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Busey Bank; First Busey Corporation; First State Bank; National Bank of Urbana

Collection 134

Champaign County Historical Archives

Creator/Corporate name: Busey Bank/First Busey Corporation/First State Bank/National Bank of Urbana

Inclusive Dates: 1868-1993

Physical Description: 1 box

Provenance:

Busey Bank; First Busey Corporation; First State Bank; National Bank of Urbana records were donated to the Champaign County Historical Archives.

Access:

The records are accessible to the public within applicable copyright restrictions and limited to use at the Champaign County Historical Archives of The Urbana Free Library.

Scope and Content Note:

The collection contains programs, coins, pamphlets, handbooks, and many other materials that pertain to these banks.

Subject and Name Terms:

Banks and banking

Busey Bank (Urbana, Ill.)

Busey First National Bank (Urbana, Ill.)

First Busey Corporation

Inventory list:

- Busey Collection: featuring outstanding artists of Champaign-Urbana [pamphlet]
- Busey Program of Success For You (contents of a notebook)
- "Busey Today" [Spring/Summer 1993 issue of the newsletter telling about the book What this town needs is a bank! It is an 88-page book commemorating Busey's history.]
- Coin with the words ""Busey Bank 1868-1968" on one side. On the reverse side is: Busey 1 N Bank, Busey First National Bank, Urbana, Illinois.
- Employee handbook [2 copies, no date]
- First State Bank: samples of checks, statements, envelopes [1920s]
- Illinois Banker, May 1966. [includes a photograph of Col. S. T. Busey on page 69]
- List of stockholders in the First State Bank of Urbana, April 1, 1922 and some stock certificates
- National Bank of Urbana Notice of Special Meeting of Shareholders, November 29, 1982 ...to confirm a merger and to be wholly owned by First Busey Corporation. A Prospectus of the Corporation and a merger agreement are attached.
- Notice of annual meeting, March 21, 1994
- Pamphlets:
 - 1981 Explorer travel adventures
 - 100 years of financial service to the community



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-Busey Bank disclosure statement

Busey Bank service charge schedule, July 1, 1981

How a Busey banker helps people

How Advertising and public relations help me do my job

-The Money Center: special services

Statement of condition: a century and a decade, 1868-1978

That was then--THIS is the FUTURE. Busey's 48th economic seminar.

Uncle Sam will be happy to deposit your Social Security check direct into your account at

-Busey Bank

We have designed our new bank with YOU in mind.

Welcome! To Busey First National Bank

What it takes to be a Busey banker

-Real estate sales contracts [closed files from 1920s to 1960s] These are not yet indexed by buyer or seller.

-Samples with Busey Bank printed on checks, passbook covers, deposit slips, statements, envelopes, etc.

-What this town needs is a bank! Bonnie S. Woolard. 1993.

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