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Folder 1

Personal Papers

Typescript of "account of my work which I have to keep on hand for various requests from reviews and others," originally enclosed in Randall's letter to Henrietta Horner on October 26, 1961. Previously filed in the Horner Collection. See also letters of Ruth Painter Randall to Henrietta Horner regarding *Lincoln's Sons* and *Colonel Elmer Ellsworth*, in Horner collection.

"Colonel Ellsworth's Birthplace?" Statement regarding a photograph in her book *Colonel Elmer Ellsworth*. Undated.

Itemized appraisal of a collection of periodicals and books donated to the University of Illinois Library on January 8, 1965. Includes two letters dated April 29, 1965: a letter from Helen M. Welch to Ruth Painter Randall remarking on scholarly value of the materials, and a letter from Henry L. Eaton to Robert B. Downes regarding the appraisal.

Correspondence

S. Phelps Platt, Jr. to Ruth Painter Randall, October 29, 1964. Randall's publisher; sent a copy of Dodd, Mead and Company's *125th Anniversary Anthology*.

Rella Ritchell to Ruth Painter Randall, four postcards, 1954. Regarding Ritchell's *Scars and a Dozen & More Poems*.