

McLean County Museum of History

Exhibit – Foodways
“Come & Get It! The Way We Ate 1830-2008”
2009-12

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Collection Information

VOLUME OF COLLECTION:	One box
COLLECTION DATES:	1830-2012
PROVENANCE:	Materials accumulated by guest curator and staff in developing the exhibit and book
RESTRICTIONS:	None
REPRODUCTION RIGHTS:	Permission to reproduce or publish material in this collection must be obtained in writing from the McLean County Museum of History
ALTERNATIVE FORMATS:	Includes some compact discs and photo negatives
OTHER FINDING AIDS:	None
LOCATION:	Archives
NOTES:	Book: “Come & Get It- McDonaldization and the Disappearance of Local Food from a Central Illinois Community” Call #: IL (MCLEAN) COME DIR

Scope Note

This collection contains research compiled by Dr. Robert Dirks, guest curator and professor emeritus from Illinois State University as well as curator Susan Hartzold for the 2009-12 exhibit "Come & Get It! The Way We Ate 1830-2008." The collection includes hundreds of food-related *Pantagraph* articles from the 1800s to 2000s. Some of these articles are divided chronologically, while others are organized thematically.

Folders 5-10: Newspaper articles and advertisements printed from microfilms in chronological order- Mostly articles from Rob Dirks' portion of the collection

Folder 11-15: Newspaper articles printed from microfilms in thematic order- Mostly from Susan Hartzold's portion of the collection

This collection also includes multiple data CDs with interviews (audio and transcriptions), and advertisements, articles, and photos from the *Pantagraph*.

A considerable portion of this collection, folders 27-32, is negatives from the *Pantagraph*. These are organized chronologically from 1930s-1960s, with one outlier from 1976. An overwhelming majority of these are in pristine condition. Folder 26 contains contact sheets of these negatives, scanned by Bill LaBounty. A detailed list of the negatives including date, subject, and quantity can be found in this finding aid. Many of these negatives correspond with the *Pantagraph* articles found in this collection. With the negatives you will find their original envelopes. These envelopes contain additional information, such as the photographer's name.

Folder Inventory

Folder 1: General McLean County History & Miscellaneous

- 1.1 "Richly Blessed" Birtha Zehr & Loren Zehr, pages 73-231
- 1.2 "Frontier Illinois" by James E. Davis, Pages 129-131
- 1.3 "McLean County Foodways" the exhibit proposal.
- 1.4 "Homemaking in New Salem in Time of Lincoln" by Mrs. Henry Pond, Petersburg, IL. 6 pages.
- 1.5 Oversize photocopies from E. M. Prince "A Day With Abraham Lincoln" 2 pages
- 1.6 E-mail for Rob Dirks. Milner library book locations
- 1.7 Past Perfect print-out of location of object 2000.84.1- Trivet.
- 1.8 Per-capita sales from restaurant businesses
- 1.9 Research Design by Meredith Hawkins
- 1.10 5 misc. cd's including one titled "Dr. Dirks Final Foodways DVD & CD of Research, Stephanie"

Folder 2: Introduction to Robert Dirks

- 2.1 From Susan Hartzold to "whom it may concern," introducing Rob Dirks. 4 copies with multiple signatures on them, presumably from interviewees.

Folder 3: Early Families in McLean County & Early Food Reports

- 3.1 "Men of Affairs in Early Bloomington" Amasa C. Washburn
- 3.2 "The Great Grandchildren of Andreas and Elizabeth Eiman Ropp
- 3.3 "McLean County Illinois in the World War" E. E. Pierson and J. L. Hasbrouk. Photocopy of page 168. (*rules issued by US food administration*)
- 3.4 Photocopies from the Memoirs of Amelia Louise Boggs
- 3.5 Deems, Mrs. Hilda Cox. "Making Maple Syrup and Sugar in Blooming Grove"
- 3.6 Orendorff, J. B. Walker. "William Walker" & "Sketch of Elijah Walden"
- 3.7 Dawson-Paist, Maria. "Reminiscences"
- 3.8 Gregory, Mary Anne Henline. Obituary
- 3.9 Elihu Rogers, 27 May 1906.
- 3.10 "Irish-Americans and Corned Beef" by Robert Dirks, March 2007
- 3.11 Stubblefield, John and George- Reminiscence; Orendorff, Aaron- article on home, 1927
- 3.12 William Evans- First Resident of Present site of City of Bloomington

- 3.13 Hendrix and Dawsons
- 3.14 Hayes, Samuel J.- Letter July 1837
- 3.15 Robert Yoder. "Wine Barrels and Tobacco Pouches" "Our Farm Garden and Mishler Brothers' Grocery Store," recipe for "Stella's Dills," "Butchering Day on the Farm,"
- 3.16 "Food History News- Rethinking Regionalism"
- 3.17 "The Food Calendar" prepared by Nina B. Crigler, Food Specialist, 5 photocopied pages
- 3.18 "The Farm, The Home- McLean County Better Farming Association and Home Bureau"
- 3.19 "McLean County and the World War" page 169
- 3.20 Home Bureau Records
- 3.21 "Pageant of Cookery" McLean County Home Bureau, 12 pages
- 3.22 Hot Lunch Records of Schools in McLean County"

Folder 4: History of Food Businesses

- 4.1 2 CD's: "Grocery Store Photos, Old Store/Modern Structure" and "Fooways McLean County- Info on Businesses 1850-1900. Meredith Hawkins Project 2006 Susan Hartzold Copy"
- 4.2 Denny's Doughnuts & Bakert Inc.: A Business History. By Chad Olson, 11 December 2007
- 4.3 History of Gronemeier Family Business. By Jon O'Malley 14 December 2007
- 4.4 Funks Grove Maple Sirup- short history of sirup in Funks Grove
- 4.5 "Food Related Firms in the History of Bloomington-Normal Area" compiled by Robert Dirks and Rachel Shulman, 2007
- 4.6 "Food Related People and Businesses Named in the Archives of the McLean County Museum of History 1855-1912" Compiled by Robert Dirks, Meredith Hawkins, Rachel Shulman, and Derek Koshinski, 2007. 44 pages.
- 4.7 Synopsis of Restaurants/Saloon Owners
- 4.8 Synopsis of Boarding Houses
- 4.9 Synopsis of Millers
- 4.10 Synopsis of Produce Dealers/Nurserymen
- 4.11 Synopsis of those in "other" business
- 4.12 Synopsis of Grocers
- 4.13 Synopsis of Merchants
- 4.14 Synopsis of Butchers
- 4.15 Newspaper Advertisements from the Weekly Pantagraph

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Folder 5: Newspaper Articles 1800s (and one letter) & Undated Clippings (*Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 5.1 15 December 1862. "The Ashley House" (*includes menu*)
- 5.2 5 November 1887. "A Model Grocery- A Glance at the Business Done at the Arcade Grocery"
- 5.3 21 June 1889. "Schmitt's Oyster and Chop House- Mr. Louis Schmitt will welcome his friends and the public for an opening of his bar and chop house tomorrow."
- 5.4 10 August 1889. "Bloomington's Business Enterprises- The Flour and Feed We Furnish-Over Three Quarters of a Million Dollars' Worth of Flour Produced Here Yearly"
- 5.5 25 April 1893. Letter from Dr. H. Schroeder, Horticulturist, Nurseryman, and Vinyardist to B. W. Dawbly(?)
- 5.6 Undated. Larkin Economy Stores price list
- 5.7 Undated. Price list for A&P
- 5.8 Undated. "Your Brand New Kroger Opens Tomorrow!"

Folder 6: Newspaper Articles & Advertisements 1900-1919 (*Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 6.1 21 April 1903. Lincoln Butter Show Notes (*Butter Makers' Association, butter tastings, cost of butter, keeping butter*)
- 6.2 1904. Bloomington City Directory Meyer Brewing advertisement.
- 6.3 3 July 1905. "Good to Eat" (*Various recipes- Mock Turtle Soup, Molasses "Velveta", Cherry Bounce,*

Cherry Dumplings, Cherry Ice, Cherry Preserves, Maple Sugar Candy.)

- 6.4 6 December 1915 "Captured a 'Possum"
- 6.5 18 January 1918. "Reasons why wheat products should be conserved even when the food is in the stores"
- 6.6 26 January 1918. Chicago Market Co. advert. (*includes price list*)
- 6.7 28 January 1918. Advert-cornbread (facts & recipe)
- 6.8 29 January 1918. Advert-Armour's Dairy Foods and Poultry
- 6.9 6 February 1918. Propaganda -war rationing.
- 6.10 16 February 1918. Advert-Moran's Market, 403 N. Main st. (*includes price list*)
- 6.11 8 March 1918. Advert-The Woman's Exchange, 206 E. Washington st.
- 6.12 23 May 1918. "Piggly Wiggly with a carnation has come-will stay at 103 E. Front St."
- 6.13 25 May 1918. "Kitchen Cabinet Sale" McDougall Kitchen Cabinets advert
- 6.14 27 May 1918. Piggly Wiggly advert (*includes price list*)
- 6.15 30 May 1918. "Major Hall Building As It Is Today"
- 6.16 31 May 1918. "Our Restaurants on a War Basis" *advert in newspaper from John R. Thompson, President of Thompson's Restaurants*
- 6.17 4 June 1918. "435 Ways to Prepare Irish Potatoes- Emerson Girl Compiles Remarkable List-Takes an Interest in Wheat Saving Campaign"
- 6.18 5 June 1918. "Pro-German Died Means Wheat Bread- Fixed Habits of Food Endanger- Now Is the Time for All Good Americans to Forget that They Want Wheat Flour"
- 6.19 21 June 1918. Piggly Wiggly advert (*with price list*)
- 6.20 24 June 1918. "Bloomington's Famous Acrobatic Troupe is Invaded by Death" (*railroad accident- can't find any food-related details in article*)
- 6.21 27 June 1918. "Learn to Can Vegetables- Second Demonstration today at the Municipal Canning Center"

Folder 7: Newspaper Articles & Advertisements 1920s & '30s (*Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 7.1 30 March 1920. Advert- Piggly wiggly (*includes price list*)
- 7.2 30 March 1920. Advert- Snow & Palmer's Milk; Boston Café.
- 7.3 5 June 1920. Advert- Moran's Market; Snow & Palmer's Milk; Grand Union Tea Co.; Piggly Wiggly. (*includes price list*)
- 7.4 12 June 1920. Advert- Larkin Self-Service Stores (*includes price list*)
- 7.5 31 June 1920. Advert- Piggly Wiggly; The Larkin Economy Stores; Moran's Market. (2 copies) (*includes price list*)
- 7.6 4 March 1922. Advert- Piggly Wiggly (*includes price list*)
- 7.7 27 March 1926. Advert- Krogers; KC Baking Powder; ...Cash & Carry;...odgers; A&P Service. (*includes price list*)
- 7.8 7 September 1929. Advert- Bloomington Co-Operative Store; Kroger; Godchaux's Pure Cane Sugar. (*includes price list*)
- 7.9 8 September 1929. Advert- Manufactured Ice & Cold Storage Co. & Ainsworth Pure Ice Co.
- 7.10 26 August 1930. Advert- "Where to Eat Centennial Week!"
- 7.11 April 12 1933. Photos & captions-"Making Maple Syrup"
- 7.12 January 2 1933. Photos & captions- "The Other Fellow's Job- Candymaking employs 425 Women at Factory" by Frank W. Bill and "Corn Syrup Travels in Tank Cars"
- 7.13 8 April 1936. Photo & caption-"Candy Factory Employs 650- to hire 100 more"
- 7.14 11 September 1937. "Jack Spratt Could Eat No Fat... His Wife Could Eat No Lean. -But that was before the day of modern food market with shelves filled with an array of delicacies to meet every individual appetite."
- 7.15 21 January 1938. Advert for Lieberman's- For Everything That's Good To Eat. (*includes price list*)
- 7.16 4 April 1939. Photo & caption- S.S. Kresge 5 10 25 cent store/restaurant/delicatessen.

Folder 8: Newspaper Articles & Advertisements- 1940's (*Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 8.1 Victory garden photocopy of photo
- 8.2 Undated. Ration ad- Kroeger. (*includes price list*)
- 8.3 June 24 1940. "Along the Road- Side Glances at Rural Life" (*packing berries*)
- 8.4 28 June 1940. Advert- Jefferson Bake Shops & Cafeteria. 527 N. Main St., 207 N. Main St., 101 E. Front St., 123 N. St. Normal, 1200 N. Main St.
- 8.5 3 December 1940. "Hamburger Stand Grows Into Big Business- Gus Belt Takes Partners, Plans National

- Chain. (*Steak n Shake*)
- 8.6 4 June 1941. "Kroger to Open Super Market Here Thursday" (1108-10 N. Main St.) photo.
 - 8.7 27 December 1942. "V for V Tomatoes Are Shipped To Army Camps, Front Lines," "War Goals Seek Big Increase in Poultry," "New War Time Containers, Used for Food" and "Foods Canned in Tin Will Soon Disappear"
 - 8.8 6 January 1943. "War Board Asks for Furlough For Canning Factory Owner"
 - 8.9 6 January 1943. "How to Beat Rationing Squeeze: Plan That Victory Garden NOW"
 - 8.10 3 January 1943. "Careful Budgeting is Family Slogan for 1943"
 - 8.11 1 March 1943. Advert- Piggly Wiggly (*includes price list, ration reminders*)
 - 8.12 1 March 1943. "You Count Your Blue Stamps and Your Cash for Groceries"
 - 8.13 24 April 1943. "Butchers, Grocers Meet Monday Night"
 - 8.14 11 May 1943. "Restaurants to Have Meatless Fridays"
 - 8.15 November 1944. "S'all Right At The SerVrite!"
 - 8.16 7 November 1944. Advert- Piggly Wiggly
 - 8.17 18 November 1945. "Canteen Workers Back on Job"
 - 8.18 3 December 1945. "4,200 Meat Lockers in County" (photo of Lexington meat locker)
 - 8.19 20 December 1945. Photo & caption- "War Job Finished"
 - 8.20 30 December 1945. "Record Low in Butter Supply Reported at Farm Creamery"
 - 8.21 15 March 1946. "Dream Comes True at Le Roy- Former Sailor, Brother Start Slaughterhouse"
 - 8.22 24 April 1946. "Half a Loaf is Better..."
 - 8.23 20 June 1946. Photo & caption- "No meat shortage on this farm," article- "Havana Co-Op Seeks Permit for Elevator"
 - 8.24 30 June 1946. Photo & caption- "No Shortage Here"
 - 8.25 30 June 1946. Photo & caption- "Nirina Crashes Meat Line"
 - 8.26 18 July 1946. Photo & caption- "Workers You Rarely See" Hector Girves, head of ISSCS culinary dept. and July 25 1946 James Williams baker at Jefferson Bakery
 - 8.27 22 August 1946. Photo & caption- "Corn Pack Starts at Gibson City"
 - 8.28 15 November 1946. Advert- Piggly Wiggly. (*includes price list*)
 - 8.29 20 November 1946. Advert- full page- Piggly Wiggly
 - 8.30 11 December 1946. "Self Service in Meat- Nordine Locker Plant, Market Sets Opening"
 - 8.31 12 December 1946. Advert- Grand Opening of Nordine's Super Market (833 W. Jackson)
 - 8.32 13 December 1946. Advert- "Modern-Convenient-Work-Saving-NEW... Rosesell's Sealtest MILK... Single-Service MILK CONTAINER" Murray Dairy, distributors
 - 8.33 25 December 1946. Photo & caption- "Shelper Bakes Turkey"
 - 8.34 12 January 1947. "Recalls Cracker Barrel Days in Grocery Store- Parret Hauled Food in Sled for 30 Days"
 - 8.35 3 April 1947. Photos & captions- "Half a Million Bars a Day" (*Beich candy company*)
 - 8.36 23 August 1947. Photo & caption- "Heat Speeds Ripening of Tomatoes" article- "Farmers Fail as Rainmakers in Yuton and Saybrook Tests," and "Illinois Corn Cut 3 Million Bushels Daily"
 - 8.37 22 November 1947. "50,000 Thanksgiving Turkeys Dressed by Producers Co-op"
 - 8.38 5 December 1947. Photo & caption- "Eureka Mushroom Farm"
 - 8.39 17 February 1948. Photo & caption- "18 cent drop" (*meat prices*)

Folder 9: Newspaper Articles & Advertisements 1950s & '60s (*Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 9.1 1 April 1951. "Opens Business to Keep Profits at Home- Eureka Dealer Hopes Others Will Follow" (*poultry processing*)
- 9.2 10 May 1951. Photo & caption- "Cheese House Opens" (*Francis Cheese house by Mrs. George Francis, on highway 150 a block north of the Belt Line*)
- 9.3 17 May 1951. Photo & caption- "Animal Decorations at Food Circus" (*The Food Circus, new super-market*)
- 9.4 7 June 1951. "New Pharmacy on East Oakland" (*G. M. Moore, mentions surrounding grocers and businesses*)
- 9.5 28 September 1951. Photo & caption- "Orchard Draws Idled Workers" (*caterpillar workers on strike pick apples*)
- 9.6 3 October 1951. Photo & caption- "New Piggly Wiggly Store Opens"
- 9.7 12 October 1952. "No Use for Glucose-Phillis Prefers Old-Time Sweet-Candymaker Now Rounding Out 60 Years in Business" (*John J. Phillis*)

- 9.8 15 October 1952. Advert- Eisner Food Store at 1107 S. Main St.
- 9.9 22 October 1952. "Sorbitol, New Corn Product, now Used in Many Industries- Unusual Sugar Described by Alikonis in NY."
- 9.10 5 March 1953. "Rationing Just Like History; Lot of Dates to Keep in Mind"
- 9.11 8 November 1953. "City's Oldest Saloon Goes Dry- Pete Frisch Ends 53 Year Tavern Career" (2 copies)
- 9.12 19 June 1953. Photo & caption- "Market Expanded" (*Sam Lutz Market, 1203 Main St. Normal*)
- 9.13 10 November 1953. Advert- Mrs. Stephens Fine Pastries new modern bakery- 1501 E. Jackson.
- 9.14 9 November 1953. "L. K. Stephens Plans Opening of New Bakery"
- 9.15 11 April 1954. Photos & captions- "Meadows Turns Out 40 Stoves Daily in New Venture"
- 9.16 22 September 1954. Photo & caption- "Club Inspects Beich Plant"
- 9.17 24 June 1955. "Five Additional Eating Houses Cut Color Lines"
- 9.18 18 November 1955. Advert- Kroger
- 9.19 27 November 1955. Photos & captions- "They're In Dough!" (*Photos of bakers and bakeries*)
- 9.20 15 November 1956. Grand Opening- Kroger 1500 N. Main St.
- 9.21 12 June 1957. "City, Business Leaders to Help Kresge Opening"
- 9.22 25 August 1957. "Steak n Shake Meat Grinding Now Entirely Centered Here- Made possible by Federal Inspection"
- 9.23 18 January 1958. Advert- barbequed chickens and ribs at Casey's 1501 N Main St.
- 9.24 30 April 1959. Advert- Williams Bakery, 704 W. Market St.
- 9.25 4 May 1959. Advert- Eisner Food Stores (*Includes price list*)
- 9.26 4 April 1960. Photo & caption- "Eddie's Super-Way Remodeled"
- 9.27 18 September 1962. Pages 1, 3, and 18 from special advertising supplement to *the Pantagraph*

Folder 10: Newspaper Articles & Advertisements- 2000s

- 10.1 6 June 1996. "It's a Grand Café, all right- Culinary fixture marks 75 years"
- 10.2 14 May 2006. "Bloomington's Unconventional chemist and candy-maker" by Bill Kemp (*Justin J. Alikonis*)
- 10.3 27 July 2006. "Return to the '70s- 40th anniversary reunion to fete Red Lion Inn"
- 10.4 24 September 2006. "Dirty Stories- City folk salivate over weekly musings about life on an Illinois Farm"
- 10.5 22 October 2006. "Twin Cities' ties to New Deal run deep" by Bill Kemp (*Community Council acquired 50 acres for public vegetable garden during Great Depression*)
- 10.6 6 November 2008. "Chili, Chile, Chilly" by Bill Lineman

Folder 11-15: Newspaper articles printed from microfilms in thematic order- Mostly from Susan Hartzold's portion of the collection

Folder 11: Newspaper articles by topic: Cooks, Recipes, Kitchens (*Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted) 1928-1998.

- 11.1 Undated- "Toy kitchens reflect the times"
- 11.2 1 October 1929. Advert- Daily Pantagraph Cooking School
- 11.3 1 March 1936. Advert- Bloomington-Normal's Free Electric Cooking Clinic
- 11.4 31 October 1936. Article & photos. "Ownership of Modern Farm Home Proves Opportunity Still Here; Achieves Goal Set 32 Years Ago" (*Fred Guthoff home in Hudson*)
- 11.5 17 May 1937. Article & photo. "New Methods of Cooking Meat Are Demonstrated by Ruth White for First of Four Food Programs"
- 11.6 18 February 1939. Photos & captions. "They Had an Idea About Hot Lunches!"
- 11.7 26 November 1945. Photo & caption. "Would You Like to Cook a Meal Here?" (*BHS Food Dept.*)
- 11.8 11 March 1946. "Gets National Dunking Honors- Stanley Secord Named Chairman of Local Dippers"
- 11.9 7 May 1946. "No Bread Today!- It Doesn't Worry Local Housewives- They'll bake biscuits, rolls at home."
- 11.10 22 March 1946. Article & photos- "Danvers High School Homemakers Cook for Agriculture Class"
- 11.11 12 April 1947. "Chinese Soldiers Repay Dinner- Presby-Weds Treated to Real Far East Dishes"
- 11.12 29 June 1947. Photo & caption- "too hot to eat?" *family breakfast*
- 11.13 30 June 1947. "Homemade Bread More Popular- many women have varied recipes"
- 11.14 12 July 1947. "Canning Season Means Activity for Homemakers.- Successful Canning of Foods Depends on Following Rules"

- 11.15 7 September 1947. "Mrs. Morath Prepares Food for Freezing- USDA gives Food Freezing Pointers"
- 11.16 12 November 1947. "Thirty-Three Neighbors Harvest Corn for Sick Danvers Farmer"
- 11.17 26 January 1948. "Jacobs Freezes Meat at Home- Locker Built in Basement of Farm Home"
- 11.18 8 February 1948. Photo & caption "They 'learn' to Cook"
- 11.19 16 July 1950. Photos & captions "Stone House on Berenz Place" (*Clyde W. Hering house*)
- 11.20 5 October 1952. Photos & captions "Willis Atkinson Residence in 'Two Cities'"
- 11.21 16 November 1952. "Galantha Chooses Stroganoff- Shares Recipes for Lentil Soup, Salt Sticks"
- 11.22 26 September 1954. "Spectors Like Year in Paris- Professor's Family Lives Among French"
- 11.23 28 October 1954. "Chafing Dish Foods" *recipes*
- 11.24 29 March 1955. Photo & caption "Youths Try East Indian Food"
- 11.25 25 October 1955. "Pig Ears, German Delicacy, Feature of Card Party" *recipe*
- 11.26 3 November 1955. "Dish Pan Cake Favorite in Stanford Home" and "Danvers Cook Specializes in Casserole Dishes" *recipes*
- 11.27 25 October 1958. Photo & caption "Ger Tips on Cooking School"
- 11.28 3 February 1978. *Family Circle Magazine*. "America's Great Grass Roots Cooks- Delicious dishes from central Illinois farm country"
- 11.29 October 1998. Print-out from Epicurious.com- "Ishbel's Yorkshire Pudding" by Ishbel MacIntosh (printed on the back is "Grocery Poet-ry", print out from a newspaper)

Folder 12: Newspaper articles by topic: Prohibition (The *Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 12.1 23 March 1914. "Two Sides of Local Option Issue- The Disappearing Saloon"
- 12.2 28 March 1914. "Urges Citizens to Vote Out Saloons- Says Patriotism Demands Action"
- 12.3 28 March 1914. Advert for mass meeting regarding prohibition and why it is wrong
- 12.4 3 April 1914. Advert for mass meeting regarding prohibition
- 12.5 7 April 1914. Specimen ballot
- 12.6 7 April 1914. "Decide Fate of Saloons Today- Vigorous Campaigns Under Local Option Law Were Closed Last Night"
- 12.7 8 April 1914. "City 'Dry' by Very Small Margin"
- 12.8 8 April 1914. "Dry' Forces Make Enormous Gains"
- 12.9 9 April 1914. "Wets' Start Contest on "Dry" Majority- legal steps taken to test in courts in validity of Tuesday's election by which city went dry by 75 votes."
- 12.10 17 January 1919. "Nation Will Become Permanently Dry on the night of June 30"
- 12.11 April 1933. Photo & caption. "Beer Back and the Demand is Great"
- 12.12 7 April 1933. "It's Back—After 13 Dry Years"

Folder 13: Newspaper articles by topic: Food Picnics & Festivals (The *Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 13.1 15 October 1913. "The German Festivities Open With Concert"
- 13.2 16 August 1936. Photos & captions- "Family Reunions Dominate Central Illinois Social Life Each August"
- 13.3 18 August 1936. Photo & caption- "Master Farmers and Farm Homemakers Make Merry at Picnic"
- 13.4 19 September 1938. "Countywide REA Meeting Announced"
- 13.5 25 August 1939. "Hungarian Dish (It Isn't Goulash) Gives Festival Authentic Flavor"
- 13.6 17 April 1946. "Methodist Women to Hold Annual Lenten Breakfast"
- 13.7 19 August 1947. "400 Bloomington Public School Employees Attend Picnic at Miller Park"
- 13.8 27 September 1947. "Movie Star, Governor Attend Pumpkin Events"
- 13.9 22 November 1947. Photo & caption "Gridely Sportsmen Hold Feed"
- 13.10 29 September 1951. Photo & caption "Pumpkin Rules Day at Eureka"

Folder 14: Newspaper articles by topic: Products & Packaging Advertisements (The *Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 14.1 9 October 1947. Advert "Frostair" refridgerator
- 14.2 6 October 1947. Advert "Tyler" food refrigeration
- 14.3 12 October 1947. Advert "Hibbard" food freezer and locker
- 14.4 15 October 1947. Advert Bloomington Coca-Cola Company
- 14.5 27 February 1948. Advert "Philco refrigerator"
- 14.6 1 May 1959. Advert "Philco Refrigerator Specials"

Folder 15: Newspaper articles by topic: Restaurants and Drive-Inns (The *Pantagraph* unless otherwise noted)

- 15.1 Undated Re-Opening of Steak 'n Shake Drive-In.
- 15.2 Undated. Photos & captions-Steak 'n Shake. (*photos of Steak 'n Shakes across the country*)
- 15.3 8 September 1929. Advert- The Green Mill Café, Palace Cafeteria
- 15.4 30 August 1936. Photos & captions "College Crowd Starts Preparing for Autumn as Vacation Period Shrinks"
- 15.5 27 November 1945. Photo & caption "Students Jam Cafeteria First Day"
- 15.6 7 March 1946. Advert- Steak 'n Shake
- 15.7 2 July 1947. "Phil-Kron Drive-In Theater Scheduled to Open Thursday"
- 15.8 8 October 1947. Advert- Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co. of Bloomington
- 15.9 26 November 1947. "Fund Will Perpetuate Billy Shelper Dinners- Mission Marks 30th Anniversary Thanksgiving"
- 15.10 5 July 1953. Photos & captions "Books Closed, But Summer's Not Idle Time for Students"
- 15.11 16 November 1955. Advert- Jefferson Cafeteria
- 15.12 17 September 1959. Photo & caption "Drive-in Sets Opening" (*Sandy's Drive-In*)
- 15.13 1939-1961. State Farm Lunch Cafeteria Articles (5 articles)

Folder 16: Newspaper Data CD's

- 16.1 15 CDs containing pictures, ads, articles, from *the Pantagraph*.

Folder 17: Magazines & Newsletters

- 17.1 Book Review: *Democracy and Slavery in Frontier Illinois: The Bottomland Republic*. By James Simone
- 17.2 Magazine: Calendar Copia: The American Center for Wine, Food & the Arts, January 2006-April 2006
- 17.3 Magazine: Calendar Copia: The American Center for Wine, Food & the Arts, May 2006-August 2006
- 17.4 "Workers' Diet and Housing" from Bloomington & Normal Trades & Labor Assembly
- 17.5 Newsletter: "The Northwest Bloomington Neighborhood Association" Fall 1984
- 17.6 Program: Morton Pumpkin Festival 2005
- 17.7 "Forging a Mission Link in the Local Food Chain: A Case Study 6 Months after the Certification of the First Organic Meat Processor in Illinois"
- 17.8 Newsletter: Family Farmers News

Folder 18: The Land Connection

- 18.1 The Land Connection DVD
- 18.2 "Organic Matters" by Henry Brockman. 26 pages
- 18.3 Newsletter: The Land Connections Spring 2007.
- 18.4 The "Natural and Unnatural History" of Illinois Farms

Folder 19: Local Menus, Ads

- 19.1 Stewards of the Land brochure, Fairbury, IL
- 19.2 Grand Prairie membership information
- 19.3 Hayashi Japanese Restaurant menu (lunch & dinner)
- 19.4 Dixie Travel Plaza tiny flier with owner information written on the back
- 19.5 Spence Farm's Wild Ramp (Leek) Harvest flier

Folder 20: Reports on Food

- 20.1 "Grocery Stores and Supermarkets" from *Encyclopedia of Chicago*, 2005
- 20.2 "Demand for Fast Food across Metropolitan Areas" James K. Binkley and James Eales. 1998
- 20.3 "Dietary Recommendations and How They Have Changed Over Time"

Folder 21: Farm History

- 21.1 30 September 1898. "A Wonderful Sight"
- 21.2 Wild Ramps
- 21.3 20 February 1938. "Butchering Time Down on the Farm- Old Technique is Changing – Supply Lasts a Year"

Folder 22: Mennonite Relief Sale

- 22.1 47th Annual Mennonite Relief Sale program
- 22.2 49th Annual Mennonite Relief Sale program (2)
- 22.3 Photos of kitchen
- 22.4 CD by Ruthie Cobb
- 22.5 CD of Images by Jose Sacaridiz

Folder 23: Interview Transcripts

- 23.1 Casey's Market Basket. 26 September 2006. 24 pages.
- 23.2 Marian Harris, 15 August 2006, 11 pages. By Robert Dirks.
- 23.3 Marian Harris, 29 August 2006, 15 pages. By Robert Dirks
- 23.4 Don and Ruthie Roth, 10 April 2007, 31 pages.
- 23.5 Jack Capodice and family (Anna Marie Ulbrich, Ed Ulbrich), 10 February 2007. 23 pages.
- 23.6 Bob Knapp, 20 November 2006. 14 pages.

Folder 24: Interview CD's

- 24.1 Foodways Interviews Group 1, 2, 3
- 24.2 Myra Gordon
- 24.3 Dan Barringer- State Farm
- 24.4 Sally Pyrne
- 24.5 Capodice
- 24.6 Roth
- 24.7 Miscellaneous others.

Interviews in "misc" and "Group 1 2 3 include:

- Annual Texas Chili Cookoff Hanna Eisner & John Prior
- Brac Shop & Central Station: Arden Nowers
- Brandtville: Bob Knapp
- Casey's Market Basket: Lartz's
- Garlic Press: Dottie Bushnell, Jackie Pope-Ganser, Michael Pullin
- Kitchens of the 1930s: 5 interviews with Marian Harris
- Funks Grove: Steve and Glaida Funk
- Funks Prairie Home (kitchen, dining room, stove, etc.) Bill Case
- Changes in Eating Habits: Sandy Knapp
- Early 70s Hangouts (Drinking & Eating) Tony Robbins and Sally Pyne
- Food & Community: Nancy Brokaw
- Grand Café: Ike Chiu; separately Mabel Wu
- Mennonite Relief Sale: Don & Ruthie Roth
- Henry's Farm; Henry Brockman
- Land Connection: Terra Brockman
- Organic Beef CSA: Larry & Marilyn Wettstein

Folder 25: Robert Dirks' Come & Get It Manuscript plus Book Review

- 25.1 Each chapter printed out from Robert Dirks' books
- 25.2 Book review by Leslie Goddard published in *Journal of Illinois History*, Autumn 2012, Vol. 15, No. 3.

Photo Negatives & Contact Sheets:

Negatives are organized chronologically. Photographers names appear on the envelopes the negatives were originally inside of (which can be found with the negatives), but I have not listed their names in this finding aid. Original envelopes sometimes include day and page the photo was printed in the *Pantagraph*. Many of these negatives correspond with articles found in this collection.

Date. Title. # of negatives.

Folder 26: Contact sheets of scanned negatives

Folder 27: 1930s

26 September 1931. Apple Picking at Binckelbaw's. 6.
23 March 1933. Hazel Funk & Maple Syrup. 4.
29 September 1933. Tavern Six Points. 2.
20 February 1934. Maple Sugar Camp, Mrs. Henry Hool (?) Imes, Miss Hazel Funk. 5.
19 July 1934. Tremont-Butcher. 2.
16 February 1935. Butchering A C Lanz Farm. 6.
13 September 1935. Home Feature, construction, ag pix. 14.
8 August 1936. Home Makers Picnic. 4.
9 August 1936. Reunions. 10.
28 October 1936. Guthoff Farm Home (Modern). 5.
17 May 1937. Cooking School. 3.
10 May 1938. Garden & Kids. 2.
13 July 1938. Picnic. 5.
27 January 1939. Trimmer School Hot Lunch. 6.
10 February 1939. Fairbury Home Feature. 6.
13 February 1939. Hot Lunches & Ladies Cooking. 10
15 February 1939. Chatsworth Home Feature, 8. Men Cooks, 5. 13 total.
3 April 1939. Kresge's Remodel. 2
13 April 1939. Kitchen Feature. 2.
30 June 1939. Chinch Bug Barrier. 2.
25 August 1939. Hungarian Festival. 5.

Folder 28: 1940-1946

June 1940. Milking Shorthorn Picnic. 4.
11 June 1940. Home Feature. 5.
18 June 1940. Along Road (Strawberries!). 7.
1 July 1940. Miss Ada Stewart & Relics. 2.
3 June 1941. Kroger Store Exterior. 1.
23 May 1942. Sugar Line (at the courthouse). 1
29 December 1942. Food Inventory Yearend. 2.
23 December 1942. Tomatoes for Soldiers (Woman Packing Cans). 2
1 May 1943. Food Stamps. 1.
17 November 1945. Canteen. 4
20 November 1945. Turkey Plant. 2.
26 November 1945. Cafeteria. 2.
27 November 1945. Locker. 3.
28 November 1945. Lexington Locker Plant. 1
4 December 1945. Corn Packing Bee. 2
12 December 1945. Corn Picking Bee. 4
19 December 1945. Canteen Women. 2
26 December 1945. Canned Foods. 2
28 December 1945. Butter making. 2.
5 March 1946. Tomato Juice, Can of Tomatoes. 2
11 March 1946. Donut Dunking. 4
15 March 1946. Bread pix. 3.
17 April 1946. Meat Line (Keith's Bread). 4.
22 April 1946. Bread (store ration). 2
7 May 1946. HCC Bread Baker. 2
15 June 1946. Home Butchering. 2.
22 June 1946. Dog in Meat Line. 1
15 July 1946. Lierman Grocery Store Meat. 2.
16 July 1946. Chef. 2.
28 June 1946. Meat Locker. 2.
21 August 1946. Gibson Canning. 3.

23 August 1946. Dairy House (Meadow Gold Milk). 2.
14 November 1946. Marble Syrup Maker. 2
10 December 1946. Nordine's Store. 5.
14 December 1946. Nordine's Grocery. 3.
19 December 1946. Chinese Place. 3
24 December 1946. Billy Shelper carving meat on Christmas Eve. 2.

Folder 29: 1947-1949

March 1947. Peifer's Meat Market. 1
10 March 1947. Slaughter House at LeRoy. 3
19 March 1947. Danvers High School Cooking Class. 4.
24 March 1947. Beich's. 12.
11 April 1947. Chinese. 3.
28 June 1947. Woman Baking Bread. 1
22 July 1947. Adkins Canning
21 August 1947. Tomato Crop. 1
28 August 1947. Outdoor Supper. 4.
4 Sept 1947. Freezing Food, Mrs. Morath. 4
30 September 1947. IWU New Café
1 October 1947. Chow Club. 4.
30 October 1947. Meadows 100,00th Washer. 3.
10 November 1947. Danvers neighbors help pick corn. 2.
17 November 1947. Turkey Dressing, Inspection, Washing. 9.
3 December 1947. Eureka Mushroom Farm. 7.
23 January 1948. Food Locker at Home & Butchering. 4
26 February 1948. Page from Harpers Weekly 1871
5 February 1948. Cooking School BHS Adult Ed. Class. 4
16 February 1948. Piggly Wiggly Butcher. 1

Folder 30: 1950-1955

13 July 1950. House feature. 3.
29 March 1951. Poultry Dressing. 3.
9 May 1951. Francis Cheese House. 2.
15 May 1951. Ford Circus. 2
6 June 1951. Moore Drug Store. 6.
28 September 1951. Pumpkin Festival. 10.
2 October 1951. Deer Creek Elevator, pumpkin pick, Lilly apples. 6.
2 October 1952. Willis Atkinson House. 9.
2 October 1952. Piggly Wiggly Store. 2
3 October 1952. Mill Store. 3.
8 October 1952. John J. Phillis. 2
21 October 1952. Wakefield Factory. 2.
21 October 1952. J. J. Alikonis. 3.
6 November 1952. Galantha & Food. 2
17 June 1953. Lutz Super Market. 2
1 July 1953. New Eisner Checkout Station, 2. New National Meat Cases, 2. 4 total.
1954. Beich Candy Observance. 2.
8 April 1954. Meadows Range. 8.
25 October 1954. Caroline Wilcox- Cook-of-the-Week. 4.
22 (?) September 1954. Spectors Cooking. 2
16 March 1955. Teenagers Making Pizza. 2
5 October 1955. Mrs. Merrick, Rev. T. H. Sanders, Lincoln, IL. 2
13 October 1955. Stanford Cook. 2
25 October 1955. Williams Bakery. 8
25 October 1955. Strugel Bakery. 6.
27 October 1955. Stephens Bakery. 6.

21 October 1955. Jefferson Bakery. 6.
28 October 1955. Purity Bakery Co. 11.
26 November 1955. Schools Kitchen. 2.

Folder 31: 1956-1960, 1976

14 November 1956. Kroger Grand Opening. 4.
16 October 1956. Get Well Cards. 1
11 June 1957. New Kresge Store. 6
22 August 1957. Steak n Shake. 8.
14 January 1958. Bob's Grill, Danvers. 2
28 January 1958. Morton A & P Store.
5 February 1958. New IGA at Mahomet. 3
27 June 1958. Butcher C. V. Thorpe. 2
20 October 1958. Adult Education Cooking School. 2.
22 June 1959. LeRoy Drive In. 1
6 January 1959. F. R. McGillen, Fairbury Merchant business trend interview story. 2.
27 April 1959. Mabel's Café in Carlock. 2
1 July 1959. Hopedale Barbecuers. 2
July 15 1959. A of C Fish Fry at Funk Research Acres
20 July 1959. Root Beer Stand. 2.
8 September 1959 Harman Tomatoes. 2.
9 September 1959. Funks Field Sorting, 2. Rhodes Site Packing, 2. Rhinehart Combine, 2. Funk Chickens, 2. 8 total.
16 September 1959. Sandy's Drive In. 6.
28 January 1960. Piggly Wiggly Store. 3.
6 April 1960. Kane's Drive in Liquors. 3.
1 March 1960. Hudson Coffee Shop. 1
30 March 1960. Eddie's Superway. 2.
15 September 1960. IGA Grand Opening, Normal
March 1961. Mr. Quick. 1.
12 May 1961. Biasis & Dog.
23 October 1961. Stamms Store 114 N. Center St.
22 July 1963. Tobin's Drive-In.
6 August 1963. Koffee Kup Kafe, Minier.
20 September 1962. Kmart Opening.
1 June 1976. Garlic Press Pickets.

Folder 32: No Date

HCC- Family Breakfast in Yard. 1
Summer Job Pics Part II. 12.
Cork Husking Bee. 3.