

James C. Collier Collection

Mike:

This is the list of items from the Collier donation. Citations are not guaranteed to list all quirks of spelling, punctuation, and abbreviation, but otherwise are substantially accurate. Several photos in collection have written notations in pencil on back. I have summarized, whenever I could, the locations of the scenes depicted on the photos. — Jay.

Paper bag of books:

Guthe, Carl E. Pueblo Pottery Making: A Study at the Village of San Ildefonso. New Haven: Yale University Press, 1925.

- Marked "James C. Collier, Dubuque, Iowa."
- Enclosed in back cover: "Inventory and Valuation of the JEWELLERY &c. which belonged to the late MRS. ELIZABETH RONALDSON taken 18th July, 1938."

Legge, W. Heneage. A New Guide to Lewes: Its Castle, Priory, Churches and Neighbourhood, with Notes on the Museum; and an Account of the Battle of Lewes, &c., &c. Lewes: The Southes Publishing Co., 1909.

Hand, Charles R. The Story of the Calderstones. 5th Ed. Liverpool: Hand & Co. 1910.

- [Pencilled in notes on title page from June 18, 1911.]

Gee, Rev. Henry. A Day in Durham with a Plan of the Route. Durham: Thomas Calddeugh & Sons, Publishers, n.d.

The "Borough" Guide to Alwiche. The "Borough" Pocket Guides, No. 461. Cheltenham: Edward J. Burrow, "Borough" Publishing Offices, n.d.

The "Borough" Guide to Haddington. The "Borough" Pocket Guides, No. 446. Cheltenham: Edward J. Burrow, "Borough" Publishing Offices, n.d.

Baedeker, Karl. Northern France from Belgium and the English Channel to the Loire Excluding Paris and its Environs: Handbook for Travellers. 5th Ed. Leipzig: Karl Baedeker Publisher; London: T. Fisher Unwin; New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1909.

- Bookplate and handwritten: "J. C. Collier."

Holmstrom, J. G. Modern Blacksmithing: Rational Horse Shoeing and Wagon Making. Chicago: Frederick J. Drake & Co., 1913.

- In blue pencil: "Geo. A. Hammel, Waupeton, R.I. Iowa."
- Insert: ripped out advertising for auto products.

Smith, H. Augustine, ed. Hymns for the Living Age. New York: Fleming H. Revell Co., 1923.

- Stamped: "Summit Congregational Church, Delhi and Allison, Dubuque, Iowa."

- Enclosed: Summit Sparks, May 26, 1963, to "Mr. and Mrs. George Hammel, 1390 W. Third St., Dubuque, Iowa."

Griffin, Clare E. *Enterprise in A Free Society*. Chicago: Richard D. Irwin, Inc., 1949.

- Autographed July 1960 by author "to Julius Schmidt with best regards."

Hager, Carlton J. H. *A Political and Social History of Modern Europe*. New York: The Macmillan Co., 1926.

- Several identifying marks: Notes on inside cover, "Miss Vivian Jake, Avalon Calif., Box Rt. 1, Catalina Island. Hermosa Hotel."
- Inserts: 1930s form from Washington (Iowa) National Bank; business reply cards for National Schools and RCA Institute; Iowa Oil Co. of Dubuque matchbook cover.

Scott, Sir Walter. *Waverly: or Tis Sixty Years Since*. New York: The F. M. Lupton Publishing Co., n.d.

- Marked inside cover: "All Saints' S. S. Picnic, Lincoln Park, Sat. Aug. 6, 1898."

Frazar, M. D. *Political Guide to Great Britain and Ireland: Preparation, Cost, Routes, and Sight-Seeing*. Vol. 1: England, Wales. Boston: Small, Maynard & Co., 1909.

- Bookplate: James C. Collier."

Ober, F. A. *A Guide to the West Indies and Panama*. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co., 1925.

- Stamped and bookplate: "James C. Collier, Dubuque, Iowa."
- Insert: Engraved card with names.

The Chateaux of the Loire with the Road Made Easy. Joanne Guide Books. Paris and London: Hachette & Co., 1911.

- Bookplate: J. C. Collier

Delano, Jane A., and Isabel McIsaac. *American Red Cross Textbook on Elementary Hygiene and Home Care of the Sick*. Rev. Ed. Philadelphia: P. Blakeston's Son & Co., 1917.

The Book of Artemas: Concerning men and the things that men do, at the time when there was war. New York: George H. Doran Co., 1917.

Catalogue of the Historical Collections and Pictures in Pilgrim Hall, Plymouth. n.p., 1913.

- Insert: "The Opening of Moffat Hydropathic Establishment" (a menu), Glasgow.

James, A. L., Jr. *Selective Service Manual*. Los Angeles: Times-Mirror Printing and Binding House, 1917.

- Inside cover: "2/17/18 to Lt. F. K. Alhman from Pa. . . . 305th Cavalry N.A., Camp Stanley, Texas."

White, Gleeson. *The Cathedral Church of Salisbury. A Description of its Fabric and a brief history of the See of Sarum*. London: G. Bill & Sons, Ltd. 1911.

Holland, J. G. Sevenoaks: A Story of To-Day. New York: Scribner, Armstrong & Co., 1875.

- Stamped: "Arthur Simplot"; Handwritten: "Henry A. Simplot."

Catalogue of A Century of Progress Exhibitions of Paintings and Sculpture. . . . June 1 to November 1, 1933. Chicago: The Art Institute of Chicago, 1933.

- Inserted:
 - Errata; article, "Paul Kiene Dies," (a resident of Dubuque);
 - receipt from Dubuque County Treasurer, January 4, 1922, for T. K. Altman, 1698 Main Street for 1921 Studebaker sedan;
 - invitation from Capt. Albert P. Spaulding for Mrs. Helen Altman.

Box:

Notebook of Helen Collier.

Guide to the State Apartments, Windsor Castle.

Photo of house with writing on back, saying location in New York.

Metal frame with small picture of woman.

1940 Baccalaureate program for Dubuque Senior High.

Dupac Meating Post, Dubuque: The Dubuque Packing Co., August 1958.

Two postcards: Athelstaneford, Drem. Photo by C. Bruce of Kaddington [England].

28 photos: scenes of Niagara Falls, Plymouth Rock, Washington, D.C., Fort Ticonderoga and vicinity. Photos frequently have penciled notes on back.

Photo of two swimmers.

"Britannia Hotel, Trondhjem, Norway."

"The Jockey Club Needle Book," marked "Czechoslovakia."

Massachusetts alpha of Phi Delta Theta Alumni, 1926.

List including Colliers, Adams, Mrs. A. Y. McDonald, with dollar amounts. All handwritten in pencil.

Vaccination certificate for dog of F. Altman, 1930.

Receipt, February 23, 1931, in Dubuque, "from Mrs. F. N. Altman."

Receipt, November 12, 1927, in Dubuque, "from Mrs. Dora K. Altman."

Metal luggage tag for "Helen A. Collier, Dubuque, Ia."

Photo of boy with train and cadet uniform, dated in front as "Oct. 1898," but in back as "1894."

Box of business cards for "Mr. James Currie Collier, 1072 West Third Street, Dubuque, Iowa."

Telegram from U.S.S. President Grant on January 17, 1919, to Helen Collier of 112 Elm Street, Northampton.

Skeleton key to Merchants Hotel, 304 Main Street, Room 354, on postage-return keychain.

Two unopened, cellophane-wrapped bundles of business cards described above.

Billfold [for needles?] with "A" monogram.

December 1, 1923, Dubuque County Treasurer's receipt of Franc K. Altman, 1084 W. 3rd St., for 1921 Studebaker.

Recordbook including entries for "Jas. C. Collier," "V. A. Langworthy," and "G.H. Stafford (rent account)."

Photo of man taken by J. F. Haynes, Dubuque photographer. Back of matted photo shows impression of photo of girl.

Envelope of small pictures, apparently of Texas, including Alamo and sunken gardens of San Antonio.

Assessment Roll for 1926 for F. K. Altman, 1084 W. 3rd St.

Handwritten news article about family.

Postcard of "Biltmore Hotel. Coral Gables, Miami, Fla." to Mrs. James C. Collier of 1120 W. 3rd St. from "LDB" on April 11, 1926.

Newspaper articles:

- "Old Fragment of Dubuque Daily Times of 1865 Describes Drama of Civil War Days in Dubuque. Tells Vivid Story of Mass Meeting on Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1865," Dubuque Times-Journal.
- "Altman Resigns as Electrical Company Head," May 10, 1922, Dubuque Telegraph-Herald.
- "Senior Baccalaureate to Be Tonight," June 9, 1940.
- "Hello America! Meeting Citizens of Tomorrow: Group to Be Tribune Guest at W-G-N Program," including Susan Altman.
- "Altman Sells His Stock in Eastern Iowa. Dubuque Electric Members Buy His Holdings in Distributing Co.," Dubuque Times-Journal, May 10, 1922.

- "Midwest Honor Pupils will be Tribune Guests. 55 to Attend Finale of Broadcast Series, Chicago Daily Tribune, May 16, 1940.
- "Mrs. Frank Altman Is Awarded Costume Prize at Cedar Rapids Ball," Dubuque Times-Journal.

Carte de visites of man taken in Edinburgh Studio and in Harrogate studio.

"The Land of Beginning Again," poem with Helen Collier's name written on top of page.

Five photographs in envelope: "The Crandall Studio, Grand Teton National Park, Moron, Wyo."

Envelope, "C. E. FitzPatrick Co., 747 Main St., Dubuque," to Mr. J. C. Collier. Photographic negatives.

Metal printing plate: "Christmas Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year. Mr. and Mrs. James Currie Collier."

Eastern Iowa Electrical Co. letterhead, May 4, 1922, to Mr. F. K. Altman about purchasing his stock.

Interest schedule for share purchase.

Receipt to F. K. Altman, June 27, 1909, from "D. J. Boland & Son. . . . Maker of Men's Clothes."

Phi Delta Theta of Philadelphia, January 23, 1928, to Frank K. Altman, 1084 W. 3rd St. "We decided to make a serious attempt to keep in touch with you."

Tag of instructions for toy.

Permission slip to pass to classroom in Senior High, to Linda Jotham, September 8, 1969.

"Lawn Tennis Score Card."

Assessment Roll 1924, for F. K. Altman of 1084 W. 3rd.

25 pictures of family and apparently of western states.

Letter to Mrs. Franc K. Altman, April 12, 1949, about participating in "The Grand Tour."

Letter of introduction by Washington Junior High Principal W. E. Johannsen to Mr. J. R. Durrand, Mexican Life and Culture, Mexico City. February 27, 1941. For Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Franc Altman. On school letterhead.

Five pictures of either Egyptian temples or "Gethsemanie."

Photographs: "Illinois Division General View Downstream side of Dam, Power House in Distance, Aug. 1, 1943." And, "Generator Floor, Jan. 5, 1914."

35 Pictures of Egypt and Palestine.

Picture with handwriting on front, marked on back: "Scene from the Studio of Fidel Figueroa, Mexico."

Picture of woman.

John Greenleaf Whittier, Dubuque Times-Journal, 1926.

Dues card for Phi Delta Theta for F. K. Altman, Mass. Alpha 1912.

Seven pictures of travels inside envelope for "Worth's Water Colour Series of Old Exeter."

Stationery department of Spaulding & Co., Chicago, with box of cards for "Mr. James C. Collier" and "Mr. and Mrs. James C. Collier."

"Casino de Monte-Carlo, Touriste," stamped July 13, 1949.

"Kurhaus Scheidegg," hotel located in Alps.

Envelope with 25 photos of people, Eastern U.S. sites and a few of Egypt. Return address on envelope: "Carr, Ryder & Adams Co., Dubuque."

Envelope with 46 mixed photos, people, two of Manila, some of American west. Handwritten note of a Psalm dated July 4, 1921, Finley Hospital. Envelope stamped with name of Franc W. Altman.

"Annual Awards Assembly Held: Honors Are Distributed at Senior High School."

Individual senior class picture.

Picture of farm in New York.

Invitation to 1940 Commencement at Dubuque Senior High School from Susan Valeria Altman to Miss Nell B. Adams.

One picture in Franc W. Altman envelope.

1948 listing musical information in foreign language, concerts, possibly in Hungarian. April 25, 1948.

Picture of boy on sled.

Registration card for appliance and matching directions for appliance, a "popper."

Box of large photographs:

Picture of dam and powerplant (same as above).

Two pictures of 1072 West Third Street.

Altman, Susan. "Prehistory of Africa." research paper with grade of B.

Picture of log shed located on West Eleventh Street near Dell.

The Art Collection: Harry E. Huntington Library and Art Gallery. San Marino, Calif., 1929. Both a "preliminary hand book" and "exhibition hand book."

Five portraits.

1898 Calendar with photos.

"White Sox Player No. 121/2 — Jim Scott, Pitcher." Chicago Daily Tribune, May 11, 1911.

"New Map of Tunisian Combat Zone." Chicago Daily Tribune, February 6, 1943.

Dubuque Telegraph-Herald. August 16, 1952. To Sargent Clifford, Shullsburg, Wis.

64 photos all of same size in same light tan matting. All appear to be travel photos of Europe, England, and the American West.

Ten photos with same size as above but with light brown matting. Travel photos apparently of West, including one marked as being in California.

One photo of a waterfall, stamped: "Le Roy Lee, Sesson, Calif."

Scrapbook labeled for Helen A. Collier. Self-explanatory. Includes programs, and various events, including a day at the Princeton-Yale football game.