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Introduction and Biographical

The Smith/Bovee collection is one of the most substantial familial collections of core early Sabbatarian Adventist materials in the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The collection contains two distinct types of materials: those relating to Uriah Smith (1832-1903) and his immediate family, and those of his grandson, Mark Leon Bovee (1899-1990). Together they compliment each other by documenting three generations of life as Seventh-day Adventists.

This collection is, practically speaking, two separate collections merged into one. The first part pertains to Uriah Smith and his immediate family. The second part is Uriah Smith’s children following his death in 1903 and the life, activities, and interests of Uriah’s grandson, Mark L. Bovee. While this is a merged collection, done so by Mark Bovee, it rather naturally falls into the above mentioned two parts.

Uriah Smith and his immediate family, to 1903

Uriah Smith was born (b. 1832) in West Wilton, New Hampshire the youngest of four children born to Samuel (d. 1852) and Rebekah Smith (d. 1875). Samuel and Rebekah Smith became Millerites along with their son, Uriah. From 1848 to 1851 Uriah attended nearby Exeter Academy. About 1852 Uriah became a Sabbatarian Adventist, and the following year James White invited Uriah to join his older sister, Annie (1828-1855) to become a part of the *Review and Herald* staff in Rochester, New York. As James and Ellen White traveled they increasingly left the office in the charge of Annie and Uriah. Unfortunately, misfortune would strike in 1855 when Annie contracted tuberculosis and died. Later that year, Uriah moved, with the publishing staff and meager resources, to Battle Creek, Michigan. It was that same year that his name first appears as Editor of the *Review and Herald*, a position he held for more than 40 years.

At some point in the 1850s, Uriah met Harriet Newell Stevens (1831-1911), the daughter of Cyprian (1794-1858) and Almira T. Stevens (1803-1873). The Stevens family were well-known Adventists from Paris, Maine, with whom the Whites lived for a brief period in 1850. About 1855, the Stevens family moved west to Waukon, Iowa, where a number of other Adventists families had bought farms. On June 7, 1857, the couple were married by the first resident Adventist minister of Battle Creek, J. B. Frisbie. The newlyweds set up their home on a lot adjoining the publishing house.

As the fledgling church grew so did Uriah’s responsibilities. Uriah was appointed an elder of the group that met in the Advent meeting house, and was ordained as an Adventist minister. As time went on, he became responsible not only as general editor of the *Review*, but also as proof reader, business manager, and bookkeeper. This overwork led in 1869 to his health breaking down, and this brought a well-needed
change in the pace of life. By 1871 he had resumed his editorship of the *Review*, but left again in 1873 after a disagreement with James White. The Smiths moved to Grand Rapids, Michigan, for about 6 months where he worked as an engraver.

Despite these brief interludes, Uriah’s vantage point as editor of the *Review and Herald* allowed him in a very special way to monitor and contribute to the organizational, theological, and spiritual development of the Seventh-day Adventist Church (organized officially in 1863). In the late 1880s, Uriah was a leading figure of the “old guard” holding out against the new emphasis coming into the church via the writings of E. J. Waggoner, A. T. Jones, and Ellen G. White. In time, and through the work of Ellen White, Uriah came around to the new focus God led the church to adopt following the 1888 General Conference Session and the events of the subsequent years. It was during these years that Uriah served as a theology professor at Battle Creek College. Besides being editor of the *Review and Herald* making him a household name among Seventh-day Adventists, Uriah also wrote a number of books, the primary one being what is now known as *Daniel and the Revelation*.

Uriah died suddenly, in March 1903, on his way to the office. At the age of 70 he was still working at the *Review and Herald*.

The collection reveals intimate details into the family life of the Smiths. After the Smiths returned to Battle Creek in 1873 they commissioned Adventist architect, O. B. Jones, to build them a large home. By that time the Smiths had four children: (Uriah Wilton (1861-1937); Leon Alberti (1863-1958); Annie Arabelle (1868-1952); and Samuel Parker (b. 1872). They soon afterward added a fifth son, Charles Stevens (1874-1954) to their home. Uriah, who had a knack for coming up with new inventions, sold his patent for an inward folding seat school desk to pay for this home. According to Mark L. Bovee’s notes, after the home was finished, O. B. Jones had lost $3,000 on building the home for which Uriah reimbursed him—something which speaks of the integrity of Uriah. Harriet used the 14 rooms in this home to add additional income to their family income and to provide affordable housing for students at Battle Creek College (founded in 1874 and on whose board Uriah served as chairman of the board for many years). The Smiths believed in education and saw that a ready supply of books were always available in their home. Thirty-seven volumes are extant in this collection. [To see a list, do a title search of the James White Library catalog for “Uriah Smith Library Collection”]. Uriah and Harriet also took an interest in the lives of Adventist young people, informally adopting at least one student, Alma Wolcott (1860-1946). Given their close connection and interest in young people it is not surprising the large Smith home was the venue for scores of weddings over the years and Uriah officiated at many of them.

The Smith family loved to travel. This collection contains pictures of a family vacation to Mackinac Island in northern Michigan, trips to early Adventist camp meetings from the early 1870s, and a special trip by Uriah and his oldest son Wilton to Europe, Israel, and Egypt. One of the groups of correspondence in the collection are letters Uriah and Wilton sent home to their family in Battle Creek from Europe and the
Middle East. It should be noted that most photographs from the Uriah Smith portion of the collection have been removed from this collection and digitized, and are available via the Center for Adventist Research’s photograph database. Do a search for the “Smith-Bovee Collection.”

**Post Uriah Smith, 1903 forward**

A portion of this collection are items belonging to Annie Arabelle Smith, Uriah’s daughter, and her immediate family. Annie graduated from Battle Creek High School in 1889, and afterward attended Battle Creek College, graduating in 1897. It was behind her house that she fell in love with George W. Bovee, who lived in the house directly behind her own. Annie and George were married in 1898 in the Smith home with her father, Uriah, officiating. Annie and George moved to a farm in nearby Bedford where they set up their own home. George continued farming until he was 86 years of age.

The largest portion of this part of the collection are materials relating to Mark L. Bovee (1899-1990), the oldest son of George and Annie Bovee. Mark inherited his grandfather’s love for writing, and at an early age put together handwritten storybooks with illustrations. Mark attended the successor to Battle Creek College, Emmanuel Missionary College, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1927. The following year, he married a recent graduate (1926) from the St. Helena Sanitarium School of Nursing, Eva Olena Nelson (1902-1977). Mark and Eva lived in Battle Creek where Mark worked for Battle Creek newspapers as a linotype operator and Eva as a nurse in the Sanitarium. This period was interrupted by a brief interlude from 1936 to 1938 when Mark worked at the Washington Missionary College Press in Takoma Park, Maryland.

Mark was an amateur Adventist historian who loved to collect stories about his family and other early Adventists. One of Mark’s lifelong dreams was to write a biography of his grandfather, but it never materialized. However, it is through his many handwritten notebooks and more than 80 extant newspaper articles that one gets a glimpse into the life of the Smith family.

The Bovees were active in their local community. Mark served for several years during the 1950s and 1960s as communication secretary for the Battle Creek Tabernacle. As an active alumnus he gave both money and time to support Andrews University, his alma mater, serving on the alumni board and founding the first regional alumni chapter. He also made sure his voice was heard in local circles, writing many letters attempting to prevent the Battle Creek Sanitarium building from being torn down and fund-raising to purchase the James and Ellen White home on Wood Street. He was an active Republican writing to his local congressman and even to the United States president.

Eva Bovee died in 1977. Mark afterward married Esther Peterson who passed away in 1984. After her death he briefly married Ruth Christiansen, but they later divorced. One child, Ronald George, was born to Mark and Eva, that in 1940, but he died shortly after birth. Mark Bovee died in 1990 and is buried in Niebul Cemetery in Friendship, Wisconsin.
Scope and Content

As mentioned, this collection breaks into two parts, the time of Uriah Smith, and the time following his death in 1903. The first part is largely many letters exchanged between the family members. There is also some poetry composed by Uriah and other family members, general items of interest related to Seventh-day Adventists of the time, Uriah’s Book of Finances, and a lot of auto-biographical and genealogical notes and other information on family history. There are some family materials post 1903 included in the first part, primarily a set of diaries of Uriah’s wife and children. Daughter Annie’s diaries are in the second part. There are some topical files, likely compiled by Mark Bovee, included here, largely related to Uriah.

The second part includes documents and collected information about the family of Mark Bovee, including his parents. There are many pieces of genealogical information including obituaries of family members. There are several boxes of diaries from Mark’s mother and father as well as Mark himself. A large group consists of Mark’s notes and more formal writing about his family, Adventism in Battle Creek back in the day, and Adventists in general that usually have a Battle Creek connection. There are many photographs mounted permanently in albums. While there is some information about the people and places shown, the identities of most of the photographs are largely unknown. Some of the mounted photographs appear to have writing on the back, but the work of removing the photographs from the paper was not done.

Extant

11.75 linear feet.

Arrangement

Mark Bovee did the original compiling and arrangement of this collection. However, over time this arrangement was lost. During the processing of the collection, the Center for Adventist Research staff imposed the current arrangement.

There are two main parts, Uriah Smith and his immediate family prior to 1903; and the Smith/Bovee family from 1903 to 1990. Within these two parts there is correspondence, diaries, family records, biographical and genealogical information, and photographs. All of this may be seen in the Table of Contents and the structure and details of the collection present in the pages that follow.

The collection has been described at the item level with the exception of photographs from the Mark L. Bovee family. This original organization was done by Michael Campbell as part of his graduate studies at Andrews University. The detailed listings in this register are a result of that work. Certain corrections and reorganization was done some years later to make the collection easier to use.
Provenance

Mark L. Bovee donated this collection over a period of years beginning in 1964. The bulk of this collection was received by the Adventist Heritage Center in July 1987. Several other donors provided individual items: Leo R. Van Dolson donated a land contract between O. B. Frisbie and U. Wilton Smith, and Dorothy Smith Kewley donated a copy of Early Writings, given by Ellen White to Uriah Smith.

Use

All users of this collection will complete the “Application to Use Unpublished Records,” and observe the regulation specified in the “Patron’s Agreement” and “Researcher’s Code of Conduct.” All records in this collection are open and available for research. Suggested citation for this collection:

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I. Biographical, Autobiographical, and Memorabilia

These are materials owned by the Uriah and Harriet Smith family (including their four children) that document their family life and involvement in the Seventh-day Adventist Church.


Box 1 Fld 2 Pencil sketch by Uriah Smith of the Natural Bridge in Virginia drawn while he studied at Phillips Exeter Academy, 1850.

Box 1 Fld 3 Order of Exercises for the Anniversary of the Golden Branch of Phillips Exeter Academy, 1851, 3 pages. Includes poem “Ode” composed by Uriah Smith.

Box 1 Fld 4 “Lines Occasioned by the Death of Samuel Smith,” by Annie R. Smith, single sheet print, ca. 1852.

Box 1 Fld 5 Uriah Smith and Harriet N. Stevens, Marriage Certificate, Jun 7, 1857, Battle Creek, Calhoun County, Michigan. J. B. Frisbie, officiating.

Box 1 Fld 6 Thank you card with envelope from James and Ellen White to “Adventists” (including Uriah and Harriet Smith) who bought them “a beautiful chair.” Battle Creek, Michigan, Dec 25, 1864.

Box 1 Fld 7 “Certificate of Stock in the Health Reform Institute,” Stock Certificate no. 194, owned by Mrs. Gardiner Manly, for 4 shares (at $25.00 per share), Jun 19, 1867. Signed by J. N. Loughborough, president, and E. S. Walker, secretary. Includes revenue stamp and seal.

Box 1 Fld 8 Bill of Fare (food menu) for the upcoming General Conference Session by a “Committee of nine sisters of the Battle Creek Church.” May 2, 1867. 2 x 3 inches.
Box 1 Fld 9  Rebekah Smith Obituary Notice, 1875. Handwritten copy of the obituary. Includes a poem, “Mother Is Dead,” possibly composed by Uriah Smith.

Box 1 Fld 10  Untitled poem, composed by Uriah Smith, 1876.

Box 1 Fld 11  Uriah Smith Book of Finances, 1880-1892. (photocopy).

Box 1 Fld 12  Transcription of James White’s confession, 1881.

Box 1 Fld 13  Death of James White, 1881.

Box 1 Fld 14  Pacific Press Book Binding Dept (ca. 1885). Business card. On the back, handwritten, is the information that “Uriah Wilton Smith, oldest son of Uriah Smith, was manager of the Book Binding Department for several years.”

Box 1 Fld 15  Land contract for two lots in Battle Creek, Michigan, between Orin B. Frisbie and U. Wilton Smith 1888.

Box 1 Fld 16  1889 General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists Session. Newspaper Clippings
  The Adventist Conference. Nov 5, 1889.
  The Adventist Conference. Nov 6, 1889.

Box 1 Fld 17  Items belonging to Annie A. Smith
  Program: Concert and Recital given by the pupils of Frithjoff Emil Lunde, Apr 25, 1889.
  Musical Entertainment directed by Miss Jennie M. Pindar, Feb 2, 1880.
  Card, "Dux Famina Fagti," [a woman led] with a list of names.
Box 1 Fld 18 Sketch of Uriah Smith’s life by Himself.” Handwritten sketch of Uriah Smith’s life, Jun 18, 1890.

Box 1 Fld 19 Poems by Uriah Smith in the *Review and Herald*.
“Eden Shall Bloom On Earth Again.”
“The Overcomers.”
“The Everlastitng Arms.” Nov 26, 1889.
“It Does Not Yet Appear.” Aug 16, 1892.
“Be Ye Reconciled To God.” 1894.
Re-typed poems written by Uriah Smith while he was editor.

Box 1 Fld 20 Poems by Annie A. Smith.
“Calvary.”
“Christmas” (handwritten).
“Memories of Gloverdale.”

Box 1 Fld 21 Uriah Smith’s 63rd birthday celebration, 1895.
Card of acknowledgment, May 2, 1895.

Box 1 Fld 22 List of donors towards the purchase of a chair for Uriah Smith.

Box 1 Fld 23 Charles F. Stevens. Experiences and recollections of his time in the early years of the Seventh-day Adventist movement.

Box 1 Fld 24 Wedding invitation for Annie Arabelle Smith and George Walker Bovee’s wedding, Oct 26, 1898. (2 copies)

Box 1 Fld 25 Wedding of George Bovee and Annie Smith, Oct 26, 1898.
Our Wedding Bells
License and Certificate of Marriage. 1898.
Photocard
Song of life
Note card
Box 1 Fld 26 Uriah Smith’s business card.

Box 1 Fld 27 Poem, “Coming,” by Uriah Smith.

Box 1 Fld 28 Poem, “Coming to Zion,” by Uriah Smith.

Box 1 Fld 29 Life sketch of Uriah Smith by Arthur G. Daniells, 1903. (2 copies)

Box 1 Fld 30 Uriah Smith obituary notices, 1903.
   “Our City Mourns: The death of Elder Uriah Smith, The able editor, writer and speaker, which occurred yesterday afternoon.”
   “A Sudden Summons. Elder Uriah Smith Died This Afternoon.”
   “The Late Elder Uriah Smith, Editor, Author And Speaker Who Died Suddenly Yesterday.” The Morning Enquirer, vol. 6. #43.
   The Morning Enquirer Vol. 6. #44.
   The Advent Review and Sabbath Herald, Mar 10, 1903.

Box 1 Fld 31 Grant Deed between Samuel Parker and Frances Bessie Smith to Charles S. Smith, 1911.

Box 1 Fld 32 In Memoriam, Mrs. E. G. White, 1915.


Box 1 Fld 34 Wedding notice for U. Wilton Smith and Harriett Millious, 1924.


Box 1 Fld 36 Death of U. Wilton Smith. 1937
   “Death claims Dr. U. W. Smith at age of 75.” Hebble Chapel funeral service card. 1937.

Box 1 Fld 37 Life Sketch of Annie Arabelle Smith, 1868-1952.

Box 1 Fld 38 Obituary notice for Leon Albert Smith, 1958.

Box 1 Fld 39 Poem, “So Little”, copied by Annie A. Smith.
Box 1 Fld 40 Poems by Leon A. Smith. Typed pages bound with a string.

Spalding/Smith family history, ancestors of Harriet Stevens.

Box 1 Fld 41 J. F. Spalding to Uriah Smith, May 6, 1884.
Box 1 Fld 42 J. F. Spalding to Uriah Smith, Jul 31, 1884.
Box 1 Fld 43 J. F. Spalding to Uriah Smith, Jan 30, 1892.
Box 1 Fld 44 J. F. Spalding to Uriah Smith, Feb 25, 1892.
Box 1 Fld 45 Smith Family History
   “Some Genealogical Links in the Smith Family,” by Uriah Smith, Dec 21, 1886.
   Fragments of 3 letters with genealogical information, 3 pages.
   Letter from Cynthia E. Cummings, cousin of Mrs. Uriah Smith, Mar 1892 (retyped).
   Genealogy of Uriah Smith, copy of a document belonging to Samuel A. Smith, Jr.,
   great-nephew of Smith.

Box 1 Fld 46 Letters from Spalding Memorial regarding Rebecca Spalding, the
   grandmother of Annie A. Smith-Bovee. It has to do with genealogical research. 1921,
   1925.
II  Diaries

Harriet Stevens-Smith

Box 2 Fld 1 1866 (Original and Transcript).
Box 2 Fld 2 1869 (Original and Transcript).

Uriah Wilton Smith

Box 2 Fld 3 1894 May 1 to Dec 18 [during his Europe and Middle East trip with his father], 128 pages. (later transcript).

Samuel Parker Smith

Box 2 Fld 4 1884
Box 2 Fld 5 1884 Oct 10-14
Box 2 Fld 6 1887
Box 2 Fld 7 1924 Jul to 1925 Oct
Box 2 Fld 8 1927 Jul 10 to 1930 Oct
Box 2 Fld 9 1936 May to 1937 Nov
Box 2 Fld 10 1948 Jun 24 to Dec 6
Box 2 Fld 11 1949 Jun to 1950 Jan
Box 2 Fld 12 1950 Aug to 1951 Mar.

III. Correspondance

Most of the following letters are original handwritten letters. As noted, a few are copies from another source. Many have a typed copy of the letter included, copy likely made by Mark Bovee. Many also have the accompanying mailing envelope.

Box 2 Fld 13 James White to Uriah Smith, Feb 17, 1853.

Box 2 Fld 14 Uriah Smith to Harriet Stevens, ca. 1857.

Box 2 Fld 15 Ellen G. White to Harriet Smith, Martha Amadon, and Cornelia Cornell, Jan 6, 1867
[EGW Letter 023, 1867]. [original letter]

Box 2 Fld 16 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Sep 23, 1867.

Box 2 Fld 17 Ellen G. White to Harriet Smith, Mar 1868
[EGW Letter 032, 1868]. [original letter.]
Box 2 Fld 18 James White to Brethren Waggoner, Gage, Amadon, Aldrich, and Walker, Jul 27, 1868.

Box 2 Fld 19 Uriah Smith letters in shorthand:
   Letter to James White, May 14, 1873.
   Letter to Ellen G. White 1869.

Box 2 Fld 20 Uriah Smith to James White, Apr 23, 1869.

Box 2 Fld 21 Uriah Smith to Ellen G. White, Apr 27, 1869.

Box 2 Fld 22 Uriah Smith to James White, May 3, 1869.

Box 2 Fld 23 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, 1870.

Box 2 Fld 24 Harriet Smith to Uriah Smith, 1871.

Box 2 Fld 25 Harriet Smith to Uriah Smith, 1871.

Box 3 Fld 1 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jul 1, [1873?].

Box 3 Fld 2 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jul 21, 1873.

Box 3 Fld 3 Harriet Smith to Uriah Smith, Sep 22, [1874?].

Box 3 Fld 4 Harriet Smith to Uriah Smith, ca. 1875.

Box 3 Fld 5 U. Wilton Smith and Harriet Smith to Uriah Smith, Jun 12, 1875.

Box 3 Fld 6 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jun 23, 1875.

Box 3 Fld 7 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Apr 26, 1877.

Box 3 Fld 8 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, May 14, 1877.

Box 3 Fld 9 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, May 29, 1877.

Box 3 Fld 10 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 29, 1877.

Box 3 Fld 11 J. N. Loughborough to Uriah Smith, Jun. 9 1879.

Box 3 Fld 12 Ellen G. White to Lucinda Hall, Apr 7, 1877
   [EGW Letter 033, 1877]. [photocopy]
Box 3 Fld 13 Charles Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jan 29, 1881.

Box 3 Fld 14 Uriah Smith to Alma Wolcott, Oct 26, 1882, and the explanatory letter from George L. Caviness to Dear Friends about the letter from Oct 26, 1882. [photocopy only]

Box 3 Fld 15 Harriet Smith to U. Wilton Smith, May 5, 1883.

Box 3 Fld 16 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Oct 2, 1883.

Box 3 Fld 17 Charles Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Dec 8, 1883.

Box 3 Fld 18 Parker Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Feb 23, 1884.

Box 3 Fld 19 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Mar 20, 1884.

Box 3 Fld 20 Parker Smith to U. Wilton Smith, May 3, 1884.

Box 3 Fld 21 Charles Smith to U. Wilton Smith, May 3, 1884. Includes two pencil drawings attributed to Charles by a note on an envelope dated Mar 20, 1884. See the note accompanying the Mar 20, 1884 letter, Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith. The Mar 20, 1884 letter was misplaced and corrected during processing.]

Box 3 Fld 22 Harriet Smith to U. Wilton Smith, [Jun 16], 1884.

Box 3 Fld 23 Harriet Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Aug 2, 1884.

Box 3 Fld 24 Harriet Smith to Dear brothers & sisters. Oct 5, 1884. 34 page handwritten letter recounting some special experiences on a trip to New England.

Box 3 Fld 25 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Apr 1, 1885.

Box 3 Fld 26 Charles S. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jan 1, 1886.

Box 3 Fld 27 Harriet Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jan 2, 1886.

Box 3 Fld 28 Charles Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Sep 4, 1886.

Box 3 Fld 29 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Oct 1, 1886. [Also includes a shorthand letter, 1886.]
Box 3 Fld 30 Annie Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Nov 25, [1886].
Box 3 Fld 31 “Your Sister” [Annie Smith] to U. Wilton Smith, Dec 17, 1886.
Box 3 Fld 32 Charles Smith (?) to U. Wilton Smith, Dec 31, 1886.
Box 3 Fld 33 Charles Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jan 11, 1887.
Box 3 Fld 34 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Apr 5, 1887.
Box 3 Fld 35 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Apr 17, 1887.
Box 3 Fld 36 [Annie] Arabelle Smith to U. Wilton Smith, May 1, 1887.
Box 3 Fld 37 Parker Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Sep 27 [ca. 1888].
Box 3 Fld 38 [Cousin] Cynthia E. Cummings to Harriet Smith, Mar 7, 1892.
Box 3 Fld 39 Ellen G. White to Uriah and Harriet Smith, Aug 10, 1893. [EGW Letter 146, 1893] [original handwritten].
Box 3 Fld 40 Francis C. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jul 28, 1894.
Box 3 Fld 41 Linda F. Green to Harriet Smith, Nov 28, 1894.
Box 3 Fld 42 Francis C. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Nov 30, 1894.
Box 3 Fld 43 Francis C. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jan 21, 1895.
Box 3 Fld 44 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Nov 7, 1895.
Box 3 Fld 45 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Feb 25, 1896.
Box 3 Fld 47 S. Parker Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Mar 20, 1898.
Box 3 Fld 48 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Feb 17, 1899.
Box 3 Fld 49 J. H. Kellogg to Mrs. Smith, Apr 25. 1899.
Box 3 Fld 50 Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Nov 1, 1899.
Box 3 Fld 51  Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Nov 23, 1899.

Box 3 Fld 52  Uriah Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Nov 30, 1899.


Box 3 Fld 54  Harriet Smith to Annie, ca. 1900. Two letters.

Box 3 Fld 55  Harriet Smith to Annie, ca. 1900.

Box 3 Fld 56  Uriah Smith to W. H. Hall, Jan 15, 1901.

Box 3 Fld 57  Uriah Smith handwritten letterbook, 1901, 15 letters.
  Uriah Smith to Mr. Edward Corrigan, Feb 13, 1901
  Uriah Smith to W. H. Edwards, Feb 17, 1901
  Uriah Smith to W. H. Hall, Feb 17, 1901
  Uriah Smith to O. E. Jones, Feb 18, 1901
  Uriah Smith to T. F. DeRush, Feb 18, 1901
  Uriah Smith to Eld. M. G. Huffman, Feb 18, 1901
  Uriah Smith to William F. Brown, Feb 19, 1901
  Uriah Smith to “The Review of Reviews Co.,” Feb 19, 1901
  Uriah Smith order for seed, Feb 28, 1901
  Uriah Smith to A. C. Ames, Mar 4, 1901
  Uriah Smith to Mrs. L. C. Jones, Mar 5, 1901
  Uriah Smith to O. F. Miller, Mar 5, 1901
  Uriah Smith to John S. Smith, Mar 8, 1901
  Uriah Smith to S. N. Haskell, Apr 18, 1901
  Comment on Death of Uriah Smith from diary of W. H. Hall

Box 3 Fld 58  Copies of 15 letters Uriah Smith letterbook, 1901, typescript from his handwritten letterbook—see previous folder.

Box 3 Fld 59  Harriet Smith to Annie, ca. 1901. Two letters, the second may either be a continuation of the first or a second letter that lacks the first page.

Box 3 Fld 60  Uriah Smith to Annie Smith, Mar 30, 1902.

Box 3 Fld 61  Uriah Smith to W. H. Littlejohn, Sep 12, 1902.

Box 4 Fld 1  S. Archibald Smith to Harriet Smith, Mar 21, 1903.
Box 4 Fld 2  Harriet Smith to Annie A. [Smith] Bovee, ca. Apr 1903.

Box 4 Fld 3  Ellen G. White to Lucinda Hall, Apr 7, 1904
[EGW Letter 400, 1904] (photocopy).

Box 4 Fld 4  Harriet Smith to Charles Smith, Sep 20, 1910. Two
handwritten letters, one with the date, the other has a
date supplied by someone else.

Box 4 Fld 5  Harriet Smith to Charles Smith, Oct 3, 1910.

Box 4 Fld 6  Harriet Smith to Charles Smith, Oct 16, 1910.

Box 4 Fld 7  Harriet Smith to Charles Smith, Nov 9, 1910.

Box 4 Fld 8  Harriet Smith to Charles Smith, Nov 22, 1910.

Box 4 Fld 9  Harriet Smith to Charles Smith, Nov 30, 1910.

Box 4 Fld 10 Francis C. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Mar 1, 1911.

Box 4 Fld 11 Florence C. Worley to Mrs. Leon A. Smith, Aug 7, 1914.

Box 4 Fld 12 Parker Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Dec 24, 1923.

Box 4 Fld 13 S. Parker Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Feb 11, 1924.

Box 4 Fld 14 Annie A. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, May 25, 1924.

Box 4 Fld 15 Annie A. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jun 6, 1924.

Box 4 Fld 16 “Bessie” to U. Wilton Smith, Jun 12, 1924.

Box 4 Fld 17 Annie A. Smith to U. Wilton Smith, Jun 16, 1924.

Box 4 Fld 18 R. S. Newball to Prof. and Mrs. S. Parker Smith, Jul 5, 1940.


Box 4 Fld 22 George and Annie A. [Smith] Bovee to Charles S. Smith,

Box 4 Fld 24 Birthday card from Annie A. [Smith] and George Bovee to Charles Smith, postmarked Nov 12, 1948.


Box 4 Fld 26 Hazel [Smith?] to “Father” and “Aunt” Annie A. Smith, Nov 29, 1948.

Box 4 Fld 27 George Bovee to Charles S. Smith, Dec 6, 1948.


Box 4 Fld 31 Annie A. [Smith] Bovee to Charles S. Smith, Jan 4, 1949.


Box 4 Fld 33 Annie A. [Smith] Bovee to Charles S. Smith, Mar 5, 1949.

Box 4 Fld 34 Harriet Smith to U. Wilton Smith, n.d. [pre-1904].

Box 4 Fld 35 Harriet Smith to “Dear Nephew,” Nov 14 [no year]. On the reverse side is a letter: Dear Charles & Esther [probably pre-1904].

Box 4 Fld 36 Harriet Smith to Charles S. Smith. No date.

Box 4 Fld 37 Mrs. E. J. W. Bovee to Harriet Smith, n.d.

Box 4 Fld 38 Envelopes [with no accompanying letter]

Mrs. Uriah Smith, Review and Herald, Battle Creek, Mich., from Pacific Press Publishing House, Feb 23?, 1885?

Mr. A. Vuilleumier, Geneva, Switzerland from Uriah Smith, Battle Creek, Mich., Mar 1, 1895.

C. W. Spalding to Charles S. Smith, Box 224 Kirkville, Mo., Dec 14, 1910.

C. W. Spalding to Mrs. Annie A. Smith Bovee, Battle Creek, Mich., Feb 16, 1921.
C. W. Spalding to Mrs. Annie Arabelle Smith
Bovee, Dec 7, 1925.
Friends Academy, Locust Valley, New York to
Mrs. Annie Smith Bovee, Jan 12, 1933.
Mr. Wilton Smith, Oakland, Cal. From Battle
Creek, Mich, Jan 29, no date.
From the Seventh-day Adventist Publishing
Association, Battle Creek, Mich. No date and
no recipient.

IV. Letters and other material relating to Uriah Smith’s trip, with his son, U.
Wilton Smith, to Europe and the Middle East, May 1894 to Jan. 1895.

Letters [all are handwritten or typed at the time unless noted]

Box 4 Fld 39 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, May 22, 1894 (“Steamship
Majestie”).

Box 4 Fld 40 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, May 25, 1894 (London).

Box 4 Fld 41 U. Wilton Smith to Annie A. Smith, May 25, 1894 (London).

Box 4 Fld 42 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, May 29, 1894 (London).

Box 4 Fld 43 U. Wilton Smith to Harriet Smith, Jun 5, 1894 (Kopenhagen).

Box 4 Fld 44 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jun 12, 1894 (Christiania,
Norway).

Box 4 Fld 45 U. Wilton Smith to Charles Smith, Jun 19, 1894.

Box 4 Fld 46 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jun 24, 1894 (Christiania,
Norway).

Box 4 Fld 47 U. Wilton Smith to Annie A. Smith, Jun 24, 1894 (“On the
cars for Throndhjem”).

Box 4 Fld 48 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jul 4, 1894 (Christiania,
Norway).

Box 4 Fld 49 U. Wilton Smith to Annie A. Smith, Jul 28, 1894 (Hannover).

Box 4 Fld 50 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 5, 1894 (Hamburg).
Box 4 Fld 51 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 8, 1894 (Hamburg).

Box 4 Fld 52 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 12, 1894 (Hamburg).

Box 4 Fld 53 U. Wilton Smith to “Brother Charlie”, Aug 12, 1894 (Hamburg).

Box 4 Fld 54 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 18, 1894 (Hamburg).

Box 4 Fld 55 U. Wilton Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 18, 1894 (Hamburg).

Box 4 Fld 56 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Aug 30, 1894 (Dresden).

Box 4 Fld 57 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Sep 5, 1894 (Vienna).

Box 4 Fld 58 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Sep 16, 1894 (Thessalonica).

Box 4 Fld 59 U. Wilton Smith to Harriet Smith, Nov 7, 1894 (Beyrout).

Box 4 Fld 60 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Nov 10, 1894 (Beyrout).

Box 4 Fld 61 U. Wilton Smith to Annie A. Smith, Nov 13, 1894 (Beyrout).

Box 4 Fld 62 Uriah Smith to S. Parker Smith, Nov 15, 1894 (Beyrout).

Box 4 Fld 63 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Nov 18, 1894 (Beyrout).

Box 4 Fld 64 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Nov 24, 1894 (Jerusalem).

Box 4 Fld 65 U. Wilton Smith to Annie A. Smith, Nov 27, 1894 (Jerusalem).

Box 4 Fld 66 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Nov 29, 1894 (Jerusalem).

Box 4 Fld 67 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Dec 4, 1894 (Cairo).

Box 4 Fld 68 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Dec 9, 1894 (Cairo).

Box 4 Fld 69 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Dec 15, 1894 (Brindisi).

Box 4 Fld 70 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Dec 20, 1894 (Rome).

Box 4 Fld 71 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Dec 28, 1894 (Paris).

Box 4 Fld 72 U. Wilton Smith to Harriet Smith, Dec 30, 1894 (Paris).

Box 4 Fld 73 Uriah Smith to Harriet Smith, Jan 3, 1895 (London).
Other records

Box 4 Fld 74 Other materials. “An Editor Abroad.” Transcription of Uriah Smith letters, 1894-1895 while in Europe and the Middle East. Compiled and arranged by Mark Bovee.

Box 5 Fld 1 “The First Epistle of Timothy to Miss Booth,” by U. Wilton Smith, written in mid-ocean, May 21, 1894. This story details the departure of U. Wilton and Uriah Smith from New York City on their initial voyage of their trip to Europe and the Middle East. Note on end to be read from “Tab. Pulpit” before printing in Review at the discretion of the recipient, 2 pages.

Box 5 Fld 2 “Revised Itinerary of Mr. Uriah Smith and Sons Tour,” Aug. 30, 1894, 2 pages.

Box 5 Fld 3 Quarantine Bill, in Arabic, for Uriah Smith, Sep 3, 1894

Box 5 Fld 4 Review and Herald, Nov 13, 1894 (contains a trip report by Uriah Smith)

Box 5 Fld 5 Miscellaneous Documents from 1894 trip collected by U. Wilton Smith:

- Business card, “Messaoud Aly, Dragonman & Guide for Cairo, Upper-Egypt and Syria, Address: Shepherd’s hotel, Cairo.”

- “Administration Sanitaire” for U. Wilton Smith, Sep 3, 1894.

- Teal-colored ticket for boat travel, 2 by 5¾ inches.

- “Bordereau No. 607.”

- Envelope from “Grand Hotel D’Orient, Beyrouth (Syrie).”


- Business card, “John Michael or Yango, from Beyrouth, traveling Dragoman for Syria and Palestine and up the Nile.” (2 copies).

- Business card, “Tbrahim Wakid.”


Box 5 Fld 6 Advertisement, “Hamburg American Line, Express Service, Southampton to New York, the Twin Screw Steamer, Augusta Victoria, Capt. Kaempff, leaves Southampton, on Wednesday, 9th January, 1895,” 9 7/8 by 12 inches.

Box 5 Fld 7 “Billet de Voyage Cook,” green hardbound 3¾ by 5¼ inches with important information, in French, about trip inside folder. Also, sticker, “Hamburg American Steam Packet Co, Second Cabin, Not Wanted.”

Box 5 Fld 8 “Panorama des Rhein’s von Coln bis Mainz,” souvenir book. Red hard bound with gilt lettering, 4½ by 6¾ inches with foldout print map of Rhine River in Germany (6 3/8 by 53 inches).


Box 5 Fld 11 U. Wilton Smith Notebook in Shorthand while in Europe (1894-1895). See also the diary of U. Wilton Smith while on his travels.

Box 5 Fld 12 “Letter of Jesus Christ. And the Blood which our Lord Jesus Christ shed While Going to Calvary,” single sheet souvenir.
V. Topical Items Relating to Uriah and Harriet Smith and Their Family

Box 5 Fld 13 “Comments on Uriah Smith by Mrs. Berenice Lowe, Battle Creek Historian,” 5 pages.

Box 5 Fld 14 “Copy of Marriages Performed by Uriah Smith” (total of 159 with names listed for ceremonies performed, 1886-1902) (typescript).

Box 5 Fld 15 Wedding invitation: “Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Smith cordially invite you to attend the marriage of Carrie A. Wells to Volney N. Lucas, and Maria N. Stewart to Delmer N. Loughborough, at their residence, 65 College Ave., Battle Creek, Mich., Thursday, Dec 9, 1886, at 8 o’clock p.m.” With an envelope and miniature card with names and ribbon.


Box 5 Fld 17 Information regarding the amputated leg of Uriah Smith
“Berry’s World” cartoon with letter.
Excerpt by Mark Bovee from Uriah Smith autobiographical sketch.
Uriah Smith to J. F. Barbaret, Nov 29, 1898.
Autobiographical sketch by Uriah Smith to Arthur H. Chase, ca. 1951 (typescript copy), 2 pages.

Box 5 Fld 18 Daniel and Revelation, materials collected by Mark Bovee
Two advertisements for Uriah Smith’s, Daniel and Revelation.
Envelope with notation by Mark L. Bovee, “Proof from Sr. White’s statements about an angel guiding hand of Uriah Smith in writing the book “Daniel and the Revelation.”
Article “One Graduate’s Story” as told to Opal Young from *Focus* (Jul-Aug, 1973), page 11.


Advertisement for *Daniel and Revelation* with note by Mark Bovee: “Strong evidence from SDA publishers that *Daniel and the Revelation* are not considered obsolete despite the passage of over 100 years since it was first printed. Few books could be more strongly defended.” *Sabbath School Lesson Quarterly*, (Oct-Dec 1978).


Advertisement from *Southern Tidings* for Desmond Ford’s *Daniel*. Has handwritten note that it was not a replacement for *Daniel and Revelation* but given equal standing.


Box 5 Fld 19 Inventions by Uriah Smith I – Artificial Leg


Advertisement for “Smith’s Artificial Leg,” 3 pages.
Box 5 Fld 20 Inventions by Uriah Smith II – Horseless Carriage

Horsehead

Random Notes by Richard J. Hammond.


Clipping of picture of horseless carriage.


“Uriah Smith’s Horsehead Front for Autos of Early ‘Nineties Recalled Here.” Newspaper clipping.

Horse’s Head story by Mrs. Landon.


Mary Landon to Mark L. Bovee, Dec 17, 1966.


Newspaper clipping from The Saturday Evening Post, Aug 17, 1940, page 80.

“Rapid Transit,” clipping from Times.


“Uriah Smith’s ‘Horse Head’ is Still Delighting Readers.” Newspaper clipping dated Feb 21, 1954.

“Straightening Out the Horse’s Head.” Handwritten article by Mark L. Bovee, 2 pages.

“Random Notes,” by Mark Bovee, 1 page.


“Is She to Blame For It All?” Chicago Daily Tribute, Jul 24, 1957.

“Not so Marvelous Horse Story,” by Mark L. Bovee, newspaper clipping.

Handwritten Notes by Mark Bovee, 1 page.


“Classmate Countdown,” newspaper clipping, n.d.


Envelope with notation by Mark L. Bovee: “Horse’s Head Story and Other Material”.

Box 5 Fld 21 Inventions by Uriah Smith III – School Seat
“Uriah Smith’s School Seat Found in Church Attic.” Newspaper clipping.
Picture of desk. Newspaper clipping.
Six photographs of Uriah Smith’s school desk
*Official Gazette of the United States Patent Office*, vol. 7, 1875, with other advertisements, 5 pages.

Box 5 Fld 22 Inventions by Uriah Smith IV – Parallel Ruler
Advertisement for Smith’s Parallel Ruler, 1 page.

Box 5 Fld 23 Uriah Smith References in Publications
Today in History (clipping)
Some went to California (article)
Historical Data: Years Uriah Smith served as President of The Michigan Conference.
The Angels at the Second Advent.
Note on *Desire of Ages, Patriarch and Prophets, Great Controversy and Daniel and the Revelation* in the *Lake Union Herald*.
Article on Uriah Smith by Stella Parker Peterson in *Advent Review and Sabbath Herald*.
“Smiling with Uriah Smith”. Eugene F. Durand. 


Classmate Countdown. Note about Uriah Smith.


Box 5 Fld 24 Sabbath School Record Book for the Battle Creek Church, 1886 to 1887. Removed – see VT 000374 at the Andrews University Center for Adventist Research.

Box 5 Fld 25 Uriah Smith’s Scrap Book. Red with multiple color designs, hardcover, 9 by 12 inches. Seems to focus on inventions, technology, and how things work. There are some obituaries included. Some material added long after Uriah Smith’s death.

Box 25 OS U. Wilton Smith’s Scrap Book. Blue scrap book, 9 ½ by 12 ½ inches. Contains a picture of Uriah Smith on front page, poems and articles (both newspaper clippings and handwritten) that were interesting to U. Wilton Smith and his wife, and things related to dentistry. There are other unidentified pictures throughout the rest of the album. Approximately 1897 to 1926. 152 pages. Significant highlights include:

“The Class of ’91 of Battle Creek College, Eleventh Annual Commencement Exercises Tuesday Afternoon, June 16, at Four o’clock, Tabernacle, Battle Creek, Michigan.” With presentation of diplomas by Uriah Smith.

“First Anniversary of the Vocal and Mental Culture Society of Battle Creek College, to be held, Wednesday evening, June 17, 1885, ‘We Seek Truth’.”

“Literary Exercises of the Junior Class of Battle Creek College, on Wednesday, June
14, 1882, at 8 o’clock P.M. at the Tabernacle."

VI. Photographs

Box 5 Fld 26 Smith, Charles Stevens. Print block. 2 5/8 x 1 7/8 inches.

Box 26 OS Smith, Uriah. Albumen print, large photograph, wood frame, 14 x 16 inches, ca. 1885.

Box 27 OS Smith, Uriah. Albumen print, large photograph, oval in gold frame, 12 x 15 inches, ca. 1890.

Box 28 OS Smith, Harriet. Albumen print, large photograph, oval in gold frame, 12 x 15, ca. 1890.

Box 29 OS Smith, Uriah family. Albumen print, large photograph, 13 x 10½ inches., ca. 1890s.

Box 30 OS Smith, Harriet. Albumen print, large photograph, wood frame, 14 x 16 inches, ca. 1885.

Box 31 OS Stevens, Almira Thayer. Portrait in wood frame, 12 x 14 inches, ca. 1850s. Possibly an albumen print copied from an earlier cased print (faint oval shadowing defining center visible area in cased print; coloring and touch-up).
This image print ca. 1870-1890, the original image dates ca. 1850s.

End of the Uriah Smith Collection
Mark Bovee Collection

VII. Bovee Family Biographical and Genealogical Records
These materials document the family life of Mark and Eva Bovee, including Mark’s parents and his second wife. Included are genealogical materials, legal documents, and various ephemera from their lives.

Box 6 Fld 1  Annie Smith-Bovee Funeral Guest Book, called “Crossing the Bar”. 1952

Appointment Calendars of George W. Bovee
- Box 6 Fld 2  1916
- Box 6 Fld 3  1917
- Box 6 Fld 4  1918
- Box 6 Fld 5  1919

Box 6 Fld 6  Autograph Albums belonging to George W. Bovee
- Brown autograph volume with gilt lettering, 6 by 4 inches, ca.1886-1891 (with one dated 1938), 22 pages.
- Green autograph album with embroidered leaves, 5 3/8 by 3¼ inches, ca. 1882-1895 (with 1 from 1938, 1 from 1940; and, 2 from 1958), 49 pages.

Box 7 Fld 1  Awards
- Presented to Mark Bovee, Church PR Secretary of the Year, by the Seventh-day Adventist Church, 1969.

- Mark Bovee Golden Class, 1922-1972. Silver dollar with honor class information on one side.“The Board of Trustees of Andrews University gratefully acknowledges the Services of Mark L. Bovee who has given outstanding service to Andrews University. Congratulations and sincere thanks are gratefully extended for this valued contribution, June 1, 1974,” Signed Richard Hammill.
Andrews University Centennial desk award.
White marble base with the University’s centennial logo, in metal. 3 x 3 inches. [1974]


“Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Bovee is hereby recognized as an Andrews University Sponsor in Special Recognition of Contributions to the Continual Growth and Development of Andrews University,” Signed, Joseph G. Smoot, Nov 15, 1978

“Heritage Family: The Battle Creek Sesquicentennial Committee and the Battle Creek Enquirer and News Award this Certificate of recognition to Mark L. Bovee, descendant of the Uriah Smith family, residents of Battle Creek for four Generations or more. Heritage Families are honored because they not only chose to live here, but to stay here, contributing to the growth and evolution of the Community,” signed by Kermit C. Krum and Dan A. Martin, ca. 1981

“President’s Club: In special recognition of unique and valuable contributions to the academic and spiritual development of Andrews University Mark L. Bovee is recognized as a member of the Andrews University President’s Club, 1987-1988,” Signed Richard Lesher

Andersens University seal embossed on metal foil and placed on a silver dollar. No date.

Box 7 Fld 2  Birth and Death Certificates

“Family Record: Births, handwritten record, 3½ by 6 inches
Our Daughter Stella M. Bovee was born A.D. 1863, Dec 30th.
Our Son, George W. Bovee was born Jan 5th, 1866. Our Son, Mark O. Bovee, was born July Eighteenth, A.D., One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight.
Our Son Wright I. Bovee was born August Eighteenth, A.D. One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-one,”

“State of Michigan Certified Copy of Record of Birth,” for Mark Leon Bovee, born Dec 20, 1899.


“Notification of Birth Registration,” Ronald George Bovee, born Feb 25, 1940.


Birth announcement card for Mark Leon Bovee with blue ribbon.

Box 7 Fld 3 “Calling cards of George W. Bovee” (110 individual cards). Cards of people who visited George Bovee probably following the death of Annie.

Box 7 Fld 4 Coat of Arms for the Bovee Family
Picture of Coat of Arms
Note card from Nancy L. Halbert to Mark L. Bovee, n.d.

Nancy L. Halbert to Mark L. Bovee, n.d.
Embroidered sheet of paper with “Coat of Arms” and “Historiography”

Box 7 Fld 5 Diplomas and Certificates
Diploma “Walla Walla College, College Place, Washington. This certifies that Eva Olena Nelson has completed the academic course of study prescribed by the Board of Trustees, has manifested a good moral character, and is hereby declared a graduate of the said course
of Walla Walla College and is entitled to this Diploma, June 3, 1923.” Signed by Morris Lukens and 24 culty. With embossed seal and ribbon.

Purple felt booklet [Eva Nelson-Bovee] containing:

St. Helena Sanitarium Hospital Training School for Nurses, diploma, signed by J. E. Fulton, Aug 29, 1926.

“California State Board of Health . . . title of Registered Nurse,” Jan 8, 1927, no. 16084.

“California State Board of Health Bureau of Registration of Nurses,” Feb 8, 1928.

Washington State Board of Registered Nurses, Jul 10, 1928.

Green felt holder [Mark Bovee] containing:
“The Emmanuel Missionary College, upon the of the Faculty, Hereby Confers on Mark Leon Bovee the degree of Bachelor of Arts,” May 24, 1927. Signed by K. F. Rand, William Guthrie, and G. F. Wolfkill, with embossed stamp

“Andrews University, the President and the Board of Trustees, wish to advise that Mark L. Bovee, 1927, as a graduate of Emmanuel Missionary College, the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary, and/or Potomac University, is entitled to all rights and privileges pertaining to graduates of Andrew University,” Signed R. R. Figuhr, chairman of the Board Trustees, and F. O. Rittenhouse, president of Andrews University.

Box 7 Fld 6 Family Directories
Smith Family Directory, June 1968, 1 page.
Box 7 Fld 7  Genealogical Materials, part 1.
Dorothy Hawley to Mark and Eva Bovee, Feb 5, 1974 with copy of letter (typed) from Sarah M. Lowell to Mrs. Mary P. Lincoln, Aug. 10, 1892 and accompanying sheet with biographical information
Biographical Information from Marley G. Rood, Dec 18, 1950, 1 page. with handwritten note by Mark L. Bovee, 1 page.
“Bovee Genealogy,” 15 pages.
“Members of the Bovee (Bovie) Family that Fought in the Revolutionary War, 1775-1781,” 15 pages.
Copy from “Munsell’s Collections on the History of Albany,” 6 pages.
Family Group History for John Bovie
Family Group History for John and Elizabeth Whittaker-Bovee
Family Group History for Mark Leon Bovee
Untitled document on Bovee Family History, 6 pages.
Note card by Mark Bovee “Susan Bovee Ramson, 1806-1843, Luther Ramson, 1785-1861”
Bovee Genealogy, 3 pages.
“Quickie Notes on Langgdon’s,” by Mark L. Bovee, 3 pages.
“Copy of Statement made by ‘Nicholas Bovee,’ in Oct 9, 1842,” 2 pages.
“Christian Nestell Bovee Family,” 1 page.
Family Tree for Dorothy Bovee Hopcraft, Jul 1979, 4 pages.
Untitled document by Mark L. Bovee on history of Bovee Family, 4 pages.
“Data from Trip Taken to Columbus Grove, Ohio, Jul 12, 1955,” 1 page.
“Note on Bovee Genealogy,” by Mark L. Bovee, 1 page.
“Data received from Uncle Mark O. Bovee on his visit to the farm in 1953 (Nov),” 1 page. with envelope
Notes by Mark L. Bovee on scratch paper, 6 pages.
Nina Sloan Bovee to Mark L. Bovee, May 28, 1966 with copy of lawsuit (7 pp) enquiring about identification of Bovee descendants
“Information Sheet: Bovee Family,” by Mark L. Bovee, 1 page.
Handwritten sheet with descendants of Samuel Smith and notes by Mark L. Bovee, 1 page.
Genealogical Chart of Uriah Smith, 7 pages.
Thayer Family Documents, 25 pages.

Box 7 Fld 8 Genealogical Materials, part 2
Sam Archibald Smith, Jr. to Mark L. Bovee, Feb 12, 1974.
Historical Notes by Mark L. Bovee with envelope, 2 pages.
Frances C. Bernhalz to Records Office of Battle Creek Sanitarium, Mar 16, 1964.
“Stevens Genealogy,” 1 page.
“Important – Smith Genealogy,” 3 pages.
“Zide Lincoln Family History” with envelope, 34 pages.
“The Nelsons,” 5 pages. (Eva Nelson was first wife of Mark L. Bovee).
John and Abigail Steward to “Dear Children,” Jul 15, 1847 (later typescript copy).
“Uriah Smith Genealogy”.

Box 7 Fld 9 Marriage Records for Mark and Eva Bovee
“Our Wedding Day,” color booklet, ca. 1928
“Marriage License, Calhoun County, Michigan . . .
Between Mark L. Bovee and Miss Eva Nelson,”
moved Nov 8, 1928, J. C. Stevens, clergyman.
Marriage announcement of Mark Bovee and Eva Nelson, newspaper clipping, ca. 1928
Clipping from Eva’s wedding dress
Napkin from the wedding reception
“Eva and Mark, 1960,” pencil sketch (2 copies)
“Marriage License, Calhoun County, Michigan . . .
Between Mark Leon Bovee and Esther V. Peterson,” married Aug 30, 1977 by Ivan T. Blazen, clergyman
Guests of Esther and Mark Bovee, Sep 11, 1977
Box 7 Fld 10 Obituaries and other information about Bovee Relatives

Bovee, Eliza Jane Wagoner
Obituary, ca. 1908.

Bovee, Ethel Paulina
“In Memory of Ethel Paulina Bovee, Sep 12, 1875 – June 6, 1958,” with picture of coffin.

Bovee, Eva Olena
“The Living Memorial: I hereby certify that a tree will be planted in Living Memorial as requested by your funeral director through an agreement between the United States Forest Service and the Batesville Casket Company, Inc.,” signed, Stephen C. Harper. Note by Mark Bovee: “In Memory of Eva Olena Bovee, died Jul 5, 1977, wife of Mark L. Bovee.”

“Mrs. Mark L. Bovee dies at 74; had Long Nursing Career Here,” newspaper clipping.

Bovee, George W.
“George Bovee Dies; Quit Farming at 86,” newspaper clipping.

“92nd Birthday is marked by G. W. Bovee,” newspaper clipping.

“In Memory of George W. Bovee, Jan 5, 1866 – May 18, 1964”.


“Death of George Walker Bovee,” newspaper clipping

“Rites Conducted for Mr. Bovie,” newspaper clipping

Bovee, Mark O.
Western Union Telegram to George Bovee announcing death of Mark Bovee in California, Jul 14, 1960

“Mark O. Bovee Dies in West,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Jul 15, 1960

Bovee, Wright I.
Newspaper clipping marking 90th birthday, Aug 20, 1961

“In Memory of Wright Ingraham Bovee, Aug 18, 1871 to Feb 11, 1966”

Obituary notice
“Former Resident Dies in Far West,” *Battle Creek Enquirer and News*, Feb 12, 1966
Hopcraft, Dorothy M. (Bovee)
Newspaper notice for funeral, n.d.

Stevens, J. C. (Jack)

Obituaries and other information about Mark Bovee’s immediate family

Box 7 Fld 11 Annie A. Smith-Bovee. Obituary Clippping and a Program Card for Annie Smith-Bovee Funeral, 1952


Box 8 Fld 1 Eva N. Bovee. In Memoriam, 1977. (43 items).

Box 8 Fld 2 Letters about Eva Bovee’s passing, 1977.

Box 8 Fld 3 Esther P. Bovee Memorial Record, 1984. (18 items).

Box 8 Fld 4 Mark L. Bovee, Obituaries/Biographical Information
“Obituary for Mark Bovee,” prepared in advance by Mark Bovee, June 1, 1988, 2 pages.

Guest Register for Mark L. Bovee Funeral, Aug. 21, 1990 at the Urbandale SDA Church and interred in the Niebel Cemetery, Friendship, Wisconsin.

Funeral program: “In Memory of Mark L. Bovee, Dec 20, 1899 – Aug 17, 1990. Place and time of Service: Urbandale SDA Church, Tuesday 1:30 P.M., Aug 21, 1990. Officiating Elder Ivan Blake, Organist Connie Harrison. Place and
Arrangements by Farley-Estes Funeral Home," with two pasted in newspaper obituaries.
Auction for Mark L. Bovee Property, Oct 1990

Box 8 Fld 5  Property Records
"Warranty of Deed . . . Indenture made Jan 21, 1965" inheriting George Bovee farm
"Land Contract from Mark L. Bovee or Eva N. Bovee to Diversified Investors," Jan 22, 1974
"Land Contract from Frank A. Klein and Sadie Klein to George W. Bovee, Mark L. Bovee, Eva M. Bovee," Jan 6, 1956
"Land contract between George W. Bovee and Robert T. Kidder and Alice M. Kidder," May 19, 1953
"A Quit-Claim Deed Short Annie S. Bovee to Ernestine M. Bradley," Feb 23, 1944
"Warranty Deed Short Form [between] Sarah C. Lord to George W. Bovee and Annie S. Bovee," Sep 13, 1906
"May 14, 1953, For the sum of $500 I will sell the 100 foot of frontage to Mr. Robert Kidder which will be in addition to the 282 feet agreed upon in the prior sales agreement, making the total frontage 382 feet. This $500 will also pay for all the furniture in the house except for the pieces listed below which Mr. Bovee wants to keep." Signed, George W. Bovee, Richard H. Fox (handwritten)

Box 8 Fld 6  Typographical Materials
"Recognition Dinner of Battle Creek Typographical Union Local 429," Feb 26, 1964
Technical Division, Mergenthaler Linotype Co. to Mark L. Bovee, Jan 19, 1939
Linotype News (vol. 32, no. 1) published by Mergethaler Linotype Co. in Brooklyn New York, n.d.
“Replacements Parts” plastic “Permanent Check List,” from the Mergethaler Linotype Co.

Box 8Fld 7 Wills
“Last Will and Testament of George Waggoner [Bovee],” (later handwritten copy)
Photograph of Bovee property
F. Jack Neller to Mark L. Bovee, June 23-24, 1964 with attached “Publication order, probate court Calhoun County, Michigan, Estate of George W. Bovee”

VIII. Bovee Family Diaries

Annie A. [Smith] Bovee Diaries
Box 9Fld 1 1943
Box 9Fld 2 1944
Box 9Fld 3 1945
Box 9Fld 4 1946
Box 10Fld 1 1947
Box 10Fld 2 1951

George W. Bovee Diaries
Box 10Fld 3 Jan 1, 1941 to Jan 14, 1942
Box 10Fld 4 1942
Box 11Fld 1 1943
Box 11Fld 2 1944
Box 11 Fld 3 1945
Box 11 Fld 4 1946
Box 11 Fld 5 1947
Box 11 Fld 6 1948
Box 11 Fld 7 1951
Box 11 Fld 8 1952
Box 11 Fld 9 1955
Box 11 Fld 10 1957
Box 11 Fld 11 1958
Box 12 Fld 1 1959
Box 12 Fld 2 1960
Box 12 Fld 3 1961
Box 12 Fld 4 1962
Box 12 Fld 5 1963

Mark L. Bovee Diaries

Box 12 Fld 6 Childhood Diaries

“Ladies’ Notebook and Calendar” booklet with handwritten diary pages documenting first nine days of school, 17 pages.
Box 12 Fld 7 1976
Box 12 Fld 8 1977
Box 12 Fld 9 1978
Box 13 Fld 1 1979
Box 13 Fld 2 1980
Box 13 Fld 3 1981
Box 13 Fld 4 1982
Box 13 Fld 5 1983
Box 13 Fld 6 1984
Box 13 Fld 7 1985
Box 13 Fld 8 1986
Box 13 Fld 9 1987
Box 13 Fld 10 1988
Box 13 Fld 11 1989
Box 13 Fld 12 1990

Mrs. Louis Peter Nelson (Eva Nelson-Bovee’s mother)

Box 14 Fld 1 1916-1922. Very abbreviated diary, more a notepad where she records a few events as a summary statement. Includes a small address book.
IX  Mark Bovee Correspondence

Incoming Correspondence
This series contains correspondence received by Mark and Eva Bovee.

Box 14 Fld 2 1954-1959
From relatives; Leon Caviness; Dorothy Bovee; John P. Wagner, Sr.; F. D. Nichol; Clifton L. Taylor (43 items + postcards)

Box 14 Fld 3 1960-1963
Mostly with Irene Bovee, N. C. Wilson; Clifton L. Taylor; Ethel Young; A. L. White; (33 items + postcards + 2 Christmas cards)

Box 14 Fld 4 1964-1969
Family correspondence mostly with Leta Wight; Irene Bovee; E. E. White; Carroll N. Cross; A. L. White; C. Burton Clark; D. A. Delafield; H. M. S. Richards; Beulay Spayley; Paul A. Gordon; Ella M. Robinson; E. K. Vande Vere; Horace J. Shaw; D. E. Mansell (66 items)

Box 14 Fld 5 1970-1973
Letters from H. M. S. Richards, A. L. White; Ernest Lloyd; C. Ford White; Eugene F. Durand; Gerald Wheeler; Louise Dederen; H. H. Hill (88 items)

Box 14 Fld 6 1974-1976
Letters from Leta Wight; W. A. Fagal; J. W. Bothe; Eugene Durand; Norma Collins; Richard Coffen; Rene Noorbergen; Richard Hammill; Vern Carner; Raymond F. Cottrell; Virgil E. Robinson; Ron Graybill; James R. Nix; Godfrey T. Anderson; A. L. White; Mary Childs, Adventist Heritage Magazine; E. K. Vande Vere (70 items + 1 postcard)
Box 14 Fld 7 1977-1981
Letters from: Ernest N. Wendth; Joseph G. Smoot; A. L. White; Wilton Archibald Smith; Louise Dederen; C. Mervyn Maxwell; Eugene Durand; Rene Noorbergen; George H. W. Bush; James R. Nix (48 items)

Box 14 Fld 8 1982-1990
Letters from: Joseph G. Smoot; Hedwig Jemison; Neal C. Wilson; Louise Dederen; James L. Hayward; James R. Nix; Eugene F. Durand; W. Richard Lesher (59 items + 1 postcard)

Letters on Topics

Box 15 Fld 1 Adventist Heritage Center, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI
T. D. Collins to Louise Dederen, Dec 13, 1990
List of monetary gifts by Mark L. Bovee to Heritage Center totaling $9,470 (from 1976 though 1990)
Deed of Gift Agreement for Bovee/Smith Collection, Jul 27, 1987
"Chest" (story of J. N. Andrews Chest)
T. D. Collins to Andrews University, Dec 14, 1990
Book mark, "F. S. Matt. 5:5, Dec 25, 1891"
"Donates Pioneer Artifacts: Exhibited at AU Library" The Herald Palladium, June 6, 1981 (copy)
"University Given Magazine Chest by Local Man," Jul 26, 1964

Box 15 Fld 2 Battle Creek Sanitarium, Correspondence to Save (ca. 1975)
Letters from H. H. Hill; Edward M. Kennedy, U.S. Senate; Vernon L. Small; R. D. Moon, Michigan Conference of SDA; Carleton Knight, National Trust for Historical Preservation; James A. Bryant, State of Michigan Department of Natural Resources; F. C. Webster, Asst. to the President, General Conference of
SDA; James L. Hayward; John L. Hayward; C. A. Miller; F. W. Wernick, Lake Union Conference
Preservation study, 3 pages.
Newspaper clippings related to Sanitarium Preservation efforts.

Box 15 Fld 3 Bovee, Annie, ca. 1924-1928
Letters from Annie Smith-Bovee to her son Mark while he was in Takoma Park”, Maryland. Correspondence (15 letters + 8 postcards)

Box 15 Fld 4 Bovee, Eliza Jane Waggoner
“Dear Mother,” Battle Creek, June 10, 1866
“Ever Dear Stella,” Oct. 12, 1886
Eliza Jane Waggoner to her parents, Feb 27, 1867
Eliza Jane Waggoner to George and Annie Bovee, 1898
Eliza Jane Waggoner to G. W. Bovee, Sep 3, 1898
Note: “Letters by Great Aunt Belle Waggoner about 2nd husband to Grandmother Eliza Jane Bovee (her sister)”
Belle Waggoner to Eliza Jane Bovee, ca. 1903
Postcard of Mt. St. Helens from Silver Lake, to “Dear Stella,” Oct. 1, 1922
“Dear Son and Darling Daughter,” ca. Apr 5, 1927?
“Dear George and Ann,” Feb 28, 1938
John W. Bovee to Mark L. Bovee, June 13, 1946
Article “Woman’s Standpoint” (newspaper clipping)
“Bedford Farmers’ Club Wives Denounce Potato Boycott by Serving ‘Em”
Note of luncheon at Bovee home (newspaper clipping)

Box 15 Fld 5 Froom, Leroy Edwin
L. E. Froom to Mrs. Arthur E. Hoare & Mrs. C. Ford White, Oct. 10, 1966
Fenton E. Froom to Mark Bovee, Dec 9, 1975 with envelope
“Material from the Library of Uriah Smith, his son Leon A. Smith and granddaughters, Mrs. Dorothy S. Swan and Mrs. Barbara S. Hoare, Sep 12, 1965”

Box 15 Fld 6 Harvey, Fred
Envelope “Letters from Fred Harvey Collection”
David Nield to W. H. Littlejohn, Apr 28, 1916
Charles W. Butler to W. H. Littlejohn, Dec 15, 1876
Charles W. Butler to W. H. Littlejohn, Nov 29, 1873
“Notes and Mortgages”
“Pro Patria The American Red Cross to Mrs. Adelaide Littlejohn in recognition of service faithfully performed in behalf of the nation and her men at arms”
O. M. Stearns to W. H. Littlejohn, Sep 13, 1901 with envelope
W. W. Parsons to W. H. Littlejohn, Sep 11, 1901
O. M. Stearns to W. H. Littlejohn, Sep 5, 1901 with envelope
W. Parsons to Mr. Keltner, June 25, 1920
Anderson Trust Co. to Frederick H. Harvey, Oct. 4, 1920
William A. Kittinger to Fred Harvey, Aug. 17, 1927
Dayton Keltner to Fred Harvey, Nov 10, 1927
Dayton Keltner to Fred Harvey, Nov 18, 1927
Anderson Trust Co. to F. H. Harvey, June 26, 1920
E. F. Frand to Fred Harvey, Nov 15, 1918 with envelope
Gertrude L. Lamson to Fred Harvey, n.d.
Gertrude L. Lamson to Fred Harvey, Apr 16, 1916
Fred H. Harvey to Mrs. Lamson, Apr 18, 1916
Anderson Trust Co. to Fred H. Harvey, June 23, 1920
Adeline Chapman Shull to Fred Harvey, May 13, 1936
W. H. Butler to W. H. Littlejohn, Oct. 18, 1916
D. H. Metcalf to W. H. Littlejohn, Aug. 13, 1906 with envelope

Box 16 Fld 1 Kellogg, W. K.
Thank you note from W. K. Kellogg to George W. Bovee, Nov 10, 1904

Box 16 Fld 2 Nelson, Eva (1926-1927)
“Love Letters from Eva Nelson to Mark Bovee, prior to their marriage in 1928” (9 items)

Box 16 Fld 3 Nelson, Mrs. Louis Peter to Eva Nelson, 1922. 5 letters and 4 post cards.

Box 16 Fld 4 White Home, Restoration of, in Battle Creek
Evelyn F. Buchheim to Mark L. Bovee, June 10, 1966
Ralph F. Waddell to Mark L. Bovee, Apr 24, 1966
Walter E. Macpherson to Mark L. Bovee, Apr 11, 1966
O. A. Blake to Mark L. Bovee, Apr 13, 1966
Charles O. Young to Mark L. Bovee, Mar 29, 1966
Robert B. Young to Mark L. Bovee, Mar 31, 1966
Clinton J. Sevener to Mark L. Bovee, Apr 4, 1966
Cyril B. Courville to Mark L. Bovee, Apr 25, 1966
J. Lowell Butler to Mark L. Bovee, Apr 30, 1966
Cyril B. Courville to Mark L. Bovee, May 23, 1966
X. Writings

Unpublished Writings by Mark L. Bovee

These materials include class work and report cards from Mark Bovee’s elementary education, but largely from his adult life and interests. Included are handwritten and typed versions of Mark L. Bovee’s articles.

Box 16 Fld 5 Mark Bovee Class Notebooks and Ephemera

Hand drawn postcards by Mark L. Bovee to parents (2 items), ca. 1908.
Classroom handwritten story notebooks (18 items), ca. 1906-1912
“Church School Bedford 1914-1915,” with school group pictures and a picture, signed by Edna S. Decker [teacher?]
Report cards 1908-1911 (3 items)

Box 16 Fld 6 Notebook 1

Discovery of oldest log cabin in state of Michigan
Spotlite, Oct. 6, 1973 on Australasian Division
Spotlite, Nov 10, 1973 on Community Services
Death of Ernest Emory Farnsworth
Letter to Editor, “New Ways to Save Gas”
Obituary of Agnes Lewis Caviness
Dorcas Society to Celebrate Centennial, 1974
Letter to Robert H. Pierson Saving Battle Creek Sanitarium
Story of Prof. G. H. Bell
“Random Meanderings”

Box 16 Fld 7 Notebook 2

“Vacation Bible School” 1973
Susan Sprague Story
Camp Meeting Announcement
More About Lucinda Hall
Oscar Burt Story
Elder George C. Tenney
Letter to President Richard Nixon
Announcements for “Tabernacle Talk”
Biographical Information on Lucinda Hall
Box 16 Fld 8 Notebook 3
Spotlite, Jan 26, 1974
Death of L. C. Coulston, Sanitarium’s oldest employee
Zeb Maccomber and his self-propelled steam engine
Autotalk
Bedford Road Watering Trough
Pioneer Plank Road to Bedford
Car Corner
Looking Back at Easter
“Musings” on Downtown Bedford
Car Corner
A Lingering Look at Bedford

Box 16 Fld 9 Notebook 4
“Defense of M-37 SDA Tabernacle Sign”
“[La Sierra] Adventist Academy in California is First in United States to Offer Nursing Training in High School”
“Bedford Grist Mill”
“The Legacy of Richard Godsmark”
Kar Korner
Browsing Around Bedford

Box 16 Fld 10 Notebook 5
“Fact Sheet on Battle Creek Academy”
Spotlite
Financial records for Mark L. Bovee
Adventists Name New Officers for 1973

Box 16 Fld 11 Notebook 6
Letters by Mark L. Bovee to save Battle Creek Sanitarium
“Dear Pastor Hayward,” n.d.
“Letter to General Conference President Robert Pierson,” n.d.
“Letter to F. W. Wernick, President Lake Union Conference.” n.d.
“Letter to Elder Robert Pierson, General Conference President,” Feb 14, 1973
“Saigon U.S. Army Hospital Leased to Adventists”
“Letter to H. H. Hill, Administrator, Battle Creek Sanitarium,” Mar 26, 1973
“Letter to Eld Moon re: Sanitarium Main Building,” n.d.
Loma Linda Beacon Story, Apr 15-21, [1973?]
Haskell Home
People Column
Sanitarium Dedication

Box 16 Fld 12 Notebook 7
“Dear Brother Jenkins,” n.d.
Spotlite, May 31, 1975
Spotlite, June 7, 1975
Letter to “Brother Wernick” re: Battle Creek Sanitarium Stone Building
Letter to Sen. Edward Kennedy re: Sanitarium Stone Building
Spotlite, June 14, 1975
Spotlite, June 28, 1975
Spotlite, Jul 5, 1975
Spotlite, Jul 12, 1975
Spotlite, Jul 19, 1975
Spotlite, Jul 21, 1975
Letter to Walt Sooy regarding Sanitarium, n.d.
Letter to Roy Kendall regarding Sanitarium, n.d.
Spotlite, Aug. 2, 1975
Spotlite, Aug. 9, 1975
First Sidewalk at Andrews University
First Chapter of Andrews University Alumni Association
Spotlite, Aug. 16, 1975
Spotlite, Aug. 23, 1975
Fact Sheet on SDA Indian Mission School, Holbrook, AZ
Spotlite, Aug. 30, 1975
“5-min. talk on Uriah Smith”
Spotlite, Sep 6, 1975
Spotlite, Sep 13, 1975
Seventh-day Adventist Marathon Runners
Spotlite, Sep 20, 1975
Spotlite, Sep 27, 1975
Spotlite, Oct. 4, 1975
Spotlite, Oct. 11, 1975
Spotlite, Oct. 18, 1975
Seventh-day Adventist Story for Battle Creek
Council of Churches Book

Box 16 Fld 13 Notebook 8
Letter to Arthur L. White, n.d.
Tabernacle Talk, Oct. 10, 1974
Car Corner
Spotlite, Oct. 12, 1974
Spotlite, Oct. 19, 1974
Car Corner
Tabernacle Talk, Oct. 24, 1974
Car Corner by Motor Mad Markie
Spotlite, Nov 9, 1974
Tabernacle Talk, Nov 21, 1974
Spotlite, Nov 23, 1974
Spotlite, Nov 30, 1974
Letter re: listing of Seventh-day Adventist
Church in newspapers
Spotlite, Dec 14, 1974
Spotlite, Dec 28, 1974
A Closer Look at Beulah Bayley
Report of Dorcas Society 1974
Uplift Musical Program, Feb 20, 1975
Obituary for C. Ford White, 87, of Glendale,
Calif.
Spotlite, Mar 22, 1975
Spotlite, Apr 1, 1975
Spotlite, Apr 7, 1975
Spotlite, Apr 19, 1975
Letter to Possible Sanitarium Fieldstone
Building Concerned Citizens
Leroy Nicola Memorabilia Story
Spotlite, Apr 26, 1975
Spotlite, May 3, 1975
Letter to Senator Kennedy re: main building of
Battle Creek Sanitarium
Spotlite, May 10, 1975
Dorcas Federation Meeting
Spotlite, May 24, 1975
People Story
Oscar T. Burt Obit, 89, formerly of Battle Creek
Letter to Moon re: Sanitarium, May 21, 1975

Box 16 Fld 14 Notebook 9
Banfield Briefs, June 4, 1971
Spotlite, June 1, 1974
Banfield 1913 Atlas (handwritten copy and notes)
A Quick Look at Mill Lake and Banfield
Car Corner
Spotlite, June 15, 1974
Comment on McWilliams Story
Beginnings at Burlington
Car Corner
Spotlite, Jul 6, 1974
Spotlite, Jul 13, 1974
Camp meeting story – Beacon
Camp meeting story, 1974 – Adventists
Convene Camp at Grand Ledge
Car Corner, Jul 24, 1974
Spotlite, Jul 27, 1974
Obituary of Florence Watts, died Jul 22, 1974
Spotlite, Aug. 3, 1974
Car Corner, Aug. 7, 1974
Mendon Meanderings
Spotlite, Sep 7, 1974

Box 32 OS Notebook 10
Spotlite, Nov 15, 1975
Letter to Bishop Leiske re: Battle Creek Sanitarium, Dec 8, 1975
Spotlite, Dec 13, 1975
Spotlite, Jul 17, 1976
Spotlite, Dec 27, 1975
Spotlite, Jan 3, 1976
Spotlite, Jan 10, 1976
Spotlite, Jan 17, 1976
Spotlite, Jan 24, 1976
Spotlite, Jan 31, 1976
New Tabernacle Treasurer Appointed, Daniel R. Purple
Spotlite, Feb 7, 1976
Spotlite, Feb 14, 1976
Spotlite, Feb 21, 1976
Recognition of Tom Sprague
Letter with card to Berenice Thayer Stoddard
Obituary for Mrs. Elma (Hall) Caswell, age 68
Spotlite, Feb 28, 1976
Spotlite, Mar 6, 1976
Obituary for L. C. Coulston, born Mar 13, 1879, died Feb 27, 1976
Spotlite, Mar 13, 1976
Spotlite, Mar 20, 1976
Spotlite, Mar 27, 1976
Spotlite, Apr 3, 1976
Obituary for Mrs. Aletha H. (Jones) Satterlee, 89 of Burbank, Calif, formerly of Battle Creek, died Mar 18… widow of Harold B. Satterlee."
Obituary for Mrs. Gertrude (Billington) Fessenden, 98, died Mar 4, in Battle Creek, Mich.
Letter to the Editor of the Battle Creek Enquirer and News
Spotlite, Apr 17, 1976
Spotlite, Apr 24, 1976
Former Battle Creek Academy Graduate
Receives Ministerial Promotion (Central California SDA Conference Executive Committee recently asked Elder George Elstrom to serve as conference secretary)
Spotlite, May 1, 1976
Spotlite, May 8, 1976
Comment on Pantheism of Dr. Kellogg in Narrative of Elder Glenn Hill, “Pioneer Footprints in Battle Creek.”
Spotlite, May 15, 1976
Spotlite, May 22, 1976
Spotlite, May 29, 1976
Spotlite, June 5, 1976
Spotlite, June 12, 1976
Published in the Review of Sep 5, 1957 (typed copy)
Spotlite, June 19, 1976
Spotlite, June 26, 1976
Spotlite, Jul 3, 1976
Spotlite, Jul 10, 1976
Religious Books Given to Area Libraries
Reply to Amy South
Letter to Pastor re: Uriah Smith Window in Battle Creek Tabernacle
Spotlite, Jul 31, 1976

Box 32 OS  Notebook 11
Hulda Crooks (incomplete)
Spotlite, Apr 16, 1977
Letter to Caviness
Obituary for Eva N. Bovee, 74, born Aug. 28, 1902, died Jul 5, 1977
Spotlite, Aug. 6, 1977
Spotlite, Aug. 13, 1977
Spotlite, Aug. 27, 1977
Memories of the Uriah Smith House at 65 University Ave.
Spotlite, Sep 24, 1977
Spotlite, Oct. 1, 1977
Spotlite, Oct. 8, 1977
Spotlite, Oct. 22, 1977
Spotlite, Oct. 29, 1977
Letter to Arthur White
Battle Creek Shopper News Story for Nov 12, 1977
Spotlite, Nov 12, 1977
Letter to Clyde Schimmel, Nov 7, 1977
Letter to Clemons re: Tabernacle, n.d.
Fact Sheet on 65 University & Others
Spotlite, Jan 14, 1978
Spotlite, Feb 11, 1978
Spotlite, Feb 18, 1978
Loma Linda Enrollment Over 5,000
Spotlite, Mar 18, 1978
Spotlite, Apr 1, 1978

Box 32 OS  Notebook 12
Notes by Mark Bovee
Chronology of Uriah Smith
List of Books Written by Uriah Smith
The Hoop Skirt Episode
Smith the Editor
Smith the Writer
Relationship to Mrs. E. G. White
Some Controversial Points in the Theology of Uriah Smith
Belief Concerning the Godhead
Estimate of Uriah Smith by Hammond

Box 17 Fld 1 Handwritten Mark Bovee Writings (undated unless indicated otherwise)
“The recent passing of my friend and long-time Bedford Road Neighbor, Fred Halbert,” 2 pages.
“I am not wealthy in diamonds or gold…,” 1 page.
Notes on sermon by John L. Hayward, 2 pages.
Notes on Mr. and Mrs. Ellis R. Diehm of Ohio, 1 page.
Notes on Battle Creek Tabernacle church events, 5 pages.
“Destruction of Jerusalem,” 1 page.
Sermon notes, 2 pages.
“A life time dream became reality for Miss Marilyn Matula…,” 1 page.
Notes, 4 pages.
Fact Sheet on Cyril B. Courville, 3 pages.
Church notes, 5 pages.
“Centennial of Seventh-day Adventist [Wright] Camp Meeting,” 7 pages.
“Editor, Enquirer and News,” 5 pages.
“The Days Before Yesterday, or, This is What Happened,” 8 pages.
“Sketch of Life of Uriah Smith,” 14 pages.
(photocopy)
“Armageddon and the King of the North,” 3 pages. with copy of article by Donald E. Mansell, “Armageddon and the King of the North,” *The Youth’s Instructor*, Dec 17, 1968
“Outline of TV Play or Movie: ‘Mysterious Mandans or Earliest Explorers of America”
“Dr. Lillian E. Magan,” 5 pages.
“Bessie De Graw Sutherland,” 11 page.
“Historical Lecture on David Hewitt,” 2 pages.
“Various Comments by those who Knew Uriah Smith”
“Outline of Book on Life of Uriah Smith, started Mar 26, 1970”
“Item from Beulah Bayley Letter for use in biography”
“Random Notes and Thoughts”
“historical Note: the Spade dishes belonging to Mrs. Uriah Smith,” with envelope
“Uriah Smith Incidents”
“Random Notes on Uriah Smith”
“Bedford Beginnings” or “Beginnings at Bedford” or the little known story of Richard Godsmark,” 10 pages.
“Josiah Hart”
Information on the Godsmark family
Thoughts on George King

Box 17 Fld 2 Typed drafts of Mark Bovee articles
“Battle Creek Academy Graduate Awarded Army Medal,” 1 pages.
“Some Memories and Recollections About Forest Schoonard by one of his Former Students,” 1 page.
Memory Statement, unidentified, 4 pages.
“News Release: Archeologist to Lecture Here,” with “Biographical Sketch of Orley M. Berg and bulletin “Wonders of the Ancient World Brought to the Large Silver Screen”
“A Tale of the ‘First’ Tabernacle ‘Cradle’ of the Battle Creek Seventh-day Adventist Church Revealed,” 7 pages.

“First Sidewalk at A.U.,” 1 page.

“Car Corner,” 2 pages.

“We Point with Pride....” 1 page.

Announcement of Daniel R. Purple as Battle Creek Tabernacle Treasurer


“Letter to the Editor,” 1 page.

“A Tale of Two Tabernacles,” 3 pages.

“Comment on Pantheism Attributed to Dr. Kellogg in Narrative, ‘Pioneer Footprints in Battle Creek,’” 3 pages.

“A Tale of World-War II Heroism Retold,” 3 pages. with attached picture of Desmond Doss Monument in Okinawa

Car Corner


“Successor to Battle Creek’s Medical School Receives Over One and One-Half Million Dollars in Study Grants,” 2 pages.


“80-Year-Old Woman Combs Mt. Whitney to Keep Fit,” 4 pages.

“The Days Before Yesterday: A Lingering Look at Bedford,” 4 pages. with 14 pictures and captions


“Car Corner,” 2 pages.

“Car Corner,” 1 page.

“Car Corner,” 1 page., ca. May 9, 1974
“Car Corner,” 2 pages., “Received Apr 24, 1974”
“Surprising Facts Unearthed About the Crucifixion,” 2 pages. With clipping of sketch and caption
“Autotalk,” 2 pages.
“List of Persons in First Group from Rochester, N.Y., to Come to Battle Creek, Mich., 1855,” 1 page.
“Some Errors About Uriah Smith Corrected,” 3 pages.
“More Random Notes on Uriah Smith”
“Foreword to Uriah Smith Biography”
“Children of Uriah Smith,” 5 pages.
“Random Notes on Demolition of 65 University Ave., the Home of Uriah Smith and the Closing of University Ave.,” 2 pages.
“The Helper of Buck and Bright,” 5 pages.
“Battle Creek’s Ellen G. White Featured in National Journal”
“Editor Named for Youth Journal” (with copy of news release from the General Conference, Oct. 3, 1969)
“The Quality of his Writing: Reflections on the Writing of Uriah Smith by Grandson-biographer, Mark L. Bovee”
Published Articles by Mark L. Bovee

These are clippings from newspapers of articles by Mark L. Bovee or references to him in newspapers. Most of these articles do not have identification so have been arranged alphabetically by title.


Box 17 Fld 4 “Adventist’s Sanitarium Shown on Samoan Stamp,” Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Jul 5, 1970, C-6 with picture of stamp


Box 17 Fld 6 “Adventist Woman Was Haile’s Cook,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Aug. 11, 1963

Box 17 Fld 7 “Another Link with JFK: Graduate of Former Battle Creek College [John Hugh] Helped Late President into Hospital After Shooting”

Box 17 Fld 8 “Annual Seventh-day Adventist Camp Meeting at Grand Ledge, Jul 18-27,” Beacon Preview, Jul 18, 1974, 12

Box 17 Fld 9 “Appeal by SDA Planned,” n.d.

Box 17 Fld 10 “Attention, U.S. Department of Energy Research!”

Box 17 Fld 11 “Battle Creek Born School [Loma Linda University] has Record Enrollment,” published after 1967

Box 17 Fld 12 “Battle Creek Helps Prevent Price Increases of Arabian Oil,” Battle Creek Shopper News, Dec 29, 1976, 7

Box 17 Fld 13 “Battle Creek’s Kate Lindsay: She Won Respect as a Physician and Scientist in a Man’s World,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Oct. 11, 1964

Box 17 Fld 14 “Battle Creek Sanitarium Names New Administrator,” Beacon Preview, Aug. 8, 1974, 3
Box 17 Fld 15 “Battle Creek Paper Features EMC Alumnus [Mark L. Bovee]”

Box 17 Fld 16 “Berrien Springs Home of 143 Year Old Log Cabin,” ca. 1973

Box 17 Fld 17 “Better Living Classes”

Box 17 Fld 18 Car Corner Editorials (3 of them) by “Motor Mad Markie” published in *The Beacon Preview* (undated; 1 is a photocopy)

Box 17 Fld 19 “Centenary of Seventh-day Adventist ‘Dime Tabernacle’ Church Dedication,” *The Battle Creek Shopper News*, Apr 19, 1979, 9

Box 17 Fld 20 “City Editor’s Notebook” Column by Art Middleton

“Blizzard Memories,” by Mark L. Bovee

“In Memory of ‘Grain-Buyer’ Bovee,” by Mark L. Bovee

Untitled, mentions Mark Bovee who “put into type yesterday’s column of Parkin Christian, the Bounty mutiny descendant, today provided a sequel to the story”

Untitled, mentions query by Mark Bovee on how many people make and year of the first car to cross the United States with its own power


Box 17 Fld 24 “The Day Before Yesterday: A Lingering Look at Bedford as it Used to be,” n.d.
Box 17 Fld 25 “The Days Before Yesterday: Memories of the Uriah Smith House at 65 University Ave.,” *Battle Creek Shopper News*, Nov 3, 1977

Box 17 Fld 26 “The Days Before Yesterday: Mendon Meanderings” (photocopy)

Box 17 Fld 27 “The Days Before Yesterday: A Quick Look at Mill Lake and Banfield”


Box 17 Fld 31 “The Days Before Yesterday: Zeb Macomber and his self-propelled Steam Tractor Engine,” *Beacon Preview*, Mar 7, 1974


Box 17 Fld 33 “Death Severs City’s Ties with Mutineers’ Island [Pitcairn],” *The Battle Creek Enquirer and News*, Nov 24, 1963


Box 17 Fld 35 “Ellen White’s Rocking Chair Donated to Andrews Seminary”

Box 17 Fld 37 “Ex-Local Woman [Violet Essex Cummings] Writes Book on Search for Ark”

Box 17 Fld 38 “Ex-'Underground' Leader [John Henry Weidner] Speaks at Camp Meeting,” ca. 1967


Box 17 Fld 40 “Facet of S.D.A. History Published by Alumnus,” *The Student Movement Association*, Mar 29, 1861, page 3

Box 17 Fld 41 “Famous Mountain Climber, Hulda Crooks, Makes the News Again,” ca. 1979

Box 17 Fld 42 “Granddaughter [Jean Moncrief Hill] of San’s Oldest Employee [L. C. Coulson] Lost in Shipwreck”

Box 17 Fld 43 “Hastings SDA Congregation of 76 Dedicates Debt-free Church Today”


Box 17 Fld 46 Letters to the Editor (5 of them, 1 dated Mar 28, 1973) by Mark L. Bovee

Box 17 Fld 47 “Lloyd Clark Puts Pumice to Many Valuable Uses,” *The Battle Creek Enquirer and News*, Jan 17, 1965, 12

Box 17 Fld 48 “Loma Linda University: ‘Medical Colossus’ Had Local Beginnings,” ca. 1960s
Box 17 Fld 49 “Mendon Meanderings: A Packet Ride on the Erie Canal,” Feb 22, 1975

Box 17 Fld 50 “More About Lucinda Hall… Who Was She?”
Beacon Preview, Aug. 8, 1973, 19, with “Wrapping Up’ the Lucinda Hall Story”

Box 17 Fld 51 “Patent Calendar Tycoon Gives Companies to SDA Conference,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, n.d.

Box 17 Fld 52 References to Mark L Bovee by Connie Calhoun
“People” by Connie Calhoun from The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, May 4, 1973
mentioning Andrews University Alumni Homecoming
“People” by Connie Calhoun mentioning Mark Bovee self-dubbed himself as the “Adventist Archeologist” who recently dug up bricks from Battle Creek College
“Pole Thinks it’s a Tree,” picture of Mark L. Bovee with caption

Box 17 Fld 53 “Record Sales Announced [by SDA Church]”


Box 17 Fld 55 “Richard Godsmark: a Man of God Who Left His Mark As a Battle Creek Area Pioneer,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, May 10, 1964, 8

Box 17 Fld 56 “Saigon U.S. Army Hospital Leased to Seventh-day Adventists”

Box 17 Fld 57 “Service Group to Observe 100th Anniversary in 1974,” Jan 1, 1974

Box 17 Fld 58 “SDA Doctor [Sanford P. S. Edwards], 91, Dies; Was in First Class Here,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Feb 28, 1965, 7
Box 17 Fld 59 “Seventh-day Adventists Hold 111th Annual Michigan Camp Meeting Near Lansing,” ca. 1979

Box 17 Fld 60 “Seventh-day Adventist [Cynthia Goner Fitzpatrick] Oldest Living Woman in U.S.”

Box 17 Fld 61 “SDA’s Publication for Blind Began Here with Modest 75-Copy Brailled Magazine,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Sep 4, 1960, 9-10 (with proof sheet)

Box 17 Fld 62 “70 Years Ago: Memories of 1903: A Forgotten Date,” May 30, 1973 (photocopy)

Box 17 Fld 63 “Social Services Programs Seek Volunteer Helpers,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, May 7, 1976, A-8

Box 17 Fld 64 “Son Will Resume the Manufacture of Deusenbergs”

Box 17 Fld 65 “Successor to Battle Creek’s Medical School Receives Over One and One-Half Million Dollars in Study Grants,” The Battle Creek Shopper News, Nov 4, 1976, 12

Box 17 Fld 66 “Surprising Facts Unearthed About the Crucifixion,” Beacon Preview, May 9, 1974, 27

Box 17 Fld 67 “Tabernacle Talk” Column (5 of them) by Mark L. Bovee, ca. 1975

Box 17 Fld 68 “A Tale of the ‘First' Tabernacle,” Tabernacle Tidings, Mar 13, 1970, 3

Box 17 Fld 69 “A Tale of Two Tabernacles”

Box 17 Fld 70 “A Tale of World-War II Heroism Retold [Desmond Doss],” Battle Creek Shopper News, Dec 2, 1976, 22

Box 17 Fld 71 “These ‘Early Birds' Get no Worms [Vegetarian fed chickens at Las Sierra College],” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, n.d.
Box 17 Fld 72 “A Tribute to Mr. Bovee”

Box 17 Fld 73 “Up the Creek,” by Cal Samra, reference to Mark L. Bovee meeting cousin named Mark Bovee, May 8, 1978

Box 17 Fld 74 Articles by Mark Bovee in black notebook with metal ring, 8¼ by 10¾ inches written while at Emmanuel Missionary College
“An Object Lesson from the Grand Canyon, The Youth’s Instructor, Oct. 6, 1925
“America’s Pioneer Irrigation Project,” The Student Movement, Jan 1926, 9-10
“Spring Tonics,” The Student Movement, Apr 1926, 9
“An Act of Heroism,” The Student Movement, Mar 1926
“Former E.M.C. Student Found Dead,” The Student Movement, Apr, 1926
“Archaeological Speculations,” The Student Movement
“The Book of the National Parks”
“Maple Hall,” The Cardinal, n.d.
“From a Senior’s Diary,” n.d.

Box 17 Fld 75 Research material for Clark Lloyd “Pumice Story”

Box 18 Fld 1 Research material for “Dunlap Story” by Mark Bovee

Box 18 Fld 2 Research material and notes for “White House” story Envelope “Save! Material for ‘White House’ Story”
Handwritten notes, 5 pages.
“People solicited for White House Donations” Sketch of White Home Layout

Box 33 OS Scrapbook of Mark L. Bovee of Press Stories in The Battle Creek Enquirer and News by Mark L. Bovee, press secretary of the Battle Creek Seventh-day Adventist Tabernacle, White binding, 12½ by 14½ inches, loose-leaf, 27 pages.
Writings by others

Box 34 OS  Scrapbook compiled by Mark L. Bovee of stories written by others. Brown, loose-leaf, 12 by 14 inches, 36 pages. Newspaper clipping titles include (not exhaustive):

“If I Should Die Today,” by Helen Haukedahl

Kaley-Swanty Wedding, Jan 1, 1971

Obituary for Fleet B. Langdon

“Horse Power Era Fireman Dies [Wellington William]”

Obituary for Mrs. Harold (Marianna Halbert) Johnson

“1st ‘Traffic Officer’ Named (and Hubby Likes the Idea)”

“People and Events of Yesteryear [Theodore E. Sands]”

Obituary for Everett R. Judd

“Penny Edwards Joins List of Films’ Religion Converts”

Obituary for Jesse S. Marshall

“Assistant Administrator Named by Sanitarium [William G. Simmons]”

“Leon A. Smith Services Held”

“Man, 85, Found Dead in Ransacked Home; $1,000 Reward Set”

Obituary for Francis D. Estes

Obituary for Mrs. Frank Klein

“Michigan in History: Four Flags Made History at Niles’ Old French Fort”

“Ross H. Coller Retires 2nd Time”

Obituary program for Thomas J. Giddings

“Dr. Kellogg’s Secretary, R. V. Ashley, Dies at 82”

Obituary for Madison L. Crawford

“Phrase Comprehension’ Key to Faster Reading”

“Girl Studen Crash Victim: Sandra Rose, 16, Dies; Father Hurt”

“Over 500 Persons Honor Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Atteberry”
Obituary for Mrs. Alice Olive (Forcey) Kellogg (Wife of Kellogg grandson)
“Music and Art with a Local Angle”
“Former Dairyman Herman Strabbing Dies at age 79”
“Mr. and Mrs. Talmage mark 69th Anniversary”
“Cart Racers Ask a Track to Snort on”
Obituary for Harry W. Perrin (“Old School-mate EMC”)“Donald Heywood, 43 Printer”
“Pressman ends 50-year career [Franklin F. Rocho]”
“Former Dean of Men Dies in Arizona Plane Crash Apr 11 [Joseph W. Bielicki, La Sierra College]”
“Mutiny on the Bounty—and Battle Creek,” by Mark L. Bovee, Apr 26, 1972
“Braille Printing Company Has Come a Long Way—and it All Started Here,” Mark L. Bovee
Obituary for Wanda Wescott MacMorland
“State to Determine Right to Farm Name in Controversy Here”
“Former Operator Forgives Linotype; After All, It Was His Mealticket”
“H. E. Babcock Dies; Retired Businessman”
“How it Works”
“Cleon Matchett, ex-compositor, semipro athlete”
Obituary for Mrs. Francis D. Estes
“Repairing the Ravages of No-Lead Gas”
“44 Years of Expediting Commerce: Mrs. [Marjorie] Fleming Retires as Newspaper's Classified Ad Manager”
“Old Mill Still Doing Big Business”
“John Fetzer Traces Years with Tigers”
“Let us Build on the Bible”
“Campus Mourns Passing of ‘Uncle Burt’ [Wade]”
“Indiana Man Killed in Rail Crossing Crash West of Lima”
“Harold E. Watts Retires at 76; Printer 61 Years”
“Dr. Arthur E. Hoare”
“Youth Suffers War Wound”
“[Frank E.] Bovee-[Karen] Crumpton” Wedding Announcement
“It's New From Battle Creek”
Obituary for Dr. Arthur E. Hoare
Obituary for Gladys Crate
“Party for Retiring Newsmen”
Obituary for Walter H. Olsen
“It's a man’s World . . . and Carmen’s Welcome to it”
“H. A. Chipman Dies; Veteran Enquirer Editor”
Advertisement from Gage Printing Co.
“George Cooper, Typographer, Dies”
“Son of Printer, Edwin Gage Dies”
“$8 Million Community Hospital”
“Ends Half-Century in Composing Rooms”
“Funeral Today in Valley for Lloyd Clark”
“Veteran Printer Retires: [Cleon] Matchett Ends 30 Years with Newspaper”
“Former San Nurse, Wife Die in Crash [Edwin Stow & Bertha Haub]”
“Dr. Edwin L. Hansen, Local Gynecologist, Dies in Detroit”
“Valuable Paintings at Atlantic Union College” with “Correction”
“Relics Recall MD; U-M Grad of 1867 [Ira Young Kerartee]"
Clipping of picture of the Post Tavern
Clipping of picture of Main Street, Battle Creek, 1866
“Old-Time Harvest"
Clipping of picture of “Bedford Masonic Lodge, No. 207”
“Local Man Holds Key Post in War [Capt. Samuel G. Gorsline, Jr.]”
“Printers’ Union Bestows Pin on 40-Year Member”
“Mrs. Joy Hodgson, Fuel Dealer, Dies”
Picture of linotypists “First on List of Blood Donors”
“Barry County History Buff: Harold Burpee Finds Past Can be Antidote to Present”
Obituary of Charles Elliott Weniger
“A Moderate Climate Offers Much for All”
“Payroll $2 bills to Flood Area”
“Friendship Couple Married 50 Years [Miss Frieda Jenson and Earl Anderson]”
“Australia Served by White and Currow,” Ernest Lloyd
Obituary for Ada M. Babcock
Obituary for Bruce E. Haire
Obituary for Guy W. Marsh
“Many Activities at the Glendale Adventist Church”
“Retired Minister-Teacher and Wife Have 65th Anniversary [Elder and Mrs. W. R. French]”
“She Fought for Equality: residents Want to Honor Sojourner Truth”
“Fire in Mendon 50 Years Ago Destroyed 41 Business Places”
“U.S. Politics Protracts War,” Letter to the Editor by Mark L. Bovee
“Pressman James Finlay Retires; 44 Years on Job”
“How Handicapped Here Overcome Job Barriers”
“How Can’t Legisllate Our Behaviour”
“Heart Attacks Laid to Chlorined Water”
“Little bit of Africa Right Near Battle Creek”
“‘Sno Surprise:’ Snow of 7 Feet is Record”
“Evangelist [Fordyce Detamore] Visits with Students”
“Belated 50th Anniversary Celebration for Swensens”
Obituary for Garland C. “Doc” Chambers
“‘Typographical Tourist’ Retiring Here [Garland Chambers]”
Obituary for Mrs. Lewis Sevey
“Demolition Slowed by Fire: 78-Year-Old Building Survived One Blaze,” [Gage Printing Co.]
“Thousands See Downtown Fire”
“R. F. Burnham Dies; Retired AF General”
“Firemen Say Last Good-bye to an Old Friend, Lew Simons”
Obituaries for Mrs. Ford (Dorothy Smith) White and Glen Kewley
“I. E. Gillis Retires After 27 Years of VOP Service”
Program for: The 100th Annual Camp Meeting, 1868-1968, Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists
“Adolph Johnson Co. Sells Building, Shop Equipment”
“46 Years a Printer [Charles Towell]”
“Head Machinist [Harold G. Swinehart] Retires from Enquirer and News”
“Fred Halbert, Descendant of Bedford Pioneers, Dies”
Obituary for Raymond A. Shafer
“Burlington Coach Stop Being Restored”
“Veteran Printer is Found Gassed: 
Arthur M. Olstead, 52, Dies in 
Car in Closed Garage”

“Grateful Chinese Erect Memorial to 
Local Man”

Obituary for Charles A. Burman

“Wild Animal Kills Former Local Man: 
Attack by Buffalo in Central Africa 
Results in Death of Robert L. 
Jones”

Obituary for Frank Haver

Obituary for Jack Sherman

Obituary for Leonard E. Kellogg

“Our John,” by Connie Collins

Letter from Arthur H. Vandenberg, 
United States Senate to Mark L. 
Bovee, Dec 7, 1940

“New Methods of Printing Emphasize 
Utmost Importance of 
Proofreading,” Aug 1965

“Mrs. Wynter Buckner is Hostess at 
Shower”

Obituary for Ronald George Bovee, son 
of Mark L. Bovee, Feb 25, 1940

“Worker Back from Alaska With a 
‘Blanket’ on his Face”

XI. Topical Materials

Adventist Related Topics

Box 18 Fld 3 Adventists, Materials Regarding 
Newspaper Clippings regarding Adventists in 
Battle Creek Newspapers (16 items)

Box 18 Fld 4 Adventist Heritage Sites in New England, Materials 
Regarding 
Record book by Mark L. Bovee with 
handwritten information about Battle 
Creek Adventist Heritage sites, 4 by 7 
Inches, 180 pages, with some additional 
notes and unidentified picture of home
Brochure: “Follow . . . Footsteps of Adventists Pioneers in Historic Battle Creek,” ca. 1985


Brochure: “Seventh-day Adventist Historical Landmarks in Battle Creek, Michigan,” ca. 1980

Brochure: “Pioneer Village Festival, Tent Meeting, Leila Arboretum, Battle Creek, Michigan, May 26, 27, 1984”


Brochure: “The Brethren Think… we ought to have a little house put up”

Brochure: “The Way We Were: Heritage Series Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church”

“Dr. Caviness Route Outline” with envelope
“Alyde” to Mark L. Bovee, Feb 8, 1961, with envelope and “map to Hossic”

“Outline Trip to the Deformational Historical Places,” 4 pages.

“Battle Creek Historical Landmarks,” 6 pages.
“Two-Day Michigan SDA Historical Tour,” 3 pages.
“Two-Day Michigan SDA Historical Tour,” 5 pages.

Check-list: “Battle Creek Historical Sites Tour”

Article: “Battle Creek Area Churches Celebrate 125 Years of SDA Organization,”
Review and Herald, Jul 14, 1988, 18-19
Box 18 Fld 5 Andrews University
Newspaper clippings (18 items)
“Andrews University Celebrates Centennial,”
Jan 6, 1974 (2 copies: one is published as a “Supplement to the South Bend Tribune and the other as Andrews University Focus, Dec 1973)

Box 18 Fld 6 Andrews University Alumni Association
Newspaper clipping noting attendance of Mark L. Bovee at 60th class anniversary at Andrews University
1979 Fall Report from Joseph G. Smoot, President of Andrews University, 4 pages.
Report of 1965 Nomination Committee for Alumni Association (Mark L. Bovee voted member at large for 3 year term)
Poem “written by Richard Little in protest at severe rules of Emmanuel Missionary College president Guy Wolfkill, 1927”
“Prophecy of the Class of 1917,” 3 pages.
Article, “Facet of S.D.A. History Published by Alumnus,” Student Movement, Mar 29, 1961
Note by Mark L. Bovee detailing first sidewalk at Andrews University between Burman Hall and the dining room

Box 18 Fld 7 Battle Creek History
Map With Directions
“Battle Creek—Its Yesterdays” by H. M. Stegman (Battle Creek Enquirer and News, n.d.)
“When Battle Creek Was Young” by Sands McCamly
Newspaper clippings (26 items)
Box 18 Fld 8 Battle Creek Academy
Newspaper clippings with references to the academy or graduates in Battle Creek newspapers (33 items)

Box 18 Fld 9 Battle Creek: Berean SDA Church
Newspaper clippings (3 items)

Box 18 Fld 10 Battle Creek College

Box 18 Fld 11 Battle Creek – Early SDA History
Notes with envelope by Mark L. Bovee
Dime Tabernacle Bulletin, Jan 17, 1920
“Names of Members of the ‘House of Prayer’—First SDA Church in Battle Creek, 1855,” by Glenn Hill
“Bits of History of Early Adventists in Battle Creek, Mich.,” by Glen Hill, 2 pages.
“Prediction Made by Ellen G. White of the Coming Civil War in the United States Made at Parkville, 1861,” by Glen Hill
“Summary of Events in Battle Creek’s Denominational History,” unidentified article
“Second Seventh-day Adventist Meeting-House,” J. N. Loughborough, from *Missionary Magazine* (vol. 13, no. 6), June 1901, 266-269
“Dime Tabernacle Burned 50 Years Ago,” *Lake Union Herald*, Feb 29, 1972
Card: “S. W. Ingraham, M.D. Physician and Surgeon”
Card: “S. W. Ingraham, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Dry Goods”
Box 18 Fld 12 Battle Creek Sanitarium

Commemorative booklet: "Battle Creek Sanitarium Centennial, 1866-1966," 16 pages. in envelope
Envelope from Battle Creek Sanitarium, ca. 1900
Booklet: "Battle Creek Health Center: Personnel Handbook," ca. 1940
"Mechanical Gym Machines," 5 pages. (typed)
Newspaper clippings (106 items)
Card: "The Sanitarium Food and Supply Store, 224 East Fulton Street, Grand Rapids, Mich."

Box 18 Fld 13 Battle Creek – SDA Signage

Letter from Dept. of State Highways, Jan 15, 1973
"SDA Church Welcomes You" kit, 2 pages.

Box 18 Fld 14 Battle Creek --- Tabernacle

Picture of "Arthur Eugene Serns, Pastor Tabernacle" (clipping)
The Battle Creek Tabernacle of Seventh-day Adventists, 1969 Pictorial Directory, 26 pages.
"Summary and Fact Sheet Relative to Updating Church Facilities," 3 pages.
"Church Board Meeting Agenda," May 10, 1976, Aug. 15, 1977
"Minute of Meeting of Battle Creek Tabernacle Church Board," Apr 12, 1976, Aug. 15, 1977
"Battle Creek Tabernacle Church – Staff Organization and Functions"
Tom Anderson to Deacons, Feb 12, 1969
"The Tabernacle 1977-78 Looking Ahead"
"1972 Church Officers"
Bulletin, Jan 31, 1976
“Music You Will Love to Remember,” (2 items)
Shirley and Leonard Venden to “Dear Friend,”
May 29, 1970
“Honor Roll of Foreign Missionaries who Have Gone from Battle Creek”
Newspaper clippings (92 items)

Box 18 Fld 15 Bayley, Beulah
Letters
Questions and answers on Adventist “firsts”
First Adventist Dorcus meeting pantomime, 1962
Personal memories of Sister E. G. White by Bayley
Memories by Bayley
Part of Panel program, M.V. meeting, 1959 (Q and A)
Directory of Seventh-day Adventist Church, Battle Creek, Michigan, Sabbath Schools and Societies, 1901
Directory of Seventh-day Adventist Church, Battle Creek, Michigan, Sabbath Schools and Societies, 1898

Box 18 Fld 16 Brownsberger, Sidney
“Historic Landmark Destroyed” (newspaper clipping)

Box 19 Fld 1 Butler, J. Lowell Research Papers
J. Lowell Butler to Mark & Eva Bovee, Feb 18, 1965
Christmas Card, n.d.
“Joshua’s Long Day Was a Mirage and Real History!,” Apr 20, 1964, 30 pages.
“Mirages Solve the Mystery of Joshua’s Long Day!” Nov 29, 1964, 18 pages.

Box 19 Fld 2 Canada, Mission Stories
“Mission Story,” 4 pages. (photocopy)
Newspaper clippings (2 items + photo)

Box 19 Fld 3 Christiansen, Chris, biographical information
M. Christiansen to Eva Bovee, Nov 19, 1924
M. Christiansen to Eva Bovee Dec 13, 1928
“C. M. Christiansen,” (handwritten biographical sketch)
“The Christiansen Clan”
H. Harris to Mr. Harris, Oct 3, 1965
Photographs of Christiansen’s and home (4 items)
“Footprints on the Sands of Time,” E. K. Vande Vere (clipping)
Picture of Al Christensen riding a camel in Egypt, June 1975, inscription, “Al Christiansen, president, class of 1927, E.M.C”
Unidentified postcard
Pictures of graves (3 items)
Pictures of unidentified people (6 items)
Postcard of Frederick Rasmussen
Genealogical Information, 4 pages.

Box 19 Fld 4 Gage, W. C.
“A Gage of Community Spirit: Family of 1880s Mayor has Been in Battle Creek 100 Years,” The Battle Creek Enquirer and News, Apr 29, 1979, D-1

Box 19 Fld 5 Hall, W. H., Notes by Mark Bovee from his Diaries
Note: “From Diary of W. H. Hall, Steward of Old BC San; Father of Ethel Bovee, Cleora Green Webster; Charles Hall"
Notepads with notes (5 items: 1880; 1881; 1883; 1890; 1900)

Box 19 Fld 6 Health Foods
Advertisement for the “Health Food Center” (newspaper clipping)
“Meatless ‘Meats’ Taste Fine,” Paula Buchholz (photocopy)
Loma Linda University Nutritional Study
“Testing results with and without GR Valve”
Box 19 Fld 7 Kellogg, J. H.

Funeral Program: “John Harvey Kellogg, 1852-1943”

“Interview at Dr. J. H. Kellogg’s House, Oct 7, 1907,” (typescript copy), 7 pages.


Box 19 Fld 8 Kellogg, W. K


Box 19 Fld 9 Kettering Hospital

Newspaper clippings (2 items)

Box 19 Fld 10 Miller, Madison B.

Leather flip cover 5¾ by 8¾ inches containing the following items:

Photograph of M. B. Miller and Anna S. Miller

Ministerial License, Signed by Uriah Smith, D. H. Lamson and J. F. Carman, Jun 23, 1872

Ministerial License, Signed by E. H. Root, M. G. Merriam, and Harmon Lindsay, Sep 9, 1873

Ministerial License, Signed by E. H. Root, J. Fargo, J. B. Day, Aug 12, 1875

Credentials, Signed by J. Fargo, E. H. Root, S. Brownsberger, Sep 30, 1877

Credentials, Signed by J. Fargo, E. R. Jones, S. Brownsberger, 1879

Credentials, Signed by J. Fargo and Wm. C. Gage, Oct 1, 1881

Credentials, Signed by J. Fargo and A. H. Mason, Oct 1, 1883
Credentials, Signed by J. Fargo and A. H. Mason, Sep 27, 1885
Credentials, Signed by I. D. Van Horn, president, and Hiland Butler, secretary, Oct 27, 1889
Credentials, Signed by D. U. Hale, president, Asa Smith, Secretary, Oct 18, 1912

Box 19 Fld 11 Missions Materials
Letter from Ernest N. Wendth, public relations, Michigan Conference to "Dear Friends," about Mission ’72 program, Mar 3, 1972

Box 35 OS Scrapbook compiled by Mark L. Bovee containing obituaries. 11 by 12½ inches, loose-leaf, 13 pages. Contains obituaries for the following individuals that are not listed in the Seventh-day Adventist Obituary Index.
Mary Philaneoia Cummings (sheet 2)
C. M. Christiansen (sheet 2)
Byron F. Covert (sheet 2)
Mrs. Elsie Y. Taylor (sheet 3)
Funeral program for Elder S. E. Wight (sheet 3)
Funeral program for Clara E. Wight (sheet 3)
Teresa Bachellor Wilson (daughter of Warren Bacheller) (sheet 3)
Charles E. Stewart (sheet 4)
Minnie Belle Ostrander Irwin (sheet 5)
Alfreda Louise Haynes (wife of C. B. Haynes) (sheet 6)
Theodore G. Lewis (sheet 7)
Harriette E. Kirkland (sheet 7)
L. C. Nielson (sheet 7)
Minnie Fitzgerald (sheet 8)
R. V. Ashley (J. H. Kellogg’s secretary) (sheet 9)
Marcus M. Ashley (sheet 9)
May Merriam Coulston (sheet 9)
Harry B. Babcock (sheet 9)
Funeral program for Harry M. Babcock (sheet 9)
Mrs. Arthur C. Bond (sheet 9)
Charles Harriman Jones (sheet 10)
Clinton W. Lee (sheet 10)
“A Brief Sketch of Mrs. Mary Rickey Nicola,” 13 pages. (sheet 11)
Charles (Phoebie) Oliver (sheet 11)
J. F. Piper (sheet 11)
Charles A. Peterson (sheet 11)
Laura C. Wells (sheet 12)
Mrs. Thomas W. Childs (sheet 12)
Albert R. Dickson (sheet 12)
George E. Wilson (sheet 12)
Sanford P. S. Edwards (sheet 12)
Mrs. Charles J. (Delva Jane) Foote (sheet 12)
Edwin Barnes (sheet 13)
Mrs. L. C. Coulston (sheet 13)
Elmer Cloulston (sheet 13)
O. G. Place (sheet 14)
Mary Place (sheet 14)
Sarah Parker (sheet 14)
Mrs. Beulah (Sperry) Bayley (inside back cover)

Box 36 OS Scrapbook of Mark L. Bovee containing different newspaper clippings

Box 19 Fld 12 Salisbury, Burleigh
“People and Events of Yesteryear,” Ross H. Coller (newspaper clipping)

Box 19 Fld 13 Truth, Sojourner
Newspaper clippings (5 items)

Box 19 Fld 14 Urbandale SDA Church
Newspaper clippings (25 items)

Box 19 Fld 15 White, James and Ellen
“Ellen White Genealogy Record”
Cover page of Lake Union Herald featuring White home in Battle Creek, Mar 22, 1966
Postcard of White home and grave in Battle Creek
“Funeral of ‘Mother’ White a Great Tribute to Noted Woman,” (newspaper clipping)

XII. Artifacts

Box 19 Fld 16 Illinois pocket watch given to Mark L. Bovee by his parents, George and Annie Bovee, on his 1927 graduation from Emmanuel Missionary College. Gold with a chain.

Box 19 Fld 17 Elgin pocket watch. No information as to who owned it.

XIII. Photograph Albums and Other Photographs Belonging to the Mark L. Bovee Family

Albums

Box 19 Fld 18 Photograph Album #1.
Brown leather, 8 3/4 x 11 3/4 inches. (ca. 1870s)
1. Unidentified picture of two boys, cabinet photo (Colorado Springs, CO: Pikes Peak Photographers, ca. 1870s).
2. Unidentified woman, cartes des visite (Kalamazoo, MI: M. H. Porter, n.d.)
3. Unidentified man and woman, cartes des visite (Kalamazoo, MI: Palmiter & Warrant, n.d.)
4. Unidentified man, cartes des visite (Chicago: J. Battersby, n.d.)
5. Mary L. Rogers (age 14?), cartes des visite (Wilkes Barre, PA: Lee Stearns, n.d.)
6. Unidentified baby, cartes des visite (Battle Creek, MI: Perry, n.d.)
7. Unidentified woman (age 16?), cartes des visite (Battle Creek, MI: Perry, n.d.)
8. Unidentified woman (age 16?), cartes des visite (Battle Creek, MI: Perry, n.d.)
9. Unidentified woman (age early 20s), cartes des visite (Battle Creek, MI: Perry, n.d.)
10. Unidentified man, cartes des visite, n.d.
11. Unidentified woman, cartes des visite  
   (Battle Creek, MI: Perry, n.d.)
12. Unidentified man (age early 20s), tintype,  
   n.d.

Box 20 Fld 1 Photograph Album #2
   Annie A. [Smith] Bovee Album, leather-bound, 7 x 11  
   inches, 1901-1907.
   Contains pictures of Battle Creek places and  
   personalities. Included are pictures of F. E.  
   Belden, inside Uriah Smith home, Sand Bank,  
   River Trip, University of California, Gardens,  
   Goguac Lake, Michigan Central Rail Road,  
   “Old Sanitarium”

Box 20 Fld 2 Photograph Album #3
   “Scenes of the Good Old State, Michigan.” Black  
   album belonging to Mrs. G. W. Bovee, 5¾ x 8½  
   inches, ca. 1912.
   Contains scenes from their farm in Michigan.

Box 20 Fld 3 Photograph Album #4
   Black album, 9½ x 12 inches, 1919-1922.  
   Contains pictures from “Happy Balley,”  
   Tournament of Roses, Broadway, L.A., Santa  
   Barbara, Trip to Washington, D.C., the Liberty  
   Bell, Mt. Vernon, Longmont, Venice [Ca.], and  
   Colorado

Box 20 Fld 4 Photographs Album #5
   Black album 7 x 11¼ inches, “Album of the Smith &  
   Bovee Family received from Mark Bovee Sep 15,  
   1988.”
   Contains mostly of Dessa Jones, Mark Bovee,  
   George and Annie Bovee. It contains farm  
   scenes, ice skating, flowers, recreation, visits  
   to Gull Lake, and home scenes

Box 21 Fld 1 Photograph Album #6
   Black album 7 x11¼ inches.  
   Unidentified pictures of friends and farm  
   scenes, ca. 1920s
Box 21 Fld 2 Photographs Album #7
Black album 7 x 11¼ inches, Album belonging to Annie A. [Smith] Bovee.
Contains pictures of Harriet Smith home, her own home, scenes from the farm, and relatives and friends who are visiting.

Box 21 Fld 3 Photograph Album #8
Brown leather-bound, 7 x 11 inches.
Mark L. Bovee childhood trip with parents, George and Annie Bovee, to California in 1922. Included is a trip to Chicago and the Lincoln Park Zoo, Yellowstone, Rocky Mountains, Missoula River, 4th of July Canyon, Walla Walla College, Oregon, Pacific Union College, California, Yosemite, Oakland, Glendale, “Uncle Parker Smith Home” at San Fernando, Glendale, and the Grand Canyon.

Box 22 Fld 1 Photograph Album #9
Black album 7½ by 5½ inches.
Contains pictures from Eva’s mother, ca. 1915 documenting [Eva’s] childhood. Included are pictures of her siblings, unidentified relatives, pets, and the construction of a new home. The back inside cover contains a foldout chart advertisement for the Wabash Valley Sanitarium, Lafayette, Indiana.

Box 22 Fld 2 Photographs Album #10
Black album, 5¼ by 8 inches.
Contains pictures from Eva Nelson’s childhood, ca. 1915-1922. Includes pictures of family members and her childhood home.

Box 23 Fld 1 Photograph Album #11
St. Helena Sanitarium Nurses Photograph Album 1926 belonging to Eva Nelson (first wife of Mark Bovee). Black felt soft-bound book, 6 by 9 inches. In addition to photographs it include an invitation to Eva’s graduation on Aug. 29, 1926 in the Sanitarium Chapel, a time card, vacation slip, pendant, and other ephemera.
Box 23 Fld 2 Photographs Album #12
Blue album, hardbound, 10 by 7 inches, Mark and Eva. Photograph album, ca. 1935. Contains unidentified scenes from their home and neighborhood in black and white and in color.

Loose photographs
Box 23 Fld 3 Enquirer News
Box 23 Fld 4 Italy, Photographs (26 prints)
Box 23 Fld 5 Israel, Photographs prints, 8½ by 11 inches, ca. 1894 (13 prints)
Box 23 Fld 6 McKinley (U.S. President) inauguration (3 prints) 1901, and Harper’s Ferry, WV (1 print).
Box 23 Fld 7 Middle East, Photographs (54 prints)
Box 23 Fld 8 Negatives
   Negatives (2 items); 2 prints
Box 23 Fld 9 Nelson, Andrew. Half brother of Eva Nelson-Bovee. 1 photograph, ca. 1918.
Box 23 Fld 10 Old cars, 16 items
Box 23 Fld 11 Shaw Printing Company

Panoramic Photographs
Box 24 Fld 1 Battle Creek Society of Southern California, Picnic at Brookside Park, Aug. 26, 1928 (two copies)
Box 24 Fld 2 Battle Creek College buildings (4 views on 1 photograph)
Box 24 Fld 3 Dime Tabernacle Fire, 1924
Box 24 Fld 4 Bedford and Penfield Farmers Joint Picnic Willard Park, Aug. 4, 1921
Box 24 Fld 5 Reunion of the Alumni of the Battle Creek Sanitarium School of Nursing, Jun 11, 1924

Box 24 Fld 6 West Michigan SDA Camp, Marshall, Aug. 28, 1921

End of the Mark Bovee Collection

End of the Uriah Smith - Mark Bovee Collection