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- Bert Pinkerton (Monmouth, Illinois), to his nephew Ralph and Sadie Kirby (Chicago, Illinois), August 6, 1922
- Frank E. Pinkerton (Riverside, California), to his nephew Ralph Kirby (Chicago, Illinois), December 13, 1928
- Resume of Bert Pinkerton, June 1, 1929
- Frank Pinkerton to Ralph Kirby, November 12, 1929
- Christmas card from Frank and Mollie Pinkerton to Ralph Kirby, December 20, 1929
- Autobiographical essay written by Frank E. Pinkerton, including information on the Pinkerton Family, circa 1932 [2 copies]
- Bert Pinkerton (Addicks, Texas), to his brother Frank Pinkerton, in part criticizing the administration of Franklin D. Roosevelt, August 22-23, 1936
- Bert Pinkerton to his son Allan and daughter-in-law Helen Pinkerton (Chicago, Illinois), October 11, 1936
- Postcard from Frank Pinkerton to Ralph Kirby, February 11, 1937
- Bert Pinkerton (Houston, Texas), to Dr. William H. App (Billie) (Decatur, Illinois), December 20, 1937
- Bert Pinkerton to Ida Johnson (Chicago, Illinois), December 25, 1937
- Bert Pinkerton to J. B. (Jerry) Meneley (Stockton, California), December 25, 1937
- Bert Pinkerton to Allan E. Pinkerton, December 29, 1937
- Bert Pinkerton to J. F. Mettler (Maroa, Illinois), December 30, 1937
- Bert Pinkerton (San Antonio, Texas), to Cecil and Clara Shepherd (Huron, South Dakota), 1947
- Copy of cover letter from Joe Ingraham to Dwight H. Green, Temporary Chair, Republican National Convention, accompanying letter of introduction from Bert E. Pinkerton to Green, June 15, 1948
- Copy of letter of introduction from Bert Pinkerton to Governor Dwight H. Green, of Illinois, introducing Joe Ingraham, June 18, 1948
- Postcard of Old Bookbinder Restaurant (Philadelphia, Pennsylvania), from Joe Ingraham to Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Pinkerton, June 27, 1948
- Newspaper photograph of Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Pinkerton, celebrating 50th wedding anniversary (Garden Oaks, Texas), June 11, 1950
- Clipping from the Garden Oaks *Citizen* describing Pinkertons' 50th anniversary celebration, June 15, 1950

Genealogical notes regarding the Pinkerton family, typed on the back of a printed flyer, announcing Republican precinct convention for July 22, 1950, circa July [1950?]

Biographical information about Bert E. and Jean Pinkerton, July 1952

Bert and Jean Pinkerton to Mrs. John Mann (Falls Church, Virginia), October 22, 1955

Bert and Jean Pinkerton to Francis and Juanita Pinkerton (Riverside, California), November 8, 1955

Allan E. Pinkerton, son of Bert and Jean Pinkerton, obituary, *Chicago Tribune*, July 22, 1958

Article from *the Press and Enterprise* reporting F. E. (Francis) Pinkerton's attempt to clear his name of censorship charges (Riverside, California), January 23, 1959

Advertisement in *the Press and Enterprise*, written by F. E. (Francis) Pinkerton in an attempt to defend himself against censorship charges in connection with his position as library trustee, January 23, 1959

Letter from Painter and Painter, Attorneys-at-Law (Houston, Texas), to Ralph Kirby (Houston, Texas), in regard to life insurance coverage of Bert and Jean Pinkerton, April 6, 1961

Genealogical notes regarding John M. and Nancy Gay Cox and children, copied in 1969 by Emmett Kirby. Information found in Pinkerton family album, apparently collected by Bert Pinkerton or Ralph Kirby, August 6, 1969

Ralph Kirby to Sidney T. Morgan, publisher of *the Rantoul Press*, requesting photostat of the obituary of his mother (Mrs. George W. Kirby), undated