McLean County Museum of History

Pat Barth Collection

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Collection Information

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Brief History

Pat Barth donated this collection which contains materials from her early school days and other miscellaneous papers from her days growing up in the Bloomington-Normal area.

Scope

The collection includes “Dick and Jane” children’s workbooks from about 1946 to 1949. These are colored, written in, and well used. Folder 2 includes additional workbooks; Folder contains miscellaneous items; Folder 4 includes two sheet music selections from the 1950s; Folder 5 holds an issue of Newsweek magazine.

Box & Folder Inventory

Folder 1: Children’s workbooks 1

1.1.1 Think-and-Do Book (to Accompany “We Look and See, We Work and Play, We Come and Go”) Basic Readers: the Pre-Primer Program
By William S. Gray and Marion Monroe
Edition of 1946-47
Copyright 1946 by Scott, Foresman and Company

1.1.2 Think-and-Do Book (to Accompany “Fun with Dick and Jane”) Basic Readers 1
By William S. Gray and Marion Monroe
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1.1.3 Think-and-Do Book (to Accompany “Our New Friends”) Basic Readers 1
By William S. Gray and Marion Monroe
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Folder 2: Children’s workbooks 2

1.2.1 Before We Read
By William S. Gray and Marion Monroe
Edition of 1946-47.
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1.2.2 Here We Start: Recorder 1
By Frank N. Freeman PhD
Published and Copyrighted by the Zaner-Bloser Company, 1948
1.2.3 Self-Help Number Series Number Play: A Number Readiness Book
By Mae Knight Clark and Laura Cushman
Drawings by Joanne Adams
Reprinted November 1949
Copyright by the Macmillan Company 1941, 1949

Folder 3: Miscellaneous

1.3.1 The Lone Ranger picture postcard, 1951
From General Mills, Incorporated, this is a return souvenir postcard from the summer 1951 Lone Ranger Picture Coloring Contest.

1.3.2 Rubinoff and his Violin in a Popular Concert with Edwin Deveny, Pianist
Program printed for concert on Sunday, February 21, 1960.
Program sponsored by Optimist Club of Normal, IL

1.3.3 Unit Five Newsletter: Your Children and Mine
Volume 13, No. 1, December, 1962
Office of the Superintendent, McLean County Unit District, Normal, IL

1.3.4 Your School: A Pictorial Directory (Board and Staff of McLean County Unit 5 Schools)
Circa 1950’s or 60’s?

1.3.5 Two emails from Pat Barth, Aug 2021. One discusses her donation of materials; the second includes some brief reminiscences from Pat and her sister Joanne Barth Van Cleave about school days at Eugene Field.

Folder 4: Sheet Music

1.4.1 The Ballad of Davy Crockett
Words by Tom Blackburn and Music by George Bruns
Copyright 1954 by Walt Disney Productions

1.4.2 See You Later, Alligator
Words and Music by Robert Guidry
Copyright 1955 and 1956 by Arc Music Corporation

Folder 5: Newsweek

1.5.1 Newsweek: The Troubled American: A Special Report on the White Majority
Edition October 6, 1969, Volume 74, No. 14
Published by Newsweek, Incorporated