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Summary Information

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| Repository: | Congregational Library & Archives |
| Creator: | Plymouth Congregational Christian Church (Plymouth, Ill.) |
| Title: | Plymouth, Ill. Plymouth Congregational Church records, 1836-1949. |
| ID: | RG5263 |
| Date [inclusive]: | 1836-1949 |
| Physical Description: | 0.28 Cubic Feet (1 box) |
| Language of the Material: | English |
| Abstract: | The Plymouth Congregational Church was founded in Round Prairie in 1836. A building was built the following year, functioning both as a schoolhouse and church. The church worshiped jointly with the local Presbyterians under the same reverend. The church moved to a more prominent location in Plymouth, a city in Hancock County, in 1854. In 1919, the church merged with Presbyterians from the town, keeping the name Plymouth Congregational Church. The church officially closed down in 1959. This collection includes board meeting minutes, articles of incorporation, reports and a list of members. |

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents

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Acquisition Information

This collection was received in 2014 and given the accession number 2014-110.

Processing Information

First processed by Rachel Cohen in 2014. Re-processed by William McCarthy, June 2017, using DACS second edition. Additional changes made by William McCarthy in June 2018.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Articles of incorporation.
- Church records and registers.
- Church membership.
- Plymouth Congregational Christian Church (Plymouth, Ill.)
- Plymouth (Ill.) -- Church history.

Collection Inventory

| Title/Description | Instances | |
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| Articles of Incorporation and Meeting Minutes, 1836-1890 | box 1 | volume 1 |
| Church Register, 1905-1949 | box 1 | volume 2 |