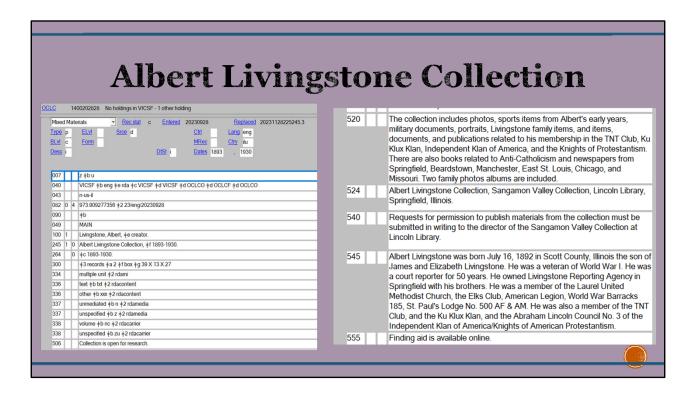


Yeah, that's kind of what I was expecting the answer to be... I have a love/hate relationship with cataloger's judgment. On the one hand, I'm thinking, "Cool. I have some flexibility." On the other hand, I'm thinking, "But I do my best work when I have guidelines and rules to tell me how to do something!" Now, I'm not saying that cataloging collections whether they be scrapbooks or some other type of items is just a free for all. Some libraries (I will give you an example later on) have general guidelines on how their collections should be cataloged.

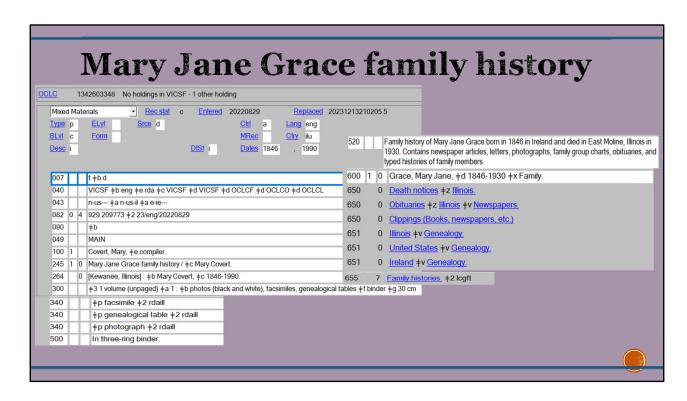


From an archival point of view, the container doesn't matter because contents may outlive their containers. For example, my Snoopy binder is falling apart and at some point I may have to put my items into a new binder or container. **Read some of the descriptions*

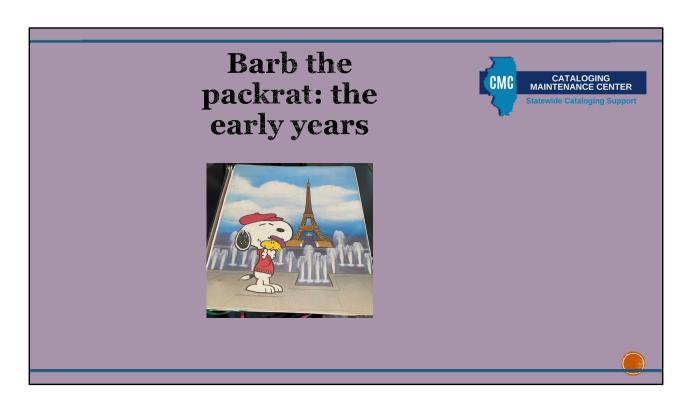
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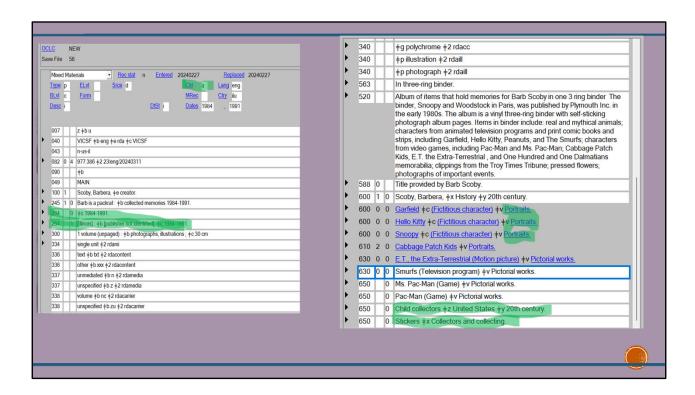


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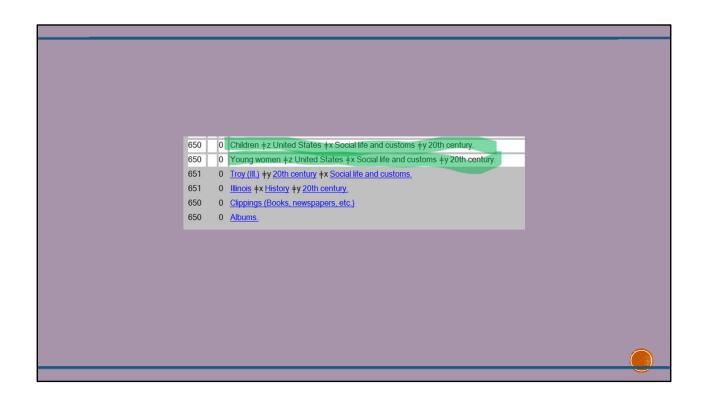








Discuss items in green





Resources

- Beyond the Book: Scrapbooks | CARLI (illinois.edu)
 https://www.carli.illinois.edu/products-services/collections-management/beyond-the-book-scrapbooks
- OCLC. Bibliographic Formats and Standards (BFAS)



