

Reynolds Library and Reynolds Family records

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Box 1

Folder 1: History [1872-1950]

- *Address and Sermon on the Death of William Abelard Reynolds* book by M.B. Anderson, LL. D. and Rev. D.K. Bartlett with other memorial papers, 1872 [1872]
- *Seventh Annual Report of the Reynolds Library* book by Post-Express Printing Company [1892]
- “History of Reynolds Library and Estate”, N.A., 03/20/31, Inscription at top reads Mr. C. I. Lomb-CSH - (11 pages long) [1931]
- Rochester Public Library: Rundel Memorial Building brochure [1942]
- “The Reynolds Building – Mar. 1950” by Pat Barry, Mar. 1950 – (3 pages long) [1950]

Folder 2: The Will of Mortimer F. Reynolds [circa 1880’s-1892]

- Various drafts and incomplete wills– (3 individual sheets, 1 draft that is 2 pages long, 1 draft that is 3 pages long) [circa 1880’s]
- Typed will, Admitted to Probate July 5, 1892 (2 copies) [1892]
- Scanned copy of will, Admitted to Probate July 5, 1892 [1892]

Folder 3: Rochester Civic Engagement [circa 1930’s]

- “Rochester Museum of Arts and Science” strategic plan, N.A. – (4 pages long) [circa 1930’s]
- “Location of a Museum in an Educational Center” plan, N.A. – (2 pages long) [circa 1930’s]
- “An Educational Center” article, N.A. – (6 pages long) [circa 1930’s]

Folder 4: Newsclippings [1931- circa 1980’s]

- “Plan to Merge Reynolds, City Libraries Upset”, N.A., N.P., 01/10/31 [1931]
- “Split of Reynolds Library Trustees”, N.A., Rochester Times-Union, 01/13/31 [1931]
- “Definite Action In Controversy Over Library Will Be Urged”, N.A., Rochester Times-Union, 01/17/31 [1931]
- “Plans for Building to Join Reynolds, Rundel Library Units Directed by Council”, N.A., N.P., 01/20/31 [1931]
- “Dr. Rush Rhees Says University Does Not Seek Reynolds Library: U. of R. President’s Statement Follows Rapid Developments”, N.A., Rochester Times-Union, 01/20/31 - (2 copies) [1931]
- “President Rhees Declares University Has No Desire To Get Reynolds Library”, N.A., Democrat & Chronicle, 01/21/31 [1931]
- “Marked Progress Reported by City Museum Director; Recommends New Building”, N.A., N.P. , 01/30/31 and “Private Body Cannot Act Before July”, N.A., N.P., 01/30/31 [1931]
- “Sites Available as Rundel Memorial Will Be Surveyed”, N.A., N.P., 02/02/31 [1931]
- “Worth Publishing Along”, N.A., Times-Union, 09/09/31 [1931]
- “Main and Broad Street Site Urged for Rundel Building”, N.A., Rochester Times-Union, 09/11/31 - (2 pages long)[1931]
- “Combination Library and Museum Scheme Opposed as Inadequate and Mistaken”, N.A., Democrat & Chronicle, 09/19/31 - (2 pages long) [1931]
- “Fund Not Created for Library Alone, Says Robert Watson”, N.A., Rochester Times-Union, 09/21/31 [1931]
- “All Library Facts Asked for Public”, N.A., N.P., 01/20/31 [1931]
- “All Library Facts Asked for Public”, N.A., N.P., 1931 - (2 pages long), [1931]
- “Corn Hill’s Fascher home: two years of hard work pays off”, N.A., City East, 07/06/78 [1978]
- “Women survive tough times: 1834 Diary, ‘The Way We Were’” (01/31/1834) by Del Ray, Rochester Times-Union, 01/31/84 [1984]

- “Please Mr. Postman”, N.A., Upstate, 11/19/84 [1984]
- “1834 Diary, ‘The Way We Were’” (03/09/1834) by Del Ray, Rochester Times-Union, circa 1980’s [circa 1980’s]

Folder 5: Journals and Publications [1927-1974]

- “Breaking Faith with a Benefactor: Proposal to Move Reynolds Library Rouses Public to Indignation”, N.A., Opinion: An Independent Weekly Journal of Discussion, Vol. 1, September 10, 1927, Nos. 21, 22, 23 [1927]
- Untitled, N.A., The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 7, page 158, 1928 [1928]
- “Historic Reynolds Arcade”, N.A., The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 8, pages 102-103, circa 1930’s - (2 pages long) [circa 1930’s]
- Untitled, N.A., The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 12, page 36, 1933 [1933]
- “Record of Rochester”, N.A., The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 13, pages 58, 59, and 60, 1934 – (2 pages long) [1934]
- “The Reynolds Library” by Anne R. Collins, The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 16, pages 51, 52, 53, 59, 60, and 61, 1934 - (4 pages long) [1934]
- “Rochester Forty Years Ago”, The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 20, pages 34 and 35, 1942 [1942]
- “Rochester at the Close of the Century”, The Rochester Historical Society, Publication Fund Series, Vol. 20, pages 136 and 137, 1942 [1942]
- “New Vistas: Demographic and Economic” from *Rochester: the Flower City, 1855-1890* by Blake McKelvey, pages 19 and 20 [1949]
- Untitled section(s) from *Rochester: the Flower City, 1855-1890* by Blake McKelvey, pages 186 and 202 – (2 pages long) [1949]

- “Democracy in Education and Politics” from *Rochester: the Flower City, 1855-1890* by Blake McKelvey, page 293 [1949]
- “Rochester in the Early Nineties” from *Rochester: The Quest for Quality, 1890-1925* by Blake McKelvey, pages 21 and 288 – (2 pages long) [1956]
- “Rochester History”, N.A., N.P., April 1960, Volume 22, pages 4 and 5 [1960]
- “From Books to Multimedia: A History of the Reynolds Library and the Reynolds Audio-Visual Department of the Rochester Public Library” by Joseph W. Barnes and Robert W. Barnes, *Rochester History*, Vol. XXXVI, October 1974, No. 4 - (11 pages long) [1974]