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## CITIZENS HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION (Tippecanoe County Chapter)

### INTRODUCTION

Two accessions, #6147 and #84.209, comprise this collection.

The Citizens Historical Association, Tippecanoe County Chapter was apparently organized in 1934 (see Supplementary File). The local chapter was under the sponsorship of the Citizens Historical Association of Indianapolis; by 1939 the organization had become national in scope.

The purpose of the organization seems to have been to collect biographical sketches of prominent men at the local level and to keep the material collected on file and periodically updated. A publication may have been a goal of the project; however the material was never published and in some cases, the biographical data was not complete.

File folders 1-3 of the collection contain biographies of individuals (and business history) dated 1934. File folders 4-7 contain biographies collected in 1939 and 1944. Materials in files 1-3 were removed from TCHA Library vertical files in 1984 (#6147); materials in files 4-7 were donated to TCHA by the Tippecanoe County Public Library where the materials had been catalogued and stored.

A listing of the biographical and historical sketches for each accession is found in the Supplementary File with the collection. Copies of the sketches have been placed in the Library vertical and family files and also given to the Tippecanoe County Public Library for use in vertical files. Many of the sketches in folders 1-3 are photocopies and/or typed transcripts of the original typed papers.

### PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF COLLECTION

1 Document box (2-1/2")

### CONTAINER LIST

TIPPECANOE COUNTY CHAPTER, 1934

#### BOX 1

#### FOLDER

- 1 Biographies and histories, A-C.
- 2 Biographies and histories, G-P.
- 3 Biographies and histories, R-W.

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FOLDER

4 Biographies and histories, A-G.

5 Biographies and histories, H-M.

6 Biographies and histories, O-S.

7 Biographies and histories, T-Y.

CLASSIFICATION

Individuals

SUBJECTS

Biography

Local History

SEARCH TERMS

Citizens Historical Association