Manuscript Collection Inventory
Illinois History and Lincoln Collections
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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Folder 1

1. Typescript (3 pages) of Ruth Painter Randall's "account of my work which I have to keep on hand for various requests from reviewers and others," enclosed in her letter to Henrietta Horner on Oct. 26, 1961, previously filed in the Horner collection, Section 7).

See also letters of Ruth Painter Randall to Henrietta Horner regarding Lincoln's Sons and the Colonel Elmer Ellsworth, filed in the Horner collection.

2. "Colonel Ellsworth's Birthplace?"

3. Lists of books and periodicals from the library of James G. Randall which Ruth Painter Randall donated to the University Library on Jan. 8, 1965, and related letters on Apr. 29, 1965: Henry L. Eaton (Book Cellar, Champaign) to Robert B. Downs, providing an item appraisal of the lot ($1,714.50), and Helen M. Welch (acquisitions librarian) to Ruth Painter Randall, noting that many titles from her will be useful as duplicates of volumes in the Lincoln Room "which cannot be charged out of the room."

4. Letters to Ruth Painter Randall:

Rella Ritchell, four postcards regarding her Scars and a Dozen & More Poems (1954).

Platt, S. Phelps (Dodd, Mead & Co., Ruth Painter Randall's publisher), sending her a copy of Dodd, Mead's 125th Anniversary Anthology, Oct. 29, 1964.