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**Biographical Sketch:** The Chicago Entomological Society was founded in Chicago in 1897. In 1900 the “Occasional Memoirs of the Chicago Entomological Society” by O.S. Wescott and Joseph Lane Hancock was published. In 1929 the Chicago Entomological Society became affiliated with the Chicago Academy of Sciences. It is unclear when the Chicago Entomological Society was disbanded.

**Scope and Content:** The contents of this collection are part of the institutional records of the Chicago Academy of Sciences. Content includes letters regarding the Chicago Entomological Society becoming affiliated with the Chicago Academy of Sciences; letters regarding the “Occasional Memoirs of the Chicago Entomological Society” being delivered to the Chicago Entomological Society from the Chicago Academy of Sciences; letters regarding Chicago Entomological Society meetings; bills owed to the Chicago Academy of Sciences from the Chicago Entomological Society; lists of society officers; and updates to the Chicago Academy of Sciences constitution and by-laws regarding affiliated societies.

**Container List:**

Affiliated Societies, Box 1

Series 1: Chicago Entomological Society – Correspondence – General (1909-1951)

Series 2: Chicago Entomological Society – Correspondence – Financial (1910-1951)

Series 3: Chicago Entomological Society – Correspondence – Printing (1948-1951)

Series 4: Chicago Entomological Society – Financial – Bills (1932-1951)

Series 5: Chicago Entomological Society – Lists – Officers (1949-1950)

Series 6: Chicago Entomological Society – Printed Materials (1951)