INDIANA POLITICAL MATERIALS COLLECTION, 1861–1948

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF 1 folder (6 items); 1 photograph

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DATES:

PROVENANCE: Tom C. Huston, Carmel, Indiana, July 2008

RESTRICTIONS: None

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The collection consists of an assortment of Indiana related political materials spanning the years 1861–1948 and came from the collection of Tom Huston. There is no connection between the materials outside of their political nature. The items are:

- 1. 16 March 1861–Letter from A. Beal, Indianapolis, to D. R. Beongs (sp.?) on Republican State Central Committee letterhead asking for an appointment to a judgeship in one of the territories.
- 2. 31 August 1896–Letter from John J. Rochford, Indianapolis to Andrew Stephen on Democratic Central Committee letterhead appointing to the Finance Committee.
- 3. 1900–B/W composite photograph showing the Prohibition Party candidates for state office.
- 4. 1 November 1900–John W. Kern to James Whitcomb Riley seeking his support for governor in the upcoming election. This appears to be a form letter addressed "Dear Sir."
- 5. 24 December 1919–James P. Goodrich (Governor of Indiana) to Esther White in Richmond, Indiana thanking her for her Christmas present. (Handwritten)
- 6. 30 June [no year] Broadside announcing appearance William Jennings Bryan at the Terre Haute Chautauqua speaking on the subjects "The Value of an Ideal" and "The Prince of Peace."
- 7. 24 May 1948–Forest A Harness (U. S. Representative from the 5th District) to Mrs. Dwight Weaver of the Auto License Bureau in Marion, Indiana, thanking her for expressing her views to him on federal aid for education.

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- 1. Go to the Indiana Historical Society's online catalog: http://opac.indianahistory.org/
- 2. Click on the "Basic Search" icon.
- 3. Select "Call Number" from the "Search In:" box.
- 4. Search for the collection by its basic call number (in this case, SC 2850).
- 5. When you find the collection, go to the "Full Record" screen for a list of headings that can be searched for related materials.