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INTRODUCTION

Root, an educator, lawyer, and minister, lived in New York before moving to Columbia, MO, to become professor of English at the University. During his ten-year residence in Missouri, Root served in several capacities as educator and minister. Sermon sketches, personal writings, speeches and newspaper clippings.

DONOR INFORMATION

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FOLDER LIST

- f. 1-9 Personal Writings, Sermon Sketches
 - f. 1 Short story, Thanksgiving sermon.
 - f. 2 "Breadth of Culture", 2 copies, essay.
 - f. 3 "Science and Christianity," essay.
 - f. 4-6 Sermon sketches.
 - f. 7 Book entitled "Sermon Sketches, Vol. II, 1892: Thoughts, Fancies and Fragments, Essays, etc., Originals." Material dates 1858-1868 despite cover date. Poetry, essays, letters and speeches on diverse topics written for various people and/or occasions.
 - f. 8 Book of quotations from literature and literary reviews. Notes on books. Catalog of members of Phoenix Society at Hamilton College (1812- 1831). List of classmates (1833); members of Sigma Phi Beta of New York (1831-1835).
 - f. 9 Miscellaneous notes.
- f. 10-11 Newspaper Clippings
 - f. 10 Obituary notices for Root (1907).
 - f. 11 Dedication of Root School in Carrollton, Missouri (1930).

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