



## USING THE CEDAR FALLS HISTORICAL SOCIETY ARCHIVES

Patrons must make an appointment in advance to use the archives of the Cedar Falls Historical Society. Appointments may be made by calling (319) 266-5149 or via email at [historycollections@cfu.net](mailto:historycollections@cfu.net) or [cfhistory@cfu.net](mailto:cfhistory@cfu.net). The complete Finding Aid is available for searching at the Cedar Falls Historical Society.

***Only authorized staff members are allowed to pull archived materials.*** Patrons will sign in and out of the archives. Pencils only are allowed in the archives. Boxes will be pulled one at a time and brought to researchers. Only ***one file folder*** at a time should be removed from the box and **a marker should be placed in the box** to serve as a place holder for the proper reinsertion of the folder.

### Scope and Content Note

The Archives of the Cedar Falls Historical Society contains a wide variety of materials documenting the history of the city. Emphasis is placed on social, genealogical, architectural, business, educational, and governmental history of the city. Material includes, but is not limited to, letters, diaries, obituaries, family trees, celebration ephemera, business and church records, historical material from city governmental departments and community organizations, military service records, transportation history, postcards, photographs, voice recordings, and DVDs.

### Organization and Arrangement Note

The Archives is arranged in the following Series:

- I Leavitt Collection (Cupboard C) 24 boxes
- II Cedar Falls History Document Collection  
Cedar Falls History Photographic Collection
- Iia Cedar Falls Historical Society Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Historical Society Photographic Collection
- Iib Cedar Falls Celebrations Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Celebrations Photographic Collection
- III Cedar Falls Families Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Families Photographic Collection
- IV Cedar Falls Businesses Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Businesses Photographic Collection

- V City of Cedar Falls Document Collection  
City of Cedar Falls Photographic Collection
- Va Cedar Falls Government Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Government Photographic Collection
- VI Cedar Falls Organizations Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Organizations Photographic Collection
- VIa Cedar Falls Churches Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Churches Photographic Collection
- XIV Military Affairs Document Collection
- XIVa Military Homefront Document Collection
- XV Railroads and Transportation Document Collection  
Railroads and Transportation Photographic Collection
- XVII Cedar Falls Structures Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Structures Photographic Collection
- XVIII Cedar Falls Schools Document Collection  
Cedar Falls Schools Photographic Collection
- XVIIIa University of Northern Iowa Document Collection  
University of Northern Iowa Photographic Collection
- XX Parks and Recreation Document Collection  
Parks and Recreation Photographic Collection
- XXI Weather and Disasters Document Collection  
Weather and Disasters Photographic Collection
- XXII Arts and Entertainment Document Collection
- XXIII Signatures
- XL Black Hawk County Document Collection
- L State of Iowa Document Collection
- LX United States History Document Collection

Wooden Cupboard Contents:

Cupboard A: Scrapbooks

Cupboard B: Oversize and Unidentified Photographs Collection

Cupboards C: Leavitt Collection