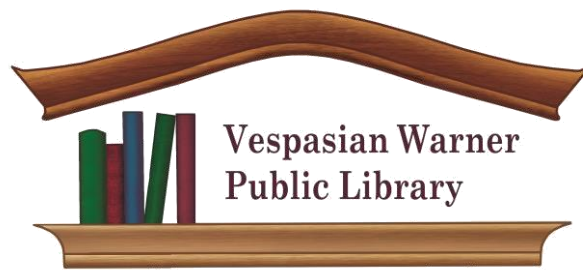


## COLLECTION SUMMARY

<b>Collection title:</b>	Weldon Springs
<b>Dates:</b>	Various
<b>Size:</b>	2 boxes
<b>Shelf location:</b>	
<b>Creator/Collector:</b>	Various
<b>Acquisition info.:</b>	Unknown
<b>Accruals:</b>	None
<b>Custodial history:</b>	Unknown
<b>Language(s):</b>	English
<b>Repository:</b>	Vespasian Warner Public Library District
<b>Processed by:</b>	Jenny Freed, 2009 ; Trisha Benedict, 2022
<b>Conservation notes:</b>	None



**Weldon Springs**

**ii**

## **RIGHTS AND ACCESS**

### **Access restrictions**

Collection is open for research. The collection or parts of the collection may not leave the library building.

### **Physical access restrictions**

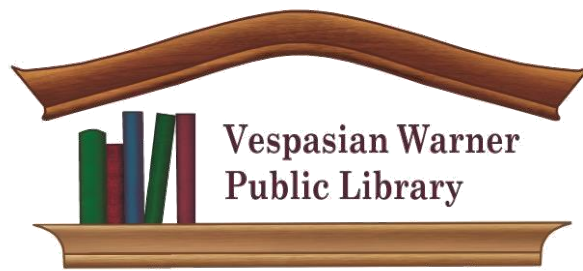
None

### **Technical access restrictions**

None

### **Publication rights**

The Vespasian Warner Public Library does not establish copyright for items.



**Weldon Springs**

**iii**

## **INFORMATION FOR RESEARCHERS**

### **Preferred citation**

[item identification], Weldon Springs, Vespasian Warner Public Library District, Clinton, Illinois

### **Related collections**

None

### **Separated material**

Scrapbooks

### **Published descriptions**

Not applicable

### **Location of originals**

Not applicable

### **Location of copies**

Not applicable

### **Publication note**

Not applicable

### **Subject headings**

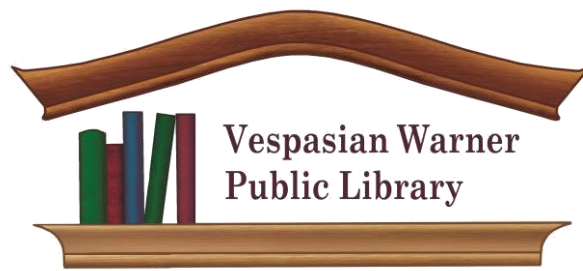
Chautauquas -- History  
Parks -- DeWitt County (Ill.)  
Public lands -- DeWitt County (Ill.)  
DeWitt County (Ill.) -- History

**SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE**

Photographs and publications related to Weldon Springs State Park, with emphasis on Chautauquas.

**ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION**

Weldon Springs State Park is 550 acres outside of Clinton, Illinois. The park includes a lake, hiking trails, pavilions, a camp site, and recreational activities.



**Weldon Springs**

v

**COLLECTION INVENTORY**

<b><u>Folder Title</u></b>	<b><u>Box Number</u></b>	<b><u>Folder Number</u></b>
<i>A History of Weldon Springs</i> by John R Dawson, 1996 (2)	1	1
Stockholder's Ticket, 2011	1	2
Souvenir booklet, 1903	1	3
4 <sup>th</sup> annual programme leaflet, 1904	1	4
Weldon Springs –Chautauqua- booklet, 1922	1	5
'Ten Great Chautauqua Days', 1915	1	6
Chautauqua Program, 1905	1	7
Directory leaflet, 1903	1	8
8 <sup>th</sup> Annual Programme, 1908	1	9
Souvenir booklet, 1903	1	10
"Song Book" 1905 *Fragile*	1	11
Official Program-"Ten Remarkable Days", 1917	1	12
Copies and Signs for Exhibit, 2017	1	13
Prints for exhibit, 2017	1	14
Program, 1912	1	15

Eleventh annual assembly booklet, 1911 (3)	1	16
Tenth Annual Programme, 1910	1	17
Nineteenth Annual Assembly booklet, 1919 (2)	1	18
Ninth annual programme, 1909 *Fragile* (3)	1	19
Innes “His band and his soloists” program, 1918	1	20
Ten Great Chautauqua Days booklet, 1915	1	21
<i>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</i> booklet, 1915 (2)	1	22
Illustrated program of 7 <sup>th</sup> annual assembly, 1907	1	23
Twentieth Official Program, 1920	1	24
Newspaper- <u>The Pantagraph</u> “State park has rich history of talk”, 1999	1	25
“A Banner Assembly Program of Excellent Quality” 1915	1	26
Official Program “Ten Remarkable Days”, 1917 (2)	1	27
“A Banner Assembly Program of Excellent Quality” 1916 (2)	1	28
Official Program, 1921 (2)	1	29
Ten Days of Education and Amusement, 1902	1	30
Fifth Annual Programme, 1905 (2)	1	31
Sixth Annual Programme, 1906 (2)	1	32
“We invite you to join Weldon Springs” leaflet, undated	1	33
Program, 1903	1	34
IDNR informative leaflet, 2001 (2)	1	35
Active Members Pledge, 1892	1	36
<i>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</i> booklet, 1913	1	37
“A Wonderful Ten Day Patriotic Chautauqua Program”, 1918	1	38

Clinton Chautauqua Assembly, 1901	1	39
Typed information on Weldon Springs & note from “Mrs. Billy Shields”, 1989	1	40
Newspaper clippings- “Chautauqua ends tonight”, “Chautauqua is Opened”, Chautauqua opens Sunday”, & “Hulbert Speaks at Chautauqua”, 1923 (& copy of articles)	2	1
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> “A Wonderful Ten Day Patriotic Chautauqua Program” “President Woodrow Wilson Endorses The Chautauqua”, 1918	2	2
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> 19 <sup>th</sup> annual Assembly, 1919	2	3
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> “A Banner Assembly Program of Excellent Quality” 1916	2	4
Clinton Chautauqua Program, 1901	2	5
Weldon Springs—Notes by Louis Zorger Davenport, undated	2	6
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> Program, 1903	2	7
* <u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> 9 <sup>th</sup> Annual Program, 1909		
*Small sheet Chautauqua Committees for 1910	2	8
* <u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Programme, 1906		
*Program of the Weldon Springs Chautauqua, 1909	2	9
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —Tenth Annual Programme, 1910	2	10
Weldon Springs Chautauqua Assembly- “Ten days of Education and Amusement”, 1902 (2)	2	11
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —11 <sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly, 1911	2	12
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —“Greater than Ever”, 1914	2	13
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —“...More Beautiful Than Ever”, 1913	2	14
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —“Ten Great Chautauqua Days”, 1915	2	15
“Our Great Southlands” extracts from lecture delivered at Weldon Springs by Hon B. F. Staymates, 1916	2	16
<u>Weldon Springs Chautauqua</u> —“Vesper Services”, 1916	2	17
Newspaper Clipping- <u>Pantagraph</u> -“Old Timers View Work at Weldon Springs With Lifted Brows”, 1938	2	18
Program of the Weldon Springs Chautauqua, 1917	2	19
Official Program of the Weldon Springs Chautauqua “Ten Remarkable Days”, 1917 (2)	2	20

Chautauqua Lots notebook, 1917	2	21
Innis-His Band and His Soloists program, 1918	2	22
Twentieth Official Program of Weldon Springs Chautauqua, 1920	2	23
Official Program- Weldon Springs 'Independent' Chautauqua, 1921 (2)	2	24
Official Program- Weldon Springs 'Independent' Chautauqua, 1922	2	25
Directory, 1903	2	26
Program, 1903	2	27
Programme, 1907	2	28
"Oratory, Amusement, Education, Outing" booklet, 1907	2	29
Illustrated Program 7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly, 1907	2	30
Fifth Annual Programme, 1905 (2)	2	31
Program, 1908 (2)	2	32
Eighth Annual Programme, 1908	2	33
Weldon Springs Chautauqua Herald and Booster V:1 N:1, 1912	2	34
Program, 1912	2	35
Program, 1904 (2)	2	36
"Spend your vacation where it means Improvement to self, and will cost little" booklet, 1904	2	37
4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Program, 1904 (2)	2	38