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William L. Abbott Papers, 1871, 1882-1913, 1925-36, 1940-42, 1981

## Box 1:

Photographs of W. L. Abbott, 1871, 1882, 1884, 1887, 1897, 1900, 1907, 1910, 1912

Illinois Industrial University Catalogs, 1884-85, 1887-88, 1889-90

National Electric Construction Company, 1889-94

Stock certificates, correspondence, graphs, tables, calculations and agreement for sale to Chicago Edison Company (May 11, 1894)

Columbian Exposition, 1892-93

Entry passes and University of Illinois Alumni Hotel

Chicago Edison Company, 1895, 1897

Diary of Harrison Street Station work, March 1-July 8, 1895

Harrison Street Station personnel photograph, 1897

Chief Operating Engineer's record book, including distribution and load records, equipment budgets and substation's notes, 1902-04

Abbott Genealogy, 1925

Dedicatory statement presented to Abbott on his 67th birthday, February 14, 1928

Including 30 pages of signatures, testimonial dinner programs, and 17 page copy dialogue and songs sung at the dinner

University of Illinois photographs, 1929-30

Commencement and Honorary Degree, 1929

Campus views

Testimonial Dinner, 1935

Program and company newsletter report, October 1, 1935

Washington Award, 1942

W. L. Abbott Biography, 1981

28 page biography begun by son Arthur W. Abbott, ca. 1968, and completed by grandson William L. Abbott, 1981

## Box 2:

Bound boxed volume presented to Abbott on the 50th Anniversary of his service in the Commonwealth Edison Company, October 1, 1935

Followed by 35 pages (ca. 2000) signatures

Bound resolution of appreciation adopted by the Board of Directors of Commonwealth Edison Company, December 17, 1935

Bound resolution in appreciation of service as vice-president (1923-32) and president (1932-36) of the Commonwealth Edison Savings and Loan Association, January 10, 1936

Bound resolution in appreciation of service as vice-chairman and member of the Advisory Committee of Commonwealth Edison Company, February 12, 1936

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Bound resolution in appreciation of service as organizer and president of the Commonwealth Edison Mutual Benefit Association, March 24, 1936
Signed by past presidents

## Oversize Box 22:

Adelphi Society Certificate, June 6, 1884

Illinois Industrial University Certificate, June 11, 1884

American Society of Mechanical Engineers Membership Certificate, November 17, 1891

University of Illinois Mechanical Engineering Degree (2), June 8, 1904

Tau Beta Pi Honorary Membership, October 1905

Western Society of Engineers, Chanute Medal, 1906

Western Society of Engineers, Active Membership Certificate, 1906

The Society of the Sigma Xi Membership Certificate, May 24 1909

Western Society of Engineers, Chanute Medal, 1912

American Institute of Electrical Engineers, Fellow's Diploma, February 14, 1913

University of Illinois, Doctor of Laws, June 12, 1929

Western Society of Engineers, Honorary Membership, April 23, 1931

Portrait Photograph, Retirement, 1935

American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Honorary Membership, November 25, 1940