

## Collection Summary

**ID Number:** CS 092

**Title:** Payne Hollow

**Extent:** 1 Folder, 2 Map Case Items

**Span Dates:** 1974-1998

**Language:** English

**Geographic Location:** Payne Hollow, KY

**Abstract:** The collection consists of newspaper articles about the community.

## Selected Search Terms

**Subjects:** Communal living; Communal settlements; Cooperative housing; Intentional community; Communalism

**Historical Notes:** Payne Hollow was established in 1951 by Harlan and Anna Hubbard. The Hubbards set out for California by car and trailer, beginning in September and ending in April 1952. They return to Cincinnati and began looking for a place to live upriver. But Harlan writes that he had "a home feeling about Madison, Milton and Carrollton." They return to Payne Hollow on June 17, 1951, making camp there. On Oct. 11, they buy seven acres from Ansel McCord and build a home overlooking the river. They move into the half-finished dwelling on Nov. 12 into a room only slightly larger than the cabin on their shantyboat. Over the next 34 years, the Hubbards live quietly along the river, affording them a solitary, self-sufficient existence away from the world's modern conveniences and allowing Harlan the opportunity to write, paint, tend gardens and fish. They befriend many in the area, and Harlan either sells, barter with or gives away his artwork. The Hubbards obtain reading materials from local libraries, play music together and entertain hundreds of guests at their primitive home.

<http://www.harlanhubbard.com/Legacy/today.html>

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<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Container</b>	<b>Location</b>
Hodges, Laura. "Heir to the Hubbards." <i>Madison Courier</i> . Madison, IN September 24, 1998: 22	1998	Folder 1	Filing Cabinet
Moffett, Judith. "The Joy of Life in Payne Hollow." <i>Enquirer Magazine</i> Sunday October 27, 1974	1974	Map Case Folder 1	Map Case 27-A

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Pearce, John Ed. "The Haven on Earth of the Hubbards of Payne Hollow." *Courier-Journal Magazine*. Sunday July, 8, 1979

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