

Register of the
Daniel Walther Collection
Collection 141

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Daniel Walther Collection (Collection 141)

Scope and Content:

The Daniel Walther collection consists principally of the writings and class notes of Dr. Walther, long time professor of church history at the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary. Another section is a topical file containing material collected on his various travels and on topics of interest to him. Three boxes of correspondence are also present in the collection.

Dr. Walther was a church historian with his principle area of expertise in Reformation and Pre-Reformation history, with specialization in the Albigensian Cathari and Marguerite d'Angoulême. Therefore, large segments of this collection relate to this area of knowledge. He taught classes in a number of areas of Christian and Seventh-day Adventist history as well as American history. He also had correspondence with and conducted interviews with a number of leading theologians.

The principle language of the collection is English, but large segments are in French and German. Generally, Dr. Walther's earlier work is in French and German, while his later work, produced after his move to the United States, is in English.

Personal documents comprise one section of the collection, however, there are extensive amounts of personal items scattered throughout the collection. These consist of photographs, travel information, and program, conference, and extension school records.

Arrangement:

The series are arranged in the following order:

Personal documents—alphabetical by folder title. Contents not necessarily in any order.

Correspondence—chronological by folder and within folder.

Writings—arranged in three groups—articles, manuscripts, and class notes and syllabi. Articles are arranged by title of the magazine, and chronologically within the folder. The original text appears along with the published copy, where available. The manuscripts and class notes are alphabetical, by folder title, within their general categories.

Topical files—alphabetical by folder title. Contents not necessarily in any order.

Photographs.

Oversize.

Provenance:

Soon after Daniel Walther's death in April, 1985, his widow arranged for his collection to be donated to the Adventist Heritage Center at Andrews University. Louise Dederen, the curator, went to Walther's home to select and prepare the papers for transportation to Andrews University. They arrived in April 1986.

Use:

All users of this collection will be required to complete the "Application to Use Unpublished Record," and to observe the regulations specified in the "Patron's Agreement" and "Researcher's Code of Conduct." All records in this collection are open and available for research. Citation for this collection:

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Inventory:

A. General Information:

Box 1	fld 1	General Information
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B. Personal Documents:

Box 1	fld 2	Biographical Information
Box 1	fld 3	Europe
Box 1	fld 4	Historical Documents
Box 1	fld 5	Lectures and Meetings Attended
Box 1	fld 6	Neuchatel
Box 1	fld 7	Newspaper Clippings
Box 1	fld 8	Personal Items
Box 1	fld 9	Walther, Louise

C. Correspondence:

Box 1	fld 10	No date
Box 1	fld 11	1918-1940
Box 1	fld 12	1941-1946
Box 1	fld 13	1947
Box 1	fld 14	1948
Box 1	fld 15	1949
Box 1	fld 16	1950
Box 1	fld 17	1951
Box 2	fld 1	1952
Box 2	fld 2	1953
Box 2	fld 3	1954
Box 2	fld 4	1955
Box 2	fld 5	1956
Box 2	fld 6	1957
Box 2	fld 7	1958

Box 2	fld 8	1959
Box 2	fld 9	1960
Box 2	fld 10	1961
Box 2	fld 11	1962
Box 2	fld 12	1963
Box 3	fld 1	1964
Box 3	fld 2	1965
Box 3	fld 3	1966
Box 3	fld 4	1967
Box 3	fld 5	1968
Box 3	fld 6	1969
Box 3	fld 7	1970
Box 3	fld 8	1971
Box 3	fld 9	1972
Box 3	fld 10	1973
Box 3	fld 11	1974
Box 3	fld 12	1975
Box 4	fld 1	1976
Box 4	fld 2	1977
Box 4	fld 3	1978
Box 4	fld 4	1979
Box 4	fld 5	1980-1984

D. Writings:

Box 4	fld 6	List of Publications
Box 4	fld 7	Articles - <i>Andrews University Seminary Studies</i>
Box 4	fld 8	Articles - <i>Der Bund</i>
Box 4	fld 9	Articles - <i>Church History</i>
Box 4	fld 10	Articles - <i>The Journal of True Education</i>
Box 4	fld 11	Articles - <i>Der Kleine Bund</i>
Box 4	fld 12	Articles - <i>Liberty</i>
Box 4	fld 13	Articles - <i>The Ministry</i>
Box 4	fld 14	Articles - <i>Review and Herald</i>
Box 4	fld 15	Articles - <i>Seventh-day Adventist Encyclopedia</i>
Box 4	fld 16	Articles - <i>Signes des Temps</i>
Box 4	fld 17	Articles - <i>Signs of the Times</i>
Box 4	fld 18	Articles - <i>Student Movement</i>
Box 4	fld 19	Articles - <i>These Times</i>
Box 4	fld 20	Articles - <i>La Tribuna de Genève</i>
Box 4	fld 21	Articles - <i>The Youth's Instructor</i>
Box 5	fld 1	Articles - Miscellaneous
Box 5	fld 2	Manuscripts - "Daniel and Revelation"

Box 5	fld 3	Manuscripts - Marguerite d'Angoulême (English manuscript)
Box 5	fld 4	Manuscripts - Marguerite d'Angoulême (miscellaneous)
Box 5	fld 5	Manuscripts - "Marguerite d'Angoulême, sour de François 1er..."
Box 5	fld 6	Manuscripts - "La Reine Marguerite, sour de François 1er et sa cours..."
Box 5	fld 7	Manuscripts - "A Survey of Recent Research on the Albingensian Cathari"
Box 6	fld 1	Manuscripts - Miscellaneous
Box 6	fld 2	Class Notes and Syllabi - Calvin (and the Huguenots)
Box 6	fld 3	Class Notes and Syllabi - Creeds
Box 6	fld 4	Class Notes and Syllabi - Early Church
Box 7	fld 1	Class Notes and Syllabi - Ecumenism (and Reformation Theology)
Box 7	fld 2	Class Notes and Syllabi - Eschatology
Box 7	fld 3	Class Notes and Syllabi - History of the United States
Box 8	fld 1	Class Notes and Syllabi - Introduction to Church History
Box 8	fld 2	Class Notes and Syllabi - Missions
Box 8	fld 3	Class Notes and Syllabi - Modern Religious Trends
Box 8	fld 4	Class Notes and Syllabi - New York Center Extension Course
Box 8	fld 5	Class Notes and Syllabi - Reform Movements
Box 9	fld 1	Class Notes and Syllabi - The Reformation
Box 9	fld 2	Class Notes and Syllabi - SDA Church History
Box 9	fld 3	Class Notes and Syllabi - Miscellaneous - 1
Box 10	fld 1	Class Notes and Syllabi - Miscellaneous - 2
Box 10	fld 2	Sermons and Talks - Miscellaneous

E. Topical Files:

Box 11	fld 1	Adventist Colleges Abroad (ACA)
Box 11	fld 2	Africa
Box 11	fld 3	Africa (1976)
Box 11	fld 4	Alabama
Box 11	fld 5	Albingenses
Box 11	fld 6	Alcohol and Tobacco
Box 11	fld 7	Andreasen, M. L.
Box 11	fld 8	Andrews University Accreditation (Floyd O. Rittenhouse controversy)
Box 11	fld 9	Andrews University Extension Schools
Box 11	fld 10	Art
Box 11	fld 11	Babylon

Box 11 fld 12	Bainton, Ronald H.
Box 11 fld 13	Books (1965)
Box 12 fld 1	Calvin, John
Box 12 fld 2	Cathares
Box 12 fld 3	Christmas
Box 12 fld 4	Church History
Box 12 fld 5	Civil Defense
Box 12 fld 6	Classics
Box 12 fld 7	Colloges-sous-Salève
Box 12 fld 8	Communism
Box 12 fld 9	Congo
Box 12 fld 10	Date Setting
Box 12 fld 11	Durand, Marie
Box 12 fld 12	Early Church and State
Box 12 fld 13	Economics
Box 12 fld 14	Ecumenism (University of Notre Dame)
Box 12 fld 15	Education
Box 12 fld 16	End of the World
Box 12 fld 17	France
Box 12 fld 18	Free Will and Theology
Box 12 fld 19	French Revolution
Box 12 fld 20	Gotthelf, Jeremias
Box 12 fld 21	Grant Requests
Box 12 fld 22	Indochina (1952-53)
Box 12 fld 23	Inter-America (1954-55)
Box 12 fld 24	Jews
Box 13 fld 1	Lincoln, Abraham
Box 13 fld 2	Luther, Martin
Box 13 fld 3	Modern Trends
Box 13 fld 4	Modern Trends (S.A. course, 1970)
Box 13 fld 5	Morris, Gouverneur
Box 13 fld 6	"Musée du' Désert"
Box 13 fld 7	New England
Box 13 fld 8	<i>The New Schaff-Herzog Encyclopedia of Religious Knowledge</i>
Box 13 fld 9	Noncombatancy
Box 13 fld 10	Offshoots
Box 13 fld 11	Peace
Box 13 fld 12	Photostats
Box 13 fld 13	Population
Box 13 fld 14	Predestination
Box 13 fld 15	Protestantism
Box 13 fld 16	Reformation
Box 13 fld 17	Revivalism and American Sects

Box 13 fld 18	Roman Catholicism
Box 13 fld 19	Sabbath and Sunday
Box 13 fld 20	Saigon
Box 14 fld 1	Schweitzer, Albert
Box 14 fld 2	Science and Religion
Box 14 fld 3	Seminary Chapel
Box 14 fld 4	Sermons
Box 14 fld 5	SDA Church History
Box 14 fld 6	SDA Statements of Fundamental Beliefs
Box 14 fld 7	SDA Theological Seminary (schedules, etc.)
Box 14 fld 8	Solusi College
Box 14 fld 9	South Africa (1962)
Box 14 fld 10	Southern Missionary College
Box 14 fld 11	Switzerland
Box 14 fld 12	Teaching
Box 14 fld 13	Tours to the Lands of Reformation (1960-65)
Box 14 fld 14	Trans-Africa Division
Box 14 fld 15	Trinity
Box 14 fld 16	University Professors
Box 15 fld 1	Vaucher, Alfred
Box 15 fld 2	Vinet
Box 15 fld 3	Violins
Box 15 fld 4	Voice of Prophecy (French)
Box 15 fld 5	Waldenses
Box 15 fld 6	Waldenses, Ellen White's position on
Box 15 fld 7	White, Ellen G.
Box 15 fld 8	Words
Box 15 fld 9	Year 1000
Box 15 fld 10	Zwingli, Huldrych
Box 15 fld 11	Miscellaneous

F. Photographs:

Box 15 fld 12	Miscellaneous
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G. Oversize:

Newspaper clippings (Walther activities and writings)
Framed original water color paintings by Walther (3)
Framed diplomas (2)

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