Clark Prescott Bissett Papers on Abraham Lincoln, circa 1894-1923

Overview of the Collection

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Biographical Note

Clark Prescott Bissett (1875-1932) was a practicing lawyer and a member of the faculty of the University of Washington Law School. He was also a well-known collector of Lincolniana, and published essays and books about Abraham Lincoln including *Abraham Lincoln, a universal man* (1923).

Content Description

This collection consists primarily of typescript versions of Bissett's book, "Abraham Lincoln, a universal man" and also includes manuscripts and typescripts of speeches by Bissett about Lincoln, as well as a small amount of printed ephemera (mostly prospectuses for books about Lincoln).

Use of the Collection

Preferred Citation

[Item Description] Clark Prescott Bissett Papers on Abraham Lincoln

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Administrative Information

Acquisition Information
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Processing Note
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Related Materials

Bissett-Witherspoon Lincoln Collection Cage 174.

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms:
Presidents -- United States -- Biography.

Family Names:
Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865.

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