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INVENTORY OF THE RECORDS OF COL. NODINE POST, NO. 140,  
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC (CHAMPAIGN, ILLINOIS)

Part I: Minutes

- Volume 1. Constitution and By Laws of the Champaign Veteran Soldiers Historical Society, Minutes, Report, and List of members. Constitution and By Laws of the Col. Nodine Post No. 140, G. A. R. (including later additions); Membership List. (Envelope of miscellaneous material moved to Folder No. 3) Inclusive dates June 4, 1880-August 22, 1882.
- Volume 2. "Records of the preceedings of the Post Nodine No. 140 Grand Army of the Republic."  
Minutes June 22, 1882-November 28, 1890.
- Volume 3. "Record of Minutes of Col. Nodine Post No. 140, G. A. R., Dept. of Illinois."  
Minutes December 12, 1890-March 11, 1892.
- Volume 4. "Keifer's Minute Book for the Grand Army of the Republic."  
Minutes March 25, 1892-February 12, 1897.
- Volume 5. "Keifer's Minute-Book for the Grand Army of the Republic Posts". Minutes February 26, 1897-October 22, 1901.
- Volume 6. "Keifer's Minute-Book for Grand Army of the Republic Posts."  
Minutes November 21, 1901-July 26, 1907.  
(This volume also includes many letters, resolutions, and clippings pasted in it).
- Volume 7. "Keifer's Minute Book for Grand Army of the Republic Post."  
Minutes August 9, 1907-April 11, 1919.  
(This volume also includes many letters, resolutions, and clippings pasted in it).
- Volume 8. "Keifer's Minute Book for Grand Army of the Republic Post."  
Minutes April 25, 1919-October 28, 1932.
- Volume 9. "Records of the Meetings of Col. Nodine Post 140, Dept. of Illinois G. A. R. from September 9, 1932. Minutes September 23, 1932-October 27, 1933. Record of Dissolution of Col. Nodine Post No. 140, G. A. R. Agreement for disposal of property.

## Part II: Lists of Names

- Volume 10. Records of Members including date of birth and death, military and G. A. R. service, and location of grave; 348 names.
- Volume 11. Copy of above but containing 345 names.
- Volume 12. Cemetery Plat Book. It contains a list of veterans and the location of their graves.
- Volume 13. Roster of Deceased Soldiers in Mt. Hope Cemetery. This volume was presented to the Col. Nodine Post in 1885 by J. W. Langley. Names were added to the volume at later dates.
- Volume 14. Changed to Folder No. 2.
- Volume 15. Changed to Folder No. 1.

## Part III: Military Reminiscences

- Volume A. Green, Edwin. "A Little Experience Before and During the Civil War."
- This is a typewritten copy and contains a note signed by Walter Price which states that it was copied from an original found among the old papers of the Col. Nodine Post.
- Volume B. Personal War Sketches: Presented to Col. Nodine Post No. 140, Department of Illinois by Frank Robeson, Champaign, 1891. Grand Army of the Republic.
- It includes the sketches of war experiences of 52 G.A.R. members. Also there are lists of Post Commanders (1882-1931), Post Adjutants (1882-1912), Quartermasters (1882-1931), and Adjutants (1882-1912) as well as a short list of names of deceased members and the locations of graves (1882-1897).
- Shelved on top shelf above rest of collection.

## Part IV: Miscellaneous

- Folder No. 1. List of 348 names with military unit, date of death, and location of grave. (Title page states post had 336 members of whom 31 remained on the Roll, June 17th, 1926).
- Folder No. 2. Photographs. Set of nine identified photographs; 5 are of Walter Price, one is of his wife, and three, all identified, are of G.A.R. members (the last 2 are duplicates).
- Folder No. 3. Miscellaneous papers. These items were mainly taken from a pocket in Volume 1 and include clippings, receipts, programs and forms.