

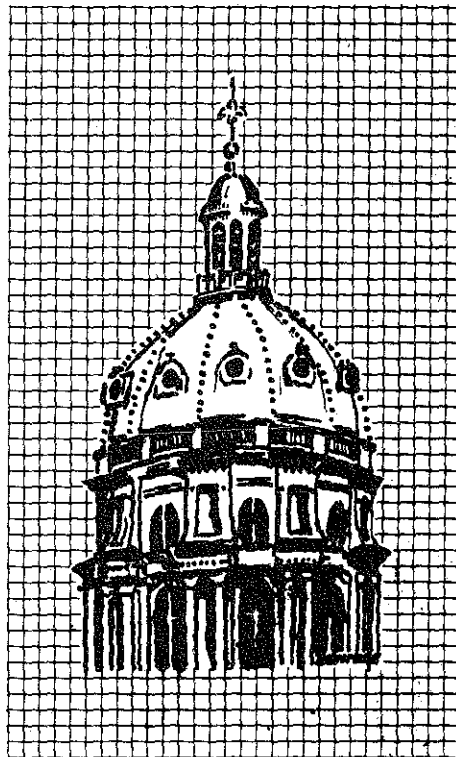
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IOWA AND SOME IOWANS

A Bibliography of Enrichment Books

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PREFACE

A knowledge of the history and traditions of our state can add security and confidence to the lives of young people torn by today's harried, often frustrating, life. This bibliography, Iowa and some Iowans, was prepared through the cooperation of the executive board of the Iowa Association of School Librarians in the hope that the books and pamphlets listed will supplement and enrich the somewhat elusive material available in school libraries. Compilation of the material and search for additional information was done by the Professional Relations Committee of the Iowa Association of School Librarians; Mrs. Judy Casey, Marshalltown; Mrs. Lucille Wahrenbrock, South Hamilton at Jewell; Mrs. Colleen Campbell, Independence; Mrs. Charlotte Zickefoose, Chairman, Waterloo; and committee typist, Mrs. Dawn Miller, Waterloo.

One of the first questions facing the committee was whether or not to include privately printed or out-of-print material. It was decided that while books may be out-of-print, they often reappear. Many are available in public libraries, established school libraries, county superintendent's personal libraries, and family libraries. It would be well to publicize in the community the need in school libraries for Iowa material. As attics or basements are cleared such material could be given to the school. Mrs. Campbell suggests, "People who say there isn't any Iowa history are only saying, 'I haven't looked!'"

Included at the end of the listing are names of suppliers of out-of-print material, information about special libraries with extensive collections of Iowana, and periodicals recommended for purchase by all secondary school libraries.

County material has generally been omitted because of lack of balance unless such material had a direct bearing on the general history of the state. The list is far from exhaustive; this, of course, would be an impossibility. It is the hope of the committee that the entries given will spark imaginations to suggest other sources of information and stimulate Iowa students to pride in their state.

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AUTHOR INDEX

- 277.3 Adams, Ephraim. The Iowa Band. Congregational Publishing Society, 1870.
A history of the group of young men who established Denmark Academy which is now part of the public school system of Iowa. Gr 8-12
- F Aldrich, Bess Streeter. The Bess Streeter Aldrich Reader.
Appleton, 1950.
Contains the following works:
Novels--Lantern in Her Hand; White Bird Flying
Short stories--Day of Retaliation; How Far Is It to Hollywood;
Juno's Swans; Will the Romance be the Same; Welcome Home, Hal. Gr 8-12
- F *Aldrich, Bess Streeter. A Lantern in Her Hand. Appleton, 1928.
The story of a pioneer woman who, as a bride, followed the covered-wagon trail to the Nebraska prairies and lived there the rest of her eighty years. A devoted wife and mother, Abbie Deal brought a large and unified family through poverty and hardship. Denying herself that the children might have the advantages her talented youth had coveted, she went through life with courage, her lode-star, and love her guide, a song upon her lips and a lantern in her hand. Followed by: A White Bird Flying. (available in paperback). Gr 8-12
- F *Aldrich, Bess Streeter. Song of Years. Appleton, 1939.
A story of pioneer Iowa during the years 1854 to 1865. When Wayne Lockwood took up his quarter-section about a hundred miles west of Dubuque, he found his nearest neighbor to be Jeremiah Martin, a sturdy pioneer with a family of seven hearty daughters and two sons. From that time on Wayne's destiny was bound up with the Martins. Gr 7-12
- F *Aldrich, Bess Streeter. Spring Came on Forever. Appleton, 1935.
The story follows Amalia and Mathias Meier and their descendants, as spring follows spring, and wagon trails become highways--and ends with Amalia's great grandson and Mathias' granddaughter, caught in the depression of 1933, starting life anew on Amalia's old homestead. "It is a book of clear characterizations, stirring narrative, insight and savor. It is as clean and refreshing as a strong spring wind." (New York Herald Tribune Book Review). Gr 7-12
- F *Aldrich, Bess Streeter. A White Bird Flying. Appleton, 1931.
Sequel to: A Lantern in Her Hand. Pulled by literary ambitions in one direction and by her heart strings in another, young Laura Deal of Nebraska tries to ignore her liking for dependable Allan Rinemiller. This tale of the second and third generations

of a pioneer family, while perhaps too deliberately patterned, gives careful attention to the setting and has a popular appeal through its sentiment, romance and happy ending. (New York Libraries). Gr 8-12

977.7

Anderson, Elaine Joy. Old World Iowans. Klipto, n.d.

The author discusses various groups who immigrated to Iowa: Indians at Tama, Belgians, Dutch, Danes, Irish, Jews, Germans, Mormons, Puritans, Quakers, Scotch, and others. It studies their customs and the influence of foreign grandparents on traditions and ways of living today. Very good; strong on minority groups. Gr 7-12

977.7

The Annals of Iowa: Volume One--1863. Economy Advertising Co., 1964.

An offset reprint commemorating the centennial of the publication of its first historical quarterly in 1863 by the State Historical Society. This is a valuable reproduction of the first attempts to preserve the historical accomplishments of Iowa. Gr 8-12

B

Ansley, Delight. The Sword and the Spirit; a life of John Brown. Crowell, 1955.

An extensive biography of John Brown, hero of Harper's Ferry raid which "begins with Brown's childhood and the parental influences that turned him into the dedicated yet stern and impractical man he was. Brown was a boy of the woods and one way or another remained a pioneer all his life. That he planned and lived with the idea of the raid years before its execution comes forth as the outstanding fact of the book." Gr 8-12

977.7

Ashton, Charles. A Handbook of Iowa. Iowa Columbian Comm., 1893.

The discovery, settlement, geographical location, topographical features, geology, climate, as well as the excellence of the intellectual and social and moral life of Iowa are represented in this concise handbook. Gr 8-12

352

Aurner, Clarence R. History of Township Government in Iowa. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1914.

This book aims to discover the sources of the laws under which the township in Iowa was organized, to sketch the scope and character of township administration, and to indicate some of the conceptions concerning the functions of the township that appear to have prevailed in Iowa. Gr 8-12

977.7

Aurner, Clarence R. Iowa Stories. Clio Press, 1923. 3 vols.

This series covers little discussed topics, such as: Iowa without a name, the beginnings of railroads, schools and newspapers, money in 1857. Easy reading. Accurate illustrations of people and tools. Gr 4-8

977.7

*Bailey, Bernadine. Picture Book of Iowa. Illus. by Kurt Wiese. Albert Whitman, 1952.

Colorful illustrations. Elementary. Gr 3-6

- B Bailey, Joseph Connor. Seaman A. Knapp, Schoolmaster of American Agriculture. Columbia University Press, 1945. Gr 9-12
- 977.737 Baldwin, Clarence W. Crossroads on the Cedar; a story of two cities. Pioneer Advertising Co., 1967. (pamphlet).
Black and white illustrations from early maps and diagrams of state highway commission. Waterloo and Cedar Falls. Gr 9-12
- B *Beckhard, Arthur J. Black Hawk. Messner, 1957.
An autobiography of the leader of the Sauk and Fox Indians during the Black Hawk War. Interesting for intermediate grades and junior high. Gr 6 up
- 811 *Benet, Stephen Vincent. John Brown's Body. Farrar and Rinehart, 1928.
A long narrative poem of great energy and sweep, which swings into view the whole course of the Civil War, throwing into relief against the war-torn background individual figures of both North and South, soldiers and civilians. Gr 6 up
- B Bentlage, Mary Kay. My Name Was Kay. Exposition Press, 1965.
Reminiscences of rural Iowa at the turn of the century. Gr 8-12
- 301.77 Bergmann, Leola Nelson. The Negro in Iowa. Iowa State Hist. Soc. (Studies in Iowa History).
A monograph originally printed in 1948 with an editorial addendum twenty years after by William J. Petersen. Gr 8-12
- 338.1 *Bogue, Allan G. From Prairie to Corn Belt; farming on the Illinois and Iowa prairies in the nineteenth century. University of Chicago Press, 1963.
Contains maps, diagrams, tables and a bibliography. Gr 9-12
- 353 *Bowersox, Fred C. Iowa Government. By Fred C. Bowersox and Jack T. Johnson. Klipto, 1945.
Gives good information in simplified vocabulary. Contains material on the establishment of welfare programs. Gr 6 up
- 926.3 Boyts, Harry J. Genius on the Farm; experiences of 100 farmers of the past 100 years. Graphic Publishing Co., 1961. Gr 8-12
- 977.7 Briggs, John Ely. Iowa--Old and New. The University Publishing Co., 1939.
A textbook used in the teaching of Iowa history containing the following units: Iowa in the making, explorations, traders and soldiers, the Indians, the settlement of Iowa, life among the pioneers, beginnings of Iowa government, Iowa in war, transportation, agriculture, industries, schools and churches. Gr 4 up
- 928 Brigham, Johnson, ed. A Book of Iowa Authors, By Iowa Authors. Iowa State Teachers Association, 1930.
This book lists Iowans who were prominent as writers and the contributions they made to the field of writing. Gr 8-12

- B Brigham, Johnson. The Governor of Iowa; a sketch of Albert Baird Cummins. Review of Reviews Co., 1906.
A biographical sketch of Iowa's only governor elected three times, (until the exception of our immediate past Governor Harold Hughes). Gr 8-12
- 977.7 Brigham, Johnson, ed. History of Des Moines and Polk County, Iowa. 2 vols. S. J. Clarke, 1911.
This work speaks of Father Marquette and Joliet as the first white men that set foot on the shores of the Des Moines River. Information is also related on such men as Governor Kirkwood and Jefferson Scott Polk, the latter being one of the promoters and founders of the railway system of Des Moines. The State House fire of 1904, which all but destroyed the Capitol Building, is also related. Gr 8-12
- 977.7 Brigham, Johnson. Iowa: Its History and Its Foremost Citizens. S. J. Clarke, 1918. 3 vols.
The development of the history of Iowa, and the presentation of biographies of prominent Iowans who are a part of its history are presented in this two volume work. Very useful for the advanced reader. Gr 9-12
- B Brigham, Johnson. James Harlan. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1913.
The U. S. senatorial career of James Harlan from 1855 to 1865 is presented to show how successful he was in advocating measures that would benefit the people of Iowa. For this biography Johnson Brigham was given free access to James Harlan's personal memoirs, letters and papers. This was made possible by Robert Lincoln, the only surviving son of President Lincoln, and of his wife, Mary Harlan Lincoln, the daughter of James Harlan. Gr 9-12
- Brigham, Johnson. A Library in the Making; pioneer history of the territorial and state library. Des Moines, 1913.
Privately printed, this is a reprint from the Annals of Iowa, October, 1912, and January, 1913. It traces the development of the state library in Iowa. Gr 9-12
- Brigham, Johnson. Local Tradition. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1903.
This pamphlet is concerned with community spirit, the spirit which compels the representatives of government to carry out the wishes of the people. Gr 9-12
- 808.8 Brigham, Johnson, ed. Prairie Gold; an anthology. Torch Press, 1918.
This work contains selections from writers who were prominent in representing Iowa and the Midwest in literature. Gr 8-12
- F Brigham, Johnson. The Sinclairs of Old Fort Des Moines. Torch Press, 1927.
This novel is based on the historical founding of the village of Fort Des Moines by civilian camp followers. Gr 9-12

- 388.1 Brindley, John E. History of Road Legislation in Iowa. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1912.
The text of this work deals with road legislation, local governing bodies, the history of road building in Iowa, and lists the reforms needed in Iowa's tax structure in the early 1900's. Used by driver's training in some schools. Gr 10-12
- 977.7 *Brown, Don Doyle. Iowa--the Land Across the River. Wallace, 1963.
This Iowa history book has been designed for school use; it is an entertaining text as well as being factual. Study aids, reference sources, and films are listed for teacher and student use. It discusses the arrival of the white man, the settler's colonies, Iowa personalities, tragedies and crimes, and the legends of Iowa. Poor binding. Gr 4 up
- 977.7 *Brown, Don Doyle. Tell a Tale of Iowa. Wallace-Homestead, 1965.
These tales are collected and presented knowing that in Iowa, from the smallest hamlet to the largest metropolis, many, many true stories are buried that would add luster and interest to the great and never-ending story of Iowa. Gr 4 up
- B Brown, Harriet Connor. Grandmother Brown's Hundred Years, 1827-1927. Blue Ribbon Books, 1929.
This biography of a remarkable woman portrays the way of life in the American Midwest and has historical significance for the reader. Contains first person accounts from diaries and journals. Gr 8-12
- F Buxbaum, Katherine. Iowa Outpost. Dorance, 1948.
This book is partly autobiographical and partly fictional. Gr 8-12
- 977.7 *Carpenter, Allan. Between Two Rivers; Iowa year by year, 1846-1940. Klipto, 1940.
Human interest stories about the building of Iowa and its people from rivalries in the search for land to the tragedies that affected the development of Iowa. This book is based on a chronological scheme of colorful stories of real life. Gr 6-12
- 977.7 *Carpenter, Allan. Iowa. Children's Press, 1964. (Enchantment of America series).
Useful for elementary grades. Gr 3-6
- 977.7 *Carpenter, Allan. Iowa From Its Glorious Past to the Present. Children's Press, 1964. Gr 4-7
- 353 Chandler, George. Iowa and the Nation. Flanagan, 1935.
Here is a basic discussion of Iowa government as compared with national government. Attention is given to small political divisions such as towns and townships. The subjects discussed are not the usual popular titles. For advanced students. Gr 10-12

Cheever, L. O., comp. Newspaper Collection of the State Historical Society of Iowa. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1969.

A bibliography of state newspapers available in bound volumes or on microfilm. Gr 9-12

- 977.7 *Christensen, Thomas Peter. The Hawkeye State; a history for home and school. Athens Press, 1956.

This history is a revision of the Story of Iowa; a Children's History; the title of which was changed to avoid confusion.

This present revision has been very thorough, resulting in a completely new and different book. Very readable; useful in high school with slower students. Gr 4 up

- 977.7 Christensen, Thomas Peter. A History of Danes in Iowa. Solvang, Calif., 1952.

This book traces the Danes from Denmark to the United States, their "discovery" of Iowa, and the establishment of large settlements. Gr 9-12

- 977.7 Christensen, Thomas Peter. The Iowa Indians; a brief history. Laurence Press, n.d.

This book is a progress report of the Iowa Indians from pre-historic times to the year 1939. It picks out notables and gives background information. It is an introduction to the Iowa Indians, their social organizations, meeting the whites, the Black Hawk War, the selling of Iowa, and various other incidents. Gr 9-12

- 977.7 Christensen, Thomas Peter. The Story of Iowa; a Children's History. Holst, 1928.

This book surveys Iowa, from a brief geological introduction, through the nineteenth century. Early inhabitants and civilized men are presented, clearly but briefly. Political as well as social aspects are included. A good beginner's source. Gr 4 up

- B Clark, Dan. Samuel Jordan Kirkwood. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1917. (Iowa Biographical series).

The "War Governor" of Iowa, 1860-1864, Governor Kirkwood earned his name an assured place on the honor roll of the state and the nation, as indicated in this biography, which is based on his own letters and papers and those of his contemporaries. Area 10 Community College has now been renamed in his honor. Gr 9-12

- 977.7 Cole, Cyrenus. A History of the People of Iowa. Torch Press, 1921. Gr 9-12

- B Cole, Cyrenus. I Am a Man. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1938.

The biography of the Indian Black Hawk. Written in a flowery, somewhat stilted style; however, it is extremely accurate. Gr 9-12

977.7
or
B Cole, Cyrenus. I Remember, I Remember; a book of recollections indexed.
These personal experiences of the author come from his life as an Iowa farm boy, newspaper reporter, editor and publisher, U.S. Congressman. His emphasis is primarily on the men and women he knew. Throughout the ninety-one chapters, the general overtone is political; however, together they present a background of the history of our state. Pella, Des Moines, and Washington, D. C. are given special attention. Gr 9-12

977.7 Cole, Cyrenus. Iowa Through the Years. 1940.
Opening with the arrival of the French and tracing their explorations up the Mississippi and into Iowa, this volume covers all areas of Iowa's early years. Considerable attention is given to the Indian-white man relationships. The text closes with the tragedy-heroism of Senator Grimes, after telling Iowa's role in our national development and through the Civil War. Flowery style. Gr 9-12

Cook, Theo. M. Boys in Blue. The Record-Republican, 1963.
The history of Van Buren County during the Civil War. Gr 9-12

F Corey, Paul. Acres of Antaeus. Holt, 1946.
Iowa during the depression years is the setting for this story of the hatred and despair that grew up among small farmers as mortgages were foreclosed and big business seized the land for an agricultural empire. Realistic, but pleasant reading; one of the few fiction books in this era. Gr 9-12

F Corey, Paul. Corn Gold Farm. Morrow, 1948. Gr 7-10

F *Crary, Margaret. The Calico Ball. Prentice-Hall, 1961.
Sioux City in the 1860's is the setting for this story about a young girl whose understanding of the Indians and their problems averts catastrophe when hostile tribes threaten the town. Light reading; good for slower students. Gr 6-12

828 Daniel, Dorothy. Circle 'Round the Square; pictures from an Iowa childhood. Funk, 1959. Gr 8-12

Darling, Jay N. As Ding Saw Hoover. Ames, 1954.
Perceptive cartoons and personal glimpses into the life of the late Herbert Hoover, 29th President of the United States. Jay N. "Ding" Darling was a Pulitzer Prize-winning editorial cartoonist of the Des Moines Register. Gr 9-12

741.5 Darling, Jay N. Ding's Half Century. Duell, Sloan, and Pearce, 1962.
Here are 196 cartoons, chosen to show what Ding drew and how. They have been placed within a chronological frame to give a review of the 1900-1950 period. Ageless; universal appeal. Gr 6-12

- F Duncan, Thomas W. Gus the Great. New York, 1947.
The author says, "One brilliant afternoon in November, 1936, driving through a valley in Iowa, I came upon the ruins of a circus farm; the winter quarters of a circus, long dead. I had never known the circus when it lived. I had never known anybody connected with it. But now a picture entered my thoughts; a circus owner. I saw him huge and prosperous, and I saw him as a ruined man, tramping back to the farm. I saw Gus. It was love at first sight and, in the fall of 1938, I settled down in earnest to write his story." Gr 10-12
- 977.7 *Dwelle, Jessie Merrill. Iowa Beautiful Land; a history of Iowa. Rev. by Ruth H. Wagner. Klipto, 1958.
With words and photographs, Dwelle discusses Iowa history from the way of life of the Indians, settlers, and passers-through in relation to Iowa landscapes. It is a presentation of the history of scenic places. For slower readers. Gr 6 up
- B *Emery, Anne. American Friend; Herbert Hoover. Rand McNally, 1967. Gr 7 up
- F *Engle, Paul. An Old Fashioned Christmas. Dial Press, 1964. Gr 8 up
- 977.7 *Erbe, Carl H. Text and Workbook in the History of Iowa. Rev. by J. W. Swisher. Holst.
Discussions followed by questions and answers characterize this book. Commencing with the "Discovery of Iowa," it covers Iowa's development. Includes suggestions for further study. Very good. Gr 4 up
- 973.9 *Faulkner, Harold Underwood. From Versailles to the New Deal. Yale University Press, 1950.
Contents: End of the great crusade; Isolation and laissez-faire; Normalcy and nationalism; Advance of prosperity; Social confusion; Political corruption; From Harding to Coolidge; Government and business; Plight of farmer and laborer; End of an era; Interlude; Bibliographical note. Very strong on Herbert Hoover; presenting him as an humanitarian. For advanced students. Gr 10-12
- 917.77 Federal Writers Project. Iowa; a guide to the Hawkeye State. Hastings House, 1949.
Designed to give a reasonably comprehensive survey of the state in its various aspects. Part I: Iowa--past and present; Part II: Cities and towns; Part III: Tours (generally on numbered state and federal roads; considerable discussion included with each tour); Part IV: Appendices (including a chronology, a classified bibliography and index). Clearly written. Presents material in tabular and graphic form. Gr 8-12
- *Ferber, Edna. One Basket; thirty-one short stories. Doubleday, 1947.
Partial contents: The woman who tried to be good; The gay old dog; That's marriage; Farmer in the dell; Un morso doo pang; Long distance; The maternal feminine; Old Man Minick. Gr 9-12

- B *Ferber, Edna. A Peculiar Treasure. Doubleday, 1960.
This autobiography of the author is in her own words, "the story of an American Jewish family in the past half century, and as such is really a story about the America which I know and love." Gr 9-12
- 821.8 Flannery, Agnes Veronica. Iowa Centennial, 1846-1946; poetry anthology. Lake Mills Graphic, 1946. Gr 8-12
- 917.77 Fox, Dorothea Magdalene. Pedalling to Adventure. Torch Press, 1940. Gr 9-12
- F *Fuller, Iola. The Shining Trail. New York, 1951.
The story of the Black Hawk War, this best seller of 1943 has in the intervening years maintained its audience and its critical esteem. Gr 8-12
- 977.7 Galland, Isaac. Galland's Iowa Emigrant. Wm. C. Jones, 1840; reprint issued by Iowa State Hist. Soc.
Experts agree that this book is a rare gem among books. It commands respect and interest for its authenticity. It contains reproductions from early maps showing Iowa as part of the Wisconsin territory. Gr 9-12
- F *Garland, Hamlin. Boy's Life on the Prairie. Ungar, 1959.
Farm life in northern Iowa about 1870. Graphic descriptions of ploughing and sowing, herding cattle, spearing fish, hunting prairie chickens, killing rattlesnakes and hunting wolves. Gr 8-12
- B *Garland, Hamlin. A Daughter of the Middle Border. Macmillan, 1921.
A continuation of the author's A Son of the Middle Border. Gr 8-12
- B *Garland, Hamlin. Son of the Middle Border. Macmillan.
Covers Garland's life from youth on an Iowa farm to his struggles as a writer in Boston. Gr 9-12
- B *Garst, Shannon. Buffalo Bill. Messner, 1948.
A sympathetic, but not sentimental biography. Appeals to boys. Gr 6 up
- B Garwood, Darrell. Artist in Iowa; a life of Grant Wood. Norton, 1944.
The story of a man and an artist who loved the people, the homely objects and rich earth of his native midwest and who, through his work, radically influenced the art of his time. Gr 8-12
- 977.7 Gingerich, Melvin. The Mennonites in Iowa; marking the one hundredth anniversary of the coming of the Mennonites in Iowa. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1939.
After presenting a concise European background, the author has, in a readable style, carefully and extensively covered the first century of the Mennonites in Iowa. Whether it be their economic

values and means, their clothing and customs, their folklore or their confession of faith, this is an informative book. Besides an index, a section on "Notes and Citations" offers further explanations of these people. Very good. Gr 9-12

- 977.7 Glass, Reinley J. Iowa and the Counties of Iowa and Something of Their Origin and Histories. Klipto, 1940.
A brief historical resume of each of Iowa's ninety-nine counties is presented in this text. Includes memorable personages, special information; very interesting. Gr 6 up
- B Gleason, H. A. Reminiscences of Henry M. Gleason; to which have been added Illinois farm life in the eighteen eighties and the New England ancestors of Henry M. Gleason, author. 1961.
This biographical sketch of the life of Henry M. Gleason and of the conditions under which he grew to manhood are a vivid portrayal of all pioneer times. Not high interest, but worthwhile on recall. Gr 10-12
- 811 Gravel, Fern. Oh, Millersville. Prairie Press, 1940.
The poems in this book were written in the first half-decade of the present century by a little girl who lived in an Iowa town which she chose to call Millersville. Gr 6 up
- B Gregory, Charles N. Samuel Freeman Miller. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1907.
The career of Samuel Freeman Miller is that of an eminent jurist who for twenty-eight years served as Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court. Justice Miller's contributions to history are chiefly to our system of Jurisprudence--more especially to our Constitutional Law. Gr 9-12
- 977.7 Gue, Benjamin F. History of Iowa, From the Earliest Times to the Beginnings of the Twentieth Century. 4 vols. Century History, 1903.
Vol. 1: Pioneer Period; Vol. 2: Civil War; Vol. 3: 1866 to 1903; Vol. 4: Iowa Biography. Gr 8-12
- 977.7 *Hake, Herbert V. A Cartoon History of Iowa. Klipto, 1968.
The story of Iowa in cartoons, first used in the author's series of TV programs, "Landmarks in Iowa History." To be used with Iowa Inside Out. Gr 4 up
- 977.7 *Hake, Herbert V. Iowa Inside Out. State University Press, 1968.
This work emphasizes the people and events who have shaped Iowa's history rather than statistical figures. Old books, magazines, newspaper files, innumerable field trips and discussions with native Iowans have provided Mr. Hake's information. He features many unpublished, rarely mentioned persons, incidents and places. A truly delightful book. Two-columned pages; easy format.

- 360 Hansen, Marcus L. Welfare Work in Iowa. Iowa State Hist. Soc., 1921.
The nature and the extent of welfare work done in Iowa during World War I are discussed in this volume, which is arranged topically. Camp Dodge and Fort Des Moines are included in the material. Very important. Gr 10-12
- 977 Harlan, Edgar Rubey. A Narrative History of the People of Iowa; with special treatment of their chief enterprises in education, religion, valor, industry, business, etc. American Historical Society, 1931. 5 vols.
Poor organization makes use of this set difficult. However, persons from all walks of life are included. Discussions seem to focus on the person--mostly men--and his accomplishments. Gr 10-12
- 597 or 799.1 Harlan, James R. Iowa Fish and Fishing. Iowa State Conservation Commission, 1956.
The authors have pointed at three major objectives: where to fish, identification of fish caught, how to catch fish. The major fishing waters, including rivers, trout streams, artificial lakes, natural lakes, and river oxbows are located and described. All fish found in the state are described. Practically a classic. Gr 7 up
- F *Harper, Martha. Winter Wedding. Longmans, 1950.
Depicts the social festivities of an Iowa country wedding, soon after the Civil War. Includes a list of publications consulted. Gr 9 up
- 370.62 Hart, Irving H. Milestones. Iowa State Education Association, 1954.
This is a history of the Iowa State Education Association which covers the beginnings of education in Iowa. The organization of the ISEA in 1854, and the progress made through ISEA in its 100 years of existence. Gr 10-12
- 977.7 *Hart, Irving H. Stories of Iowa. State University Press, 1953.
These are but a few of the "Stories of Iowa" which have been broadcast over WOI radio, Ames. Each covers a different facet of Iowa's colorful history. Gr 5 - 8
- 977.7 *Hastie, Earl N. High Points of Iowa History. n.d.
Covers four centuries of Iowa history--from its discovery and settlement to the present. The author's vital interest in our state's history has led to the establishment of a Museum of Iowa History in Perry, Iowa. Tends to be sentimental. Gr 5-8
- 811 Hearst, James. Country Men. Prairie Press, 1937. Gr 8 up
- 811 Hearst, James. Limited View. Iowa City Prairie Press, 1962. Gr 8 up
- 811 Hearst, James. Man and His Field; selected poems. A. Swallow, 1951. Gr 8 up

- 811 Hearst, James. A Single Focus. Iowa City Prairie Press, 1967. Gr 8 up
- F Heath, May A. Iowa Hannah. Hasting House, 1961.
An account of the settlement and growth of a little town in Iowa from 1850 through the Civil War. It is the story of how Hannah Baker, later Mrs. Kennedy, and her family journeyed by covered wagon from Illinois and settled in Waterloo. Gr 4-6
- F Hoffmann, Mathias Martin. Young and Fair Is Iowa; an historical novel. Loras College Press, 1946. Gr 7 up
- B Hoover, Herbert Clark. Memoirs of Herbert Hoover. 3 vols. Macmillan, 1951.
Vol. 1: Years of Adventure, 1874-1920; Vol. 2: Cabinet and the Presidency, 1920-1933; Vol. 3: Great Depression, 1929-1941. Gr 10-12
- F Hough, Emerson. The Covered Wagon. Appleton, 1922.
Movement of the pioneers to Oregon the year before the gold stampede. This book served as the basis for one of the early spectacular movies. Gr 9 up
- Iowa Centennial Committee. Looking Back on Hawkeye Land. State of Iowa, 1946.
This short, colorful magazine format history discusses the discovery of Iowa, the Iowa prehistoric man, the Iowa Indians, Iowa under France, Iowa--the territory, state development, industrial growth, famous men, the state symbols, and centennial items. Gr 8 up
- 630 Iowa Department of Agriculture. Iowa Book of Agriculture; biennial report. State of Iowa. Gr 9-12
- 977.7 Iowa Department of Public Instruction. Teaching Iowa History; a guide to resource material. State of Iowa, 1968. Professional
- 345 *Iowa General Assembly. Code of Iowa; containing all statutes of a general and permanent nature. State of Iowa. Gr 8 up
- 353.977 *Iowa General Assembly. Iowa Official Register. State of Iowa.
Partial contents: Elective administrative officials, the Capitol and its grounds, the courts of Iowa; schools, colleges and universities; Iowa's history and symbols, newspapers in Iowa, constitution of Iowa. Gr 6 up
- 557.77 Iowa Geological Survey: Bulletin No. 5. The Rodents of Iowa.
Published for Iowa Geological Survey, 1918.
This 1918 bulletin on the thirty-one kinds of rodents found in Iowa gives a diagnostic treatment of each group of animals. Includes: characteristics, habits, distribution, economic value, methods of control, beneficial rodents, and rodents that are harmful. Precipitated research at Iowa State on

pest control and development of pesticides. Useful for agronomy students. Gr 10-12

- 351.7 Iowa Highway Patrol. Iowa Highway Patrol, n.d.
The history of the Iowa Highway Patrol, its major divisions, the legislation which created it, and a description of the administrative staff and their duties are included in this comprehensive handbook. Popular with driver training people. Gr 9-12

- 917.77 Iowa in the World; a report on international cooperation to the governor and the people of Iowa. Sponsored by the University of Iowa, the Iowa Development Commission, and others, 1967. Partial contents: Iowa and the World's Food; Iowa in the World of Science; Iowa Youth--World Understanding; Poverty Anywhere--A Danger Everywhere. Gr 8-12

- 630.9 or 338.1 Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts. A Century of Farming in Iowa, 1846-1946, by Members of the Staff of the Iowa State College and the Iowa Experimental Station. Published in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of Iowa's statehood. Iowa State College Press, 1946. Gr 10-12

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