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## TWELVE DAYS OF COLLECTIONS

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Our collections are always giving...stories, clues, and even headaches. As the new year dawns, it is fun to reflect on the gifts your collection continually gives by its pure existence. So, in the spirit of today being the eighth day of the Christmas Season, here is a little link party in the form of a riff on the Twelve Days of Christmas. But not to worry, I will not subject you to the full ordeal of counting up to twelve and back down again! See if you can find the connection between the original item in the song, the gift from the collection, and the Collections Advisor link!



Crispus Attucks High School Band. (Indianapolis Recorder Collection, Indiana Historical

On the twelfth day of Christmas my collection gave to me...

Twelve School Band Uniforms

Eleven Clay Pipes

Ten Commemorative Medals

FOR A HERITAGE SUPPORT **GRANT** 

#### ONLINE RESOURCES

Collections <u>Advisor</u> (Indiana Historical Society)

Conservation Resources (Indiana Historical Society)

Conserve O Grams (National Park Service)

### FROM OUR LENDING RESOURCE CENTER

Searchable LRC <u>database</u> (Indiana Historical Society)

#### TRAINING AND **PROGRAMS**

Care of Baskets Jan. 19 -Connecting to Collections Care webinar.

Let's Meet <u>Halfway:</u> **Authentic** Community **Engagement for** Local Museums Jan. 13 -Texas Historical Commission, webinar.

Various Webinars



Recorded -Indiana Historical Society.

**Christmas Party.** (Indiana Historical Society)

## Nine Delicate Ball Gowns

**Eight Wooden Buckets** 

### Seven Feather Hats



Portrait of a Woman in a Feathered Hat. (Indiana Historical Society)

Six Goose Down Pillows

Five Golden Rings

**Four Rotary Phones** 

**Three French Souvenirs** 



Arc de Trimphe, France, Postcard. (Indiana Historical Society)

#### Two Victorian Valentines

And a Taxidermy Partridge in a Pear Tree!!!

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