

Guide to the Archival Collections at the Missouri History Museum

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The *Guide to the Archival Collections* contains descriptions of the scope and content of all the catalogued archival collections in the Missouri History Museum Archives (located at the Library and Research Center, 225 South Skinker, St. Louis). The *Guide to the Archival Collections* is current as of July 2011. However, it does not include many recent acquisitions that have not yet been processed.

Researchers will note that in many cases the collection descriptions in the guide will be followed by a note that reads, "Finding aid available." These finding aids provide greater detail regarding the content of these collections. In many cases these finding aids are accessible on the Missouri History Museum website. Contact the archives (archives@mohistory.org or 314-746-4510) for finding aids that are not yet accessible online.

In addition, the old-style Archives Card Catalog, which is located at the Missouri History Museum Library and Research Center, indexes the archival collections described in this guide to varying degrees.

Please contact the archives with questions concerning the collections:

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A0854**LaBarge Family.****Papers, 1860-1891.** 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

Captain Joseph LaBarge (1815-1899) served on the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers in the early 1830s; was associated with and in opposition to the Chouteau interests and was regarded as one of the best steamboat men in the West.

Papers contain family correspondence from Captain and Mrs. LaBarge to their sons in school; and also some genealogical information.

Cite as: LaBarge Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0855**LaBeaume & Klein (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Rice House Renderings, circa 1914.** 1 folder

Front (summer) and rear (winter) color pencil renderings for the Charles and May Rice home at #1 Oak Knoll. Architects Louis LaBeaume and Eugene S. Klein formed a partnership in 1913 that endured until Klein's death in 1945. Together they designed some of the most well-known homes in St. Louis' elite and private neighborhoods.

Cite as: LaBeaume & Klein (Saint Louis, Missouri), Rice House Renderings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0856**LaBeaume, Louis (1873-1961).****Papers, 1776-1947.** 10 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Born in St. Louis, attended Columbia University, opened architectural office in St. Louis, and helped with the designing of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and Kiel Auditorium. Married St. Louisan Emma Updike in 1905. Emma Updike LaBeaume (died 1962) was raised in St. Louis, attended Mary Institute, and later attended Miss Porter's School in Farmington, Connecticut.

Scrapbook compiled by Emma Updike before her marriage, contains souvenirs, calling cards, theater and dance programs, a trick cigarette case, pressed flowers, valentines, love letters from suitors, etc., 1895-1899. Also school programs from Mary Institute and Smith Academy in St. Louis, Miss Porter's School for Young Ladies in Farmington, Connecticut, and Yale and Harvard Universities. Also includes correspondence with William M. Reedy; genealogy of LaBeaume family; diary of trip from St. Louis to Washington, D.C., 1887; bills of Auguste Chouteau 1798-1806; survey no. 3333 by Louis LaBeaume, showing big mounds; essays by Louis LaBeaume regarding St. Louis history, architecture, and general topics.

Cite as: Louis LaBeaume Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0857**LaBeaume, Theodore (-1868).****Papers, 1832-1882.** 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Theodore LaBeaume was the deputy sheriff in St. Louis, 1864-1868.

Papers contain correspondence of the family of Theodore LaBeaume, St. Louis; correspondence of daughter describing convent life in Keokuk, Iowa; genealogy of Tarton-LaBeaume family; autograph book of Louis LaBeaume Tompkins, 1858.

Cite as: Theodore LeBeaume Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0858

Labor collection, 1830-1975. 6 boxes

Notes of meetings, correspondence of numerous labor groups in St. Louis; 1830 indenture apprenticing Richard T. Howard to learn mystery of bricklayer, and bearer exchange certificate for stores, 1833; circulars, 1929; data concerning Paul Priesler, Washington University professor, and Victor B. Harris, his attorney, and their attempt to organize teachers' union, 1935; printed material, scrapbook of clippings, regarding the labor question, 1877-1878; daybooks of the Midwest Amalgamated Union Label Committee, 1939-1945; biographical data of pioneer labor leaders including Gottlieb Hoehn, William M. Brandt, and Mary E. Ryder; and Board of Directors of the Labor Publishing Company minute book, 1922-1930. Businesses concerned in the papers include Absorbent Cotton Company, Valley Park, Bemis Bag Company, Bemis Brothers Bag Company, Visinet Mill, Chase Bag Company, F. Burkhart Manufacturing Company, Lowell Bleachery, Inc., National Bag Company, St. Louis Braid Company, and St. Louis Cordage Mills.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Labor Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0859

Lackay Family.

Papers, 1815-1862. 1 folder, 1 volume (approximately 25 items)

Mary Lackay (1843-1919) was a teacher in the St. Louis public schools for over 50 years.

Contains ribbons, photographs (some tin-type), genealogical materials; copy of bill of sale of Negroes, 1840; U.S. Way bill for mail to St. Charles, May 14, 1838; pass to Hugh Lackay to travel beyond city limits of St. Louis to go to Illinois, November 4, 1861; autograph book of May Lackey, 1865.

Cite as: Lackay Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0860

Lackland, James C. (-1862).

Papers, 1769-1935. 3 boxes; 11 volumes

Resident of Montgomery County, Maryland, and St. Charles, Missouri; superintendent of Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, 1830-1832; and owner and operator of steam sawmill in St. Charles after 1837 with Hugh H. and Benjamin R. Wardlaw, then William M. Mills, and finally Augustus T. Lackland.

Correspondence concerning the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal of which Lackland was superintendent in 1830-1832; letters received by him after moving to Missouri; letters from his sons Eli R., Henry Clay, and Norman Lackland; documents of the trial of the State vs. Philip W. Culver for the murder of Lackland's son Benjamin F. Lackland, 1849; accounts and other papers concerning Lackland's steam sawmill operations in St. Charles; accounts, daybook, constitution and minutes (1852) of the St. Charles Practicing Club; and papers relating to family affairs in Montgomery County, Maryland. Also contains four ledgers and journals of personal and business accounts of James C. Lackland from

Maryland and St. Charles, Missouri, 1815-1855, including some records of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Co. of Commelin, Maryland; and seven ledgers and journals of St. Charles steam sawmill firms of Wardlaw, Lackland and Mills, Lackland and Mills, and J.C. Lackland and Sons, 1840-1858, with the 1852 constitution of the St. Charles Practicing Society in the last volume.

Cite as: James C. Lackland Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2478

Laclede Gas Light Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Coupon, circa 1920s. 1 item

Laclede Gas Light Co. coupon for a gas iron with a ruffler: "\$10 Places this gas ironer *with a ruffler* in your home. Pay the balance with your monthly gas bills. A gas ironer that does practically *all the ironing*. There is no longer any difficulty with ruffles and neckbands—the ruffler attachment does this work, and does it beautifully. The Gas Ironer is safe, convenient, accessible, practical—and offers the additional advantage of the *ruffler attachment*. The ruffler is the latest step—the last word—in home ironing improvements. With it you can *iron the garment complete* at one process." Verso contains coupon of the M.W. Warren Coke Company: "Burn coke, the ideal domestic fuel. . . . Coke is as economical to burn as soft coal and it is Clean. No Smoke, No Soot. . . ."

Cite as: Laclede Gas Light Co. Coupon, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0861

Laclede, Pierre (1724-1778).

Collection, 1769-1969. 1 box (approximately 150 items)

Pierre Liguette Laclede was born in Bedous, France. He emigrated to Louisiana in 1755. He was one of the founders of St. Louis in 1764. He died in 1778 at the mouth of the Arkansas River.

Collection includes photographic copy of document regarding dissolution of partnership of Maxent and Laclede, May 8, 1769; document signed Pierre Laclede and others regarding land transfers, April 4, 1771; photocopies, from Seville, Spain, and transcripts of inventory of Laclede estate, 1778; record of property sold at auction to Marie Theresa Bourgeois Chouteau from Laclede estate, June 20, 1779; transcripts, French Archives (Paris), of estate of Laclede, 1781; copy of account of Laclede by his brother in France, and the brother's efforts to obtain Laclede's estate, 1781; correspondence regarding Laclede portrait purchased by the Missouri Historical Society, 1925-1961; correspondence, pictures, newsclippings of material about Laclede.

Cite as: Pierre Laclede Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0862

Ladies Friday Musical Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1892-2008. 4 boxes

The Ladies Friday Musical Club of St. Louis is a musical study and performance club organized in St. Louis in 1882 by Lizzie Drey and Carrie Glaser. It initially comprised middle- and upper-class Jewish women, although non-Jewish women later became involved in the club. As the club matured, it also worked to assist promising young

musicians by providing free symphony tickets and financial aid to further their musical training.

This collection consists of the official records of the Ladies Friday Musical Club. These records include the constitution and by-laws; minutes (1892-1929; 1930-1989); annual committee reports (through 1980); correspondence (1918-1982) including letters regarding membership matters and financial support for music students; some financial records and treasurers' reports; yearbooks; programs; printed matter; and material from the State and National Federations of Music Clubs (1919-1934).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ladies Friday Musical Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0863

Ladies Union Aid Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute book, 1865-1868. 1 volume

Formed in St. Louis to help in the Civil War effort. Mrs. Alfred Clapp served as president, and Mrs. T.M. Post, Mrs. Samuel C. Davis, and Mrs. Robert Anderson served as vice-presidents.

Minute book with newsclippings affixed over portions of the records. Clippings are mostly from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* Sunshine Department, circa early 1900s.

Cite as: Ladies Union Aid Society Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0864

Lafayette County, Missouri.

Collection, 1823-1960. 3 folders (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes indentures and deeds in Lillard County, later Lafayette County, Missouri; letters regarding business and floods in and around Lexington, Missouri; bibliographies regarding battle of Lexington, archives sources; and booklet regarding the Masonic College of Missouri, 1935.

Cite as: Lafayette County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert du Mortier, Marquis de

See Marquis de Lafayette Collection.

A1831

Lafon, Mary Hale.

Architecture Collection, circa 1915. 2 folders

Mary Hale Lafon was an architect who designed homes in University City, Clayton, and Columbia, Missouri. In 1913 she designed her own home at 7801 Lafon Avenue in University City. She also wrote for E.G. Lewis's *Beautiful Homes* magazine. Lafon was employed in the offices of Eames & Young of St. Louis. Thomas Lafon, Mary's husband, was a civil engineer with St. Louis County and aided in laying out the area that is now University City, Missouri.

The collection consists of one set of specifications and two sets of drawings. The

drawings appear to be for the same project but lack a date, a client name, and an address for the project. The blueprints include elevations and floor plans while the tracings are details of the blueprint elevations

Cite as: Mary Hale Lafon Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0865

Laister-Kauffman Aircraft Corporation.

Newsletters, 1943-1945. 1 oversize folder

Photocopies of newsletters of the Laister-Kauffman Corporation (St. Louis, Missouri) - the L-K Glider Release; Volume I, Numbers 2-3, and volume II, Numbers 1-4.

Cite as: Laister-Kauffman Aircraft Corporation Newsletters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Lake, Frederick C. (1858-1939).

Papers, 1852-1890. 1 box

Collection name changed to John P. Camp Papers.

A0867

Lamb, Harriet.

Diaries, 1847-1852. 4 volumes

Married to a preacher and lived in Elk Grove, Illinois, outside of Chicago.

Four diaries describing everyday life of a preacher's wife, with reference to weather, family health, sermons of her husband, etc.

Cite as: Harriet Lamb Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0868

Lambert, Albert Bond (1875-).

Aeronautical papers, 1936-1946. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Albert Bond Lambert was born December 6, 1875, in St. Louis. He attended the University of Virginia, 1894-1895. He married Myrtle McGrew in St. Louis, 1898, and served as the president of the Lambert Pharmacal Company from 1896 to 1925. The company produced Listerine mouthwash. He was elected to the St. Louis City Council, 1908-1912. He was commissioned first lieutenant, Aviation Section of U.S. Signal Corps, May 1917. He was commissioned a major in the U.S. Air Service, March 1918, with the rating of junior military aeronaut and on flying duty. He received his spherical balloon license in 1908. He was a member of the Early Birds, and was present on the original flight with Wright B-Model of 1909. He was one of the financial backers of Charles A. Lindbergh in his non-stop flight to Paris. He created and developed the Lambert St. Louis Municipal Airport.

Collection contains correspondence of Lambert and papers (blueprints, newsclippings, brochures), all concerning Lambert Airport and its expansion; studies concerning the airport, airlines, aeronautics societies, etc. Collection also includes some personal information.

Cite as: Albert Bond Lambert Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0869**Lamotte, Joseph H. (-1892).****LaMotte-Coppinger Papers, 1800-1989.** 7 boxes

West Point graduate in 1827; major in U.S. Army, actively engaged in battles of the Mexican War. After the war he bought acreage near St. Louis and became a farmer. The family estate was known as "Wildwood."

Letters from Joseph H. LaMotte to his wife, Ellen, relating to the Mexican War; family correspondence; and land papers relating to family property, known as "Wildwood." Other persons represented include LaMotte's daughter Sister Mary Wilfred (1877-1909), a Loretto nun at Nerinx, Kentucky. Addition to collection includes correspondence of the Lamotte and allied families, with scattered legal documents, significant concentration of material in the 1840s-1850s and the 1950s.

Box 1 of the collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: LaMotte-Coppinger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Land Collection

See Missouri Land Records Collection.

Land petitions collection

See Missouri Land Records Collection.

A0870**Landau, Elizabeth Burner.****Papers, 1946-1955.** 1 box; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

St. Louis designer; studied at Washington University School of Fine Arts; worked on the design staff of Novelty Frocks in New York and was a designer for Toby Lane, Inc., maker of Toby Lane Junior, Caron Lane Misses, and Carol Lane Misses dresses; husband Aaron Landau became vice-president in charge of sales at Toby Lane, Inc.

Memorabilia from Elizabeth Burner's years at Washington University School of Fine Arts, 1946-1948; newsclippings; scrapbook of clippings, photographs, programs of fashion shows, etc. pertaining to Elizabeth Burner Landau's career as dress designer with Toby Lane, Inc., 1950s; Toby Lane in-house sales information booklet; and ad mats for dresses.

Cite as: Elizabeth Burner Landau Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0871**Landmarks Association of Saint Louis, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records regarding Old Post Office restoration, 1961-1965; 1970-1979.** 2 boxes

Landmarks Association of St. Louis was started in 1958 by a group of citizens concerned with preserving the architectural heritage of the city as a whole and more specifically to subvert a plan of the Missouri Highway Department to raze the Bissell Mansion. The organization was first called the Committee on the Preservation and Development of St. Louis. The purpose of the group was defined in its articles of incorporation: "To survey and evaluate buildings and places within the St. Louis area, for the purpose of seeing to the preservation of that which is considered of worth, historically

and architecturally, to the present and future citizens of this area, and to employ any and all legal means deemed advisable for such preservation . . ." In saving the Old Post Office, Landmarks Association was instrumental in changing federal law, which has made the preservation of historic structures throughout the country more feasible.

Records include correspondence, reports, newsclippings relating to the restoration of the Old Post Office in St. Louis.

Cite as: Landmarks Association of St. Louis, Old Post Office Restoration Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0872

Lane, Hardage (-1849).

Scrapbook, 1800s. 1 volume

St. Louis physician.

Volume of genealogical records removed from the Lane family Bible, with newsclippings regarding remedies for lockjaw, scarlet fever, etc.

Cite as: Hardage Lane Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0873

Lane, William Carr (1789-1863).

Papers, 1813-1926. 14 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Physician, first mayor of St. Louis, and governor of New Mexico Territory in 1852 and 1853.

Letters of Dr. William Carr Lane to his wife, Mary Ewing Lane, 1819, and other personal correspondence and papers including accounts kept by Dr. Lane at Fort Bellefontaine, where he served as post surgeon in 1818; address by Dr. Lane when he was professor of obstetrics and disease of women and children at Kemper College, delivered to the medical class, November 10, 1842; papers relating to the governorship of New Mexico and the administration of Indian affairs there, 1852-1853; drafts of Dr. Lane's letters to General Sterling Price, General Winfield Scott, Edward Bates, and others, expressing views on the issues at stake in the Civil War; correspondence of William Glasgow, Jr., son-in-law of Dr. Lane, and other members of the family including correspondence between mother and daughter Sarah Lane Glasgow and Susan R. Glasgow, 1877; deeds and other land papers of the Lane-Glasgow family; circulars and broadsides concerning St. Louis and New Mexico political affairs, and a large group of documents, notes, and clippings pertaining to the work of William Glasgow, Jr., on the St. Louis school board, 1876-1889.

Some French.

William G.B. Carson gift transferred to the William Carr Lane Papers.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: William Carr Lane Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0874

Lange, Dena Floren (1888-1977).

Papers, 1957-1966. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Miss Dena Floren Lange was a retired teacher who prepared St. Louis history items for area schools. She resided for a time at 20 Arundel Place, Clayton, St. Louis County,

Mo.

Contains notes, essays on St. Louis history, compiled by Dena F. Lange; newspaper clippings on St. Louis history by her; correspondence to and from her.

Cite as: Dena Floren Lange Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0875

Lange, Torbau.

Diary, 1841-1850. 1 volume

From Copenhagen, Denmark; worked apparently as a peddler traveling throughout the United States and Europe, from his home in St. Louis.

Volume of short diary entries mentioning cities visited and difficulties encountered. Also includes an account by Lange's daughter Louise describing a trip to Europe in 1871, and a biographical letter about Lange written by the donor.

Some Danish.

Cite as: Torbau Lange Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0876

Langsdorf Family.

Papers, 1923-1934. 6 boxes; 7 volumes

Alexander Suss Langsdorf served as the dean of the school of engineering and architecture at Washington University, and Mrs. Elsie Hirsch Langsdorf was a social worker, a Missouri state representative, and the first woman alderman in Clayton, Missouri.

Six volumes in the journals and diaries concern Elsie Langsdorf's career. A scrapbook concerning her social work (1933-1939), her campaign for Missouri state representative (1942), scrapbook from her years as a state representative (1942-1943), senate journal (1944), indexed legislative notebook (1944), and diary (1943-1944). Journal of testimonial letters honoring Alexander Langsdorf (1948). Major collection contains notes, minutes and programs of the St. Louis Council for Child Study and Parent Education, 1923-1934; bills and proposals regarding social issues; a typed copy of a history of Washington University; professional photographs of Alexander and Elsie Langsdorf; newspaper clippings of issues regarding careers of the family.

Cite as: Langsdorf Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0877

Lant, John A.

Papers, 1830-1897. 9 folders (approximately 100 items)

John A. Lant was the editor and publisher of the *Toledo Sun*, 1870-; author of news story titled "In a Model Penitentiary," *New York Star*, January 18, 1883.

Papers include correspondence from London on opening an infant school in Illinois, 1830; 1840 draft of letter to *Boston Investigator* on laboring people; copy of lecture on co-operating and common property as most effectual remedy for evil; petition of the citizens of Greenpoint, Brooklyn, New York, titled "Liberty Memorial," January 1856, to the U.S. Congress requesting that they prohibit the admission of chattel slavery into new or annexed territories; correspondence of Lant to family; charges against Lant, 1890-1892, for placing obscene materials in mails; correspondence of Lant regarding the Moslem

religion, 1894-1897; correspondence to Lant from Bombay and various places in the United States regarding missionary work of the Moslems.

Cite as: John A. Lant Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0878

Latzer, Thomas F.

Not-for-profit organizational records, 1951-1990 (bulk 1966-1990). 28 boxes; 1 volume

Thomas F. Latzer, grandson of Pet., Inc., founder Louis Latzer, joined Pet, Inc., in 1939 after earning his law degree from Harvard Law School. His initial contribution to the corporation was the establishment of the corporation's legal department. In 1949, Latzer was appointed assistant secretary of the board of directors, and in 1954 he became secretary. By 1966 he had achieved the position of vice president of the board, and it was in this capacity that he served on the boards of the many charitable organizations represented in this collection.

Collection consists of the board minutes, correspondence, and financial records of several St. Louis not-for-profit organizations on the boards of which Thomas F. Latzer served. These organizations include Sophia, Inc., an organization to further the educational opportunities of urban African-American boys in St. Louis; Consolidated Neighborhood Services, Inc., a United Way Agency created by the merger of Carver House, Grace Hill Settlement House, Neighborhood Associations, Neighborhood Health Center, Patch Center, Wesley House, and Murphy-Blair Housing Corporation; and Goodwill Industries, Inc.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas F. Latzer not-for-profit organizational records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0879

Lawrence County (Missouri Territory).

Records, 1815-1830. 3 volumes

The territorial boundaries of Lawrence County include seventeen counties of present-day southern Missouri and twenty-three counties of present-day northern Arkansas. Lawrence County was part of the Missouri Territory until 1819 when the Arkansas Territory was created. The county seat was and is at Donaldsonville, Arkansas.

This collection consists of records of Lawrence County during its territorial days, first as part of the Missouri Territory, later as part of the Arkansas Territory. The three record books are certified copies of county record books A and B (1815-1825), and extracts from the probate record (1827-1830), made from originals in the custody of Lawrence County, Arkansas, for manuscript collector and southern Missouri historian John R. Hume, March-April 1931. A plat of Donaldsonville in 1818 is included in the front of the second volume.

Cite as: Lawrence County (Missouri Territory) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0880

Laws, M.L., Rev.

Notebook and diary, 1863-1871. 2 volumes

Baptist preacher in Glasgow, Missouri, and in St. Louis at the Park Avenue Baptist Church.

Diary kept at Glasgow, Missouri, 1871, combined with notes from lectures on mental philosophy at Brown University (1863-1864). Record book consisting of a visiting diary, church accounts, marriage and baptismal records, etc. (1868-1873).

Cite as: Rev. M.L. Laws Notebook and Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0881

Lawther, James.

Letterbook, 1860-1864. 1 volume

Insurance and real estate agent in Red Wing, Minnesota, also dealt with shipping of store merchandise.

The letterbook dealing strictly with business matters of James and Samuel D. Lawther, includes correspondence with St. Louis customers.

Cite as: James Lawther Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0882

League of Women Voters (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Papers, 1906-1962. 10 boxes

With the passage of the suffrage bill in the Missouri legislature on March 28, 1919, the Missouri League of Women Voters made initial plans for organization March 30, 1919. The organization was perfected in October of that year after the state legislature had ratified the nineteenth amendment. On November 13, the St. Louis Equal Suffrage League met to become the League of Women Voters of St. Louis. This took place three months before the formal organization of the national league.

Printed matter regarding women movements in St. Louis and Missouri; minutes, 1922-1933, and financial reports of the organization; bills, receipts and general information regarding the League of Women Voters National Convention held in St. Louis in 1938; various publications of national, state and local League of Women Voters; Missouri Women Suffrage Convention Program, 1919; Gellhorn correspondence 1921-1929; constitution, 1922; scrapbook of newspaper clippings regarding the Institute of Government and Politics, 1924-1925; scrapbook of general issues, 1941-1942; information regarding the Community Race Relations Institution, 1946; journals of the board of freeholders, 1949-1950, for the city of St. Louis; information regarding clean water legislation, 1957-1962; county charter issue information, 1948-1949, 1954; city charter, 1949-1950; Edna Gellhorn files relating to civil service reform and creation of a merit system for city government—Citizens Committee for Civil Service in the City of St. Louis; and manuscript titled "Foreign Trade and St. Louis," May 1, 1955, conducted by League of Women Voters and Chamber of Commerce of St. Louis.

Cite as: League of Women Voters Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0883

Ledlie, Charles Hees (1861-1940).

Papers, 1856-1906. 7 boxes

Charles Hees Ledlie (1861-1940) was born July 26, 1861, in Palatine Bridge, New York, the son of Brigadier General James Hewitt and Catherine Hees Ledlie. He was educated in public schools, and graduated from Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, in 1882. On February 11, 1885, he married Elizabeth Lucas Johnson in St. Louis. His professional work as consulting engineer began with the Old Nevada Central Railroad where he was vice-president and in charge of engineering construction and operations. From 1901-1903 he was consulting engineer for the New Orleans Railways Company. From that period until his death in 1940, he was closely identified with St. Louis. During the early years of the 20th century he was consulting engineer for the Chainlike Telephone Company, the Union Electric Company, the St. Louis and Suburban Railroad Company, and many other firms throughout the country. Ledlie also served on a committee that negotiated the contract for furnishing electricity for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Business papers of General James H. Ledlie relating to the purchase of lumber, dredging operations of the Seneca River (New York), and Civil War orders issued to Lieutenant Richardson and Major Kennedy of Company K, 3rd New York Artillery (1856-1863); letters written to Charles Ledlie and his brother George by his grandparents (1870-1878); small collection of documents concerning Ledlie's career during the period 1882 to 1901; and papers relating to his business affairs during the years 1901 to 1906 that reflect the growth of public utilities in the St. Louis area. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Hess Ledlie Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0884

Lee, Bradley D. (1838-1897).

Papers, 1862-1922. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Served in Civil War, entered Yale Law School, graduated in 1866. Came to St. Louis in fall of that year to practice law. He was active in Ransom Post of the Grand Army of the Republic and a member of the Missouri Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States.

Papers include quartermaster papers of Bradley D. Lee; document signed Abraham Lincoln, Edwin M. Stanton, March 2, 1864, commission to Lee as captain; commission advancing Lee to major, July 20, 1866; college degree to Lee from Yale, 1866; certificate admitting Lee to Supreme Court of United States as an attorney and counselor, 1884; resolution of St. Louis Bar Association upon death of B.D. Lee, May 12, 1897; card of President and Mrs. Grover Cleveland covering four receptions at White House, 1895; two notes signed Frances Cleveland, 1897 and 1902; and certificates admitting Wayne A. Lee and Edwin W. Lee, sons of B.D. Lee, to the Sons of the Revolution.

Cite as: Bradley C. Lee Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0885

Lee, John F. (1848-1926).

Papers, 1845-1926. 2 folders (approximately 20 items)

John F. Lee was a lawyer and educator. William H. Lee, a banker, resided at the Shelter, Normandy. He married Julia Turner, daughter of Henry S. Turner in 1869.

Ten letters of Ellen Lee in Washington, D.C., to her husband, John F. Lee, stationed

at the arsenal in St. Louis. Canceled checks, newsclippings, genealogical material of the two sons of John F. and Eleanor Lee: John F. Lee, St. Louis lawyer, and William H. Lee, St. Louis banker. Both sons were active civic leaders. Newsclippings of various obituaries for the family.

Cite as: John F. Lee Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0886

Lee, Robert E. (1807-1870).

Collection, 1834-1967. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Engineer, soldier, educator.

Robert E. Lee correspondence to various persons with a large percentage to Henry Kayser, St. Louis city engineer (1838-1846) when Lee served as superintending engineer of St. Louis harbor and upper Mississippi River with the subsequent letters settling accounts. Later correspondence (1846-) consists of mainly Civil War material.

Finding aid available

Cite as: Robert E. Lee Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0887

Legal collection, 1731-1979. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers contain various forms of legal papers ranging from document signed George the Second of Great Britain, April 5, 1731, to land claims in rural Missouri.

Cite as: Legal Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2931

Legler, August M.

Illustrated Souvenir Certificate of Military Service in World War I, no date. 1 item (oversize)

Certificate of August M. Legler who joined the service December 14, 1917, at St. Louis, Mo., and served in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, 11th Company, 2nd M.M. Regiment.

Cite as: August M. Legler Illustrated Souvenir Certificate of Military Service in World War I, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0888

Lehmann, Frederick (1853-1931).

Autograph collection, 1695-1931. 1 box

Civic leader, lawyer, politician, president of American Bar Association, 1910, and solicitor general of the United States during the administration of President William H. Taft.

Autograph book, 1864; facsimile of articles of agreement between Richard Earl of Bellomont & Captain Kid, 1695; land office certificates, 1843, 1865; facsimiles of Robert E. Lee letters, December 18, 1845, and December 28, 1849; letter of Pierre Morand concerning his sketches of Charles Dickens, others, August 30, 1902; newsclippings, obituaries. One bound volume of original letters, photographs of American authors, George Ade to John A. Wyeth.

Cite as: Frederick Lehmann Autograph Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives,

St. Louis.

A1795

Leidecker, Kurt F. (1902-1991).

Collection, 1857-1984. 8 boxes

Kurt F. Leidecker (1902-1991) was a professor at Mary Washington College from 1948 until his retirement in 1973. He authored several books, including a biography of the noted St. Louis educator and philosopher William Torrey Harris titled *Yankee Teacher: The Life of William Torrey Harris*. While researching this book, Leidecker was assisted by William Torrey Harris' daughter Miss Edith Davidson Harris, who provided him with access to her father's papers.

Collection contains papers of William Torrey Harris, including correspondence to Harris from several of his associates, the record book of the St. Louis Philosophical Society, material regarding the Concord School of Philosophy, and articles regarding Harris. Collection also contains Leidecker's papers regarding his research on the life of Harris, including correspondence with Miss Edith Davidson Harris and a card file bibliography.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kurt F. Leidecker Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0889

Leighton, George Eliot (1835-1901).

Papers, 1862-1875. 1 box (approximately 300 items)

The bulk of the collection relates to George Eliot Leighton's service as provost marshal in St. Louis, 1861-1863. The collection also includes seventeen items related to the founding of the Missouri Historical Society, 1866-1883. These latter items consist mainly of letters to James S. Butler and Elihu Shepard from other societies.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George Eliot Leighton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0890

Leimkuhler, F. Ray.

Architectural Plans, 1934-circa 1935. 2 folders

Collection includes a pencil on linen sketch perspective of the Jean Baptiste Roy house as it looked in the 1850s and a photostat of a perspective that depicts the Memorial Plaza/Mall and a monument commemorating the Louisiana Purchase. Both might have been done in concert with Leimkuhler's work with the Historical American Buildings Survey of the 1930s.

Cite as: F. Ray Leimkuhler Architectural Plans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0891

Lemp Family.

Papers, 1841-1910. 3 folders (approximately 15 items)

John Adam Lemp became a naturalized citizen in November 1841. He is listed as a grocer in the St. Louis city directory of 1840-41. He later founded the Lemp Brewery.

Papers include family biographical material, correspondence, naturalization papers, passport, Civil War orders, muster rolls, all relating to the Lemp family. Also includes a treatise on the mechanics of brewing.

Cite as: Lemp Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Lenz and Son Realty Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

See Philip H. Lenz and Son Realty Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

A0892

Leonard, Abiel.

Papers, 1801-1858; 1959. 3 folders, 3 volumes (approximately 50 items)

Real estate broker.

Collection includes sales, deeds, correspondence, all concerning Leonard, for lands in Missouri. Also contains an account book of Leonard's, January 3, 1874; property book containing an inventory and descriptive list of real estate owned by him and January 1, 1849; an arithmetic problem book kept by Erasmus Gardenhire in 1861 with a note about the Civil War.

Cite as: Abiel Leonard Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1814

Leonard, Esther, Dr. (1892-).

Papers, 1914-1919. 1 folder

Dr. Esther Leonard was contracted to serve as an army physician during World War I. Shortly after completing medical school, she signed a contract of service in May 1918 and worked at the U.S. Army General Hospital No. 1 in New York City before being transferred to an evacuation hospital at Vichy, France, in August 1918. Assigned to the Anaesthetic Unit No. 1, she performed as a contract surgeon. The term of her service expired in 1919.

The collection consists of Dr. Leonard's medical school papers, military orders, contracts, War Department photo identification card, transportation passes, a poem she wrote, and ephemera.

Cite as: Esther Leonard Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2539

Leopold Frohlich's Universal-Reise-Taschenbuch.

Circular, [1838?]. 1 item

Circular announcing the publication of *Leopold Frohlich's Universal-Reise-Taschenbuch* [Universal Travel Pocketbook] by Dr. C.R. Leopold Langner. (In German, includes translation.)

Cite as: Leopold Frohlich's Universal-Reise-Taschenbuch Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0893

***Lesbian and Gay News Telegraph* (Saint Louis, Missouri).**

Collection, 1969-1993. 150 linear feet.

The *Lesbian and Gay News Telegraph* is a St. Louis-based gay and lesbian

newspaper, edited by Jim Thomas, which was founded in 1980.

Collection consists of newspapers, press releases, newsletters, fliers and brochures, books and other printed matter, generated mostly by organizations concerned with issues related to or effecting the homosexual community throughout the United States and other countries, used by the editor and staff of the *Lesbian and Gay News Telegraph* in the production of its monthly newspaper. Collection also includes the newspaper's working files, consisting of bills and receipts, layout sheets, and correspondence.

Some portions, namely letters to the editor, of the collection are restricted pending resolution of questions relating to confidentiality.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: *Lesbian and Gay News Telegraph* Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0894

Lesieur, Godfrey (1798-1872).

Papers, 1806-1851. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Godfrey Lesieur was agent for the St. Louis fur trading company of Pierre Chouteau, Jr., and Company.

Correspondence from Pierre Chouteau, 1846-1851, regarding the fur trade relating to prices, London and general markets, and men interested in the fur trade; papers, 1842-1846, relating to the Francois Lesieur lands and the John Baptiste Delisle land claim in New Madrid, Missouri; papers, 1835-1851, relating to fur in the swamp lands in the New Madrid area.

Cite as: Godfrey Lesieur Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2886

Leu Family.

Papers, 1901-1941. 1 folder

Papers include marriage certificate of William A. Leu and Miss Mathilde Koepp, St. Louis, Missouri, September 15, 1901; five report cards for Charlotte Leu from Holy Cross Lutheran School, 1912-1916; photocopy of program for the graduating exercises of the class of 1918, Holy Cross Lutheran School, 3630 Ohio Ave., St. Louis, Missouri; and Board of Education of the city of St. Louis diploma awarded to Charlotte B. Leu for completion of 16 units of high school credit in the Evening High Schools, March 26, 1941.

Cite as: Leu Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0895

Lewis Brothers Development Co. (Webster Groves, Missouri).

Papers regarding construction at 133 East Washington, Kirkwood, Missouri, 1958-1968 (bulk 1961-1962). 3 boxes

Lewis Brothers Development Co. was owned by brothers Tedford P. and Charles R. Lewis. The company was responsible for the construction of the apartment complex at 133 East Washington in Kirkwood, Missouri. This complex, which consisted of fifty apartments in twelve buildings, was intended for senior citizens. Rathert and Roth were chosen as architects for the project. Permission to build on the former "Pickel Property"

was granted in 1958.

Collection includes construction bids, cost estimates, apartment layouts, product catalogs, blueprints, the prospectus for the apartment complex, and financial documents. The collection documents the entire construction process.

Cite as: Lewis Brothers Development Co. Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Lewis, Charles

See C.H. Lewis and Co. (Glasgow, Missouri).

A0896

Lewis, Henry (1819-1904).

Papers, 1836-1901; 1940-1942. 1 folder; 1 volume

Scenic painter in St. Louis, who painted Mississippi River panorama, 1847-1848. Moved to Dusseldorf, Prussia, 1855.

Scrapbook of newsclippings concerning the Mississippi River panorama and different museums where it was displayed. Letter signed Henry Lewis, Boston, to brother G. Lewis, St. Louis, February 3, 1836, discussing coming to St. Louis with father; letter of Henry Lewis, Dusseldorf, Prussia, to Judge Terry, August 2, 1901, regarding sending a picture of St. Louis as it appeared in 1847; Lewis's notes describing Mississippi River from Falls of St. Anthony to St. Louis; correspondence about collection.

Cite as: Henry Lewis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2542

Lewis, J.D. Perry (1873-1939).

Notes, circa 1910. 1 folder (2 items)

J.D. Perry Lewis, the son of William J. Lewis and Rebecca (Turner) Lewis, was born September 11, 1873, in St. Louis. During a trip to Paris in 1892, he saw a horseless carriage for the first time, and decided to build one of his own. In 1893, he built the first motor car west of the Mississippi River, and became the first person to drive a car in St. Louis. He worked for several automobile sales companies before he formed the Lewis Automobile Company in 1912. He remained in the automobile business until 1928, when he became an insurance salesman. He married Sallie E. Turner on January 19, 1897, and they had three children. Lewis died from a heart attack on June 8, 1939.

Collection consists of notes written by Lewis, circa 1910, which seem to be for a speech or article. The notes include: Lewis's reminiscences about the first automobile drive in St. Louis in 1893; various facts about early automobiles, which also mention the location of the first gas station in St. Louis at the southeast corner of Washington and Walton avenues; and a one-page list of names with some of the first motorists in St. Louis. The collection also includes a reproduction of a portion of a *New York Times* article, dated August 9, 1901, about a planned automobile trip from St. Louis to New York by Oscar L. Halsey and Lewis.

Cite as: J.D. Perry Lewis Notes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0897

Lewis, Meriwether (1774-1809).

Collection, 1776-1960 (bulk 1791-1820). 4 boxes; 2 oversize folders; 2 rolls microfilm (2 sets)

Collection is an amalgamation of original documents, photostats, photo reproductions and typescripts of documents from other collections, newsclippings, postcards and other ephemeral material that was apparently gathered from a variety of sources in an attempt to form a collection related to the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Meriwether Lewis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0898

Lewis, William J.

Account book, 1860-1868. 1 volume (112 pages)

Wholesale tobacco manufacturer, commission merchant, and receiver and president of Atlantic and Mississippi Steamship Co., St. Louis.

Record of business and personal accounts. Includes records related to the steamers *Marcella*, *Izatta*, and *Wm. J. Lewis*.

Cite as: William J. Lewis Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0899

Lewis-Robertson Family.

Papers, 1837-1955 (bulk 1837-1851; 1955). 3 folders

Franklin Selden Robertson was born March 27, 1828, in Cumberland County, Kentucky, the son of Richard Cary and Nancy McGlasson Robertson. The family moved to Pike County, Illinois, near the little village of Milton in 1834. In 1850, Franklin Selden Robertson migrated to the town of Miami, Saline County, Missouri. In 1852, he married Miss Ann Merry Rucker. His wife died around 1858. During the Civil War he served as 2nd lieutenant of the Saline Mounted Rifles, Missouri State Guard, and later enrolled in the Confederate army. In 1865, he married Catherine Ann Merry Lewis, widow of Henry Latimer, and daughter of Ethelbert Wallis Lewis. Their children were Samuel Arthur, Merry Mildred, Frank Selden, Jr., William Walthall, Henry Turpin, Richard (died in infancy), and Robert Emmet. Franklin Selden Robertson died February 10, 1896, at Norborne, Carroll County, Missouri.

Papers include letters of Ethelbert W. Lewis, written from Jefferson City, Howard, Chariton and Saline Counties, Missouri, to his brother William W. Lewis in Culpeper Court House, Virginia. Letters contain descriptions of affairs in these Missouri counties and also family matters. Papers also contain a biographical sketch of Franklin Selden Robertson, written by his son Robert Emmett Robertson in 1955. Sketch includes typescripts of Civil War documents; a letter dated 1862 from Franklin Selden Robertson to his father, written in Alton Prison; and excerpts from letters dated 1940 of Mrs. Nannie P. Tidd to Robert Emmet Robertson regarding the death of her father, Anthony Walton.

Cite as: Lewis-Robertson Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0900

Lexington, Chillicothe and Gulf Rail Road Company (Lexington, Missouri).

Minute book, 1869-1872. 1 volume

This volume contains the records of the board of directors of the Lexington, Chillicothe and Gulf Rail Road Company, which planned and began to build a small railway connecting the counties of Livingston, Bates, and Lafayette in western Missouri. It was later used as evidence in the case of Bates County v. Winters, tried in the U.S. Circuit Court at Jefferson City and appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court. See Bates County v. Winters, 112 U.S. Sup. Ct. Rep. 325.
Cite as: Lexington, Chillicothe and Gulf Rail Road Company Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0901

Libraries collection, 1867-1970. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes certificates of membership in public libraries of St. Louis; letters to Rev. Samuel J. Nichols regarding the building of the Carnegie Library in St. Louis on the site of the Exposition Building and Music Hall, 1901-1902; notices and publication of Missouri Library Association and the Illinois Library Association, 1912-1914; information booklet for persons desirous of entering staff of St. Louis Public Library, 1913; and booklets, pamphlets, etc. information regarding library information, 1940-1969.

Cite as: Libraries Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2389

Liederkrantz Fair Art Exhibition.

Catalogue, no date. 1 item (2 copies)

Includes a list of 65 works of art.

Cite as: Liederkrantz Fair Art Exhibition Catalogue, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Lighting Collection

See Downtown Lighting Association Records.

A0902

Lincoln, Abraham (1809-1865).

Papers, 1839-1964. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Collection includes letters and other papers (1854-1864) written by President Lincoln; telegrams (1865) exchanged between Secretary of the Navy Gideon Welles and officers in command of the Navy Yard, Washington, D.C., and others, relating to Lincoln's assassination, patrol of the Potomac River, and the capture of John Wilkes Booth and his co-conspirators, George A. Atzerodt and Lewis Payne; newsclippings; and correspondence about the collection.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Abraham Lincoln Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0904

Lindbergh, Charles Augustus (1902-1974).

Papers, 1827-1969. 124 boxes; 2 wrapped packages; 42 volumes; oversize material.

Aviator, scientist, writer, and conservationist.

Correspondence, journals, logbooks, notebooks, financial and legal documents, literary productions, printed material, maps, sheet music, stamps, and scrapbooks. Much of the material pertains to Lindbergh's 1927 transatlantic flight from New York to Paris, including Lindbergh's preparations for the flight and the world's response to the event. Additional papers record Lindbergh's interest during the 1930s in the promotion and development of aviation, his pursuit of a scientific career at the Rockefeller Institute in New York City where he collaborated with French biologist Dr. Alexis Carrel in developing the perfusion pump, and the beginnings of the distinguished literary careers of both Charles and Anne Morrow Lindbergh. The papers also contain some material regarding the kidnapping of the Lindberghs' son in 1932, and the public's response to Lindbergh's radio addresses in 1940 advocating non-intervention of the United States in the impending war in Europe.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Augustus Lindbergh Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0903

Lindbergh collection, 1918-1987. 3 boxes

Collection of newspaper clippings, articles, souvenirs, programs, etc. regarding Charles Augustus Lindbergh and his New York–Paris flight, and other activities. Includes a copy of the *Nonpartisan Leader*, May 6, 1918, regarding Lindbergh's father as candidate for governor of Minnesota; *The St. Louis Star*, May 21, 1927; articles, programs, souvenirs regarding Lindbergh's return to St. Louis, June 17-18, 1927, and other U.S. cities; scrapbooks and souvenirs regarding Lindbergh's return to St. Louis following his 1928 goodwill tour to South America; letters of Jean Jacques Pfister regarding his painting, "We at Daybreak," 1929-1930; clipping regarding opening of Lindbergh Blvd, 1930; booklet published by Fight for Freedom, Inc., containing newspaper articles, news stories and cartoons concerning Lindbergh's speech, September 11, 1941, at Des Moines, Iowa; correspondence with Cyril Clemens, 1939-1952; radio scripts, articles and newsletters, 1950s; souvenirs/programs regarding 50th and 60th anniversary of flight; and various publications containing references to Lindbergh, 1927-1986. Collection also contains reproductions of a letter of Lindbergh to Frank Robertson, February 18, 1938; two letters of Lindbergh to Jennie Robertson, July 4, 1938, and June 7, 1952.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Lindbergh Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1798

Lindell Estate Commissioners.

Report, 1863 July 13. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

James T. Sweringen, Charles K. Dickson, and Charles H. Peck were appointed commissioners by virtue of an agreement dated April 4, 1862, between the heirs of Peter Lindell, deceased, to partition, divide, and allot the estate of Peter Lindell. The commissioners' report includes several plats compiled by surveyor William H. Cozens. Two maps of Cozens are housed separately in an oversize folder: (1) Map of Peter Lindell's 2nd Addition being within U.S. Survey Numbers 2500, 2712, 903, 3340, & 1813, T.45N.R.7.E. (1862), and (2) Subdivision of the Western Portion of Lot No. 4, U.S.

Survey No. 2037, T.45N.R.6E in name of Charles Gratiot (no date). (Transferred from Library, August 2002.)

Cite as: Lindell Estate Commissioners Report, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0905

Lindell Hotel (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Floor Plans, no date. 1 folder

Copies of floor plans (basement, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, floors) with room functions written in red ink. The drawings do not include a location or date to reveal which Lindell Hotel these drawings depict.

Cite as: Lindell Hotel (Saint Louis, Missouri) Floor Plans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0906

Lindell Real Estate Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1891-1900. 1 volume (288 pages)

Includes articles of association, certificate of incorporation, by-laws, proceedings, and financial reports of real estate firm.

Cite as: Lindell Real Estate Co. Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0907

Lindenschmit family.

Papers, 1917-1967. 10 folders

Collection includes family, business, and personal correspondence and papers of Lindenschmit family. Mostly correspondence to Carl Lindenschmit, his wife, Ann, and daughter Betty Ann. Also includes printed materials and items regarding domestic and international travel; program from German celebration for Richard Bartholdt, 1915; and program from homecoming banquet for soldier members, 1919, sponsored by St. Louis Cycling Club.

Cite as: Lindenschmit Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0908

Lindenwood College collection, 1764-1969. 14 boxes; 3 oversize folders

Lindenwood College was the first women's college west of the Mississippi River. It was established in 1827 in St. Charles, Missouri, by Maj. George Sibley and his wife, Mary Sibley, for the purpose of providing Christian education for young women. In 1853, the college was incorporated and in 1856 the land was deeded to the board of directors that represented the Presbyterian Church.

Boxes 1-4 contain correspondence of the Sibley family regarding family matters, acts with the Mexican Road Commissioners, family genealogy, and Indian matters. Box 5 contains Sibley genealogy, photostats of newspaper clippings, a copy of the incorporation papers of the Lindenwood Female College, 1929. Also includes the records of the Sibley Society and the records of the House of Bethany, 1866. The Sibley Society was an organization formed at the Lindenwood College to promote the study of literature and the House of Bethany was a Christian sisterhood organization formed to visit the families of

soldiers and all others who needed special attention. Boxes 7-8 contain transcripts of the Sibley letters transcribed by Kate L. Gregg. Boxes 9-10 contain index cards from Kate L. Gregg. The collection also contains George C. Sibley diaries, 1808-1843, commonplace books, 1845-1855, notes on Indian tribes, 1811, letterbook, 1810, expedition to Mexico, 1827-1834, History of the Presbyterian Church, 1849, account books, 1823, 1824, 1844-1859; Dr. John Sibley diaries; records from Lindenwood College, 1839-1840; journal of Mary Easton Sibley; Strother account book, 1854; and geometry book of Archibald Shobe.

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Inventory of collection in box 1.

Cite as: Lindenwood College Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0909

Lingenfelder, Julius.

Papers, 1889-1964. 2 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Julius Lingenfelder was a German physician who lived in Hermann, Missouri.

The bulk of the collection contains correspondence, newspaper articles, pamphlets regarding Julius Lingenfelder's views of Germany after World War I—reconstruction, Hitler, etc. The rest of the collection regards the family estate, "Bergfried," in Gasconade, Missouri, and the daughters of Julius trying to give land to various organizations to use as a recreational retreat; information on articles written by Julius Lingenfelder; German children's book after World War I with Nazi scenes; one bound scrapbook of sheet music and newspaper articles concerning German music.

Some German.

Cite as: Julius Lingenfelder Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0910

Link Family.

Papers, 1758-1902; 1942; 1949. 4 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 oversize folder

Papers include correspondence, estate papers, genealogical information on Link family; information on Theodore Carl Link; notebook of Theodore Carl Link including mentions of Karl Bitter, 1903. Collection also includes three blueprints of St. Louis Union Station, designed by Theodore C. Link, traced and revised, 1942, 1949.

Cite as: Link Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0911

Link, J. Joseph, Dr.

Family papers 1920s-1968. 5 boxes

St. Louis doctor. Married to Lena Michel; two daughters, Lenora Clara Link Ferrenbach and Alitheia Marie Link.

Correspondence, estate papers, account books, medical notebooks, and literary manuscripts of J. Joseph Link and family. Includes contracts, receipts for work on residence; papers regarding zoning regulations of Link property at 3550 Russell Boulevard; material regarding case of St. Ferdinand Sewer District vs. Jacob Michel Realty Company, 1940, and vs. J.J. Link, et al, regarding unpaid taxes; diary of a trip to

Mexico, 1940; manuscript of a tour through the West, 1927; account books, 1950-1961; Joseph Link's medical notebooks; notebooks and daybooks of Ed Ferrenbach, 1946, son-in-law of Link; autograph book of Lena Michel Link, 1878; and literary manuscripts of Dr. Link including numerous essays on peace, and those of his book, *Two Coeval Evils*. Cite as: Dr. J. Joseph Link Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2238

Link-Hall Family.

Papers, 1892-1958. 3 folders (31 items)

Robert R. Link was born December 4, 1832, in Wilson County, Tennessee, and was the youngest of six children. He attended Wilson County High School and later went to Cumberland University in Lebanon, Tennessee. He moved to Ewing, Illinois, in 1861 where he married Eliza J. Webb the following year. They had six children. Daughter Nancy married Robert F. Hall. Robert R. Link helped found Ewing College in 1868 and filled the office of secretary until his death in 1893. He was an active member of the Prohibition party and ran for state treasurer on the Prohibition ticket in 1890 and for governor in 1892. Link was also a gifted speaker and gave many speeches relating to prohibition.

The collection is arranged chronologically and consists primarily of letters written to Robert R. Link and his wife, Eliza J. Link. These letters are mostly written by friends, political acquaintances, and colleagues. Several letters discuss Prohibition Party activities in Illinois in 1892.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Link-Hall Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0912

Linn and Sargent (Sainte Genevieve, Missouri).

Ledger, 1829-1833. 1 volume (200 pages)

Indexed accounts of Lewis F. Linn and Ichabod Sargent.

Cite as: Linn and Sargent Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0913

Linn, Lewis Fields (1795-1843).

Papers, 1780-1861; 1905; 1938. 2 boxes

Physician of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, state senator, and U.S. senator from Missouri.

Biographical sketches, genealogical record, scrapbooks, and other papers of Linn and his wife, Elizabeth Relfe Linn, including her letters to Firmin A. Rozier. Letters discuss politics and gossip about political personalities, events, and people of Ste. Genevieve, and personal life of the Linns.

Cite as: Lewis Fields Linn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0914

Lionberger, Isaac H. (1854-1948).

Papers, 1806-1943. 4 boxes; 1 volume

Isaac Lionberger was born in Boonville, Missouri. He graduated from Princeton in 1875 and then attended St. Louis Law School. He served as the chief council of Laclede

Gas Company and taught law at Washington University for three decades. In 1896-1898, he served as a solicitor in the Department of the Interior under President Grover Cleveland. He wrote the *Annals of St. Louis* in 1928. He served as president of the Missouri Historical Society from 1930 until 1937. He died September 12, 1948.

Typescript edition of "The Annals of St. Louis and a Brief History of its Formation and Progress," 1930, inscribed by the author. The manuscript collection contains personal correspondence of Lionberger, essays written by Lionberger on different individuals on both the national and local level. The collection also contains some autobiographical and genealogical information; land papers of various people of St. Louis; and a personal diary, various stories, poetry and newsclippings.

Cite as: Isaac H. Lionberger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0915

Lippmann, Gustave, Dr. (1868-1937).

Collection of Coursault brothers correspondence, 1800-1835. 1 folder (approximately 18 items)

Dr. Gustave Lippmann was a physician who resided at 6307 Alexander Drive, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. He died May 23, 1937.

Collection comprises early French business letters to the Coursault Brothers, who were merchants at the Cape, Santo Domingo.

Cite as: Dr. Gustave Lippmann Collection of Coursault Brothers Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0916

Lipscomb, J.D.

Daybook, 1880-1881. 1 volume (98 pages)

Accounts of Moberly, Missouri, blacksmith.

Cite as: J.D. Lipscomb Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0917

Lipscomb, Jennie.

Notebook, 1879. 1 volume

Notebook inscribed "Miss Jennie Lipscomb. State Normal School, Missouri, January 20, 1879." Contains arithmetic procedures, writing procedures, etc.

Cite as: Jennie Lipscomb Notebook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0918

Lisa, Manuel (1772-1820).

Papers, 1774-1836; 1908-1927; 1971. 2 boxes

St. Louis fur trader and explorer; married to Mary Hempstead Keeney (1782-1869); established Fort Lisa from which he conducted his business with the Omahas and other tribes; member of the Missouri, Rocky Mountain and American Fur Companies, and one of the founders of the first Bank of St. Louis.

Correspondence and official documents of and relating to Manuel Lisa, including court proceedings and testimony from the court of common pleas involving him. Some French and Spanish, with some translations.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Manuel Lisa Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0919

Lischer, Benno Edward (1876-1959).

Autobiography, circa 1954. 1 folder (103 pages)

St. Louis, Missouri, dentist and orthodontist; dean of Washington University School of Dentistry.

Autobiographical memoir titled "Biographical Notes of Benno Edward Lischer: Compiled for His Children," circa 1954. Includes discussion of Dr. Lischer's family origins and genealogy, his childhood in Mascoutah, Illinois, his education and professional career, and his home and family life in St. Louis and elsewhere. The manuscript also includes a typescript curriculum vitae, and extracts of some of his speeches and addresses.

Cite as: Benno Edward Lischer Autobiography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0920

Litigation collection, 1773-1901. 3 boxes

The Litigation Collection contains papers of court cases tried in St. Louis. The bulk of the collection dates from the French and Spanish colonial period. Among the topics discussed in these cases are assault, theft, debts, the fur trade, land claims and disputes, contract disputes, slander, murder, relations with Indians, and slavery. The collection includes documents in English, French and Spanish. Many of the French and Spanish documents have been translated.

French and Spanish.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Litigation Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2320

Litton, N.W.

Letter to Jno. S. Phelps, 1853 Apr 16. 1 item

Letter signed N.W. Litton, St. Louis, Mo., to Jno. S. Phelps, Springfield, Mo. Litton discusses Thomas Hart Benton and politics, and notes that he is in St. Louis as a grand juror in the U.S. District Court. He states in part, "Our democratic friends at Lexington were much discouraged & disheartened after their defeat in the election of Bank offices by the last Legislature. . . . The selfish motives imputed to you & Mr. Lamb, by the Benton papers, are regarded by all intelligent & honest men, as untrue, senseless & malicious. . . . I find the most influential Bentonites from the county, are of the impression, that Benton will not undertake to canvass the state and wage a war of extermination & denunciation of his fancied nullification enemies & Jefferson City platform, as he will not be sustained in such a procedure by thousands of his now supposed friends. . . . I took decided grounds against Benton in his disobedience to the instructions &c and finding many Whigs & the party generally proprograting the doctrine adverse to mine on this point, I made a public declaration that I would not support any party in favor of the doctrine of disobedience to instructions, the power of Congress to

legislate slavery out of the territories & opposed to the exercise of the veto power. . . .”
Cite as: N.W. Litton Letter to Jno. S. Phelps, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0921

Litzelfelner and Brother.

Ledger, 1885-1886. 1 volume

Forwarding and commission merchants and dealers in dry goods, groceries, etc., Neely's Landing, Missouri.

Book of receipts listing articles received and the name of steamboat articles arrived on.

Cite as: Litzelfelner and Brother Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2357

Lodge, The (St. Louis, Mo.).

Pamphlet, circa 1917.

The Lodge was a family hotel located at Belt and Etzel Avenues in St. Louis, across the street from Principia School. This 10-page pamphlet promoting The Lodge includes exterior and interior photographs of the hotel. G.A. Sloan was the proprietor and manager.

Cite as: The Lodge pamphlet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1832

Lodge of the Four Seasons/Lake of the Ozarks Development.

Collection, circa 1930-1950.

Drawings (blueprints) and promotional material regarding the damming and recreational development of the Lake of the Ozarks area.

Cite as: Lodge of the Four Seasons/Lake of the Ozarks Development Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0923

Loeb, Isidore.

Papers, 1897-1945. 9 folders (approximately 200 items)

Isidore Loeb was the president of the University of Missouri and the dean of the School of Commerce and Finance at Washington University. He resided for a time at 105 Arundel Place, Clayton, St. Louis County, Mo.

Papers concerning the case of Dr. F.C. Hicks, University of Missouri; correspondence to and from Loeb regarding his appointment as acting president of the University of Missouri, 1923, and his appointment as dean of the School of Commerce and Finance at Washington University, 1925; correspondence and allied papers regarding the Intangibles Tax Bill, Missouri, 1945.

Cite as: Isidore Loeb Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0924

Loewenstein, Bert.

Papers, no date. 4 folders (approximately 25 items)

Missouri author.

Correspondence, memoranda, notes, poems, clippings, manuscript material of Bert Loewenstein, mostly concerning Missouri history, especially the Ozarks and St. Louis. Cite as: Bert Loewenstein Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0925

Lofts, Charles.

Diary, 1851 Apr-Nov. 1 volume

Native of either England or Ireland, toured the United States in 1851.

Diary of United States tour, describing stay in each city visited. Entries begin with arrival in New York City and include mention of a visit to St. Louis.

Cite as: Charles Lofts Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2370

Logan, Charles W.

Papers, 1908-1942. 5 folders (66 items)

Charles William Logan died February 26, 1949, in St. Louis, Missouri.

The papers contain receipts, financial accounts, canceled checks, and other papers of Charles W. Logan, mostly relating to his home at 4970 Lotus Avenue in St. Louis. Many of the papers relate to J. Charles Mueller, contractor and builder. The collection also includes some family photographs.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles W. Logan Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0927

Long, Charles Dixon.

Collection, 1940-1972. 1 box

St. Louis attorney.

Correspondence regarding genealogical research on the Long and Dixon families.

Cite as: Charles Dixon Long Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0928

Long, Edward V. (1908-1972).

Scrapbooks, 1954-1967. 5 volumes

Edward V. Long was a U.S. senator from Missouri from 1960 to 1968. In 1945, he was elected to the Missouri Senate, where he served until elected lieutenant governor in 1956. He resigned that post in 1960 to accept appointment as U.S. senator, filing the vacancy created by the death of Senator Thomas C. Hennings, Jr., and was elected to complete the term. On November 6, 1962, he won re-election to a full six-year term. His political fortunes began to ebb in 1967 when *Life* magazine published an article charging that Senator Long had misused an investigation into possible federal wiretapping to keep then teamster president Jimmy Hoffa out of jail. Another *Life* article in 1968 accused Long of intervening to have a public housing project in St. Louis redesigned to use gas instead of electric heat. The story said Long acted to favor a pipefitters local union that *Life* said contributed to Long's campaign fund. He was defeated in 1968 by Thomas Eagleton. During the course of his Senate career, Long was known as a champion of

citizen's constitutional rights. He successfully opposed passage of legislation in 1963 to legalize wiretapping, which he called "an insidious attempt to wipe out the right of privacy." He married Florence Secor. He died in 1972 at his home in Eolia, Missouri.

Five scrapbooks of newsclippings, pamphlets, invitations, etc., concerning the political career of Edward V. Long. Two of the scrapbooks are devoted to his investigation into the wiretapping issue.

Cite as: Edward V. Long Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0926

Long Family.

Papers, 1880s-1890s. 2 volumes

Two scrapbooks of newsclippings reporting curious and relatively minor events in St. Louis, 1886, and 1880s-1890s. Genealogical material on the Long family inserted into first volume.

Cite as: Long Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0929

Long, I.A.

Papers, 1944-1983. 1 box

Seven volumes concerning the Greenlease kidnapping case and subsequent internal St. Louis police investigation, including statements, reports, photographs, documents, 1953-1954; a scrapbook of the Citizens School Improvement Committee regarding election of members to the Board of Education, 1951-1952; notebook, Citizens School Improvement Committee, including correspondence, newsclippings, photographs, pamphlets, 1951; scrapbook, Fifth War Loan Drive: U.S. Treasury War Finance Committee of Missouri, also includes newsclippings, photographs, pamphlets, 1944; album, Board of Police Commissioners, including newsclippings, correspondence, photographs, 1968; folder, including correspondence, speeches, reports, newsclippings, articles, photographs, certificates, 1946-1981; folder, Prime Rate, 1979-1982, includes photocopies of newsclippings regarding the lowering of the prime interest rate; photocopies of two letters: Ronald Reagan to Long, July 27, 1982, and Malcolm Baldrige, secretary of commerce, to Long, January 27, 1983; one envelope of papers, 1942-1971; correspondence, certificates and awards; two photographs.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: I.A. Long Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0930

Long, John F. (1816-1888).

Papers, 1790-1917. 4 folders (approximately 30 items)

John Fenton Long was born on the White Haven Farm in St. Louis County in 1816. He was the son of William Lindsay Long (1789-1849) and Elizabeth Sappington Long (1789-1849), builders of the original White Haven home, and grandson of Captain John Long, Revolutionary War veteran and early resident of St. Louis. The Dent family purchased White Haven four years after John F. Long's birth and remained closely associated with the Long family. John F. Long married Frances Pipkin (1820-1863), and the couple had three daughters: Susan, Lillie, and Emaline. After Frances's death, he

married Mary N. (Sappington) Vale, widow of Humphrey Vale. John and Mary had no children by birth, but adopted a daughter, Mary Hardesty. John F. Long was educated in St. Louis and became a schoolteacher. He later served in a number of official offices including police chief of the City of St. Louis, St. Louis County marshal, county judge, and collector of customs of the port of St. Louis. He also served on the St. Louis city council. He was a close friend of U.S. Grant and served as Grant's St. Louis agent during his presidency. He died in 1888.

The collection consists of correspondence, land records, tax receipts, commissions, property deeds, invitations, and clippings relating to the Long family and John F. Long's personal and business relationship with Ulysses S. Grant. The collection is arranged in chronological order.

Finding aid available

Cite as: John F. Long Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Long, Stephen H.

See United States Army. Corps of Topographical Engineers. Stephen H. Long record books.

A2236

Looker, Benjamin.

Collection, 1967-2004. 2 items

Benjamin Looker authored *BAG: Point from Which Creation Begins, the Black Artists' Group of St. Louis*, published by the Missouri Historical Society Press in 2004.

Collection includes typescript titled "Interviews on the Black Artists' Group (BAG) of St. Louis" (365 pages; includes an index), conducted, transcribed, and compiled by Benjamin Looker in 2004. This typescript includes "information on the Black Artists' Group, a collective of artists working in various media that existed in St. Louis, Missouri, from 1968-72. In addition to BAG, the interviews touch on a number of subjects that may be of interest to other researchers, including racial politics and political activism in 1960s St. Louis, artistic collectives in other cities, and the 1970s jazz performance scene in New York City loft buildings." The collection also includes photocopies of documents from the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (184 pages) relating to The Warlords, a black nationalist group that existed in East St. Louis, Illinois, in the 1960s and early 1970s. These documents were acquired by Looker in response to a Freedom of Information Act request that he filed with the F.B.I. The documents include information on the black power movement and the broader civil rights movement in the St. Louis area.

Cite as: Benjamin Looker Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0931

Lord Family.

Papers, 1827-1865. 36 folders (approximately 36 items)

Correspondence chiefly from Richard Lord to his brother Jeremiah at Ipswich. Letters describe his life and business in Coolville, Ohio; St. Louis; Alton, Illinois; Wood County, Virginia; and Carthage, Missouri. One letter of particular interest (circa 1849) describes big flood and emigrants traveling west.

Cite as: Lord Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0932

Lorimer Family.

Papers, 1839-1980. 1 folder

Andrew and Helen Lorimer emigrated to the United States from Scotland in 1849, eventually settling in Keithsburg, Mercer County, Illinois. Their children were Christine, William, and George. Andrew Lorimer died July 23, 1887, in Aledo, Illinois. Helen Lorimer died September 20, 1890, in Aledo.

Papers contain various genealogical records and notes regarding the Lorimer family including memorial card of Andrew Lorimer; obituary and funeral notice of Mrs. Helen K. Lorimer; marriage record of Andrew Lorimer and Helen Kidd, 1839; and the marriage record of Benjamin R. Fichner and Christina Lorimer.

Cite as: Lorimer Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0933

Loring, William Wing (-1886).

Journal, 1857 May 1-Aug 16. 1 volume

Colonel William Wing Loring served in the Army of the Southwest prior to the Civil War, and participated in the campaign against the Gila Apache Indians during 1857. Resigned from the United States Army on May 13, 1861, and entered the Confederate service.

Volume from the campaign against the Gila Apache Indians, includes roster, morning reports, orders, and letters of the northern column of the Gila Expedition.

Cite as: William Wing Loring Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2140

Louisiana Purchase Exposition and World's Columbian Exposition.

Scrapbook, 1893-1904. 1 item

Scrapbook of tickets and passes to the World's Columbian Exposition (Chicago, 1893) and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition (St. Louis, 1904). Scrapbook appears to have been compiled by Henry Schwab or Charles Schwab.

Cite as: Louisiana Purchase Exposition and World's Columbian Exposition Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0934

Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1898-1925. 41 boxes; 56 volumes; 5 roll tubes; 9 oversize folders

The Louisiana Purchase Exposition, also known as the St. Louis World's Fair or the 1904 World's Fair, was held in St. Louis from April 30 to December 1, 1904, to commemorate the centennial of the Louisiana Purchase.

This collection consists of the official records of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, formed to plan and operate the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The collection consists of records related to the initial conception and planning of the exposition from 1898; the official records of the four divisions of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, namely, the Divisions of Works, Exhibits, Exploitation, and Concessions and

Admissions; the minutes of the Executive Committee, the Board of Directors, and the Stockholders; the records of the Committee on Finance and the Legal Department, including the ledgers and account books and material relating to post-exposition litigation; correspondence and other materials related to the restoration of Forest Park; and materials relating to the official history of exposition, including some of the records of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Historical Association. It includes plans for the Electricity and Machinery Building, Walker and Kimball, architects, Boston and Omaha. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0936

Louisiana Purchase Exposition Oral History Project.

Collection, 1979. 1 box

An oral history project was undertaken by the staff of the Missouri Historical Society on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. This collection contains the consent forms of the participants of the oral history project; transcripts or partial transcripts of some of the tapes; slides of the participants; material regarding Negro Day at the fair, including minutes of the Executive Committee of the Committee on Negro Day of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Walter Farmer, chairman. The thirty-two oral history interviews (on audiocassette) of persons who attended the Louisiana Purchase Exposition were transferred to the the Missouri Historical Society's Media Collection in 2001, and compact disc copies of the tapes are available in the Missouri History Museum Library.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Louisiana Purchase Exposition Oral History Project, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0935

Louisiana Purchase Historical Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1916-1925. 2 folders (50 items)

Papers contain minutes of the Louisiana Purchase Historical Association's meetings, including discussions of the Jefferson Memorial Building, Missouri Historical Society, and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1904.

See also Jefferson Memorial Building Collection.

A0937

Louisiana Purchase Transfer Collection, 1783-1953. 1 box; 1 volume; 1 roll microfilm (2 sets)

Document transferring Upper Louisiana to the United States and signed in St. Louis, 1804; signed documents, 1804-1829, and correspondence, newsclippings and other papers relating to the transfer. Also facsimile reproductions of papers relating to the Louisiana Purchase.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Louisiana Purchase Transfer Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0938**Louisiana Territory Collection, 1718-1817; 1882-1901.** 1 box

Photostats and typescripts. Land titles and claims in the District of Louisiana, 1806; Louisiana Territory Papers, U.S. Government Archives, 1807-1817, which include a variety of material: list of licenses granted to trade with several nations of Indians, 1807-1811; hunting licenses; list of civil officers of the Territory of Louisiana, April 1808; papers regarding the beginning of the Louisiana Academy at Ste. Genevieve, 1808; treaty between the Osage and the United States; petitions of inhabitants of the Territory of Louisiana for law giving them rights and privileges of citizenship, consequent upon a second grade of territorial government entitling them to a delegate in Congress, 1811; and material regarding the organization of the militia of the Territory of Missouri, October 1814. Additional material in the collection includes correspondence of governors (from the General Archive of Indies, Seville) regarding instructions for establishment of two forts to be built at the mouth of the Missouri River, December 22, 1812. Papers dated 1882-1901 refer to the history of the Louisiana Territory.

French.

Cite as: Louisiana Territory Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Louisiana Territory. General Court (Saint Louis). Records.

See Missouri. Supreme Court. Records.

A0939**Louisiana Territory. Military Command (Saint Louis).****Adjutant's record, 1803-1805.** 1 volume

On March 10, 1804, Major Amos Stoddard, on behalf of the United States, assumed command of the upper Louisiana Territory at St. Louis, and became the first American civil and military commandant of the newly acquired region. He was succeeded by Major James Bruff on July 1, 1804.

This volume is the adjutant's record of the garrison at St. Louis in Upper Louisiana under the command of Amos Stoddard and later James Bruff. It includes a list of commissioned officers at the garrison who were appointed between 1798 and 1805, a list of Stoddard's artillerists, a list of soldiers transferred to Stoddard's command, various inventories, a list of officers retained the "Peace Establishment," and copies of ordinances from 1796 to 1804, and courts martials from 1804 and 1805.

Cite as: Louisiana Territory Military Command Adjutant's Record, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0940**Love, James Edwin (1830-1905).****Papers, 1859-1865.** 2 boxes

James Edwin Love was born September 27, 1830, in County Antrim, Ireland. He emigrated to the United States in 1849, settling first in Cincinnati and then in St. Louis. He traveled to Australia in 1854 and remained there for four years before returning to St. Louis. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War, he enlisted as a sergeant in Company D, 5th United States Reserve Corps (3 months). After his regiment was mustered out in August

1861, he spent several months on unattached service in Missouri and western Kansas, before being mustered into the 8th Kansas Infantry at Fort Leavenworth in February 1862. He rose to the rank of captain. He was wounded and taken prisoner in the Battle of Chickamauga, and was confined in Libby Prison and other Confederate prisons before his escape in February 1865. On May 2, 1865, he married Miss Eliza (Molly) Wilson in St. Louis, where he spent the remainder of his life. He died December 27, 1905.

The papers consist primarily of the correspondence of James E. Love to his future wife while serving in the 5th U.S.R.C. (3 months) along the Missouri River in central and western Missouri from June to August 1861, and with the 8th Kansas Infantry in Kansas, Kentucky, Mississippi, Alabama, and Tennessee, and while confined in Confederate prisons. Letters describe the affairs of these regiments and include accounts of military operations in the vicinity of Nashville, Tennessee, from November 1862 to June 1863, and accounts of the Battle of Perryville and the Tullahoma and Chickamauga Campaigns. The letters also provide information on marches, camp life, diet, guerrilla warfare, and prison life, and include several poems. The collection also contains Love's diary, dated December 1862 to July 1863, written mostly while stationed at Nashville and during the Tullahoma Campaign; his undated typescript autobiography, which includes accounts of his military service and his escape from a Confederate prison; two family letters addressed to Robert Love; and reproductions of Love family photographs.

Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: James Edwin Love Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0941

Lovejoy, Elijah.

Estate Papers, 1847. 1 folder

Papers concerning the estate of Elijah Lovejoy. Photocopies only.

Cite as: Elijah Lovejoy Estate Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0942

Lowenstein, Julius.

Family and business papers of H. Lowenstein & Co. 1854-1959. 1 box; 7 volumes

H. Lowenstein & Co., dealers in furs, hides, pelts, wool, feathers, etc., Marshall, Missouri.

Records, accounts, account books and ledgers, pertaining to H. Lowenstein & Co., dealers in furs, hides, pelts, wool, feathers, etc., Marshall, Missouri. Declaration of bankruptcy by Julius Lowenstein, Eastern District Court, St. Louis, 1867; various accounts of Julius Lowenstein, Virden, Illinois, with St. Louis merchants for men's fur hats, beaver sack coats, blue jeans pants, and other clothing, 1869; various accounts, receipts of the Lowenstein family, mainly in Quincy, Illinois, 1870-1879; papers of the Lowenstein family, Marshall, Missouri, 1880-1899; business correspondence of Henry Lowenstein and Ben Lowenstein, Marshall, Missouri; account books and ledger of purchases (1909-1912) of beeswax, badgers, beavers, bear, feathers, fox, green hides, sheep pelts, hog skins, and minks, 1818-1912. Also contains H. Lowenstein and Company accounts of furs, hides, feathers, beeswax, tallow, and pecans, and includes three ledgers (1888-1892, 1905-1909, and 1919-1921); two daybooks (1896-1911 and

1919-1922); and two cashbooks (1901-1902 and 1912-1914).

Cite as: Julius Lowenstein Family and Business Papers of H. Lowenstein & Co., Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0943

Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian Church (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1878-1890. 1 volume

The Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian Church, located at Lucas and Channing Avenues, was founded in St. Louis in January 1878.

This record book contains the minutes of the church (1878-1890) with a brief account of events leading up to its formation. It also contains the church's register of elders, deacons, communicants, marriages, adult and infant baptisms, deaths, and financial reports to the presbytery (1878-1886).

Cite as: Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian Church Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2498

Lucas, James H. et al.

Letter to the Board of Park Commissioners, 1876 Oct 29. 1 item

Letter signed James H. Lucas and 14 others, St. Louis, Missouri, to the Board of Park Commissioners, congratulating the board for the improvements made to Missouri Park.

Cite as: James H. Lucas et al. Letter to the Board of Park Commissioners, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0944

Lucas, John Baptiste Charles (1758-1842).

Family papers, 1754-1943. 21 boxes

Personal and business correspondence and other papers of John Baptiste Charles Lucas, U.S. representative from Pennsylvania and U.S. judge for the Northern District of Louisiana; papers of his son James H. Lucas (1800-1873), lawyer, banker, and philanthropist, of St. Louis; and papers of other members of the family. Includes accounts, deeds, legal papers, land papers, bills, correspondence about the papers, and genealogical material of the Lucas and allied families.

Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: John Baptiste Charles Lucas Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0945

Lucke Family.

Papers, 1802-1863. 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers contain one unbound notebook, containing penciled notes of the Beauvais–St. Gem family including sales, wills, etc. The bulk of the collection consists of documents written in the old German script.

Cite as: Lucke Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0946

**Ludington, Emily Sheppard.
Papers, 1959-1973.** 2 boxes

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sheppard, 2809 Woodcliff SE, Grand Rapids, Michigan; first wife of Martin Ludington of St. Louis.

Letters of Emily Sheppard to her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sheppard, of Grand Rapids, Michigan. The letters chronicle her last semester in college at Ann Arbor, Michigan, in the spring of 1959, her marriage to Martin Ludington, August 1959, the birth of their children, and life in St. Louis including an active social life, a trip to Europe in 1969, and her work with the Junior League and the St. Louis Council on World Affairs. Many of the letters dated 1970s are written from 40 Loren Woods, Ladue, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Emily Sheppard Ludington Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0947

**Ludlow and Smith (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1835-1850.** 6 volumes

Noah Miller Ludlow (1795-1886) and Solomon Franklin Smith (1801-1869) formed this partnership in 1835. Over the next sixteen years they dominated the theatrical scene in St. Louis, and heavily influenced it in Mobile, Alabama, and New Orleans. In 1837, they opened the Saint Louis Theatre on the southeast corner of Olive and Third in St. Louis, and from 1840 they also operated the theaters in New Orleans, most notably the St. Charles Theatre, until they sold their lease on it to Ben DeBar in 1853.

This collection consists of records from the Saint Louis Theatre in St. Louis and the Saint Charles Theatre in New Orleans. Relating to the Saint Louis Theatre are two volumes of stock transactions, 1835-1837; two volumes of box office returns for the fall and spring seasons of 1844; and a volume listing the boxes sold for the 1848 season. Relating to the Saint Charles Theatre is one volume listing boxes sold, 1846-1850. Cite as: Ludlow and Smith Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2911

Ludlow, B.C.

Letter, 1854 June 15. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed B.C. Ludlow, New York, to his aunt Mrs. C.P. Clarkson, care of Col. C.P. Clarkson, Ellisville, St. Louis County, Missouri, June 15, 1854. Discusses the marriage of Clements and Emma and the couple's return to New York City. Also mentions attending the great musical congress at the Crystal Palace.

Cite as: B.C. Ludlow Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0948

Ludlow Family.

Ludlow-Field-Maury family papers, 1784; 1817-1945. 18 boxes

Correspondence, diaries, journals, biographical material, clippings of writings, scrapbooks, memorandum books, notebooks, and printed material, relating to the Ludlow, Field, and Maury families. Includes material on the first real theater west of the Mississippi, the American Dramatic Fund, Sir William Drummond Stewart's Rocky

Mountain expedition, the mountains and prairies, art, and the formation of Christian Science in St. Louis. Persons represented include Noah Miller Ludlow (1795-1886), actor, producer, and theater owner; his daughter Cornelia B. (Ludlow) Field; her husband Matthew C. Field (1808-1844), actor and writer; and the Fields' granddaughter Cornelia F. Maury, St. Louis artist. The Matthew C. Field items include three small journals of his Rocky Mountain Expedition with Sir William D. Stewart, 1843 (Journal #3, dated August 6-August 29, 1843, includes a narrative of William L. Sublette's overland trip in 1827. The narrative begins after Field's diary entry for August 21.). Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.
Cite as: Ludlow-Field-Maury Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0949

Ludlow, Margaret.

Scrapbook, 1897-1904. 1 volume

Cite as: Margaret Ludlow Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0950

Ludlow, Noah Miller (1795-1886).

Subscription list, no date. 1 folder; 1 volume

Noah Ludlow was in partnership with Solomon Franklin Smith (1801-1869) in the firm of Ludlow and Smith from 1835. Over the next sixteen years they dominated the theatrical scene in St. Louis, and heavily influenced it in Mobile, Alabama, and New Orleans. In 1837, they opened the Saint Louis Theatre on the southeast corner of Olive and Third in St. Louis, and from 1840 they also operated the theaters in New Orleans, most notably the St. Charles Theatre, until they sold out their lease to Ben DeBar in 1853.

This volume is a list of subscribers for Ludlow's book *Dramatic Life as I Found It*, and is accompanied by a letter of presentation of the volume to the Missouri Historical Society in 1882.

Cite as: Noah Miller Ludlow Subscription List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0951

Ludwig, Johann Valentin, Dr.

Family papers, 1781-1925. 1 box

Letters, documents (in German) of Dr. Johann Valentin Ludwig and family, circa 1820-1845; medical notes; correspondence of St. Louis Ludwig family, of whom the best known was Josephine Ludwig, opera singer, 1907-1925.

German.

Cite as: Dr. Johann Valentin Ludwig Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0952

Luer, William Joseph.

Papers, 1887; 1909. 1 oversize folder

Baptismal certificate of William Joseph Luer, 1887; marriage certificate of William J.

Luer and Minnie D. J. Linder[?]; and undated plans for the home of William Luer in Fairmont, Illinois, by Henry Dreisoerner, architect, St. Louis.

Cite as: William Joseph Luer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0953

Luppold, M[athias?].

Bills of lading, 1878 Apr 12-1886 Aug 24. 1 volume (600 pages)

Records of Missouri River shipments from Luppold's Landing, Missouri, mostly to F. Schwartz and Bros. [Frederick Schwartz], commission merchants in St. Louis.

Cite as: M. Luppold Bills of Lading, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0954

Luttig, John C.

Journal, 1812-1813. 2 folders (5 items); 2 volumes; 1 roll microfilm

John C. Luttig was the clerk with the 1812 expedition of the Missouri Fur Company.

Includes the original journal and a typescript with handwritten notes and correspondence relating to the publication of the journal. The journal tells of the company leaving St. Louis in May of that year and recounts the many incidents of the voyage up the Missouri River, including the building of Fort Manuel in the Dakota country, and life and adventures at this fort. Includes an account of the death of Sacagawea, the woman who accompanied Lewis and Clark across the continent.

See microfilm and *Journal of Fur Trading Expedition on the Upper Missouri, 1812-1813* by John C. Luttig, ed., Stella Drumm.

Cite as: John C. Luttig Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0955

Lyle, Alexander Lacey.

Journal, 1833. 1 volume

Son of Carondelet pioneer Amos Curtis Lyle. Builder of the "Lyle House" in 1842, which currently stands in Carondelet Park, St. Louis. A Southern sympathizer during the Civil War, fled the home for his own personal safety, never returning.

Journal of genealogical records extracted from the Lyle family Bible.

Cite as: Alexander Lacey Lyle Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0956

Lyle, Oscar K.

Journals, 1901-1912. 2 volumes

Oscar Kennett Lyle was born January 5, 1839, in St. Louis, Missouri, the sixth of 14 children of Alexander Lacy Lyle and Caroline Bobb Lyle. Alexander Lacy Lyle worked as a carpenter and later as a building contractor until 1846, when, after acquiring considerable means, he and Henry T. Blow entered into the manufacture of white lead and oils in St. Louis. In 1849 George Collier of St. Louis joined Lyle and Blow in the business, leading to the establishment of the Collier White Lead and Oil Company, which became a nationally recognized concern. Oscar K. Lyle's journals contain entries describing his early years in St. Louis and Macoupin County, Illinois. By 1859 Oscar had joined his father at the White Lead and Oil Company where he worked as a clerk. In

1863, Oscar married Emma Walton and the following year the couple had a daughter, Emma Genevieve Lyle. Emma Walton Lyle died in 1866, and in 1867 Oscar moved to New Orleans, where, according to his diary, he worked for Charles Slayback and Company, grain commission merchants. In New Orleans, Lyle fell victim to the yellow fever epidemic of 1868, which he describes in his journal. Oscar returned to St. Louis in 1870, and was employed as the secretary of the St. Louis Barrel Works. By 1872, Oscar is listed as the company's superintendent. Alice C. Moody became Oscar's second wife in 1874. The couple had no children of their own, and apparently left St. Louis in 1878.

The two journals, volume one dated June 25, 1901, to September 24, 1901, volume two dated February 23, 1904, to May 21, 1912, appear to have been written in New York. Inside the cover of each is a number written in pencil, "25" in volume one and "30" in volume two, suggesting that at one point there were more similar journals. While the journals are not paginated, there is a list of contents at the end of volume one. Entries include poetry and prose, and include Lyle's recollections of the past as well as entries and musings on subjects contemporary to the time they were written. Lyle's interest in genealogy is also apparent in his journals. In 1912 he wrote a book titled *Lyle Family: The Ancestry and Posterity of Matthew, John, Daniel and Samuel Lyle, Pioneer Settlers in Virginia*, which is available in the Missouri History Museum Library. See also the Alexander Lacey Lyle Journal in the archives.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Oscar K. Lyle Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0957

Lynch, William Adam.

Journal, 1869. 1 volume

Cabinet maker and undertaker in St. Louis. Moved to St. Charles, Missouri, from Virginia in 1819 and then to St. Louis in 1829. Served in the Missouri legislature in 1840-1841, and member of the St. Louis Sons of Temperance for more than 20 years.

Original and typescript journal of personal recollections from early childhood to later life in St. Louis. Includes several pages devoted to descriptions of the city of St. Louis, and mention of the location of cemeteries and how and when they were relocated.

Cite as: William Adam Lynch Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Lyon's Legion.

Descriptive book, 1861-1862. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection (see Missouri troops [Union]. 24th Infantry, Company I. Descriptive book).

A0959**M. Bleifuss and Co. (Ste. Genevieve, Missouri).****Journal, 1852-1858.** 1 volume; 1 folder

General store, Michael Bleifuss, proprietor.

Business accounts, includes inventory of merchandise (February 1851); journal of merchandise purchased (February-July 1852); journal of cash received (September 20, 1853-March 26, 1854); record of house expenses (January 22, 1855-January 7, 1858); and other accounts.

From the Bolduc House in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri.

Cite as: M. Bleifuss and Co. Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0960**M.J. Sheehan Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Business Ledgers, 1887-1899.** 2 volumes

M.J. Sheehan was a druggist located at 1100 Franklin Avenue. Volumes include records of sales and receipts. Also includes some loose bills and receipts.

Cite as: M.J. Sheehan Co. Business Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2163**Maas and Steffen Fur Company.****Collection, 1838-1946.** 1 folder

The Steffen family began a fur trading business called Maas and Steffen, Incorporated, The Standard Fur House, in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1914. It was founded by two friends from New Orleans, Eugene Maas and Edwin Steffen, Sr. The company was located in a quonset hut on Manchester Road. Eugene Maas was originally from Frankfurt, Germany. Edwin Steffen, Sr., learned the fur business from his brother-in-law from Wisconsin. Edwin Steffen, Jr., lived near Ladue. He attended Country Day School and Yale University. He was an officer in the mountain artillery and then joined the business in 1946. In the 1970s they were one of the few surviving fur traders still in St. Louis. They purchased furs from all over North America and sold them to wholesalers in Europe.

The collection consists of fur prices, brochures, shipping tags, company letters and a pamphlet on the fur trade in New Orleans.

Cite as: Maas and Steffen Fur Company, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1001**McAdams, Clark.****Papers, 1862-1940.** 3 boxes

Clark McAdams was born on a farm near Otterville, Jersey County, Illinois, in 1874. He was the son of William McAdams (1835-1895) and Ann Eliza Curtis McAdams (1847-1933). He spent his early life in Alton, Illinois, and attended Shurtleff College. His first newspaper work was in Alton, where he served as editor of the *Alton Republican* in the 1890s. He was a member of the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* staff for over 35 years and was in charge of its editorial page from 1929 until 1934, shortly before his death on November 29, 1935. He was one of the founders of the St. Louis Artists Guild and was its

president for the 22 years preceding his death. He was also an avid outdoorsman, devoted to wildlife and game conservation. He married Laura Baker of Alton in 1904.

Collection includes correspondence of Clark McAdams with his wife during their married life; Mrs. McAdams' notes about her husband's life; her story of his position as editor of the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* and revelations concerning Pulitzer; family records and genealogy of the Baker, Fall, and McAdams families; journal and diary (typed) of John Adams, 1776-1839, ancestor of the Baker and Fall families; business correspondence of Clark McAdams; and writings, articles, and poetry of Clark McAdams.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Clark McAdams Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1002

McAnally, David Rice (1810-1895).

Papers, 1780-1904. 2 boxes

Principal of East Tennessee Female Institute, Methodist Episcopal minister, came to St. Louis in 1851, started Carondelet M.E. Church, South, 1856, edited *St. Louis Christian Advocate*, 1850-1860. His son David Rice McAnally, Jr., was a professor of English literature at Missouri State University (now the University of Missouri) in Columbia.

Papers include genealogical material; sketch of life of Rev. David R. McAnally; lectures (or lecture notes) on Hebrew language by Mrs. D.R. McAnally and by Caroline Frances Wills; D.R. McAnally journal of a trip from Jonesboro, Tennessee, to Russellville, Kentucky, 1837; minutes of quarterly meeting conference of Waynesville Circuit, November 3, 1838; moral philosophy lecture, February 14, 1841; journal of a trip from Knoxville, Tennessee, to New York and return, 1846; memoranda book, commencing March 1, 1849; notes of lectures delivered in St. Louis during the winter of 1851-1852 at Centenary Church; history of First M.E. Church, South, Carondelet, 1877; and lectures of D.R. McAnally, Jr., professor of English literature at Missouri State University.

Cite as: David Rice McAnally Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0961

Macbeth, Malcolm (1865-1910).

Papers, 1840-1906. 10 boxes; 18 volumes; 2 oversize folders

St. Louis realtor and member of the Missouri Historical Society Board, 1893-1910. Married Clara P. Mitchell, 1866-1901, in 1890.

Business papers and correspondence relating to the business interests of Malcolm Macbeth. Genealogical records of the Macbeth and allied families, a large portion of which is unprocessed. Family history by Malcolm Macbeth, with his letters, accounts, and scrapbook, circa 1887-1900, includes newsclippings and invitations. Series of diaries of Clara Mitchell as a young girl circa 1879-1890 and her journals from a European trip, 1889, and a diary from her married years, 1895-1900; with partial typescript of diaries dating from 1881-1886. Also one book of receipts of Charles and Catherine Mitchell circa 1829-1843, collected by Malcolm Macbeth in 1901.

Cite as: Malcolm Macbeth Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2231**McCarthy, Edwin J. (1894-1973).****Correspondence, 1918-1943.** 1 folder (14 items)

Edwin James McCarthy was born February 25, 1894, in Illinois. He served with the 56th Engineers during World War I. After the war, he lived in St. Louis, where he worked as a switchman. McCarthy married Hazel Kraleman (1899-1968), and they had four children. He died November 20, 1973.

The collection consists of correspondence from McCarthy's family, primarily his brothers and their wives in California, discussing family affairs and working for the railroads. The collection also contains several postcards, including one written in French, dated 1919, from Biarritz, France; a minor's employment release, dated 1943, for McCarthy's son Edwin Lawrence to work for the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis; and an undated letter from Arthur W. Miller in Dallas, Texas, who served in World War I with McCarthy and briefly mentions their time in France.

Some French.

Cite as: Edwin J. McCarthy Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0962**MacCarthy Family.****Papers, 1887-1889, 1947-1971.** 2 boxes

Correspondence from John David MacCarthy and Nellie Keane MacCarthy during their courtship. Also includes family correspondence from the Minard and Janet MacCarthy family to Douglas MacCarthy.

Cite as: MacCarthy Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2548**McClellan, J.G.****Title abstract and history of Block 86, St. Louis, Missouri, 1873-1878.** 1 volume (approximately 350 pages)

This volume consists of a title abstract and history of Block 86, St. Louis, Missouri, compiled by J.G. McClellan [Josiah G. McClellan], investigator of real estate titles, for the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce Association. McClellan compiled the title abstract and history in 1873, and added some updates in 1878.

Cite as: J.G. McClellan Title Abstract and History of Block 86, St. Louis, Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1003**McClellan, Josiah G. (-1890).****Gould's Universal Index, 1859.** 1 volume

Died in Batavia, Illinois.

Alphabetical index book with printed introduction by Marcus T. Gould. Inscription says volume was presented to J.J.A. Foutcher by J.G. McClellan, 1859. Contains definitions, literary, and historical references, names, dates of birth, and dates of college matriculation of friends born 1820-1828. Not clear to whom volume belonged or where it

was used but was probably used by either Foutcher or McClellan during college.
Cite as: Josiah G. McClellan's copy of Gould's Universal Index, 1859, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1004

McCoy, Ellen Waddle (1818-1893).

Papers, 1834-1865. 1 box

Eleanor (Ellen) Waddle McCoy, born in Chillicothe, Ohio, was one of nine children born to John Waddle (1783-1831), a prominent merchant who had emigrated from Belfast, Ireland, settling in Chillicothe in 1802. Ellen's siblings included Angus (1st lieutenant and adjutant, 33rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry), John, William, and Lucy. In 1852, she moved to Independence, Missouri, and married William McCoy, a merchant and banker. William McCoy (1813-1900) was also born in Chillicothe, and with his brother John moved to Independence, Missouri, in June 1838, and in partnership with Carey A. Lee of Kentucky, opened a store under the name of McCoy and Lee. William McCoy also formed the firm of Waldo, Hall & Co., which ultimately started the overland mail service to Santa Fe, New Mexico. In addition, McCoy opened a bank in Independence, and in 1849 was elected the first mayor of that city. William McCoy and his wife, Ellen, had two children, Allen L. and Nancy (Nannie). Nannie married Charles L. Minor of Independence and had two daughters, Grace and Eleanor. John McCoy's daughter Jane (Jennie) married Samuel H. Woodson, a lawyer and mayor of Independence, 1892-1902, and had two daughters, Elizabeth and Margaret. William H. Dennis (1840-1862) served in Company D, 7th Illinois Volunteer Cavalry, during the Civil War. His connection with the McCoy's or Waddles is unknown.

The collection consists primarily of letters to Ellen Waddle McCoy, before and after her marriage, from her husband; from her sister Lucy, who remained in Chillicothe, Ohio; and from her brothers William and John. The letters from her husband, William, dated in the 1840s from Independence, Missouri, describe its early development and the beginning of westward migration. The collection also includes significant Civil War correspondence. Letters of Angus Waddle to Ellen McCoy, 1862-1864, describe the activities of the 33rd Ohio from Perryville, Kentucky; Stone's River, Tennessee; Chattanooga, Tennessee; Chickamauga, Tennessee; to the progress of Sherman's Atlanta campaign through Resaca, Rome, Big Shanty, Marietta and Atlanta. Also includes the semi-literate correspondence of William H. Dennis, dating from the organization of the 7th Illinois Volunteer Cavalry at Camp Butler, Illinois, in 1861, through the regiment's assignments in Missouri (New Madrid and Island #10), Tennessee, and Mississippi, and continuing until Dennis' death (presumably from illness) in late 1862. The collection also includes Civil War letters of Ellen and her friends and relatives describing bushwhackers and the generally unsettled conditions in western Missouri during the war.

Cite as: Ellen Waddle McCoy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1005

McCulloch, Richard.

Letterbook, 1894-1904. 1 volume

Chief engineer, National Railway Co., St. Louis, and representative and consultant in France and Switzerland for building of street railways. He also built the Baden, St. Louis

and Southwestern Railways, and was in charge of changing the Citizen Railway from cable to electric traction.

Letterbook of St. Louis and international railway engineer, 1894-1904, containing business correspondence in reference to the production of a tramway in Geneva, Switzerland.

Some French.

Cite as: Richard McCulloch Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1006

McDaniel, Samuel M. (1844-).

Reminiscences, 1910. 4 volumes

Samuel M. McDaniel was born June 7, 1844, in Pettis County, Missouri. His grandfather had changed the family name from McDonald to McDaniel. In December 1861 McDaniel left home to work his way through Union-controlled territory to join Gen. Mosby Monroe Parsons' infantry division under the command of Gen. Sterling Price's Confederate forces. McDaniel served as an artillery man at the battle of Pea Ridge, Arkansas (March 7-8, 1862) and later served as a courier with the Confederate forces in Arkansas. He terminated his military service at the end of 1864. After the war McDaniel attended Chester Academy in Chester, Illinois (1865), and soon thereafter taught third grade in Kaskaskia, Illinois. He also attended McKendree College in Lebanon, Illinois, and "united with" the Methodist Episcopal Church. He later joined the "Christian Church" and began to try his hand preaching (December 1867). By 1870 McDaniel had become a part-time preacher, in addition to farming, and by 1872, was preaching full time at Miami, Missouri. In addition, he acted as a part-time preacher for churches in Slater and Norborne (Carroll County) and in Lamine (Cooper County). Subsequent ministries were in Higginsville, Clinton, and Paris in Missouri; and then in Little Rock, Arkansas. McDaniel later returned to Missouri for pastoral positions at Fayette and Warrensburg (1893). After retirement, he continued to live in Warrensburg until deteriorating health prompted him to move to Kansas City in 1905.

Samuel B. McDaniel's reminiscences consist of two manuscript volumes with two volumes of typed transcripts. The volumes discuss McDaniel's family origins, the New Madrid earthquake of 1811, contacts with hostile Indians, westward migration from the Mississippi region, the trials of homesteading in new country, and the lynching of a Negro accused of murdering a white woman. McDaniel's narrative also discusses his Civil War activities; his postwar activities as a student, laborer, and teacher; his call to the ministry; his marriage, and his pastoral work. Also includes comments on slavery and on the "Drake Constitution" of Missouri.

Cite as: Samuel M. McDaniel Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0963

MacDonald Construction Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1959-1972. 89 boxes; 4 volumes

Construction company located in St. Louis. Assisted in the construction of the Gateway Arch, St. Louis.

Records contain building plans, specifications, and blueprints for construction work

done by company. Also includes financial records and correspondence of the company; records regarding construction of the John M. Olin Library at Washington University; and some records regarding the construction of the Gateway Arch. The bulk of the collection is unprocessed.

Cite as: MacDonald Construction Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2295

MacDowell, Earl B. (1875-1945).

Letter to wife, 1927 July 9. 1 item

Earl B. MacDowell was a salesman and resident of Kansas City, Missouri.

Letter of Earl B. MacDowell to his wife, written on the stationery of the Huntington Arms Hotel, 5560 Pershing Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Letter is postmarked July 9, 1927. The letterhead includes an illustration of the hotel.

Cite as: Earl B. MacDowell letter to wife, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1007

McElhinney, Alexander (1824-1895).

Papers, 1856-1902; 1909. 8 volumes

Alexander McElhinney was born February 10, 1824, in Butler County, Pennsylvania. He settled in Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County, in 1845 and during the Civil War served as adjutant of the 1st Enrolled Missouri Militia. After the war he practiced law in St. Louis County. He was named notary public in St. Louis County in 1884. He died July 2, 1895, in Clayton, Missouri. His son John W. McElhinney (1851-1928) was St. Louis County attorney and notary public from 1877 to 1883.

Civil War records of the 1st Enrolled Missouri Militia (Union) consisting of oaths of neutrality of foreign-born residents sworn before Lieutenant Alexander McElhinney and Lieutenant John McDonald at Camp Bates, Manchester, Missouri, 1862, with list of volunteer enrollees; regimental order book from Camp Bates, William P. Fenn, commander, Alexander McElhinney, adjutant (1862-1863), with personal and professional accounts of Alexander McElhinney (1873 and 1884). Ledgers of law practice of Alexander McElhinney (1856-1878 and 1864-1879), with some isolated regimental records from 1864. Ledgers of law practice of John W. McElhinney, 1874-1902. Record and minute books of John W. McElhinney, notary public, 1877-1881; and baseball scrapbook of John W. McElhinney, 1909.

Cite as: Alexander McElhinney Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2322

McEvers, N.D.

Steamboat Bills of Lading Record Book, 1888 Apr-1889 Dec. 1 item (148 pages)

This record book of N.D. McEvers includes bills of lading for goods shipped by various steamboats from Montezuma, Illinois, primarily to St. Louis, Missouri. (A small number of the bills are for goods shipped to Peoria, Illinois.) Most of these bills of lading are for the steamboats *Calhoun*, *Cherokee*, and *D.H. Pike*. These bills of lading include the name of the recipient (usually a business) and a list of the articles shipped and the weight of these articles.

Cite as: N.D. McEvers Steamboat Bills of Lading Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1008

McEwen, James, Jr.

McEwen family papers, 1726-1927. 1 box

James McEwen, Jr., was the son of James McEwen, Sr., and his wife, Frances (1877-1864). He moved to Rockville, Indiana, in 1826, and married Frances Wolton Swearingen (1811-) of Franklin, Ohio. They had at least four children: Charles, Margaret, James Robert, and Mary Frances. In 1852, James McEwen, Jr., traveled without his family to prospect in California and mine the Grass Valley/Iowa Hill area near Sacramento, while working as a sawmill manager to support himself. He returned east in 1856 or 1857 to Davenport, Iowa, where he bought a farm. He moved his family from Rockport to Davenport, and the family lived in Iowa until 1863, when they returned permanently to Indiana. The McEwen's daughter Frances married John J. Safely of Boone County, Iowa, in 1866. Safely had served in the Civil War as a captain with the 13th Iowa Infantry and after his marriage pursued mining interests. Margaret McEwen married William Henry Nye. Their known children were Marshall, Hattie, and Willie. James Robert McEwen's children were James W., Charles F., and Edna. As of 1886 he was an engineer in St. Louis.

Papers consist mainly of family correspondence including letters of James McEwen, Sr., to his son; letters from friends to James, Jr., and letters from James, Jr., to his future wife, Frances Swearingen. The collection also includes letters of James, Jr., written to his family while he traveled westward to California, and describe life in the gold rush region. One lengthy letter describes the conditions of a wagon train traveling west (folder 4). The collection also includes Civil War letters received by Mary Frances McEwen from several soldiers in Iowa regiments. One letter from a Captain Charlie describes Union losses in the Red River Campaign. Others describe the siege of Corinth, Mississippi. The largest body of letters are from her future husband, John J. Safely, who was with Sherman on his Atlanta campaign. Their datelines reflect the route of Sherman's army through Resaca, Kenesaw Mountain, Marietta, Big Shanty, and Atlanta. One particularly graphic letter describes the hand-to-hand combat of the 13th Iowa Infantry in the battle of Atlanta (folder 10, July 23, 1864). The Civil War material also includes some personal papers of Capt. Safely, two official notes from Brig. Gen. William K. Belknap, and a copy of a letter from Safely to Mrs. William T. Sherman offering her the flag from the state capitol building in Charleston, South Carolina. Also includes a variety of family correspondence from the postwar period, consisting of letters of Mary Frances to her mother and sister; letters of Margaret to her mother; correspondence between Mary Frances and Margaret; and letters from John J. Safely to Mary Frances written while traveling on business in the West, one of which describes an adventurous trip from Yuma, Arizona, to a sulphur mine in Mexico. The collection also includes some Nye family papers.

Cite as: McEwen Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1009

McFadden, Johnson L.

Daybook, 1854-1868. 1 volume (170 pages)

Records of Boonville, Missouri, tailor.

Cite as: Johnson L. McFadden Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1010

McFerran, James H.B. (1819-1891).

Papers, 1859-1891. 2 folders (approximately 15 items)

James H.B. McFerran was born September 17, 1819, in Hancock, Washington County, Maryland. In 1848, he moved to Gallatin, Missouri, where he began to practice law. He served as a state legislator and circuit court judge. In April 1862 he organized the 1st Cavalry, Missouri State Militia. He was mustered out in February 1865, and moved to Colorado Springs in 1873. He died there in October 1891.

Papers include certificate of election of McFerran as Missouri circuit judge, 17th judicial; muster-out roll; general and special army orders; reminiscences of General Sterling Price's Campaign, second battle of Independence, Missouri; printed copy of closing speech for the state made by William H. Wallace, prosecuting attorney for Jackson County, Missouri, in trial of Frank James for murder at Gallatin, Missouri.

Cite as: James H.B. McFerran Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1011

McGibbons, John Harmon (1866-).

Certificates, 1887-1928. 1 oversize folder

Diplomas from Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois, June 5, 1887-1891; and certificates of appointment and honor related to positions held and honors received in connection with international expositions, including the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1892-1907; and certificate of honor and membership in the Civil Legion for World War I service as a member of the American Protective League, 1928.

Some French and Japanese.

Cite as: John Harmon McGibbons Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1012

McGuire, Phillip.

Papers, 1807-1838. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers include receipts, business accounts of Phillip McGuire from Washington County, Missouri.

Cite as: Phillip McGuire Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1013

McGunnegle, George K., III.

McGunnegle family papers, 1862-1901. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

George K. McGunnegle, Sr. (1800-1878), came on horseback from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to St. Louis in 1821 to work for his cousin Capt. James McGunnegle (1785-1829), who was U.S. Army quartermaster for the area. George, Sr., formed a wholesale grocery business of McGunnegle & Way with James C. Way, a venture that failed in the 1830s. He then became active in the insurance business from 1837 to 1873,

serving as president of the St. Louis Insurance Company. Of his eight children, George K. McGunnege, Jr. (1839-1918), was a captain in the Civil War (Union) and served most as an aide to his brother-in-law Major General John W. Davidson. Another son William S. McGunnege served in the navy during the Civil War and rose to the rank of lieutenant before retiring in the 1870s. George, Jr's., son George K. McGunnege, III (1874-), worked in the paint industry in St. Louis.

Collection consists of the papers of George K. McGunnege, Sr., Jr., and III. Includes Civil War commissions (2nd lieutenant, 77th New York State Volunteers, and 1st lieutenant, Company D, 1st Wisconsin Cavalry) and orders for George, Jr.; George, Sr's., will; and newsclippings (mostly obituaries) from the late-nineteenth and early-twentieth centuries. The bulk of the collection relates to George K. McGunnege, III, in part relating to the paint industry. Some papers relate to a grievance he had with the Lehmann Machine Company and its president Frank Niehaus; other papers relate to his efforts to publicize the accomplishments of his grandfather, George, Sr.

Cite as: McGunnege Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2736

Mackenzie Family.

Papers, 1813-1899. 1 box

Kenneth Mackenzie was born April 15, 1797, in Rosshire, Scotland. He emigrated to Quebec in the 1810s, where he found employment as a clerk with the North West Company. He moved to St. Louis in 1822, and eventually became president of the Columbia Fur Company and later the Upper Missouri Outfit of the American Fur Company. On June 26, 1842, he married Mary Marshall. He died April 26, 1861.

Papers consist primarily of business correspondence of Kenneth Mackenzie; correspondence of Mackenzie with his wife, Mrs. Mary Marshall Mackenzie; and correspondence of Jane Marshall with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Marshall Mackenzie. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mackenzie Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0964

MacKenzie, Kenneth (1797-1861).

Papers, 1796-1918 (bulk 1833-1893). 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Fur trader and merchant. Born in Scotland, 1797, died 1861. Went to Canada, entered the employ of the North West Co. In 1822, came to St. Louis, applied for citizenship. Organized the Columbia Fur Co. with trade extending north to the headwaters of the Mississippi River, east to the Great Lakes and west to the Missouri River. In 1827, MacKenzie's outfit merged with the American Fur Company, Upper Missouri Outfit. He built Fort Union (1829) and in 1834 was charged with operating a distillery there. He joined the firm of Chouteau and MacKenzie that same year, and remained until the company dissolved in 1841; was associated with P. Chouteau, Jr., & Co., until 1850 when he continued his business as a commission merchant. Invested heavily in lands in Missouri, Illinois, and Minnesota.

Business, personal, and family correspondence; accounts (1842-1857) with business firms in St. Louis; legal documents; real estate papers (1840-1884) of St. Louis properties; bills of sale (1828-1841) for slaves; papers (1849) of a sawmill operation in

St. Louis; contract (1847) for building a wharf boat, St. Louis; steamboat shipping orders; and bills. Correspondents include John Jacob Astor, Benjamin F. Baker, Pierre Chouteau, Jr., Ramsey Crooks, Alexander Faribault, William Laidlaw, D.A. MacKenzie, and H.H. Sibley. Additional materials include papers relating to the lead business (early 1840s), later family papers, and Civil War materials.

Cite as: Kenneth MacKenzie Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1014

McKinley, Emilie R. (1833-).

Diary, 1863-1864. 1 volume

Miss Emilie R. McKinley was a teacher from Tennessee who lived on a large plantation (85 slaves) owned by a widow named Ellen D. Batchelor (1826-1893), wife of Napoleon B. Batchelor (1815-1850), and mother of Thomas B. Batchelor (1838-1868) and George B. Batchelor (1839-1908), both of whom served with the Confederate army during the Civil War. The Batchelor plantation was located three miles south of Bovina, Mississippi, and six miles east-southeast of Vicksburg.

The McKinley narrative, dated May 18, 1863-March 18, 1864, starts the day before the beginning of the siege of Vicksburg, when Union troops crossed the Big Black River and began surrounding the city. McKinley's diary relates rumors of the event and the hopes for relief that were commonplace in Vicksburg and the surrounding area, and the reluctance to accept the fact of its fall. Written from a civilian point of view, much of the diary is devoted to describing the interaction between area residents and the occupying Union troops. Union soldiers appeared frequently at the Batchelor residence and, according to McKinley, were continually demanding food, and appear to have taken most of what was available in the way of livestock, grain, flour, sugar, etc., as well as jewelry and other valuables. McKinley also writes of more social contacts between residents and soldiers and recounts occasions where soldiers demanded meals at the Batchelor home. The diary also notes a great deal of destruction in the vicinity: the burning of cotton gins, destruction of homes and barns, much of which McKinley saw while traveling through the region to visit friends. McKinley also describes events following the fall of Vicksburg, including frequent contact with high-ranking Union officers such as Generals Grant, MacPherson, Osterhaus, Sherman, and McClelland, when area residents registered complaints and made, sometimes successful, appeals for assistance in recovering pilfered goods and livestock, or guards to protect residents from unrestricted looting. McKinley also addresses the relationships between former slaves and the slave owners and characterizing them as uncertain and unstable. Finally, she relates that the Union control of the region was not absolute, as evidenced by occasional contact with Confederate scouting parties in the region and reports of an occasional skirmish.

Diary is published in Gordon A. Cotton, editor, *From the Pen of a She-Rebel: The Civil War Diary of Emilie Riley McKinley*, University of South Carolina Press, 2001.

Cite as: Emilie R. McKinley Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1015

McKinney Family.

Papers, 1909; 1942. 1 folder

Inventory and daily sales for James McKinney's general store in Naylor, Missouri,

1909; two undated animated moving picture tickets; two World War II ration books issued to Herbert Lee Gamber and Norma Lee Gamber; receipt for piano lessons
Cite as: McKinney Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2369

McKinney, Mary E.

Papers, 1881-1914. 14 items

Mary E. McKinney was born circa 1858, and lived in various locations in Missouri. She married Houston Hoss, and died May 28, 1920, in St. Louis. Various members of the McKinney family resided in Missouri, Oregon, and Texas. Mary E. McKinney's sister Florence moved from Missouri to Oregon in 1883.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence of various McKinney family members, mostly residing in Missouri and Oregon, to Mary E. McKinney. Also includes some correspondence with family friends.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mary E. McKinney Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2903

Mackler, Jacob H.

Papers, 1918-1920; no date. 5 items

Papers include (1) a letter signed Philip McCollum, St. Joseph, Mo., to Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Mackler, 1118 Clara Ave., St. Louis, Mo., January 23, 1918, congratulating them on the birth of their child. Also discusses his thoughts of running for a state office, and mentions that he is doing freelance writing for newspapers and magazines. (2) Letter signed Jake [Jacob H. Mackler] to his wife and son, August 23, 1920. (3) Postcard of the Missouri State Capitol, Jefferson City, with note on back signed Jake to Mrs. J.H. Mackler, postmarked December 16, 1918. (4) Portrait photograph of Jacob Mackler and (5) a photograph of Jacob Mackler with his young son, Boris Mackler.

Cite as: Jacob H. Mackler Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1016

McManus, William L., Dr.

Daybook, 1846-1848. 1 volume (100 pages)

Records of practice of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, physician.

Cite as: William L. McManus Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1017

McMurtry Family.

Papers, 1861-1947. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

James S. McMurtry served as captain of Company H, 31st Missouri Infantry (Union), from September 1862 to August 1863. He was captured in Mississippi in December 1862, paroled, and exchanged. In August 1864 he enrolled as 1st lieutenant in Company A, 47th Missouri Infantry. He was promoted to captain and was discharged in March 1865. He died February 2, 1902, in St. Louis County.

Collection contains letters to and from James McMurtry and family regarding the Civil War. Also includes tax receipts of family, 1864-1947; financial notes; muster-out

roll of Company A, 47th Missouri Infantry, August 29, 1864; deeds; leases; official papers, 1862-1865; probate records of James, Jane and William McMurtry and a patent for a dumping wagon, October 3, 1876, to Wm. McMurtry.

Cite as: McMurtry Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2470

McMurtry, J.S.

Circular titled "Buy a Home in Eastern Oklahoma," no date. 1 item

J.S. McMurtry was a real estate agent in Quay, Oklahoma.

Circular includes descriptions and prices of five plots of land for sale.

Cite as: J.S. McMurtry Circular Titled "Buy a Home in Eastern Oklahoma," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1018

McNair, Alexander.

Collection, 1812-1924. 3 folders (approximately 35 items); 1 oversize folder

Alexander McNair was the first governor of the state of Missouri.

McNair family genealogy; correspondence while in office regarding political matters; court clerk's transcript of testimony in suit relating to the McNair property, giving in full testimony of witnesses of interest; newspaper articles regarding McNair; obituary of Marie Bakewell; certificate of appointment of Patrick Walsh as notary public in St. Louis County, January 12, 1821.

Cite as: Alexander McNair Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1019

McNeal, Virginia (1912-1995?).

Scrapbook 1928-1929. 1 volume; 1 folder

One volume "Stunt Book" contains photograph of friends, relatives, pets; clippings, greeting cards, "reminiscences," awards and programs. The purchased blank book was designed and illustrated by Elizabeth Colborne, published by The Reilly & Lee Co., Chicago. Interesting examples of border designs and spot illustrations from the period.

Cite as: Virginia McNeal Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0965

Macon County, Missouri.

Defalcation papers, 1871-1912. 4 folders (approximately 50 items)

The collection deals with the suits instituted against Macon County for payments of bonds for the building of a road issued to the Missouri and Mississippi Railroad Company—a road that was never built.

Cite as: Macon County, Missouri, Defalcation Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1020

McPheeters, William M., Dr.

Papers, 1852-1903 (bulk 1861-1868). 1 box

Dr. William Marcellus McPheeters was born December 3, 1815, in Raleigh, North

Carolina. He arrived in St. Louis in 1841. In 1862, he fled St. Louis and joined the Confederate army as a surgeon. In 1865, his wife and children were banished from St. Louis and joined Dr. McPheeters in Arkansas. Following the war, the McPheeters family returned to St. Louis, where Dr. McPheeters died March 15, 1905.

Civil War diary of William M. McPheeters, dated June 1863 to June 1865. Scrapbook of Civil War clippings, family correspondence, testimony concerning treatment of Mrs. McPheeters by Union army, statement of reasons why Dr. McPheeters joined the Confederate army. Records of Missouri Southern Relief Association, with letter and receipt from Varina Davis for funds sent to aid Davis after the war. (Diary is published in Cynthia Dehaven Pitcock and Bill J. Gurley, editors, *I Acted from Principle: The Civil War Diary of Dr. William M. McPheeters, Confederate Surgeon in the Trans-Mississippi*, Fayetteville, Arkansas, University of Arkansas Press, 2002.)

List of manuscripts at beginning of collection.

Cite as: William M. McPheeters Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1021

McQuie, R.E., Rev.

The Rev. R.E. McQuie memorial collection, 1861-1935. 51 volumes

Rev. Robert E. McQuie (1848-1936), Rev. Robert S. Duncan (1832-1909).

Contains 51 bound volumes of marriage records, sermons, notes, receipts, etc. from United Baptist of Christ Church in Montgomery City, Missouri, foreign missions, and other area churches, including Bear Creek, Indian Creek, and Good Templar Lodge. Most belonged to Rev. Robert S. Duncan; others belonged to Rev. R.E. McQuie.

Cite as: The Rev. R.E. McQuie Memorial Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1022

McRee Family.

Papers, 1819-1928. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Appointment of William McRee on surveyor of public lands in Illinois and Missouri, 1824, 1825, 1828; several military commissions given to Samuel McRee, 1832-1849; some family and personal correspondence; license of Ferguson McRee, 1861, to practice law in Missouri; sketch of the life of James Fergus McRee as it appeared in *News and Observer* (Raleigh, North Carolina), 1928.

Cite as: McRee Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1839

McWilliams, Nancy and Kate.

Papers, 1863-1866. 4 items

Nancy and Kate McWilliams resided in Olney, Illinois, in the 1860s.

Collection contains the following four letters addressed to Nancy and/or Kate McWilliams: letter signed Herbert Reed of the 8th Illinois Infantry, dated Vicksburg, Mississippi, September 4, 1863; two letters signed by Union soldier Rollie, dated Etowah River [near Cartersville, Georgia], July 16, 1864, and Cartersville, September 11, 1864, which contain mentions of food and prayer meetings in camp; and letter signed Miss Ama Ohm, dated Etna, Illinois, February 3, 1866.

Cite as: Nancy and Kate McWilliams Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0966

Madison County, Missouri.

Collection, 1814-1962. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Various deeds regarding Madison County, assorted papers concerning Mine LaMotte, 1917, blueprints, legal papers; manuscript in pencil, "Mine LaMotte, Missouri; Its Exploitation by the Missouri Metals Corporation with Especial References to Their Ability to Produce Copper, Nickel, and Cobalt," by L.A. Parsons.

Cite as: Madison County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0967

Maffitt Realty and Investment Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1899-1943. 4 volumes

Founded in 1899.

Corporate records, consisting of minute book (1899-1927), trial balance ledger (1932-1943), cashbook (1936-1943), and ledger (1941-1943).

Cite as: Maffitt Realty and Investment Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0968

Magill, Ellen.

Papers, 1837-1887. 1 box (137 items)

Ellen Rose Magill was born circa 1834 (she was listed as 16 years of age in the 1850 census) in Missouri and died March 27, 1920. She was the daughter of Dr. Samuel and Rebecca Magill. She lived in Florissant [St. Ferdinand] all her life. She died in the Old Folks Home located at 6600 Washington Avenue in St. Louis and was buried at the Fee Fee Cemetery at 11210 St. Charles Rock Road.

Collection consists primarily of letters written to Ellen Magill from various members of her family and some from friends. There are also business letters concerning land and some dealing with a cousin, Lucy Sullivan, whose account at St. Vincent's Institution was paid for by Ellen and Jane Magill. Also includes freight receipts for items and money sent to St. Vincent's Institution and an account book from a local grocery store. The letters from family and friends relate to family and local news. The areas of interest are Florissant, Mexico and St. Louis, Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ellen Magill Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2927

Magnin, Marcella.

Collection, 1901-1941. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

The collection, which was donated by Marcella Magnin in 1994, consists primarily of programs for events in St. Louis and advertising material for St. Louis businesses.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Marcella Magnin Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0969

Maguolo, George J.

Papers, 1917-1945. 3 boxes

The son of Italian immigrants, George J. Maguolo studied architecture at Washington University before entering the army in November 1917. Maguolo served in France until 1919, when he returned to St. Louis to resume his studies at Washington University. Maguolo was a member of the architecture firm of Maguolo and Quick.

Correspondence from Maguolo to his parents and sister, often illustrated; letters from his brother Sergeant America (Mare) Maguolo, circa 1945; sketchbook of drawings by George Maguolo, May 1918, while on leave in France. The collection does not include architectural drawings or firm records; these have probably been destroyed.

Some French.

Cite as: George J. Maguolo Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0970

Maher, Joseph.

James Callaway papers, 1792-1854. 5 folders (approximately 125 items)

James Callaway was the son of Flanders Callaway and Jemima Boone, daughter of Daniel Boone. The Callaways moved from Kentucky to Missouri about 1801 and settled in Warren County, Missouri. James Callaway became the deputy sheriff and also collected taxes in the St. Charles district. In 1808, he was the paymaster for the Clark expedition that built Fort Osage. He served under Major Z. Taylor in the Rock River expedition. He married Nancy Howell, May 9, 1805. He was killed by Indians March 7, 1815, at Loutre Creek.

Collection includes the diary of James Callaway, 1802-1814, with both the original and a copy. The diary covers the period of a trip of 430 militia and rangers under Major Zachary Taylor from Cap au Gris to Rock River. Also includes letters from Capt. James Callaway to his wife, Nancy, 1813-1815, while in action against the Indians. Remainder of the papers consists of a military roster, tax lists, items concerning Nancy's efforts to collect a pension as a war widow, and efforts of John B. Callaway and Newton Howell, administrators of James Callaway's estate, to settle a note of \$400 between James Callaway and Gen. Benjamin Howard, 1816-1818.

Cite as: James Callaway Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2552

Mahler, Jacob A.

Brochure, circa 1880s. 1 item

Brochure advertises Jacob A. Mahler's classes in dancing and deportment to be held at Masonic Hall, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Cite as: Jacob A. Mahler Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0971

Majers, Alfred.

Architecture Collection, circa 1939-1975.

Drawings, firm records, personal materials, photographs, and reference material regarding approximately 50 residential, commercial, and institutional projects. Firms represented include Study & Farrar; Study, Farrar & Majers; Majers & Allen; Majers & Baebler.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Alfred Majers Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Maletz, Paul Werner

See Kuhl, Julius. Paul Werner Maletz Collection.

A0972

Mallinckrodt, Emil.

Papers, 1809-1838. 1 box (approximately 50 items)

Emil Mallinckrodt was born November 9, 1805, in Dortmund, Germany, and sailed for America late in 1831. He settled first in St. Charles County, but in the spring of 1840 he moved to St. Louis, buying a tract of land on the present site of Bremen, where he built his home, laid out gardens and invested in real estate. In 1833, he married an American woman, Elinor Lucke, whose ill health during the 1850s caused him to move from the growing city to a more healthful farm on Bonhomme road. He died in 1892. The Mallinckrodt Chemical Works was established by his sons in 1867. The papers include original and typed copies of correspondence of Emil Mallinckrodt in which he describes everyday life. Also includes the correspondence of Hugh Armstrong in San Francisco and Civil War material in relation to Hugh Armstrong. Also includes a scrapbook of German newspaper editorials by Emil Mallinckrodt.

Original correspondence in German manuscript, with German typescript transcriptions, and English typescript translations.

Cite as: Emil Mallinckrodt Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0973

Manar, Louis J.

Papers, 1915-1935. 1 folder (approximately 10 items)

Louis Manar, known as "Indian Lou" or the medicine man, in St. Louis in the 1930s. He owned the first crier bell that was heard in St. Louis.

Correspondence between the Missouri Historical Society and Manar regarding the bell and a movie that was being made about St. Louis in 1921. Newsclippings in regard to the bell and the Pageant and Masque.

Cite as: Louis J. Manar Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0974

Manley, Helen (1894-1987).

Papers, 1911-1983. 6 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Helen Manley was born November 15, 1894, in St. Louis. She graduated from McKinley High School in 1911. She earned an undergraduate degree from Wellesley College and her master's degree from Columbia University in New York. She taught physical education at Kirksville High School for several years, before returning to St.

Louis, working as a physical education instructor for the University City public schools, where she developed the school system's physical education program. In 1946, she was elected president of the American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation. The following year she served as senior specialist in health and physical education for the United States Office of Education. In 1948, the army sent her to Japan for three months as a visiting expert to advise Japanese educators in health education. After retiring from the University City public schools in 1960, she served as the executive director of the Social Health Association of Greater St. Louis. She was a nationally known pioneer in the fields of physical education and sex education. She died November 18, 1987.

Papers consist primarily of correspondence, publications and newsclippings relating to Helen Manley's career as an educator in the fields of physical education and sex education. Includes curriculum guides and papers regarding teacher training; papers regarding Washington University's traveling seminars in health education; outline and rough draft of Manley's proposed book "Health in a Changing World"; Wellesley College yearbook (1915) and other reunion and alumnae publications; University City Public Schools Christmas newsletters and other University City schools material; papers regarding school camping; Helen Manley's girl graduate book from McKinley High School.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Helen Manley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0975

Mann, Bertha B.

Journals, 1882-1897. 2 volumes

Married to Alexander St. Clair Mann.

Records of household expenses of St. Louis woman.

Cite as: Bertha B. Mann Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0976

Manuscript catalogue of guns, circa 1948. 1 volume

Unidentified handwritten catalogue of guns and a few swords. Includes descriptions, sketches, notes on history of various specific guns; including early and rare guns.

Possibly catalogue of a specific collection. Possibly record of guns stored at the Soldiers Memorial, 13th and Chestnut, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Manuscript Catalogue of Guns, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0977

Maravich, Stephen (Svetozar) (1907-1992).

Papers, 1928-1992. 2 boxes; 1 oversize box

Stephen Maravich was born April 10, 1907, in St. Louis, Missouri. He was the son of Serbian immigrants, Nikola and Anka Maravich, who arrived in America in 1900.

Stephen attended St. Louis High School and St. Louis University. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps and Military Intelligence Division during World War II. Maravich received a Bronze Star for his service. After the war he assisted former Serbian POWs and became active in Serbian organizations in the U.S. He was a member of the Serb

National Federation and served as vice president of the Serb National Defense Council. Maravich owned Stevens Auto Park Inc. for nearly 50 years. In addition, he served as president and director of the Bank of Hillsboro and Bank of House Springs. Stephen Maravich died January 29, 1992, in St. Louis.

Papers consist of correspondence, newspaper articles, programs, photographs, and other material, which document Maravich's military service and involvement in church and fraternal activities from the 1940s to the 1990s. Maravich's deep interest in his Serbian heritage is also revealed within the collection. The correspondence is arranged chronologically. A sizeable portion of the collection is in Serbian.

Cite as: Stephen Maravich Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2182

Marcus, Joseph.

Peddler's License, 1875. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Peddler's license issued to Joseph Marcus, August 9, 1875, signed by St. Louis mayor H. Britton.

Cite as: Joseph Marcus Peddler's License, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0978

Margreiter, John L.

Collection, 1965-1987. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Research materials and correspondence regarding the Woodruff "steel two-pounder skirmish gun" of Civil War vintage.

Cite as: John L. Margreiter Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0979

Margry, Pierre (1818-1894).

Margry-Kilian papers, [1700-1887]. 1 folder

Pierre Margry (1818-1894) was a French author. Edward A.K. Kilian was a scholar and historical writer who died October 24, 1910, in Manhattan, Kansas.

Collection includes Kilian's translations of some of Margry's writings, including (1) typescript titled "To Where the Mississippi and Missouri Have Been Ascended. Discovery of Two Sources of the First of These Rivers. Notice of a Grande River Which Rises on the Mountains Where the Source of the Missouri Is and Which Falls in the Sea of the West," translated from Margry's *Memoires et Documents* (17 pages). (2) Typescript titled "Translations from Pierre Margry's [Margry's] Memoirs and Documents by Edward A.K. Kilian. Documents Relating to Claude Charles du Tisne's Explorations in Missouri" (6 pages). (3) Typescript titled "The Expeditions of Lieutenant Claude Charles du Tisne by Edward August Karl Kilian, Secretary Quivera Historical Society" (7 pages). (4) Typescript titled "Relations of the French with Various Peoples, the Missouris, the Kansas, the Ototoctas, the Osages, the Agovis, the Panis, the Panimahas, the Ricasas and the Padoucas. Etienne Vengard de Bourgmont Establishes Fort d'Orleans on the Missouri and Effects Peace between Several Nations and the Padoucas, 1722-1724" (40 pages). (5) Handwritten translation of Margry's Memoirs and Documents pertaining to the history of French settlers in the countries across the sea (37 pages).

Cite as: Margry-Kilian Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0980**Margulis, Sam B.****Sam B. and Helen H. Margulis Papers, 1916-1983.** 2 boxes

Sam Burt Margulis was a member of the January 1916 graduating class of Franklin School in St. Louis, and graduated from Washington University in 1925. He married Helen Flora Hirschfeld, who had attended Ben Blewett Junior High School in St. Louis, graduating in January 1921, and East St. Louis High School in East St. Louis, Illinois, graduating in June 1924. Both were active in the reunion activities of their respective high schools.

Records relating to the school and school reunion activities of Sam B. and Helen Hirschfeld Margulis. Includes 1916 report card for Spanish class issued to Charles Margulis from Soldan High School; two reports by Sam Margulis for a Washington University advertising seminar, 1925; material and programs relating to Sam B. Margulis' 1925 graduation from Washington University; class reunion materials for the January 1916 class of Franklin School (St. Louis), for reunions in 1941 and 1966. The collection also contains a school friendship book belonging to Helen Flora Hirschfeld from Ben Blewett Junior High School in St. Louis, 1921; and class reunion books from for the 1963, 1973, and 1983 reunions for the 1923-1924 classes of East St. Louis High School. Cite as: Sam B. and Helen H. Margulis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0981**Maritz & Young, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Friedman Residence Renderings, circa 1927.** 1 folder

Two pencil and watercolor renderings of the residence for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Friedman located at 6408 Forsyth Boulevard, opposite Washington University. Cite as: Maritz & Young, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri). Friedman Residence Renderings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0982**Mark Twain Monument Commission.****Records, 1911-1912.** 1 volume

The Mark Twain Monument Commission was established March 27, 1911, to erect a statue of Mark Twain (Samuel Clemens) in Hannibal, Missouri.

Letters, notes, and accounts.

Cite as: Mark Twain Monument Commission Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0983**Markham, Mary McKittrick.****Diaries and scrapbooks, 1891-1943.** 4 boxes

Mary McKittrick married George D. Markham.

Three record books regarding the family and social life of Mary McKittrick Markham, containing diary entries and memorabilia, 1897-1943; small notebook of letters, 1897-1898; diary of summer trip to Europe, June 27-September 4, 1909; undated

birthday book; photographs; and two scrapbooks, 1891-1895. Also includes a bound manuscript titled "An Informal History of The St. Louis Symphony Society, compiled for George D. Markham, May 25, 1927."

Cite as: Mary McKittrick Markham Diaries and Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2476

Marquette, The (St. Louis, Missouri).

Meeting minutes, 1874 Mar 9-June 17. 1 item (13 pages)

The meetings of the society known as "The Marquette" were held at the Annunciation Hall, southeast corner of 6th Street and Chouteau Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Members included Patrick Barry, Rev. Philip P. Brady, Oscar W. Collet, Thos. V. Collet [Thomas V. Collet], M.M. Conroy, Jno. Daly [John Daly], Rev. D.J. Doherty, Jno. A. Doherty [John A. Doherty], Basil T. Elder, Paul Flood, H.G. Fougén, Edwd. Fox [Edward Fox], Dennis Galvin, Thos. Galvin [Thomas Galvin], Lawrence Garvey, Edwd. Green [Edward Green], Thos. Gugerty [Thomas Gugerty], Jas. Hardy [James Hardy], D.L. Hatton, Tim Hickie, Chas. S. Jones [Charles S. Jones], Chas. Maher [Charles Maher], David Magner, F. Mavin, Jr., J.F. McDermot, Philip McGinniss, Chas. Michaux [Charles Michaux], Peter Murphy, Edwd. A. Noonan [Edward A. Noonan], Jno. H. O'Neill [John H. O'Neill], H.T. Patten, Hy. Patton [Henry Patton], Wm. Phelan [William Phelan], Jas. A.H. Pillsbury [James A.H. Pillsbury], P. Wm. Provenchere, Jas. A. Quirk [James A. Quirk], Jas. Ruane [James Ruane], Denis Ryan, Jno. A. Scholten [John A. Scholten], H.J. Spaunhorst, Wm. Stewart [William Stewart], and Jno. Waddell [John Waddell]. Margaret J. Papin (nee Brent), who died in 1870, was an honorary member.

Cite as: The Marquette Meeting Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0984

Marquette Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Scrapbook, 1891. 1 volume

Scrapbook, containing correspondence and clippings related to a golden jubilee celebration in honor of the archbishop of St. Louis, Peter Richard Kenrick, 1891.

Cite as: Marquette Club Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0985

Marquis de Lafayette collection, 1779-1938. 7 folders (approximately 100 items)

Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert du Mortier Marquis de Lafayette, French statesman and army officer.

Collection includes two notes from Lafayette; copy of map showing his journey (1824-1825) through the United States; sketch of life and belongings of Lafayette by his physician, Jules Cloquet; letter from Lafayette's son George W. Lafayette; and correspondence, pamphlets, newsclippings, memorabilia and other papers relating to Lafayette, his visit to St. Louis, his funeral, and the 1925 centennial celebration of his visit.

Cite as: Marquis de Lafayette Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0986

Marr, James.

Papers, 1863-1926. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Correspondence to James Marr of Carondelet, Missouri, concerning various military positions he held: captain in the Union army; supervisor of internal revenue, 1868; appointed the eastern representative for the Cheyenne, Iron Mountain and Helena Railroad, 1871. Photostats of railroad passes; photostatic copy of ticket of admission to U.S. Senate for the impeachment of the president, May 26, 1868.

Cite as: James Marr Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0987

Marriage contracts collection, 1757-1869. 3 folders (approximately 10 items)

Marriage contracts for people in St. Louis County, New Orleans, Fort Chartres, Kaskaskia, St. Charles, St. Ferdinand; Collet's supplementary index to marriages in St. Louis County; booklet with records of marriage contracts in the state of Vermont, 1831-1869.

Cite as: Marriage Contracts Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0988

Marsh, Louise.

Papers, 1913-1926. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Mrs. Louise Marsh was appointed to the National Society of the Women's Section of the Navy League of the United States, circa 1917.

Collection contains clippings and manuscripts regarding World War I and the work done by Mrs. Marsh along the home front; genealogy of the Byrans, Cottons, and related families; and poems by Mrs. Marsh.

Cite as: Louise Marsh Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2335

Martin, John I.

Letter to my dear sir, 1888 May 31. 1 item

Typescript letter signed John I. Martin, grand marshal, and Simon S. Bass, adjutant, Grand Civic and Military Parade, 1109 Clark Avenue, St. Louis, to my dear sir, May 31, 1888. Martin writes that the unidentified individual to whom the letter is addressed has been appointed aide to the grand marshal for the upcoming Grand Civic and Military Parade. Letter is written on stationery of the National Democratic Convention, and includes an engraved illustration of the Eads Bridge.

Cite as: John I. Martin Letter to My Dear Sir, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0989

Martin, Robert M. (1920-).

World War II Papers, 1941-1990. 1 folder and 2 scrapbooks.

Collection consists of the personal papers of Robert M. Martin relating to his World War II service with Company E, 138th Infantry, National Guard of Missouri (activated in December 1940), into which Martin was drafted on February 20, 1941, and with the 42nd Bombardment Squadron in the central Pacific, in which Martin served as a radio gunner

with the rank of staff sergeant. Also includes two scrapbooks documenting Martin's years of service and the activities of the 138th Infantry reunion association.

Cite as: Robert M. Martin World War II Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0991

Martin, William.

Daybooks, 1834-1855. 3 volumes

Records of legal practice in Alton, Illinois.

Cite as: William Martin Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0990

Martin, William McChesney, Jr. (1906-1998).

Papers, 1931-1986. 62 boxes; 13 volumes; 4 oversize folders

William McChesney Martin, Jr., was born December 16, 1902, in St. Louis, the son of Rebecca Woods and William McChesney Martin. He attended Yale University, 1928, and Benton College of Law in St. Louis in 1931, and received honorary degrees of Doctor of Laws from Temple University in 1951, Tulane University in 1953, and Amherst College in 1954. He served in the bank examination department of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, 1928-1929, and as the head of statistics with A.G. Edwards in St. Louis, 1931-1938. He was a member of the New York Stock Exchange from 1931 to 1938 and served as the governor of that institution from 1935 to 1938. He was appointed a member of the board of directors for the Export-Import Bank in 1945 and served as chairman and president from 1946 to 1948. He was also the assistant secretary of the treasury from February 1949 to March 1951. President Truman appointed him chairman of the Federal Reserve Board in 1951, a position in which he served until 1970, during six administrations. He died July 29, 1998.

The papers are representative of the different positions and organizations in which William McChesney Martin, Jr., was involved. They include papers relating to the New York Stock Exchange, 1936-1949; the Federal Reserve Board; the National Geographic Society; minutes of the Rockefeller Center, 1978-1980; the United States Senate Subcommittee of the Committee of Banking and Currency, 1957-1962; Export-Import Bank, 1945-1950; and personal correspondence and diaries, 1945-1949 and 1961-1963. Finding aid available.

Cite as: William McChesney Martin, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2349

Maryland Place (St. Louis, Mo.).

Specifications, circa 1906-1978; no date. 3 items

The collection contains the following three items: three-page, undated typescript "specification describing the work and material necessary for the erection and completion of the improvements to be made in Maryland Place"; 30-page specifications of Mariner & La Beaume, architects, St. Louis, for a brick residence for Mary A. Kennedy in Maryland Place, circa 1906 (city directories list a Kennedy family at 4947 Maryland Place); typescript letter signed James Barnes, Hellmuth, Obata & Kassabaum, Inc.,

architects, St. Louis, Missouri, to Mr. Ernest Eddy, St. Louis, April 19, 1978, regarding the specifications.

Cite as: Maryland Place Specifications, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0992

Mase, Adam (1798-1865).

Papers 1832 June-July. 1 folder

Adam Mase was born in Kentucky in June 1798. In 1819, he came to Pike County, Missouri, where he engaged in the tanning business. In 1832, he raised a company of men (1st Company, Pike Volunteers) for the Black Hawk War and was elected captain. His company was stationed at St. Francisville, Missouri, where they constructed Fort Pike. In 1834, he represented Pike County in the state legislature. He married Maxamilla Fisher.

Papers include photocopies of correspondence both to and from Captain Adam Mase of the 1st Company, Pike County (Missouri) Volunteers during the Black Hawk War, discussing troop movements and negotiations with the Indians; photocopies of correspondence both to and from Joshua Pilcher, Indian agent for the Sauk and Fox tribes; photocopy of company roster; photocopy of camp journal (June 26-July 18, 1832) that records daily activities at Fort Pike, St. Francisville, Missouri; daily account of requested food rations; biographical sketch of Adam Mase.

Cite as: Adam Mase Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0993

Massie Family.

Massie-Keith genealogy, 1945-1953. 1 box

William Massie, 1831-1901, was a St. Louis river boat pilot who married into the Keith family, 1855.

Genealogy of Massie family, 1690-1910, including typed copies of wills, diaries, letters, memoranda, maps, and newsclippings by William Massie's grandson Eugene Stephens. Also includes notes and letters pertaining to Stephens' research, and a biography of William Massie as St. Louis river boat pilot, 1831-1901.

Cite as: Massie-Keith Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0994

Mastin Family.

Collection, 1794-1871. 1 folder (3 items)

Collection includes document signed by Lord Dorchester, February 29, 1794; transcript of address by Dorchester to Indians outlining grievances against the United States in connection with alleged U.S. encroachments on Canadian territory; check on Otsego County Bank, Cooperstown, for \$20, payable to Mrs. Cooper, signed by J. Fenimore Cooper, September 7, 1848; document signed John Joseph Hogan, Bishop of St. Joseph, Missouri, ordaining Rev. John Steindl to priesthood, July 11, 1871.

Cite as: Mastin Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0995

Mathews, C.

Account book and scrapbook, 1837-1852, 1862. 1 volume

Account book with financial records, 1837-1852, which appears to be commission and forwarding merchant records in Jacksonville, Florida, with 1862 political clippings pasted over some pages. Inside flyleaf: "C. Mathews Book of Sundry Accounts, Jacksonville, February 1836".

Cite as: C. Matthews Account Book and Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0996

Matthews, Leonard.

Papers, 1862-1906. 5 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers include correspondence of Leonard Matthews to his daughter detailing experiences of his foreign trip (1862, 1865-1866); diary kept by Matthews on foreign trip, April 11–July 25, 1866; memo and letter, 1898, regarding the taxation of the Missouri Botanical Garden.

Cite as: Leonard Matthews Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0997

Mauthe's Store (Franklin, Missouri).

Account books, 1854-1871. 4 volumes

Accounts of general store at Franklin, Missouri (now Pacific, Missouri).

Cite as: Mauthe's Store Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2404

Max, Paul.

Advertisement for Peerless Washing Tablets, circa 1903-1908. 1 item (5 copies)

Printed advertisement of Paul Max, 1011B South Broadway, St. Louis, Missouri, states in part, "The Peerless are rapidly becoming known as a necessity in every household where washing clothes is performed. It is not a soap, but saves more than half the usual amount of soap ordinarily used."

Cite as: Max Paul Advertisement for Peerless Washing Tablets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0998

Maxwell-Preller Murder Case Collection, 1885-1888. 1 folder (approximately 15 items); 1 oversize folder

Papers concerning "The St. Louis Murder," perpetrated by Walter H. Lennox-Maxwell, alias T.C. D'Auguier, and legally Hugh Mottram Brooks of Hyde, England. The victim, Charles Arthur Preller, also a native of England, was murdered at the Southern Hotel, where his body was discovered in a trunk. The collection consists of papers concerning the case, mounted on cardboard as police exhibits at the trial and conviction of Maxwell. See also counterfeit diploma filed with oversize documents.

Cite as: Maxwell-Preller Murder Case Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0999

Mayer Family.

Papers, 1839-1861. 4 folders (approximately 60 items)

Collection consists primarily of correspondence of Flora Byrne to Mrs. Charles F. Mayer, which describes her reactions to St. Louis life and people and life in a cabin at Byrnham Wood in Clark County near Winchester, Missouri. The letters contain many sidelights on the state of development in that day; mention well-known characters; and show the facilities for transportation between the Atlantic seaboard and St. Louis. Cite as: Mayer Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2427

Mayer, Virginia.

Papers, 1933; no date. 3 items

Papers include holy communion certificate of Virginia Mayer, Holy Redeemer Church, May 1933; holy communion certificate of Elizabeth Jane Mayer, St. Elizabeth Academy Chapel, no date; and photograph of Virginia Mayer in her communion dress, May 29, 1933.

Cite as: Virginia Mayer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1000

Mays, William R.

Papers, 1877-1888. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

William R. Mays was a Methodist minister in St. Louis. He moved here from East Woodstock, Connecticut. The different churches that he ministered at in St. Louis were Marvin Chapel, Chouteau Avenue Methodist Church, and St. Paul's Methodist Church.

Papers contain letters to a former parishioner, Sister Hibbard, describing his ministry in St. Louis. The letters are descriptive of his life and living conditions in St. Louis. He describes St. Louis as the most desolate city for real vital religion in the United States.

Cite as: William R. Mays Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1619

Measuregraph Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1914-1977. 4 boxes; 2 oversize folders

The Measuregraph Company was founded in St. Louis in 1914. It was incorporated under Delaware law in 1920. It manufactured linear and area measuring devices for fabrics, textiles, and leather. The Measuregraph machine was invented and developed by Walter H. Hosch from Gainesville, Georgia. His brother M.C. Hosch helped develop the company in St. Louis. Wholly owned by Brad-Mar/Fabricmaster, the company dissolved in 1977.

The records include articles of incorporation; certificates of incorporation; stock transfer sheets; minutes of meetings of voting trustees, 1931-1937; notices, reports of annual stockholders meetings, 1931-1979; minutes, 1914-1977, and patents. Also includes the records of Brad-Mar Corporation, 1963-1967, which was later called Fabricmaster, 1967-1970. Correspondence of the Hosch family, 1917, 1966-1976, including one letter of Walter Hosch to Mrs. Bertha Freeman, January 12, 1917, describing moving to St. Louis and the work of trying to get the Measuregraph Company off the ground. The rest of the family correspondence mainly concerns stock dividends. Also includes issues of "The Measuregraph Bulletin," October 1917 and January 1918;

stockholder information, 1915-1976; blueprints; published articles regarding the success of The Measuregraph Company; advertisements and pamphlets describing the Measuregraph machine and its uses.

Cite as: The Measuregraph Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2392

Mechanics-American National Bank.

Account book, no date. 1 item

Blank account book of the Mechanics-American National Bank. Cover reads, "In Account with Berthold Investment Co."

Cite as: Mechanics-American National Bank Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2912

Medary, S.

Letter, 1860 June 20. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed S. Medary [Samuel Medary], LeCompton, K.T. [Kansas Territory], to Charles, June 20, 1860. ". . . Your 'wide-a-awakes' will be 'fast asleep' before the election if they do not act more sensibly. I see that Col. Swayne stood no chance nor any other conservative. . . Now if our folks would only show the least patriotic spirit at Baltimore and strive for harmony instead of disunion we should beat old Abe and all his rail splitters without much trouble, but Mr. Smith's letter only confirms my previous opinion, that it is Douglass or nothing."

Cite as: S. Medary Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1023

Medical collection, 1815-1975. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Assorted materials related to various aspects of the history of medicine in St. Louis, including dentistry, pharmacology, patent medicine, and various non-orthodox schools of medical practice, such as homeopathy. Materials include biographical information on St. Louis physicians, information on diseases and their treatments; prescriptions; information on St. Louis medical and dental colleges, hospitals, medical practices and professional associations.

Individual files indexed in archives card file.

Cite as: Medical Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1024

Medical Fund Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1850-1934. 7 boxes

Founded in 1872 "by faculty of the St. Louis Medical College . . . desiring to promote the proper study and cultivation of the science and practice of medicine and surgery and to create a fund which shall be perpetually consecrated to . . . purchase as . . . set forth" in the articles of association.

Records of the St. Louis Medical College, 1850s-1860s. Certificate of incorporation, articles of association, 1872, of the Medical Fund Society.

Further described in the guide to club and societies, available at the archives references desk.

Cite as: Medical Fund Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2442

Meink, Heinrich.

Papers, 1898-1899. 2 items

Papers include a letter signed Heinrich Meink, Gustrow, [Germany], to his brother and sister-in-law, who presumably resided in St. Louis (letter is in German, with translation). The letter discusses family news. Papers also include a note with Meink's address, written on stationery dated St. Louis, Mo., February 2, 1899.

Cite as: Heinrich Meink Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1025

Meissner Family.

Papers, 1862-1902. 3 folders (approximately 70 items)

Papers contain correspondence of Meissner family; letterbook of Gustav E. Meissner, Bushberg, Missouri, dealing with business, farming, and viticulture, in which he was associated with Isidor Bush in the 1890s.

Mostly German.

Cite as: Meissner Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1026

Melvin, T.F.

Daybooks, 1856-1859. 2 volumes

Records of sales at Ridge Prairie, Missouri, general store.

Cite as: T.F. Melvin Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Menus collection, 1856-1990.

Transferred to library.

A1027

Mephram Family.

Papers, 1832-1947 (bulk 1832-1899). 1 box; 1 oversize folder; 1 volume

Michael S. Mephram was born in Kent, England, in 1828 and came to the United States with his family while he was a child. The family settled in Ulster County, New York, then moved to Henderson County, Kentucky, circa 1839, and moved further west to Dardanelle, Arkansas, in the 1840s. In the late 1840s M.S. Mephram moved to St. Louis, Missouri, where he established the firm of M.S. Mephram & Bro. with his brother William G. Mephram in the early 1850s. M.S. Mephram & Bro. were importers and wholesale dealers in fruits, nuts, and cigars. In the 1860s M.S. Mephram & Bro. became the owners of several steamboats that ran between St. Louis and New Orleans. M.S. Mephram was interested in archaeology and had a collection of artifacts and Indian relics. He died May 25, 1882, in St. Louis. After M.S. Mephram's death, the firm of M.S. Mephram & Bro. was succeeded by the St. Louis Paint Manufacturing Company, with William G. Mephram serving as president. William G. Mephram died August 7, 1894, in

St. Louis. George S. Mephram, the son of M.S. Mephram, established the firm George S. Mephram & Co., manufacturers of paint pigments, in 1890. He retired in 1920 and devoted time to his interest in archaeology and antiquities. He was a passenger on the maiden voyage of the steamer *Olympic* in 1911. He died December 24, 1930, in St. Louis at the age of 74.

The collection is arranged chronologically and consists primarily of receipts, accounts, correspondence, and other papers regarding the businesses of M.S. Mephram & Bro., the St. Louis Paint Manufacturing Company, and George S. Mephram & Co. in St. Louis. The collection also contains receipts, correspondence, and other business papers of M.S. Mephram from the 1830s and 1840s, prior to his arrival in St. Louis; several documents relating to the Civil War, many of which do not appear to be related to the Mephram family; papers regarding the steamboats owned by the Mephams, most notably the *M.S. Mephram* and the *Minnie*; check signed by Brigham Young, 1872; invitation to a Socialist Party demonstration with Mother Jones speaking, 1905; a few items from the maiden voyage of the *R.M.S. Olympic*, 1911; and some personal Mephram family correspondence and papers.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mephram Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2358

Meramec Canoe Club.

Second Annual Regatta Program, 1905 Sept 30. 1 item

The Meramec Canoe Club “was organized in 1904 to promote the interests of canoeing in the neighborhood of St. Louis. The clubhouse, boathouse and grounds are located on the Missouri Pacific Railway one quarter mile west of the Valley Park station.”

This 15-page program contains the names of the officials of the regatta, the schedule of events, and a list of officers and members. The program also includes the following advertisements: Kohler & Romer, tailors, 6th and Olive Streets; Erker’s 608 Olive Street; H.G. Arnold Boat and Canoe Livery, Valley Park, Mo.; Truscott Boat Manufacturing Co., Simon C. Miller, agent, 3667 Olive St.; Valley Park Hotel, William Holder, proprietor (includes an illustration of the hotel); Swope Shoe Co., 311 North Broadway; Frank D. Healy, designer of artistic frames, 13 South Broadway; Kessler-Helfers Fur & Hat Co., 306 North Broadway; and Bolland Jewelry Co., 513 Locust St.

Cite as: Meramec Canoe Club Second Annual Regatta Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2355

Meramec Highlands Inn and Cottages.

Promotional flyer, circa 1905. 1 item

Meramec Highlands was a popular summer resort located on the Meramec River, near Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Flyer includes a sketch of the inn and a photograph of one of the cottages.

Cite as: Meramec Highlands Inn and Cottages Promotional Flyer, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1028**Mercantile Trust Company.****Anniversary scrapbook, 1955.** 1 volume

Scrapbook of congratulatory letters to the St. Louis Mercantile Trust company on their 100th anniversary from other trust companies in the United States.

Cite as: Mercantile Trust Company Anniversary Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1029**Merchant, J.A.****Letterbook, 1872-1873.** 1 volume

Business correspondence, addressed to J.A. Merchant and Co., regarding freight shipments, etc. at Brunswick, Missouri, October 28, 1872-December 13, 1873. Refers to tobacco sale in Missouri and New York.

Cite as: J.A. Merchant Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Merchants' Exchange (Saint Louis, Missouri)

See Saint Louis Merchants' Exchange.

A1030**Meriwether, Lee.****Papers, 1770s-1964.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Papers of Lee Meriwether and Jessie Gair Meriwether; estate of George Gair, Milntown, Scotland; family records from Scotland; and an undated campaign poster, Lee Meriwether for Mayor, St. Louis Democratic primary election.

Papers were found at the former residence of Lee Meriwether, 5211 Washington, St. Louis.

Cite as: Lee Meriwether Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1031**Merkle, Helen Hutchinson.****Scrapbook, 1942-1949.** 1 volume

Helen H. Merkle studied design at Washington University and later founded the Half-Fare Frocks and Tween Fare children's clothing lines. The clothes were manufactured in St. Louis.

Scrapbook contains newsclippings, fabric samples, etc., regarding Half-Fare Frocks and Tween Fare lines.

Cite as: Helen Hutchinson Merkle Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1032**Mersman, Joseph J. (1824-1892).****Diary, 1847-1864 (bulk 1847-1851).** 2 volumes

Came to St. Louis from Cincinnati, 1849.

Diary, with extensive references to family history, by a St. Louis businessman.

Includes entries made in Cincinnati (November 10, 1848-February 8, 1849), followed by

St. Louis entries (February 26, 1949-March 20, 1855). Includes references to cholera, and a will, dated July 9, 1851, to be followed in the event of Mersman's death from cholera. Also irregular Civil War entries, 1862-1864, and recipes for alcohol in the back. Diary was published in Linda A. Fisher, editor, *The Whisky Merchant's Diary: An Urban Life in the Emerging Midwest* (Athens, Ohio: Ohio University Press, 2007).

Some German and French.

Cite as: Joseph J. Mersman Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1033

Mertens Family.

Account books, 1841-1872. 12 volumes

Hermann, Missouri, general merchandisers.

Cashbook, ledger, and six daybooks of Claus Mertens' general store, 1841-1851.

Daybook of M. Mertens general merchandise sales, 1854-1855. Daybook and two volumes of suppliers' invoices from Mertens and Co., general merchandisers, 1866-1872. Some German manuscript in Claus Mertens' cashbook.

Cite as: Mertens Family Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Mesker, Frank (1859-1952).

Mesker collection, 1817-1895.

Collection title changed to Henry W. Williams Collection.

A1034

Metz Family.

Family tree, no date. 1 oversize folder (2 items)

Cite as: Metz Family Tree, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1035

Metzger Family.

Edgar L. and Charlotte A. Metzger family papers, 1920-1980s. 26 boxes

Personal papers of St. Louis engineer Edgar L. Metzger and his wife St. Louis artist Charlotte Abney Metzger, who was known professionally as Ann Metzger.

Cite as: Edgar L. and Charlotte A. Metzger Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1036

Metzger, Louis C.F.

Papers, late 1800s-early 1900s. 5 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Specifications for Terminal Railroad Association Union Depot, steam heating apparatus for Armory Battery "A," sidewheel steam transfer boat for Wiggins Ferry Co.; ordinance for granitoid sidewalks in Venice, Illinois; printed report of the chief engineer of the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis on improvements made in 1902-1904; correspondence; notebooks; plans; and certificates.

Cite as: Louis C.F. Metzger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1037

Mexican War collection, 1846-1940. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Contains extracts from personal journals and diaries, mostly in Missouri Historical Society collections, regarding the Mexican War; correspondence of persons fighting in war to friends and families in St. Louis; clippings and later material regarding the history of the war.

Cite as: Mexican War Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1038

Meyer, Christian Frederick Gottlieb (1830-).

Family papers and business records, 1852-1985. 6 boxes; 2 oversize folder

Christian Frederick Gottlieb Meyer, the founder of the Meyer Brothers Drug Company, was born December 9, 1830, in Prussia, son of John Henry and Marie Louise Holt Meyer. After working as shepherds for much of their lives, Christian F.G. Meyer and his older brother Johann Frederick Wilhelm Meyer emigrated to the United States in 1847 and settled with a half sister in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, and supported themselves by working the land. In 1848, Christian F.G. Meyer took a job in the drug store of Mr. H.B. Reed, an event that marks the beginning of his career in the drug business. The firm of Wall & Meyer was established in 1852 when Christian F.G. Meyer joined Mr. Wall in opening up a drug business in Ft. Wayne. In 1857, the business changed its name to Meyer and Brother when Meyer bought out his partner and brought his brother into the business. A branch store was established in St. Louis in 1865, and in 1889, when the firm relocated in St. Louis, the company was incorporated under the name of Meyer Brothers Drug Company. After Christian F.G. Meyer's death in 1905, Theodore F. Meyer took over as president of Meyer Brothers, and led the firm to bankruptcy. Carl F.G. Meyer, II, succeeded him, and brought the company out of bankruptcy. The firm prospered under his leadership. Carl F.G. Meyer, III, became president of Meyer Brothers Drug Company in 1952, and remained president until the Meyer Brothers Drug Company merged with Fox-Vliet to become FOXMEYER in 1981.

Collection contains both family papers and business records. The family papers consist of autobiographical and biographical accounts, records of personal property, obituaries, commemorations, and a genealogy of the Meyer family compiled by Eleanore Meyer Burris in 1967. The business records contain documentation of Meyer Brothers Drug Company properties; business records and correspondence, 1867-1935, which include correspondence with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Monsanto Chemical Co., Senoret Chemical Co., Sanitol Co. & Diamond Match Co. Stock, and the MKT Railway Co.; correspondence of the Meyer Brothers Mutual Aid Association; wage books; formulae (including ancient publications of old German remedies); materials relating to specific products (Leeches, "Fly Shake," sugar, Maltese Cross Olive Oil); advertising matter (labels and sales catalogues, 1896, 1932, and 1936); photographs; and assorted publications. The collection also includes three scrapbooks relating to both the family and the business.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Christian F.G. Meyer Family Papers and Business Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1039

**Meysenburg, Theodore Augustus, Colonel.
Journals, 1858-1874. 5 volumes**

Theodore A. Meysenburg was born July 23, 1840, in Flamersheim, near Cologne, Germany, and came to St. Louis with his family while still a child. He enlisted as a private in the 3rd Missouri Infantry (Union) in May 1861, and in September was appointed 2nd lieutenant in the Benton Hussars. In October 1862 he was assigned assistant adjutant general of the 11th Army Corps. Later in the war he served on the staff of General Franz Sigel in Virginia. Following the war he returned to St. Louis, where he was a successful iron manufacturer. He died March 29, 1901, in St. Louis.

Two bound journals of chess players and plays, trigonometry and physics; and three Civil War notebooks of Meysenburg, while serving as assistant adjutant general of the 11th Army Corps. Notebooks contain daily entries of the movement and operations of the 11th Army Corps in Virginia from June 1862 to September 1863, while part of the Army of the Potomac, including accounts of actions during the Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, and Gettysburg Campaigns. In September 1863 the 11th Army Corps was transferred to the Army of the Cumberland. Meysenburg's notebooks contain accounts of the actions of the Corps in the Chattanooga Campaign in October and November 1863. Entries from May to June 1864 were written while serving as assistant adjutant general on the staff of General Sigel in Virginia, and include an account of engagement at New Market. Notebooks also include several maps indicating the positions of the 11th Army Corps in Virginia in 1862 and 1863; map of positions at New Market; map showing the march of the 11th Army Corps to Knoxville, Tennessee; and map showing the positions at Chattanooga.

Cite as: Theodore Augustus Meysenburg Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1040

Michaelis, Wilhelm.

Manual and record book, 1868-1870. 1 box

Manual for farming, forestry, animal husbandry, etc., kept by Wilhelm Michaelis, Toggenhagen, 1855. The back of the manual contains records of Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri, 1867-1870. German.

Cite as: William Michaelis Manual and Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1041

Michel, Stella (1894-1967).

Collection, 1859-1966. 2 boxes

St. Louis teacher and historian.

Michel genealogy; correspondence, research notes, photographs, printed matter, and miscellany on St. Louis topics of interest to Stella Michel. Includes material on St. Louis street car transportation, narrow gauge railroad, publisher Edward G. Lewis, life of Baron Emanuel de Hodiamont, Gast Brewing Company, and historic homes.

Cite as: Stella Michel Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1042**Microfilm Collection.** circa 540 reels

The collection includes microfilm reels from the National Archives, various historical societies, and the collections of the Missouri Historical Society. Topics include letters sent and received from the Office of Indian Affairs, 1837-1860; American Fur Company records and ledgers; Missouri tax lists by county, 1816-1863; Kate Moody Collection; Spanish Archives, 1621-1821; St. Louis County direct and inverted indexes to deeds, 1804-1888; and the David R. Francis Collection.

A2142**Miles, Francis (1793-1870).****Journal, 1810-1899.** 1 folder

Francis Miles, a farmer, moved to Perry County, Missouri, from Kentucky. He married Christina Tucker in October 1815.

The journal contains the Miles family's record of marriages, births, and deaths. Cite as: Francis Miles Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1043**Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. Commandery of the State of Missouri.****Records, 1885-1931.** 3 boxes

The Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States was a Civil War veterans organization founded in Philadelphia at the close of war. The Missouri department of the Loyal Legion, known as the Commandery of the State of Missouri, was instituted in 1885. The members (or "companions" as they were known) of the Loyal Legion were commissioned officers and honorably discharged commissioned officers of the U.S. Army, Navy and Marine Corps, who served in the Civil War. Descendants of eligible officers were eligible for membership as hereditary companions.

Collection consists primarily of circulars, memorial sketches, memorial cards, and correspondence of the Commandery of the State of Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. Commandery of the State of Missouri. Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2294**Miller, Arthur E. (1859-).****Theater Programs, 1879-1882.** 63 items

Arthur Emanuel Miller was born in July 1859 in Michigan. He married Julia in 1883 in St. Louis, Missouri. He worked as a wallpaper hanger in St. Louis before moving with his wife to Crawford County, Kansas, around 1920.

Collection consists of programs for various St. Louis theaters, collected by Arthur Emanuel Miller while courting Julia.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Arthur E. Miller Theater Programs, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1044**Miller, Henry B. (1814-1847).****Journal, 1838-1839.** 1 volume

Henry B. Miller was born in York County, Pennsylvania, in 1814 and came to St. Louis in 1837. Soon thereafter he moved to Natchez and later New Orleans. He worked as a mason, teacher, plasterer, and builder of cemetery vaults. He died in York County, Pennsylvania, in 1847.

Manuscript journal written while in Natchez, Missouri, January 1, 1838-January 15, 1839, containing description of everyday life and travel within Missouri, state and St. Louis politics, descriptions of activities of local churches. Journal was published in *Missouri Historical Society Collections*, Volume VI, Number 2 (1931), pages 213-287.

Cite as: Henry B. Miller Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1045**Miller, Herman B.****Papers, 1861-1873.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Papers include receipts and bills for building of home at Canton, Missouri. (The home was sold to Culver Stockton College in 1930.) Bills for transportation of material by steamboat from Quincy, Illinois, and for garden planting. Also contains three letters of Daniel Miller to his brother Philip, dated Corinth and Kossuth, Mississippi, August 27 to October 9, 1862, which describe the affairs of the 21st Missouri Infantry (Union), including an account of the Battle of Corinth. (Letters are in German, with translations).

Cite as: Herman B. Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2500**Miller, James.****Commissions, 1818 Apr 9.** 2 items

Papers contain commission of James Miller as clerk of the court of general quarter sessions of the peace for Mercer County, Pennsylvania, and commission of James Miller as clerk of the courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery for Mercer County, Pennsylvania.

Cite as: James Miller Commissions, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1046**Miller, Louis.****Papers, no date.** 1 box; 5 oversize folders

Louis Miller was born October 13, 1853, in Jefferson County, Missouri, but moved at a young age to Arcadia, Missouri. He became an architect and builder and one of Arcadia's most prominent citizens. He also promoted the Arcadia Valley as a summer resort. He married Miss Salena Ringo in 1892. Louis Miller died October 21, 1933, in Arcadia; his wife died April 4, 1943, in Ironton, Missouri.

The collection includes three publications promoting tourism in the Arcadia Valley in the early 1900s; a typescript history of Arcadia; a scrapbook; newspaper clippings relating to Louis Miller, his family, and Arcadia; and several architectural drawings. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Louis Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1047**Miller, Madison (1811-1896).****Papers, 1831-1895.** 1 box

Madison Miller was born February 6, 1811, in Mercer, Pennsylvania. He came to St. Louis in the 1820s. He served in the Mexican War and in the Missouri state legislature. During the Civil War he served in the 1st Missouri Infantry (3 months) and the 1st Missouri Light Artillery in 1861. In January 1862 he was promoted to colonel of the 18th Missouri Infantry. He was captured at the Battle of Shiloh and eventually exchanged, and later served in the 50th Missouri Infantry. He was brevetted brigadier general in 1865 for gallantry at Wilson's Creek and Shiloh. He died February 27, 1896, in St. Louis.

This collection contains data on early railroads, including the Atchison and St. Joseph Railroad Co., the Pacific Railroad Co., and the St. Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad Co.; material on the Civil War, including Miller's diary, April 6, 1862, and clippings about the Battle of Shiloh; deeds and indentures for land in Carondelet, Missouri, and Randolph and Marion Counties, Illinois, including a title held by the Guion family; material regarding the city of Carondelet; records regarding Company E, 18th Missouri Infantry; an agreement of the Illinois and Missouri Coal Company; some minor items relating to Missouri state politics, including data on the Missouri legislature. Also includes a plan for election purposes sent to Miller by Lincoln. Documents and letters signed by Frank P. Blair, John C. Dent, G.M. Dodge, Thomas C. Fletcher, Thomas Ford, J.C. Fremont, H.R. Gamble, F.D. Grant, U.S. Grant, Willard P. Hall, Andrew Jackson, John A. Logan, William M. McPherson, Franklin Pierce, E.C. Pike, Edwin M. Stanton, William Taussig, G.R. Taylor, James B. Walsh.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Madison Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1048**Miller, Monroe Joshua (1830-1866).****Papers, 1862-1866.** 8 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 volume

Monroe Joshua Miller was born September 19, 1830, in Rowan County, North Carolina. On July 28, 1863, he married Mary Virlinda Wright in Benton, Franklin County, Illinois. In September 1862 he was mustered into the 117th Illinois Infantry (Union) at Camp Butler, Springfield, Illinois, and served with this unit until the close of the war. He was the printer and publisher of the *Lebanon (Illinois) Republic* during and immediately after his army service. He died March 18, 1866, of a lung ailment that developed during the war.

Papers include correspondence of Monroe Joshua Miller to his wife, Linda, in Lebanon, Illinois, and diaries of Monroe Miller. Contains accounts of the movement and activity of the regiment in Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee, Louisiana, and Alabama. Includes descriptions of activities in and around Fort Pickering and Memphis; the Meridian, Mississippi, Campaign; the Red River Campaign of 1864, mostly written while on board the steamboat *Thomas E. Tutt*; the expedition to Tupelo, Mississippi; the pursuit of Sterling Price in Missouri; campaign in Tennessee, including the Battle of Nashville; movement to New Orleans for the campaign against Mobile; the siege of Spanish Fort and Fort Blakely; movement to Montgomery; and the return to Illinois, where mustered

out. Papers contain descriptions of steamboat transportation, marches, camp life, drunkenness, and casualties.

Cite as: Monroe Joshua Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1049

Miller, Robert H. (1826-1911).

Papers, 1846-1937. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Robert Miller was founder and publisher of the *Liberty (Missouri) Weekly Tribune*, circa 1846. He was the publisher of the paper for 40 years.

Papers include letters from soldiers of the 1st Regiment Missouri Volunteers to Robert H. Miller, reporting on incidents of the Mexican War with the Army of the West, 1849-1887. Also contains correspondence regarding gold mining in California, with descriptions of treks across the plains from Liberty to California.

Cite as: Robert H. Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1050

Miller, William H. (1840-1913).

Papers, 1860-1920. 3 boxes; 1 volume

William H.H. Miller was born May 11, 1840, in Erie, Pennsylvania, and later moved with his family to South Bend, Indiana. During the Civil War he served as a private in Company I, 9th Indiana Infantry, from April to July 1861. He reentered the service in October 1861 as a sergeant in Company E, 48th Indiana Infantry, and rose to the rank of captain, before being mustered out in July 1865. Following the war he served in the United States Army from 1867 to 1878, and later worked at St. John's School (Salina, Kansas), Southwestern Baptist University (Jackson, Tennessee), and Kentucky Military Institute (Lyndon, Kentucky). He died November 1, 1913, in St. Louis.

Collection consists mostly of military records, especially quartermaster records, which include clothing, equipage, and garrison returns, invoices of ordnance and ordnance stores, for Company E, 48th Indiana Infantry, 1863-1865; 27th U.S. Infantry at Fort Kearny, Fort C.T. Smith, Montana Territory, Fort Sedgwick, Colorado Territory, and Camp Red Willow, Nebraska, 1866-1872. Also includes a commissary record book from Fort Reno, Dakota Territory, 1866-1868, that was later used as a recipe book; a manuscript on the Battle of Iuka, Mississippi, September 19, 1862; a letterbook of William H. Miller regarding sales and collections of army insurance during Spanish-American War, 1899-1902; correspondence, 1865-1908; materials related to the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States; and information on Southwestern Baptist University.

Cite as: William H. Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1051

Mines collection, 1798-1910. 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

The collection includes information about early mining in Missouri, including Mine a Breton and Mine LaMotte; an article on the Leadville strike of 1896; a clipping about Iron Mountain; and an account of the history and ownership status of the Mine La Motte (or Lamothe) lead mine area in Missouri.

Cite as: Mines Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1053**Minor, Francis (circa 1821-1892).****Records of Civil War claims, 1864-1877.** 9 volumes

Francis Minor was a St. Louis attorney and husband of suffragist Virginia Minor. He was appointed agent for the Western Sanitary Commission in St. Louis on January 1, 1864, to present soldiers' and widows' Civil War claims to the government. He was also appointed war claims agent for St. Louis County in early 1864 in accordance with an act of the Missouri legislature. He died February 19, 1892, in St. Louis.

Collection consists of eight record books of claims and one volume containing a general name index to claimants. These record books contain Minor's notes on the progress and disposition of the claims of discharged soldiers and widows and orphans of soldiers for pensions, pay, and bounties.

Cite as: Francis Minor Record Books of Civil War Claims, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1055**Mississippi Valley Kennel Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1906-1913.** 7 folders (200 items); 9 volumes

Collection contains record book of entries to the Mississippi Valley Kennel Club's annual dog shows of 1910 (two volumes); 1911 (two volumes), 1912 (two volumes); and 1913 (one volume). A single volume contains entries for 1907 and what is believed to be the 1909 dog show; lists of members (1908-1909), patronesses (1908) and a few pieces of correspondence regarding the 1909 dog show (in back of the book). An additional record book noting members, and entries span the years 1906-1910. Collection also includes minutes, bills, receipts, correspondence, suggestions for dog show, etc. of club.

Cite as: Mississippi Valley Kennel Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1076**Missouri. Auditor.****Record book, 1821-1826.** 1 volume

This volume contains a record of vouchers of individuals on which certificates were issued on the Missouri state treasury from December 27, 1821, to December 19, 1822; and a record of lands in seventeen Missouri counties bid off to the state for taxes in the years 1821-1826. The back of the volume contains records of the Missouri Territory that include records of notices sent to sheriffs concerning the collection of taxes in 1817-1818, and a list of non-residents who were required to pay land taxes in 1814-1816.

Cite as: Missouri Auditor's Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1077**Missouri. Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri (Jefferson City, Missouri).****Record books, 1837-1844.** 2 volumes

The collection consists of records of the Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri, and includes a contemporary manuscript copy of state capitol contracts

between the state of Missouri and contractors for the building of the new Missouri State Capitol Building in Jefferson City, Missouri, May 10, 1837-June 13, 1838; and a record book of the Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri, March 15, 1839-November 2, 1844 (rear of volume contains accounts of books sold by the Missouri Secretary of State, 1839-1855).

Obtained from the office of the Missouri Register of Land Titles, Jefferson City, Missouri.

Cite as: Record Books of the Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1056

Missouri Committee of Democrats for Willkie (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1940 Sept-Dec. 5 boxes

The Missouri Committee of Democrats for Willkie was organized in St. Louis in September 1940, because many Democrats preferred voting for Republican Wendell Willkie than for a third term for Franklin Delano Roosevelt. There were already Willkie-Democratic clubs in St. Louis and Kansas City prior to the formation of the state committee, circa September 16, 1940. The state committee, directed by Thomas McPheeters, Jr., of St. Louis, began by asking county Republican committees for names of Democrats in their counties who would vote for Willkie in the November election. Each county was to start its own independent organization. The state group would provide literature, speakers, buttons, etc., but no financial aid, to county groups. In several counties, some Democrats were interested in voting for Willkie, but for political or professional reasons would not leave the Democratic party publicly. The main issue for most Democrats opposed to Roosevelt seemed to be the third term. After Roosevelt won the election, the organization changed its name to "The Jeffersonians."

The collection consists of records of the state committee, including correspondence, membership lists, printed material, and some financial material. The collection also includes information relating to the Goodloe for Prosecuting Attorney Committee (St. Louis County), of which Thomas McPheeters, Jr., was treasurer; and some information on "The Jeffersonians."

Cite as: Missouri Committee of Democrats for Willkie Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1057

Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs.

Correspondence, 1937. 1 volume

The growing numbers of women in business and the professions spawned many clubs of the same types businessmen had formed the previous century. The Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs was an umbrella organization to permit communication and at times consolidation of efforts among these groups. St. Louisan Margaret A. Hickey, founder of the Hickey Business School, among many other accomplishments, was very active in the federation.

This volume of correspondence relates to the convention of the Missouri Federation held in St. Louis, April 23-25, 1937.

Cite as: Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs

Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2244

Missouri General Assembly.

Collection, 1824, 1871. 3 items

Contains two certificates for money due to H.S. Geyer and Nicholas S. Burckhardt for attendance and miles traveled to the seat of government; and an illustrated broadside of the XXVI Missouri General Assembly (1871), which includes photographs of the members of the assembly.

Cite as: Missouri General Assembly Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1078

Missouri. Governor (Jefferson City, Missouri).

Justice of the Peace recommendations and appointments, 1844-1851. 1 box

Collection was formerly part of the County Court Papers. Upon being microfilmed by the Missouri State Archives County Records Program in 1993, the collection was reprocessed, correctly identified, and its provenance reestablished.

Cite as: Missouri Governor's Justice of the Peace Recommendations and Appointments, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1079

Missouri. Highway Department.

Highway plans, 1946-1971. 2 map drawers

Plans for the construction of St. Louis-area U.S. and interstate highways: Route 66 (1946-1948); Interstate 55 (1956-1959); Interstate 70 (1952-1962); Interstate 44 (1960-1971); and Route 40 (1962-1966).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Highway Department Highway Plans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1058

Missouri Historical Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Archives. 502 boxes; 8 volumes; 12 oversize folders

Finding aid available.

Access restricted.

Cite as: Missouri Historical Society Institutional Archives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1825

Missouri Historical Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis–Benton Park, Oral History Project Transcripts, 1997. 1 box

This oral history collection documents the recent spatial transformations of one American city and traces the relation of those changes to the memories, personal histories, and aspirations of the women and men who have witnessed them firsthand.

Employing both documentary and oral-historical methods, the study works both at the detailed level of the single block and the broad level of the metropolitan region. Within the general study of the city, individual neighborhoods are reviewed in greater depth, including, in this section of the research, the neighborhood called Benton Park in near south St. Louis city with geographic borders of Gravois, Cherokee and Potomac, Jefferson, and Interstate 55.

Cite as: Missouri Historical Society People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2359

Missouri Historical Society and others.

Petition to the Missouri Senate and House of Representatives, circa 1881.

Petition states, "The Missouri Historical Society and others respectfully represent, to Your Honorable bodies that Hunt's Minutes, containing the proof of French and Spanish titles and claims under the acts of Congress of 1812 and 1824 now in the custody of the State of Missouri at Jefferson City, are exceedingly full and rich in historical facts concerning the early settlements of St. Louis and the State of Missouri, not elsewhere accessible to the public. Said minutes also contain the evidence of title to large and numerous tracts of land throughout the State, and your petitioners believe it would be a great public benefit to have said Minutes and accompanying documents published, and the undersigned therefore ask the General Assembly to authorize their publication on such terms as to them may seem best, and as in duty bound will ever pray &c."

Cite as: Missouri Historical Society and others petition to the Missouri Senate and House of Representatives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1059

Missouri history collection, 1803-1977. 3 boxes; 5 oversize folders

Collection is an assortment of material relating to Missouri history, acquired from a multiplicity of sources and arranged together due to common subject matter. The collection includes letters of early Missouri settlers to families and friends in the East describing the state; discussions and descriptions of lands, slaves, natural resources, politics; newsclippings, copies of speeches, etc. Some typescripts, photostats, and photocopies.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Missouri History Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1060

Missouri Home Guard. 3rd Regiment.

Records, 1917-1919. 2 boxes; 1 volume

Records of the Adjutant General's Office of the Missouri Home Guard, 3rd Regiment, which include requests from commanding officers of companies of the 3rd Regiment for honorable discharges of enlisted men, with reasons stated, 1918; enlistment contracts, September 1917-1918; general orders, November 1917-October 1918; circulars; correspondence; transfers; records of Companies A-M; sanitary detachment; and attendance and strength reports, December 1917 Dec-June 1919. Bound volume, prepared by Captain William H. Dulany, contains the inventory of uniforms, weapons,

ammunition, and supplies of the 3rd Regiment of the Missouri home guard, St. Louis. Cite as: 3rd Regiment, Missouri Home Guard, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1075

Missouri. 24th Infantry.

Records, 1862-1863. 3 boxes (approximately 1,350 items)

The 24th Missouri Infantry (Union) was organized in Missouri in 1861, and served primarily in southeast Missouri, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, and Louisiana. The regiment was mustered out in late 1864 and early 1865. Collection consists primarily of reports, returns, requisitions, and other records relating to the Quartermaster's Department, while the regiment was stationed at Rolla, Missouri, in 1862 and early 1863. The collection also contains some records relating to the Ordnance Department, the Subsistence Department, and the Commissary Department.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: 24th Missouri Infantry Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1080

Missouri Land Records.

Collection, 1799-1979. 15 boxes; 15 volumes; 3 oversize folders

The Office of the Register of Land Titles in Missouri was established in 1841 and was primarily responsible for the sale of state land and the taxation of land. A multiplicity of records related to public land and taxation were placed in the custody of this office. The Office of the Register of Land Titles in Missouri was abolished in 1891, at which time the records were transferred to the land department of the Missouri Secretary of State's Office. The Office of the Recorder of Land Titles in St. Louis was established in 1805. The recorder served as a member of the Boards of Land Commissioners that were established by acts of Congress to adjudicate land claims predating the acquisition of the Louisiana Territory by the United States in 1804. The boards reported to the commissioner of the General Land Office in Washington, D.C., who forwarded the reports to Congress. Confirmed land claims were recorded by the general land office. The Office of the Recorder of Land Titles was abolished in 1876. The Office of the Surveyor General for Missouri and Illinois, also established in 1805, reported to the commissioner of the General Land Office in Washington, D.C., and supervised the surveying of public lands and the sales of said lands in district land offices. Congress authorized the closing of this office upon passage of state legislation authorizing the state of Missouri to assume custody of records in 1840. In 1865, Missouri passed the final enabling legislation. These records nevertheless remained in the Customs House in St. Louis until 1874.

The bulk of the Missouri Land Records Collection was created from two former collections: (1) the Missouri Register of Land Titles Records and (2) the General Land Office (Washington, D.C.), Office of the Surveyor General of Missouri and Illinois (Saint Louis, Mo.), Records. Additional items not related to the land offices were added to the collection at a later period. The collection is divided into five series: Saint Louis Office of the Recorder of Land Titles, Missouri Office of the Register of Land Titles, Office of Surveyor General of Missouri and Illinois, Surveys, and Real Estate. With the exception of the Saint Louis Office of the Recorder of Land Titles Series, which includes the

French and Spanish land petitions filed alphabetically by the last name of the land petitioner, the series are arranged chronologically. The collection includes items that were originally contained within the Land Papers and are indexed in the Archives Card Catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Land Records Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1061

Missouri militia collection, 1793-1930. 2 boxes; 5 oversize folders

Collection is an assortment of material relating to the history of the Missouri militia units acquired from a multiplicity of sources and arranged together due to common subject matter. It includes commissions, requisitions, special orders, muster rolls, receipts, reports, bills pertaining to various companies, regiments of Missouri militia. Collection includes a significant amount of Civil War material, and some World War I records. Collection also includes records of the Washington Guards, 1852-1876, and an order book of the 54th Enrolled Missouri Militia, August 18, 1862-November 15, 1864. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Missouri Militia Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1062

Missouri Militia. Paymaster.

Cashbooks, 1865-1867. 2 volumes

The office of paymaster of the Missouri Militia was held by Major A.G. Vogdes in 1865-1867.

These cashbooks contain mostly abstracts of monthly payments.

Cite as: Missouri Militia Paymaster Cashbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Missouri notebook, 1866.

See Journals and Diaries Collection, 1866.

Missouri. Public Service Commission (Jefferson City, Missouri).

See Towles, Ephraim Ewing, Papers.

A1063

Missouri Railroad Manufacturing Company.

Account book and ledger, no date. 1 volume

Unidentified account book, labeled "Mo. R. Mfg. Co."

Cite as: Missouri Railroad Manufacturing Company Account Book and Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1074

Missouri. Secretary of State (Jefferson City, Missouri).

Ordinance abolishing slavery, 1865 11 Jan. 1 item

Original ordinance abolishing slavery in Missouri. On parchment.

Cite as: Missouri Secretary of State Ordinance Abolishing Slavery, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1081

**Missouri. Senate Executive Department (Jefferson City, Missouri).
Executive journal, 1838-1847.** 1 volume

This volume is an executive journal of the tenth through the fourteenth General Assemblies of Missouri. Labeled "appendix," it consists of records of the Missouri State Senate in secret session considering and voting on gubernatorial appointments. The records are dated December 10, 1838, to February 13, 1839 (Tenth General Assembly); January 28 to February 13, 1841 (Eleventh General Assembly); January 11 to February 21, 1843 (Twelfth General Assembly); February 10 to March 26, 1845 (Thirteenth General Assembly); December 2, 1846, to January 8, 1847 (Fourteenth General Assembly).

Cite as: Missouri Senate Executive Department Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1082

**Missouri. Senate Judiciary Committee (Jefferson City, Missouri).
Record book, 1874 Jan 13-Mar 30.** 1 volume

This volume is a record of Missouri Senate and House bills and concurrent and joint resolutions referred to the Judiciary Committee of the state Senate, with notations on actions taken.

Cite as: Missouri Senate Judiciary Committee Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Missouri sesquicentennial collection

See Hempen, H. Joseph. Missouri sesquicentennial collection.

A1064

**Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1889-1985.** 34 volumes; 7 boxes

Patriotic society of men descended from veterans of the American Revolution, organized April 23, 1889.

Records include minute books, 1889-1950; Daniel Sylvester Tuttle scrapbooks, 1894-1912, 1915-1923; manuscript membership roster, commencing 1889; membership roster, compiled 1985, and card file index; applications, 1894-1980; correspondence, 1919-1920; assorted certificates, invitations, programs, duplicate applications, printed matter, and miscellany.

Records may only be used by members of the Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution.

Cite as: Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Missouri State Guard.

Hospital register, 1861 July 5-Dec 25. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

A1066**Missouri State Music Teachers' Association.****Records, 1907-1933.** 2 volumes

Roster and minute book (1907-1924) and journal of dues and expenditures (1916-1933) of professional association.

Cite as: Missouri State Music Teachers' Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1067**Missouri State Nurses Association. Third District (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1947-1979.** 2 boxes

Includes selected organizational correspondence, 1965, 1979; correspondence of Bernice Y. Lawson, R.N. (chairman, Private Duty Section, Third District, Missouri State Nurses Association), 1947, 1950-1970; records from the Archives Committee including correspondence, 1963, biographical sketches of nurses, minutes, 1977, the association history, and clippings; printed material including publications of St. Louis hospitals and various local and national nurses associations (i.e., Black Nurses Association of Greater St. Louis and East St. Louis; Colored Registered Nurses Association Charter, 1919; Missouri State Nurses Association; National Black Nurses Association, and Nurses For Life-Abortion Issues); and numerous photographs of Third District Nurses and organizational events.

Cite as: Records of the Third District (St. Louis) of the Missouri State Nurses Association, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1068**Missouri statehood collection, [1821]-1971.** 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Collection contains papers relating to the Missouri centennial celebration of statehood, properties of Missouri Historical Society loaned for exhibition for the celebration; photocopy of petition of Missouri citizens to House of Representatives for statehood, 1817; photocopy of proclamation admitting Missouri to the Union on basis equal to original states, 1821.

Cite as: Missouri Statehood Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1083**Missouri. Supreme Court (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1805-1821.** 4 volumes

Established in 1804 as the General Court of the Louisiana Territory, became the Superior Court of the Missouri Territory in 1813, and the Missouri Supreme Court in 1820 on the eve of Missouri statehood.

This collection consists of three minute books, 1805-1821; and a fee book, 1806-1810.

Cite as: Missouri Supreme Court Minute Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1069

Missouri Territory collection, 1818. 1 folder (3 items)

Document signed Josiah Meigs, commissioner of the General Land Office, to A.J. Dallas, secretary of the treasury, 1818, proposal for surveying the territory into townships; undated contemporary copy of field notes, notebook, of the survey of a part of west boundary of Missouri, which was surveyed as an Indian boundary and adopted as the boundary of the state; typewritten notes made by Mary Louise Dalton regarding material relating to the Missouri Territory to be found in Washington, D.C.

Cite as: Missouri Territory Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1070

Missouri Territory. House of Representatives (Saint Louis).

Journal, 1818-1820. 1 volume

Minutes of the Missouri House of Representatives meeting in St. Louis on the eve of Missouri statehood, 1818 session (October 26-December 24), and 1820 session (September 18-December 4).

Cite as: Journal of the House of Representatives of the Missouri Territory (St. Louis), Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2138

Missouri Tourism.

Collection, circa 1960-1979. 1 folder

The collection consists of brochures from tourism venues from across the state of Missouri, especially the Lake of the Ozarks region and the Branson/southwest Missouri region.

Cite as: Missouri Tourism Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Missouri University collection.

See University of Missouri Collection.

A1084

Missouri-Vicksburg National Military Park Commission.

Commissioners' minute book, 1911-1917. 1 volume

Commission formed to erect a monument to Missouri at the Civil War battlefield in Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Minute book contains typed copies of the minutes of the board of commissioners and photographs of the various models of monuments that were submitted for selection. Also includes programs and correspondence relating to the unveiling of the monument.

Cite as: Missouri-Vicksburg National Military Park Commissioners' Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Missouri Volunteers. Parson's Division.

Register of officers, 1862-1865. 1 volume

Transferred to Mosby Monroe Parsons Papers.

A1073

Missouri Welfare League (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1919-1950. 34 boxes

The Missouri Welfare League was organized March 18, 1920, to help in the prevention of delinquency and in reducing crime in Missouri. The league hoped to accomplish this through education, service in and for correctional institutions, and political legislation. A major goal of the league was to improve the treatment of prisoners in local and state institutions. One of the founders and leaders of the league was Mrs. Carol Bates. Under her leadership the league helped in the creation of the State Board of Probation and Parole, the establishment of Algoa Farms Intermediate Reformatory, inclusion of provisions abolishing the fee system for law enforcement officers in the new Missouri constitution, and the establishment of a modern parole system. Mrs. Bates and the league worked for legislation authorizing the appointment of parole officers to serve the St. Louis Court of Criminal Correction and for the improvement in the bill creating the State Department of Corrections. She retired from the organization in 1949.

The collection includes correspondence of the organization; minutes of the board of directors; reports issued by the organization; information concerning legislation supported by the league; and information on public institutions in the state.

Cite as: Missouri Welfare League Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1085

Mitchell Family.

Papers, 1777-1909. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Papers include genealogical material on the Fisher, Hopkins, Eliot, Carr, and allied families; correspondence, orders regarding sutlership and its administration at Fort Union, 1861-1873; correspondence regarding William H. Moore, Moore and Co., Mitchel and Co., 1860-1877, regarding their sutlership.

Cite as: Mitchell Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1086

Mohrhardt, Francis.

Record book, 1842-1843. 1 volume (155 pages)

Francis Mohrhardt (listed variously as Franz Mohrhardt, Francis Mohrhart, and Francis Mohart) was a St. Louis engineer, employed at one point in the office of the city engineer.

This volume is a record of elevations, at various points in St. Louis, and includes street grades and surveys.

Cite as: Francis Mohrhardt Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2296

Molesworth, L.W.

Letter to mother, 1876 July 9. 2 items

Letter signed L.W. Molesworth, on the stationery of the Crawford House, Colorado Springs, Colorado, to his mother, written while traveling. Discusses the news he has just heard regarding the annihilation of General George Armstrong Custer. Includes typescript copy of letter.

Cite as: L.W. Molesworth Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1087**Moll, Ottmar A.****Ledgers, 1897-1901, 1927-1934.** 5 volumes

Records of piano lessons in St. Louis.

Cite as: Ottmar A. Moll Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2555**Mollenkamp-Zaiger Family.****Papers, 1918-1919.** 5 items

Collection includes registration certificate of George Dewey Zaiger, 6421 Alabama Ave., St. Louis, September 12, 1918; registration certificate of John Leo Mollenkamp, 7857 Morganford, St. Louis, September 12, 1918; notification card of Local Board Division 12, 6818 Michigan Avenue, city of St. Louis, Mo., issued to John L. Mollenkamp, October 28, 1918; check from the treasurer of the United States (stamped "Office of the Quartermaster, Kelly Field, Texas) for \$1 to John L. Mollenkamp, February 21, 1919; and military discharge certificate of John L. Mollenkamp, given at Kelly Field, Texas, November 12, 1918.

Cite as: Mollenkamp-Zaiger Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1088**Montgomery County, Missouri.****Collection, 1824-1868; 1939.** 1 box

Collection contains photocopies of documents from the Montgomery County Historical Society including an account book of Charles Drury's store at Loutre Lick, Missouri, July 1837-August 1838; minute from the Freedom Baptist Church, April 3, 1824-August 22, 1868; justice of the peace docket books of Robert Fulkerson (justice of the peace in Danville, Missouri), 1843-1849; and justice of the peace docket book of James Bryant (justice of the peace in Danville), 1850-1859.

Cite as: Montgomery County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1089**Moody Family.****Papers, 1788-1935.** 9 folders (approximately 300 items); 1 oversize folder

Letters of the Moody family, early ones from Samuel Moody at Dartmouth College; collection, notebook, 1830, of poetry in hand of Margaret E. Johnson; land grants for Tennessee, Indiana, and Minnesota; Civil War letters to Katherine Twining; series of letters of artist Frederick L. Stoddard to Campbell of St. Louis, 1905-1935; 1917 story of the first institution for venereal disease among women organized in the United States at Lawton, Oklahoma, written by Mrs. Elizabeth Moore Hundley, 1917.

Cite as: Moody Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1090**Mook, George Jacob (1828-1900).**

Papers, 1863-1865. 1 folder (approximately 16 items)

George Jacob Mook was born April 26, 1828, in Oxford, Ohio. During the Civil War he served as a private in the 4th Missouri Cavalry (Confederate). He was captured October 25, 1864, near Fort Scott, Kansas, and imprisoned at Gratiot Street Prison and Alton Military Prison, before being sent to the South on exchange. Following the war he returned to St. Louis, where he served as vice president and treasurer of Flesh & Mook Painting Company. He died November 2, 1900, in St. Louis.

Papers include letters of George Mook to his family, mostly dated Gratiot Street Prison and Alton Prison in late 1864 and early 1865. Also includes Mook's diary (151 pages), dated January to June 1865, which primarily contains descriptions of his journey through the South as an exchanged prisoner. Also includes accounts of the Mobile Campaign, affairs in Louisiana in the war's final months, the surrender of Confederate troops, and a roster of men from St. Louis in Company D, 4th Missouri Cavalry. Also contains photograph of Mook.

Cite as: George J. Mook Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1092

Moore, Eva Perry (1853-1931).

Papers, 1892-1932; 1970. 1 box

A 1873 graduate of Vassar College and teacher of botany and French there until 1875, Eva Perry married Phillip North Moore, a mining engineer and consulting geologist, in 1879. In 1890, the Moores moved to St. Louis, where Mrs. Moore became active in a variety of women's clubs, including the Wednesday Club, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and the Association of Collegiate Alumnae of Vassar College. During the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition, she represented the Board of Lady Managers on the Superior Jury of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition; during World War I, she was active in the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, Missouri Division. With the advent of women's suffrage, she also became active in the League of Women Voters.

The collection consists of material removed from one of Eva Perry Moore's scrapbooks. Containing approximately 75 items, this collection includes typed notes and texts of speeches given by Mrs. Moore mostly in regard to women's issues of the day (1892-1930). Some material relates to the St. Louis and National Leagues of Women Voters (1920-1932, 1970). A few items within the collection pertain to Marie Ames, who was associated with the Missouri League of Women Voters (1921-1931). Collection is arranged by subject. Eva Perry Moore scrapbooks, 1865-1931, are available in the Missouri History Museum Library.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Eva Perry Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1091

Moore Family.

Moore-Johnson-Bland family papers, 1851-1944. 1 box

Papers include genealogical records of these families; typescripts of family correspondence and family records; typescript diary of Mary Johnson Bland, of Kansas City, while serving with the American Red Cross in Europe during World War II.

Cite as: Moore-Johnson-Bland Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1093

Moore, George H. (1878-1962).

Papers, 1864-1966. 2 boxes; 3 oversize folders

George H. Moore received his L.L.B. and his L.L.M. from the University of Missouri and established a law practice in St. Louis. He was appointed by President Woodrow Wilson to serve as the collector of internal revenue at St. Louis, a post he held until 1922. In 1935, he was appointed a federal judge in the Eastern District of Missouri. For his service to the law and to the community, he was given the St. Louis Award in 1952. He was the 21st president of the Missouri Historical Society, 1946-1956.

Papers include family papers, correspondence regarding the Moore, Taylor, Glover, McAfee families and their genealogies; correspondence between Judge George H. Moore and Floyd C. Shoemaker of the State Historical Society of Missouri regarding the publication of a journal of Col. John Glover, 1826-1835.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George H. Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1094

Moore, Henry Clay.

Papers, 1828-1888. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Civil engineer.

Papers include information regarding the building of the St. Louis, Lawrence and Denver Railroad, especially between Pleasant Hill, Missouri, and Lawrence, Kansas. Also includes information regarding the building in Florida in connection with the Florida Central and Western, Louisville and Nashville and Pensacola and Atlantic Railroads; letters from B.S. Henning, president of the Florida Central and Western Railroad; and numerous deeds, mortgages and tax receipts of Henry C. Moore.

Cite as: Henry Clay Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1095

Moore, Mariam Thiebes.

Collection, 1911-1926. 1 box

Contains four scrapbooks of theatre programs for New York and St. Louis performances, including notes of Mariam Thiebes Moore. Also includes postcard of the Battleship *Missouri*.

Cite as: Mariam Thiebes Moore Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2102

Moore, Martha Missouri Bishop (1837-1881).

Journal of the Trip to California (typescript copy), 1859 May 2-Oct 1. 1 volume (70 pages)

Martha Missouri Bishop was born October 18, 1837, in Benton County, Missouri, and married James Preston Moore in 1858. She died February 7, 1881, in Red Bluff,

California.

Typescript copy of Martha Missouri Bishop Moore's overland journey by wagon train from Missouri to California made with her pioneer husband, others, and 5,000 sheep. Journal includes accounts of geography, weather, distance traveled each day, and Indian attacks. Typescript was compiled by Martha Moore's niece Frances Bishop Sweeney in 1934. Also includes photographs, drawings, maps, and introduction.

Cite as: Martha Missouri Bishop Moore's Journal of the Trip to California, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1096

Moore, Meredith T.

Papers, 1851-1859. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Papers consist primarily of correspondence from Meredith T. Moore in California to Martha Hannah Ramsay in Missouri regarding life in California. Also includes a notebook of expenditures, recipes, etc. kept by Hannah Ramsay Moore, 1851-1859.

Cite as: Meredith T. Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1097

Moore, Thomas Anderson (1838-1915).

Collection, 1819-1916. 2 boxes

Thomas Anderson Moore was born October 31, 1838, in Scion, Harrison County, Ohio. He married Clara Pilcher (1845-1890) shortly before his enlistment in the Civil War. During the war, Moore served with the 33rd Missouri Infantry, and was seriously wounded on July 4, 1863, at Helena, Arkansas. Following the war Moore worked as a carpenter in St. Louis. He died June 16, 1915, at Kirkwood, Missouri.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence documenting family affairs and the Civil War from 1862 to 1865. The Moore Family Correspondence Series consists primarily of correspondence between Thomas and his wife, Clara, and also includes correspondence from Thomas' father, James. The letters regard family affairs and Thomas' service during the Civil War. The Moore Family Papers Series consists of various papers other than correspondence regarding the Moore and Pilcher families, including reminiscences and genealogies. It is unknown why the bank ledger, Kennerly journal, and ledger of Stagg & Brother were in the possession of Thomas Anderson Moore. The Barton Family Correspondence Series consists entirely of letters from various family members in Montgomery County, Missouri, to John M. Barton while he served with the 33rd Missouri Infantry during the Civil War. According to the correspondence regarding the collection, John Barton gave his correspondence to Thomas Anderson Moore to return to his family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas Anderson Moore Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2513

Moorhead and Company (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania).

Price List, 1880. 1 item

Price list of Moorhead and Company, Soho Iron Mills, manufacturers of galvanized,

Juniata, charcoal and common sheet iron. Company name changed to Moorhead-McCleane Co.

Cite as: Moorhead and Company Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2302

Morgan, Thomas B.

Papers 1891-1895. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Thomas B. Morgan was born February 15, 1868. He worked as a salesman for A.H. Fuchs, a milliner based in St. Louis, and traveled throughout Missouri, Kansas, and Arkansas for work. He was a descendant of the Clamorgans, a prominent local African American family. He died June 23, 1940, in St. Louis.

The collection consists of personal and business correspondence, travel and business receipts, business cards, expense books, and other work-related and personal ephemera. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas B. Morgan Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2472

Morgan Tire Pump.

Circular, no date. 1 item

Circular provides directions for installing Morgan tire pumps for Ford cars. A.L. Bedel, distributor, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Morgan Tire Pump Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1098

Morley Family.

Papers, 1899-1970. 2 folders

Papers consist primarily of materials regarding reunions and anniversaries of Central High School (St. Louis), including reunion programs, photographs, and an alumni list. Also includes a few documents regarding Hampton H. Bentz; receipt for burials of George C. Vordtriede and Louis Vordtriede; two certificates of William H. Morley; and photographs of William Morley.

Cite as: Morley Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1099

Mormons collection, 1813-1970. 6 folders (approximately 100 items)

Collection contains contemporary copy of testimony of Mormon participants in Davies County, Missouri, war, 1838; several letters of Matthew Gant, St. Louis, 1844-1849, to relatives in England describing his new life in the United States, St. Louis, with mentions of cloth merchandising, Mormons; letters of Irene Hascall Pomeroy to her mother, Mrs. Ursulia Hascall, and others, 1845-1854, describing Mormon experiences in Nauvoo, Illinois, and then over the western trail with winter quarters at the Camp of Israel and finally the establishment of their home at Salt Lake City (typed copies by C. Cadwith Waynes); various letters regarding life of Mormons and Salt Lake City; clippings regarding Mormonism. (The letters of Irene Hascall Pomeroy were published in the *Utah Historical Quarterly*, Volume 25 (four-part series), January-October 1957.)

Cite as: Mormons Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1100

Morrison family.

Papers, 1792-1943. 2 boxes

William, Robert, Jesse, and James Morrison, as merchants, settled in western territory: William and Robert in Kaskaskia, Illinois; James and Jesse in St. Charles. The latter dissolved partnership in 1827 and Jesse moved to Galena, Illinois. William M. Morrison, son of James, was a prominent St. Louis businessman. He married Mary Bissell, daughter of Lewis Bissell, and, after her death, he married Sarah Catherine (Kate) Swinney (1854). She died in 1861; he died in 1865.

Genealogy of the Morrison, Swinney, Fuller and related families. Collection includes original land grants, surveys and deeds pertaining to St. Charles and a few from Portage des Sioux. Also includes letters (1795-1840) of William, Robert and twin brothers Jesse and James Morrison relating to land claims, Indian and frontier trade, protection of Portage des Sioux; correspondence of W.D. Swinney family (circa 1843-1860s), Glasgow, Missouri, and of William M. Morrison to his future wife, Kate Swinney (circa 1853-1854). Persons and subjects mentioned include George W. Atchison, Hiram W. Baber, Joseph Beauchamp, Baptiste Caloutre, Baptiste Greza dit Capitaine, Pierre Clermont, Paul Cornoyer, Joseph Couder, Thomas W. Cunningham, Dardenne River, Baptiste D'eau, Uriah J. Devore, Jean Baptiste Dube, Francois Duquette, Bazil Hebert, Francis Honore, Theodore Hunt, Francois Jourdain, Pierre Vincent dit Larbre, Antoine Lafranchise, Hurbin Lafranchise, Marianne Lafranchise, Pierre LeVilebeouf die Leboeuf, Baptiste LeSage, Michelle LeSage, Pierre Loisel, Arthur L. Magennis, Guy Morrison, Henry J. Morrison, James and Jesse Morrison, William Morrison, Pierre Pelardi, Jean Baptiste Perrot, Jean Baptiste Petit, Bazil Picard, Portage des Sioux, Francois Rageot, R.R. Robbins, Gaspard Roubien, Francois Roy, St. Charles, Francois Saucier, Joseph Saurin, Antoine Soulard, Charles Tayon, Jean Tayon, and Zenon Trudeau. Also Amos Stoddard, James Wilkinson, John Cott, Z. M. Pike, James O. Swinney, Dr. William A. Smith, and William M. Morrison.

Cite as: Morrison Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1101

Morrison, Gilbert (-1912).

Papers, 1890-1910. 4 folders (approximately 50 items)

Principal at McKinley High School, circa 1906. He died in 1912.

Papers contain writings of Morrison regarding high school and manual training school education in St. Louis and Kansas City. Also includes speeches and some correspondence.

Cite as: Gilbert Morrison Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1102

Morrow, William.

Record book, 1837 June 1-Oct 3. 1 volume

This volume, attributed to William Morrow, is an otherwise unidentified record book containing promissory notes dating from as early as May 14, 1819. This volume appears

to document the finances of the Alton, Illinois, branch of the State Bank of Illinois.
Cite as: William Morrow Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1103

Moulder, Thomas Valentin (-1912).

Papers, 1898-1958. 2 boxes

Thomas Valentin Moulder was a pharmacist and a doctor in Crowden, Missouri. He graduated from the Kansas City Medical College in 1898 and practiced medicine in Brockett, Arkansas, and Puxico and Crowden, Missouri. He died in 1912.

The collection contains daybooks, ledgers, account books, personal and family papers, newsclippings and genealogical information on the Moulder family. The daybooks describe his medical practice, who he treated, etc. Also includes manuscript titled "Moulder's Record of the Moulder Family of America," by George Chester Moulder (published in 1933; 171 pages); the personal papers of Mrs. Olive Test Moulder; an autobiography of Ms. Phoebe Test (1958); and minute book of the Beaver Tribe, Lone Scouts of America, Crowden, Missouri, 1919.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas Valentine Moulder Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2386

Mound City Coupe, Livery and Messenger Co. (St. Louis, Mo.).

Circular, [1896?]. 1 item

This 4-page circular promotes the alarm box of the Mound City Coupe, Livery and Messenger Co., 3420 Lindell Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. The circular includes several testimonials and lists of fire calls and police calls rendered during the year.

Cite as: Mound City Coupe, Livery and Messenger Co. Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Mounds collection.

See Bean, L.M. Missouri mounds research notes, no date.

A2550

Moyne, E. Louise.

Papers, 1928. 2 items

Collection contains Herculaneum High School (Herculaneum, Missouri) diploma of E. Louise Moyne, May 17, 1928. (Verso of diploma includes a listing of the class roll, the school board members, and faculty members.) Collection also includes a group photograph of the Herculaneum High School graduation class of 1928. E. Louise Moyne is the only student identified in the photograph.

Cite as: E. Louise Moyne Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2438

Mudd, Henry Hodgen, Dr.

Memorial sketch, 1899 Dec 8. 1 item

Printed memorial sketch of Dr. Henry Hodgen Mudd, copied from the record of the

meeting of the Board of Directors of Washington University.
Cite as: Dr. Henry Hodgen Mudd Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1104

Muehleemann Family.

Papers, 1835-1897. 3 folders (approximately 150 items)

Papers include correspondence of Muehleman[n] family in Missouri and Illinois to relatives (brother) in Switzerland; group of letters, 1884-1897, of Eugene Muehleman on letterheads of Anheuser Busch, of which he was secretary treasurer.

German.

Cite as: Muehleemann Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1105

Mueller, Louis.

Library catalogue, 1881. 2 folders

Collection contains primarily a catalogue of the personal library of Louis Mueller, in German, titled "Bibliotek Verzeichnis," 1881, plus assorted newsclippings and two letters addressed to "Louise," dated 1846 and 1867.

In German manuscript.

Cite as: Louis Mueller Library Catalogue, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1106

Mueller, Robert Herman.

Papers, 1835-1920. 3 boxes

Robert Mueller left Germany in 1835 and arrived in St. Louis in 1840. He rented a small structure and established a bookbinding shop. By the 1850s he had acquired several building lots as rental property.

Collection contains correspondence of family and relatives of Robert Herman Mueller. Includes letterheads and bills from St. Louis firms in relation to Mueller's bookbinding business.

German.

Cite as: Robert Herman Mueller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1107

Muench family.

Papers, 1800s. 3 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Papers of Friedrich Muench family, German immigrant and social commentator and publicist. Account book of Friedrich Muench and family, 1846-1871, includes estate settlement records of brother-in-law Paul Follenius.

German manuscript.

Cite as: Muench Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1108

Mullanphy Family.

Papers, 1780-1951. 13 boxes; 37 volumes

John M. Mullanphy (1758-1833) emigrated to the United States from Ireland in 1792 with his wife, Elizabeth Browne Mullanphy, and their child. They settled first in Philadelphia, moved to Frankfort, Kentucky, in 1798, and then to St. Louis in 1804. John Mullanphy was the first Anglo-Irish merchant in St. Louis and St. Louis' first millionaire. He became rich selling cotton to England during the War of 1812. He brought to St. Louis three religious orders of women and established their convents, and possessed the best library west of the Mississippi River. Octavia Mullanphy, daughter of John and Elizabeth Mullanphy, married Dr. Dennis Delany (1797-1844?) in 1836, and Judge Henry Boyce in 1848. Dr. John O'Fallon Delany (1841-1930) was the son of Octavia and Dennis Delany. Jane Delany, a daughter of Octavia and Dennis Delany, married Andrew J. Lindsay in 1860. John D. Lindsay, of the firm Lindsay, Russell and Co., was the son of Andrew J. Lindsay and Jane Delany Lindsay.

The collection relates to the Mullanphy, Delany, O'Fallon, and related families. The bulk of the collection consists of papers relating to the settlement of the estate of John Mullanphy, and of his daughters and son Bryan Mullanphy, together with family correspondence, correspondence of real estate agents, business papers, and papers relating to John Mullanphy's charitable works. The collection also contains 37 volumes including surveys of John Mullanphy's property (1807); four volumes of records of his estate (1838-1844); two volumes of proceedings in the partition of his estate, heard before the St. Louis County Court of Common Pleas, 1841-1853; checkbook and real estate ledger of Elizabeth Browne Mullanphy (1837-1844); indexed ledger of medical practice of Dennis Delany (1835-1841); two checkbooks of Dennis Delany (1839-1844); a journal of Dennis Delany (1836-1844) of family and personal accounts; two volumes of Dennis Delany's estate records (1845-1848); 14 account books of Octavia Mullanphy Delany Boyce (1849-1876) relating to the settlement of Dennis Delany's estate and the management of hers; account book of John O'Fallon Delany during his stay in Europe (1858-1861) and ledger of rent and property management (1887-1895); and six volumes of records of Lindsay, Russell and Co., St. Louis commission merchants (1884-1885). Some French and Spanish.

Cite as: Mullanphy Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1109

Mundy, Johnson M. (1832-1897).

Papers, 1859-1898. 2 volumes

Johnson M. Mundy was born May 13, 1832, near New Brunswick, New Jersey. (Other sources list his birth date as May 31, 1829, and May 1833.) Despite losing his sight, he became a successful artist, establishing a studio in Rochester, New York, in the 1860s. He moved to Tarrytown, New York, in 1888 and died August 16, 1897, in Geneva, New York. Among his works were a bust of Frederick Douglass at the University of Rochester, a bronze statue of a Union soldier at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery in Tarrytown, and a statue of Washington Irving in Tarrytown.

The collection contains two volumes: (1) a scrapbook of Johnson M. Mundy dated 1859-1898 (approximately 150 pages) that contains newspaper clippings, correspondence (mostly addressed to Mundy and John A. Lant), and invitations. The clippings are mostly from newspapers in Rochester and Tarrytown, and relate to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument at Rockford, Illinois; the bronze statue of a Union soldier at Sleepy Hollow

Cemetery; the bust of Frederick Douglass; and other topics relating to Mundy and his work. (2) Journal of accounts of receipts and payments of Johnson Mundy, 1859-1890 (99 pages); also includes the names of individuals for whom he did portraits. Back of the volume includes 10 pages of names and addresses.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Johnson Mundy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1110

Municipal Art Commission (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record of Proceedings, 1930-1966. 4 volumes

Cite as: Municipal Art Commission Record of Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1111

Municipal Athletic Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1946-1973. 4 boxes; 2 volumes

Cite as: Municipal Athletic Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1112

Municipal Theater collection, 1919-1970. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes John H. Gundlach's notes on municipal theater, 1955 season, essay on theater, etc.; chart of the first officers, directors and committees of the Municipal Theater, June 10, 1919; handbills by F. Myran Caldwell, "Origin of the Idea for a St. Louis Municipal Theater," 1940; 1960 miscellaneous items; curricular protesting policies of the Russian government on their treatment of Jews, issued at the Municipal Theater on occasion of appearance of the Mosieyer dancers, 1970. The Municipal Theater was later known as the St. Louis Municipal Opera (or The Munny).

Cite as: Municipal Theater Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1113

Murphy, David (1769?-1844).

Papers, 1793-1828. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

David Murphy came to Missouri from Tennessee in 1800. He and his brothers established the Murphy Settlement in St. Francois County, Missouri. He donated the land for the establishment of the town of Farmington in 1822. Murphy served two terms in the Missouri House of Representatives.

Letters concerning the War of 1812 and politics, written by William Ashley, John Smith T., Nathaniel Cook, and other influential men of the day from Ste. Genevieve and St. Louis. Also several military appointments and a typescript copy of diary of journey, August 12, 1813-October 24, 1813.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: David Murphy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Murphy, J.

See J. Murphy and Sons Stock Book.

A1114**Murphy, Joseph (1805-1901).****Account books, 1825-1840; 1847-1853; [1947].** 1 box; 1 roll microfilm.

Three account books of pioneer wagon maker Joseph Murphy, 1825-1840, 1847-1853. M.A. thesis (St. Louis University) of Emily Ann O'Neil, "Joseph Murphy's Contribution to the Development of the Great American West," 1947. Photocopy.

RESTRICTION: As with all collections, if the documents exist in another format, researchers will be required to use the other format before the original documents will be paged to the reading room.

Cite as: Joseph Murphy Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1115**Murray, Julia K.****Scrapbook, 1918-1936.** 1 volume

Julia K. Murray attended Grover Cleveland High School, graduating in 1918. After attending Harris Teacher's College, Murray worked as an elementary school assistant at Blow Public School. The volume contains signatures and mottoes, invitations, snapshots, clippings and programs. Most are related to Cleveland High School and Harris Teacher's College.

Cite as: Julia K. Murray Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1116**Music collection, 1795-1993.** 5 boxes

Collection includes an assortment of material relating to music, musicians, composers, and music organizations in St. Louis and Missouri history. Acquired from a multiplicity of sources and arranged together due to common subject matter. The collection includes original compositions; programs; materials relating to St. Louis composers, musicians, musical groups, companies, and schools and conservatories. A significant portion of the collection relates to ethnic music, notably African-American music, German music, and French Creole music, musical organization, and musical influences. Some of the specific materials in this collection include record books of Ottmar Moll (filed 1904); record book of the St. Louis Musical Society (1872); manuscript and typescript notes and reminiscences of Ferdinand H. Walthers concerning music and musicians in St. Louis (filed 1830-1937); history of the Civic Music League of St. Louis (filed 1915-1955); a short history of ragtime music by Trebor Jay Tichenor (1960); St. Louis Academy of Music papers; constitution of the Polyhymnia and St. Louis Musical Art Association; record book of the Rockspring Saengerbund (1875-1887); the autobiography of William Robyn; information relating to Mid-America Jubilee, 1956; a manuscript book of French songs, circa 1841; music manuscripts of Agnes M. Schaberg set to poems of R.L. Stevenson, Sara Teasdale, Jennie Chase, Dante Gabriel Rossetti, Christina Rossetti, etc.; and a manuscript concerto for piano and orchestra by Louis Conrath.

Some German and French.

Cite as: Music Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2889**Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association (St. Louis, Missouri).
Concert Program, 1920 Sept 12.** 1 item

Program for monster band concert by 250 musicians under direction of the president, Frank Gecks, to celebrate the 35th anniversary of the Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association. Includes an illustration of the Musicians' Club building at 3535 Pine Street. Cite as: Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association Concert Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1117**Musick Family.****Papers, 1808-1938.** 1 folder, 5 volumes

The collection includes four volumes and index of mimeographed, paper-bound, genealogical notes of the Musick family genealogy. Also includes newsclippings regarding the Musick family and Thomas Musick.

Cite as: Musick Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1118**Myers, Alma.****Papers, circa 1930.** 4 boxes

Papers include research notes on William S. Beaumont (8 notebooks); clippings; note cards. Also includes manuscripts titled "The Golden Page" and "Three Centuries in Champlain Valley"; negatives and postcards (possibly Beaumont's grave) and pages copied from Ethan Allen Hitchcock's diary.

Cite as: Alma Myers Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2260**Myers, Frederick E.****Log Books, 1937-1977.** 3 volumes

Frederick E. Myers was a pilot for Ozark Airlines and a flight instructor and charter pilot operating out of Weiss Airport in Fenton, Missouri.

Collection consists of three of Myers's log books: Aviator's Flight Log Book Naval Air Transport, circa 1941-1944; Aviator's Flight Log Book United States Navy Reserve, circa 1944-1947; and Pilot's Log, 1937-1977.

Cite as: Frederick E. Myers Log Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1119**Myers, Walter E.****Collection, 1928 Feb.** 1 box

Walter E. Myers was post commander of the American Legion, Havana Post No. 1, in 1928.

Scrapbook contains letters, photographs, clippings, and ephemera regarding Charles Lindbergh's visit to Havana, Cuba, February 11, 1928. Also includes carbon copies of letters written by Myers to various government officials arranging the visit.

Some Spanish

Cite as: Walter E. Myers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1120**Nagel, Charles (1849-1940).****Papers, 1861-1938.** 5 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder

Charles Nagel was a leading political figure from the city of St. Louis. He was secretary of commerce and labor in President Taft's cabinet. He also served in the St. Louis City Council and in the Missouri House of Representatives. He was a member from Missouri of the Republican National Committee from 1908 to 1912. He was a member of the St. Louis law firm of Nagel, Kirby, Orrick and Shepley.

Papers include a typed manuscript of his book, *A Boy's Civil War Story*, with reviews and letters concerning same; clippings and printed matter regarding Charles Nagel; four typed letters of Dr. Herman Nagel in Texas to the family in Germany, 1861-1864; transcripts of letters of Dr. Herman Nagel, Milheim, Texas, and St. Louis, to his brother and mother, 1861-1864; document honoring Charles Nagel as secretary of commerce and labor, October 9, 1912; series of correspondence of Charles Nagel, 1920-1938.

Cite as: Charles Nagel Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1121**Napton, William Barclay (1808-1883).****Papers, 1829-1883.** 4 boxes; 5 volumes

Born in New Jersey; graduated from Princeton in 1826, tutored for two years, entered University of Virginia, qualifying as an attorney two years later; moved to Fayette, Missouri, from Virginia in 1832; took up practice of law and edited the *Boone's Lick Democrat* in 1834; served as state senator, attorney general, and state Supreme Court justice (1839-1851); aligned himself against the abolitionists during the Civil War; practiced law in St. Louis from 1863; returned to the Missouri Supreme Court, 1873-1880; retired in 1880; married Melinda Williams in 1838; she died in 1862, leaving ten children who were then raised by relatives.

Correspondence of William B. Napton and his wife, Melinda Williams Napton, 1839-1861; manuscript school books of William B. Napton, 1825-1827; and five manuscript diaries, with typescript copies, of Judge William B. Napton, 1829-1883, with notes from studies at University of Virginia, discussion of local, state and national political issues, St. Louis social life, discussion of literature both current and classical, political commentary (very candid). Napton's diaries were published in Christopher Phillips and Jason L. Pendleton, editors, *The Union on Trial: The Political Journals of Judge William Barclay Napton, 1829-1883* (Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 2005).

Some Latin in first volume.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: William Barclay Napton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2063**Narjis, Henry.****Notice of rejection of petition to be made a Mason in Chester Lodge No. 72, A.F. and A.M., Chester, Illinois, 1870 Feb 5.** 1 item

Cite as: Henry Narjis Notice of Rejection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2278

Nash, Marsha (1960-2007).

Funeral Program, 2007. 1 item

Marsha Christine Nash was born November 27, 1960, to James and Joy Williams. She graduated from Rosati-Kain High School (St. Louis) and the University of Missouri-Columbia. Nash was the program coordinator at the Missouri Historical Society. She was married to Orey Nash, Jr., and had a daughter, Erin Mallory Jordan.

The collection consists of the program from Marsha Nash's funeral held at St. Nicholas Catholic Church, St. Louis, Missouri, on December 22, 2007.

Cite as: Marsha Nash Funeral Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1122

Nash, William.

Papers, 1823-1849. 1 folder (25 pages)

William Nash lived in Dardenne, St. Charles County, Missouri, and later in Fulton, Callaway County.

The collection consists of photostats from the diary of William Nash. The diary deals with deaths and marriages in St. Charles and Callaway Counties; mentions many members of the Ferguson family; speaks of Dr. William C. Lane; and records the stages of the Missouri River.

Ovid Bell of Fulton obtained the original so that this photostat might be made, May 1930.

Cite as: William Nash Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1123

National Education Association. Council for Exceptional Children. Chapter 103 (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1958-1981. 2 boxes

This collection consists of the records of Chapter 103 of the Council for Exceptional Children, National Education Association, and includes correspondence, minutes, reports, circulars and memoranda, constitutions, and printed matter of both Chapter 103 and the Missouri Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, 1958-1981. It also includes papers of the Missouri Council of Administrators of Special Education, 1976; and the Council for Exceptional Children High School Project, 1975-1976.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: National Educational Association, Council of Exceptional Children, Chapter 103 (St. Louis), Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1124

National Guard of Missouri. 1st Regiment Infantry (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1873-1910. 1 box; 22 volumes

The 1st Regiment Infantry of the National Guard of Missouri was organized with the post-Civil War revival of the state militia units in 1869. This initial revival did not last very long, however, and all St. Louis militia units were mustered out of state service on April 21, 1874. Company A of the 1st Regiment, however, elected to continue its existence as an independent unit. With the advent of the railroad strikes of 1877 in St. Louis, Company A and two black units, the Attuck Guards and the Sumner Guards, constituted St. Louis' only militia. A call from the mayor of St. Louis for volunteers to

quell the strikes led to the organization of a number of additional companies on July 22, 1877. These included the Lafayette Guard, which after the strike ended, became Company A of the 1st Regiment of the St. Louis Police Reserve on November 7, 1878. In early 1878, the original Company A and other units formed to organize the St. Louis National Guard battalion. During the next year, as additional units were added, it became the 1st Regiment, National Guard of Missouri. On November 21, 1881, the St. Louis Police Reserve Regiment was also mustered into state service and designated the 3rd Regiment Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. On June 27, 1884, the 1st and 3rd Regiments consolidated to form a reorganized 1st Regiment of the Missouri National Guard. The original Company A retained its designation, while the Lafayette Guard became Company I. The unit underwent a hiatus in 1887 owing to the failure of the legislature to provide for its support. It reorganized again that year, first as a battalion, and then again as a regiment. With the Spanish-American War, the 1st Regiment mustered into federal service as the 1st Regiment of Infantry, Missouri Volunteers, on May 12, 1898. The unit never saw combat and was mustered out on October 31, 1898, whereupon it reverted to state service as the 1st Regiment Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. When President Wilson ordered the National Guard mobilized for duty on the Mexican border, on June 18, 1916, the 1st Regiment again entered federal service on June 25 and departed for duty at Laredo, Texas. The unit was released from this service on September 25, 1916, and returned to St. Louis. With the American entry into World War I in 1917 the 1st Regiment was again inducted into federal service on August 5, 1917, joining other Missouri and Kansas units to form the 35th Division. At that time, the 1st Regiment Infantry consolidated with the 5th Infantry, Missouri National Guard, organized in St. Louis in the summer of 1917 to form the 138th Infantry on October 1, 1917. This combined unit arrived in France in May 1918, as part of the American Expeditionary Force, and served out the remainder of the war in Europe. Following World War I, the 1st Regiment Infantry was permanently redesignated the 138th Infantry, National Guard of Missouri, in honor of the unit's World War I experiences.

These records consist mostly of the regimental records of the 1st Regiment Infantry, National Guard of Missouri, from 1873 to 1910. They also include records of Company A and of the Lafayette Guards, that trace the development of the units from their days as independent bodies through their emergence as Companies A and I of the 1st Regiment Infantry. These records consist of constitutions and by-laws, minutes of both civil and military associations, order books, rosters and enlistment contracts, correspondence and account books.

Cite as: National Guard of Missouri, 1st Regiment Infantry (St. Louis) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

National University of Arts and Sciences (Saint Louis, Missouri) Dental Department.

See Fruth Family Papers.

A0749

Native Americans collection, 1694-circa 1978. 3 boxes

Formerly known as the Indians Collection, the collection includes correspondence, newsclippings, and other papers relating to the fur trade, life of the Indians, Indian

missions, and conflicts and migrations. Includes information about Indian agencies and agents, such as William Clark, who was in charge of the St. Louis Indian Superintendency from 1822 to 1838. Agents represented include Charles B. Babcock, Thomas Fitzpatrick, John Haverty, Pierre Menard, and Benjamin O'Fallon. Tribes represented include the Cherokee, Cheyenne, Choctaw, Creek, Delaware, Flathead, Fox, Iatan, Illinois, Iowa, Kickapoo, Michigan, Muskogee, Omaha, Osage, Oto, Pawnee, Peoria, Ponca, Potawatomi, Sauk, Shawnee, Ute, and Winnebago. The collection includes many photostats, including photostats of correspondence from the United States Department of Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, 1827-1831.

Some French and Spanish.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Indians Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1125

Naturalization papers collection, 1802-1920 (bulk 1820s-1830s). 2 boxes

This collection consists of approximately 700 naturalization documents, the majority of which are declarations of intention to become a citizen of the United States. The large majority of these documents were filed in St. Louis County courts. The earliest document is dated 1802, and the most recent document is dated 1920. More than half of the documents are dated 1830s. The most frequent countries of origin for those seeking citizenship are from German states, Ireland, and England.

Collection is arranged alphabetically.

Name indexed in the archives card catalog and in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index.

Cite as: Naturalization Papers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2521

**Naval Reserves of Missouri.
Papers, 1902-1934.** 2 folders

The Naval Reserves of Missouri was organized circa 1900.

The collection includes correspondence, photographs, and newspaper clippings relating to the Naval Reserves of Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Naval Reserves of Missouri Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1126

Navy Department collection, 1847-1933. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Collection contains U.S. Navy continuous service certificate to Joseph Holub, 1879-1903; war log of *U.S.S. St. Louis*, 1917-1919; newsclippings and correspondence regarding silver service and bell of Cruiser St. Louis which were loaned to the Masonic Temple Museum, through the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Navy Department Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2518

Neave, Anna P.

Letters, 1881-1920. 12 items

In 1842, Alexander Neave married Anna Philips, a native of Pennsylvania from a Quaker background. The couple and their children resided in Hamilton County, Ohio, before moving to St. Louis in the 1870s. Alexander Neave died May 25, 1897, and was buried in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Collection contains ten letters of Mrs. Anna P. Neave, dated St. Louis, Missouri, to her niece Anna P. Haines in West Grove, Chester County, Pennsylvania. Collection also includes a Zurich postcard addressed to Dr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Haines and an itemized description of the letters written by manuscript dealer Constance R. Spande.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Anna P. Neave Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2262

Necktie Workers' Organization.

Postcard, 1941 July 14. 1 item

Postcard of the Necktie Workers' Organization, 6159 Bertha Ave., Wellston, St. Louis County, Missouri, to Wm. Walsh, Hudson, Massachusetts. Postcard reads, "Regarding the ties we sent you sometime ago. Please make it possible for us to employ more physically handicapped persons by retaining same. If you find it impossible to use the merchandise, will you kindly return same? Please return this card with your correspondence; it carries your file number. Very truly yours, Alice Regan, secretary."

Cite as: Necktie Workers' Organization Postcard, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2522

Neely, S.F.

Real estate advertisement for Tower Grove Parklands, 1898. 1 item

Advertisement of S.F. Neely for sale of lots in Tower Grove Parklands (St. Louis, Mo.). Includes photographs of four residences and lots. Research indicates that the photograph of the home on the top right of the advertisement is 3659 Cleveland Ave.; the home on the bottom right is 3667 Cleveland Ave.

Cite as: S.F. Neely Real Estate Advertisement for Tower Grove Parklands, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2274

Nelson, Mary Gay Wyan.

Travel Journal, 1840. 1 volume

Typed transcription of a travel journal kept by Mary Gay Wyan Nelson on a trip east in 1840 with her husband, Thomas Withers Nelson, and their fifteen-month-old daughter, Margaret Eliza Nelson. Their travel commenced on March 30, 1840, when they left their home in Vermont, Cooper County, Missouri, and concluded on May 5, 1840, when they arrived in Washington, D.C.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mary Gay Wyan Nelson Travel Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1128**Nelson, N.O. (1844-1922).****Papers, 1875-1950.** 2 boxes; 5 volumes

The N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company was founded in 1877 by N.O. Nelson for the manufacture of plumbing supplies. It was incorporated on February 27, 1883. In 1890, the company established the manufacturing village of Leclaire, Illinois, for its employees.

Collection consists of the personal and business records of N.O. Nelson; the N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company; and the Nelson Cooperative Association. It includes family correspondence; business correspondence; history of the plumbing business; material about the profit-sharing venture (the cooperative association) and employee community at Leclaire, Illinois, including the breakup of the association; material relating to the bankruptcy of the N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company, 1918-1919; background information, publications, and correspondence on baths and bathing customs; and biographical information on N.O. Nelson; and a scrapbook. In addition this collection includes the corporate records of the N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company, consisting of four volumes of minutes of stockholders' and directors' meetings (1883-1945); and one register for visitors to the factory located at Leclaire, Illinois (1904-1937).

Cite as: N.O. Nelson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2239**Netzeband, Ferdinand.****Papers, 1880-1891.** 1 folder (3 items)

Collection contains citizenship application of Ferdinand Netzeband in the St. Louis Criminal Court, September 23, 1884; United States passport of Ferdinand Netzeband, April 1, 1891; and warranty deed for land fronting on Hebert Street in the West Union Addition in the City of St. Louis, sold by Frederick Boehmer and his wife, Mary, of Benton County, Missouri, to Ferdinand Netzeband of St. Louis, dated August 12, 1880.

Cite as: Ferdinand Netzeband Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1129**New Era Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Minute books, 1902-1957.** 5 volumes

St. Louis women's cultural, social, and literary circle, founded 1902, disbanded 1957.

Cite as: New Era Club Minute Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1130**New Madrid, Missouri.****Account book, 1797.** 1 volume

Unidentified, possibly accounts of general merchandise firm, or general store.

Fragmentary accounts dated 1838 at rear.

In French.

Cite as: New Madrid, Missouri, Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1131**New Madrid, Missouri.****Archives, 1791-1910.** 15 boxes

This collection includes a variety of official records of the changing region administered from the city of New Madrid, Missouri, during the period of Spanish administration (1791-1804), the American colonial period (1804-1821); and after Missouri statehood (1821). The collection includes the archives of the Spanish commandant of the District of New Madrid during the period of Spanish colonial administration, arranged by instrument number; and circuit court records from the court situated in New Madrid during the American colonial period and well into the era of Missouri statehood. These records include land documents, marriage contracts, indentures, probate and circuit court records, and estate records. In addition, this collection includes some non-governmental records that relate to the history of New Madrid and its residents.

Spanish and French.

This collection was acquired for the Missouri Historical Society from the New Madrid court house by Louis Houck.

Finding aid available: *Index to the New Madrid Archives, 1791-1804* (Archives Ref./MO/9.10/N46a). Also see *Early Missouri Archives* (Archives Ref./MO/9.1/H629).

Cite as: New Madrid Archives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1132**New Orleans collection, 1770-1807; 1929.** 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Collection consists of one proclamation, February 12, 1770, Gen. Alex O'Reilly regarding transfer of property in New Orleans (in French); certification that Paul D'Arsantel is justice of the peace for the Parish of New Orleans, October 24, 1807; and newspaper clippings, pamphlets, correspondence, tourist information regarding the history of New Orleans.

Some French.

Cite as: New Orleans Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1134**New York. 8th Cavalry.****Records, 1862-1869 (bulk 1862-1864).** 6 boxes (approximately 1400 items)

The 8th New York Cavalry, or "Rochester Regiment," was organized at Rochester in November 1861, and served primarily in Virginia and Maryland. The regiment was mustered out of service in June 1865. The collection consists primarily of reports, returns, requisitions, and other records relating to the Quartermaster's Department. The collection also contains some records of the Ordnance Department and the Subsistence Department, and one folder regarding quartermaster's records of the 9th New York Cavalry.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: 8th New York Cavalry Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1133**New York Publishers Book Clearance Company (New York City).****Ledger, 1925-1926.** 1 volume (140 pages)

Records of wholesale book distributors and subsidiary book store, Capital Book Shop, in New York.

Cite as: New York Publishers Book Clearance Company Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1135

Newspapers collection, 1744-1983. 1 box

Original issues of various newspapers from around the world, 1744-1800s: *Boston Gazette or Weekly Journal*, June 5, 1744; *The Salem Mercury*, May 12, 1789; *The London Gazette*, November 6, 1805; prospectus of *The Missourian*, March 25, 1844, the *St. Louis Observer*, May 21, 1831, and *The African*, September 18, 1843; documents and letters concerning the mining and business ventures of Charles W. Knapp; 36 letters, telegrams, etc. from Joseph B. McCullough to Walter B. Stevens, pertaining to the affairs of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* and its Washington correspondent, 1886-1896; 20 letters, chiefly to John Knapp regarding influence of the *Republican* in politics, etc., 1847-1912; 75th Anniversary Edition of the *Westliche Post*, 1932; first anniversary of St. Louis World's Fair edition of *Westliche Post*, 1899; letters, clippings, etc. concerning sale and end of the *St. Louis Republic*, 1919.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Newspapers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1136

Nicholson, David.

Account book, 1843-1848. 1 volume (200 pages)

Records of stock purchases and sales in general store in St. Louis, with records of room rental at rear of volume.

Cite as: David Nicholson Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1137

Nims, Eugene Dutton (1865-1954).

Papers, 1894-1954. 2 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Eugene Dutton Nims was born in Fond-du-Lac, Wisconsin on April 3, 1865. After working as a director of several banks in Kansas and Oklahoma, Nims established a telephone service called the Arkansas Valley Telephone Company. After the success of this company, Nims organized the Pioneer Telephone and Telegraph Company. In 1914, the Pioneer Company, the Bell Telephone Company and the Missouri and Kansas Telephone Company merged into one company called the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Nims was appointed vice-president and treasurer of the company. On September 12, 1919 he was elected president of the company with his headquarters in St. Louis. In addition to his work with the telephone company, Nims was a director of the First National Bank of St. Louis, the St. Louis Union Trust Company, the Missouri State Life Insurance Company of St. Louis and chairman of the Boy Scout Council of St. Louis. Nims was married to Lotowana Flateau on July 9, 1914. They maintained a house in St. Louis, 56 Portland Place, a country home, Bee Tree Farm, in South St. Louis County and a summer home, The Larches, on Cape Cod. Nims passed away on January 30, 1954.

The Eugene D. Nims Papers consists primarily of the business and personal papers and correspondence of E.D. Nims. Business papers and letters relate to Nims's work with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. of which he was president. Personal papers and letters include invitations to dinner such as the Charles A. Lindbergh Dinner and the Marshal Foch Dinner. Papers relating to the Boy Scout Council of St. Louis are included in the collection as well. There are various newspaper clippings regarding the life and work of Mr. Nims.

Also included in the collection are the personal papers of Mrs. Lotowana Flateau Nims. These include personal correspondence and letters of sympathy upon the death of Mr. Nims. Also included are documents relating to the travels of Mr. and Mrs. Nims to South America, Africa and their Round the World Cruise aboard the *S.S. Resolute*.

Lastly, the collection includes several official resolutions and biographical sketches in honor of Mr. Nims's work for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Eugene Dutton Nims Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1138

Nipher, Francis Eugene (1847-1926).

Papers, 1875-1891. 2 boxes; 1 volume

A pioneer Missouri physicist, and organizer of the Missouri weather service, Francis Nipher was born in Port Byron, New York. He received his Ph.B. from the University of Iowa in 1870 and his A.M. degree in 1873. He married Matilda Aikins in 1873. In 1874, he was appointed chair of the physics department at Washington University.

The collection contains unpublished manuscripts and sketches regarding physics, and a volume of original sketches to accompany his physics manuscript. Also contains correspondence regarding the collection.

Cite as: Francis Eugene Nipher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1139

Nolker family.

Papers, 1918-1963. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Papers contain ring binder with genealogical information; photographs; military correspondence of Herman Nolker; map of Germany, 1959.

Cite as: Nolker Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2480

Norddeutsche Bank (Hamburg, Germany).

Circular Note for Payment to Johann Buckmann, no date. 1 item

Cite as: Norddeutsche Bank Circular Note for Payment to Johann Buckmann, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2414

Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Chart of Premium Rates, 1878. 1 item

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company's home office was located in

Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Cite as: Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company Chart of Premium Rates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1140

Norton, John W. (1847-1895).

Papers, 1840-1895. 1 box

Born in 1847, John W. Norton was a leading juvenile actor in Pittsburgh. He later managed DeBar's Opera House and the Grand Opera House in St. Louis; and the Grand Opera House in Chicago. He died in 1895.

Collection consists of the correspondence of John W. Norton, discussing St. Louis and Chicago theaters, actors, bookings, etc. Includes Norton's correspondence with George Berrell; receipts from DeBar's Opera House; and material regarding Grand Opera House and Chicago Opera House.

Cite as: John W. Norton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2499

Norvill, Peyton.

Receipt of sale of a slave, 1822 Oct 30. 1 item

Receipt reads, "Recd[?] of Peyton Norvill two hundred eighty[?] dollars in full for a negro boy by the name of Peter about thirteen years of age which boy I warrant & bind my heirs to warrant & defend the title of said boy against all claims or claims whatsoever & a slave for life given under my seal." Signature is unclear. Verso mentions the name Isaac Strickland.

Cite as: Peyton Norvill Receipt of Sale of a Slave, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2545

Nottingham School (St. Louis, Mo.).

Commencement Program, 1947 June 6. 1 item

Includes names of the following graduates: Phyllis Ann Becker, Charles Digiovanni, Jesse C. Haggerty, Paula Jean Harbor, Robert Mulholland, David E. Scanlan, Diane Lee Schlappizzi, Raymond G. Schultze, and Barbara Joan Simmons.

Cite as: Nottingham School Commencement Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1141

Novak Family.

Papers, 1912-1944. 1 box; 1 oversize package.

Memorabilia of the Novak family of St. Louis. Includes World War II home front materials; assorted theater and musical programs; memorabilia related to the *St. Louiske Listy*, a Czech newspaper published in St. Louis; dues cards in the St. Louis Typographical Union No. 8 issued to Louis Novak (1937-38); and an undated broadside titled "St. Louis people are cosmopolitan in their reading. . ."

Cite as: Novak Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1142**Noyes, John (1886-).****Architectural Drawings, 1939.** 1 folder

Two drawings for proposed entrance gates for the Village of Westwood, near Westwood Country Club, at Ladue Road and at Warson Road, St. Louis. The gates were not built.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: John Noyes Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1143**Nuderscher, Frank B. (1880-1959).****Papers, 1916-1959.** 12 folders (approximately 300 items)

Frank B. Nuderscher was born July 19, 1880, to Anna Regina and Martin Joseph Nuderscher in St. Louis. After attending the St. Louis School of Fine Arts, he turned to commercial art and painting. He established his studio in the Granite Building at 406 Market. During his career, he was a commercial artist, landscape and figure painter, and mural decorator. He also directed the Nuderscher School of Art in St. Louis and the Ozark School of Art in Arcadia, Missouri, from 1921 to 1950. He was commissioned to paint one of the eight lunettes above the mezzanine floor of the west end of the Missouri capitol building.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence, but also includes literary productions, artistic productions, financial documents and printed materials.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frank B. Nuderscher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1144**Nuelsens, Johann Joseph.****Tagebuch fuer Joh. Joseph Nuelsens, 1833-1839.** 1 volume

German daybook, locale unidentified.

In German manuscript.

Cite as: Johann Joseph Nuelsens Tagebuch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1145

O. Houx and Co. (Lexington, Butler, and Marshall, Missouri).

Account books, 1866-1884. 3 volumes

Account books of general merchandise firm in Lexington, Missouri (1866-1869), Butler, Missouri (1871), and Marshall, Missouri (1871-1884). Consists of one ledger and two sales journals.

Cite as: O. Houx and Co. Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1146

Oakville Fair Corporation.

Records, 1959-1963. 1 box

The Oakville Fair Corporation was organized in 1959 as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of holding a centennial celebration in 1959 for the community of Oakville, Missouri.

Complete archives of the Oakville Fair Corporation; includes correspondence, financial records, clippings, and approximately 50 photographs by Bob Merz. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Oakville Fair Corporation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1147

Oberg family.

Papers, 1911-1918. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Emil Oberg died in France during World War I.

Papers include World War I mementoes; notices of Emil's death; photographs of family; postcards from various places sent to family from Emil; letters of Emil to family during his service; broadside, "Co. D, 115th Engineers, U.S.N.G. XL Division, Soldier Memorial, U.S. German War, 1917."

Cite as: Oberg Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1148

O'Brien, David.

Diaries, 1907-1917. 2 volumes

St. Louis police officer.

St. Louis policeman's duty journals, dated March 26, 1907–March 28, 1917, with accounts of arrests, assignments, routine police procedures, marginal notes on final disposition of cases.

Cite as: David O'Brien Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2422

O'Fallon, A.M.

Broadside for sale at public auction, 1873 Mar 13. 1 item

Broadside reads, "Public Sale! I will sell at public auction, at the place known as the John O'Fallon Farm, near Sulphur Springs, Mo., on Thursday, 13 Day of March, 1873. Without reserve or limitation, the most approved farming implements, consisting of 1 large separator or threshing machine, mowing & reaping machines, all description of

plows, subsoil, gang and double plows, cultivators, harrows, mowing machines, corn crushers, rollers, horse wagons and ox wagons. The above implements have been in use only one season, and will be sold at a great sacrifice. Also household furniture. Also horses and mares for farm work; thoroughbred horses, a large herd of fine cattle; Southdown sheep, Berkshire and Poland China hogs, and a quantity of wool. Terms of Sale—A credit of 9 months for all sums over ten dollars; the purchaser giving note with approved security. A.M. O’Fallon.” Printed by Jefferson Democrat Print, Hillsboro. A.M. O’Fallon Broadside for Sale at Public Auction, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1149

O’Fallon and Hatch.

Bankbook, 1871. 1 volume (46 pages)

Bankbook of Union National Bank of New Orleans in account with O’Fallon and Hatch.

Cite as: O’Fallon and Hatch Bankbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1150

O’Fallon Gun Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1883-1886. 1 volume; 1 folder

Record book contain the by-laws of the O’Fallon Gun Club of St. Louis, records of its meetings and shoots, and its accounts.

Cite as: O’Fallon Gun Club Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1151

O’Fallon, John (1791-1865).

Papers, 1780-1925. 1 box

John O’Fallon was born 17 November 1791, near Louisville, Kentucky, to Dr. James O’Fallon and Frances (Fanny) Clark O’Fallon. His uncle, William Clark, supported John financially during his secondary education at an academy in Danville, Kentucky. John studied law, but before he began to practice, he joined the U.S. Army in 1811. He fought in the War of 1812 and was badly wounded in the battle of Tippecanoe. In September 1812 he was made an ensign and was stationed in the Old Northwest under Gen. William Henry Harrison. He participated in the siege of Fort Mies and in Gen. Harrison’s attack on Detroit. In 1813, he was made a second lieutenant, and in March 1814, he was promoted again. By that time he was based in St. Louis. He worked for the Missouri Fur Company from 1812 until its dissolution in 1818. He then shipped dry goods down the Missouri on steamboats from 1818 until 1823. He married his first wife, an Englishwoman named Harriet Stokes, around 1820, with whom he had at least one child. After giving up the river trade, he became a lawyer and often dealt with real estate. After the death of his first wife, he married Caroline Sheets in 1827 with whom he had at least four children. He was named the first president of the St. Louis branch of the Bank of the United States in 1828. He also invested in hotels and railroads. In 1838, he began to correspond with people in Ireland to find his father’s family. He was an active participant in the Whig party’s campaign to elect Gen. Harrison to the presidency in 1840. His business ventures were generally quite successful, and John O’Fallon became a very

respected and wealthy citizen who supported the city's benevolent and civic efforts. He died December 17, 1865, in St. Louis.

This collection consists chiefly of letters John O'Fallon received from his family and friends. The letters range from his school and army days to Gen. Harrison's campaign for the presidency. Altogether, these documents give a rather superficial but well-rounded sketch of his activities from the time he left school around 1810 up through the 1840s. There are almost no papers from later in his life. Besides all of the papers pertaining to John O'Fallon, there are a few other family documents in this collection belonging to his brother Benjamin to John O'Fallon's estate, and to his wives and sons John J. and Ben. Finding aid available.

Cite as: John O'Fallon Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2245

Office of Price Administration.

Papers, 1945-1946. 1 folder (3 items)

The collection consists of correspondence to volunteers at the Office of Price Administration thanking them for their service. Includes a letter from Mrs. Harry Hoffman to the volunteers at Price Control Board No. 54115 in St. Louis, dated February 15, 1946; a letter from Harry Truman, dated October 26, 1945; and a printed letter from Chester Bowles, dated January 1946.

Cite as: Office of Price Administration Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1816

O'Gorman, Paul J. (1893-1978).

Papers, 1918-1919. 1 folder

Paul J. "Budd" O'Gorman was born October 3, 1893, in St. Louis, Missouri. He enlisted in the Missouri National Guard in 1917 and was placed in the 35th Division. The Division trained at Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Oklahoma, before being shipped to France in June 1918. O'Gorman saw action at St. Mihiel and Argonne. The unit returned to St. Louis in April 1919. He married Dorothy Hogan in 1926. O'Gorman was employed by the Shapleigh Hardware Company in St. Louis until 1958. He later worked for the Health and Welfare Council in St. Louis. He died in 1978.

The collection consists of a 32 page selection of O'Gorman's wartime correspondence edited by James F. O'Gorman.

Cite as: Paul J. O'Gorman Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1152

O'Hare, Frank P. (1877-1960).

Papers, 1850-1960. 44 boxes

Frank O'Hare (1877-1960) was brought from New Hampton, Iowa, to St. Louis by his mother when he was six years old, where they resided in the Irish community called Kerry Patch. In his early 20s his interests turned to social justice, and as a socialist organizer he frequently traveled with Eugene V. Debs. He conceived of the idea of annual tent encampments for farmers of the southwest under Socialist sponsorship. In 1912, O'Hare became editor of *The Rip-Saw*, a socialist monthly issued from St. Louis.

He was married to the prominent socialist Kate Richards O'Hare, who was imprisoned during the World War I for opposing the draft, and whose penitentiary experiences led her to work toward extensive reforms in women's prisons after her release. They organized the Children's Crusade for Amnesty in 1922, which involved the children of political prisoners and draft obstructers marching on Washington. Frank and Kate O'Hare were divorced in 1927, and about the same time he went to work for a St. Louis hat company where he became assistant and consultant to the president. He retired in 1947 after suffering a heart attack. A member of the Public Question Club, he formed a Monday luncheon group christened the Dunkers and launched a one-man weekly, *Dundkerdoings*, to report its meetings and activities. O'Hare died July 16, 1960.

Collection contains correspondence, newsclippings, and published and unpublished writings of Frank P. O'Hare, and his wife, Kate Richards O'Hare. O'Hare's letters and writings, dated 1895-1960, deal with local and national news, political trends, and social reform. A large number of essays reflect his interest in mathematics and the ways it can be used to increase efficiency in production and management. Also includes bound volume titled "Dear Sweethearts: Letters from Kate Richards O'Hare to Her Family from April 20, 1919, to May 27, 1920."

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Frank P. O'Hare Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1153

Old Court House (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Architectural Drawings, 1933. 1 folder

Drawn by Angelo B. M. Corrubia (1881-1943) most likely as part of the Historic American Buildings Survey of the 1930s. The blueprints include floor plans of the basement, first floor, second floor, and the roof. The structure sits on the block of Chestnut, Broadway, Market, and Fourth streets.

Cite as: Old Court House (Saint Louis, Missouri) Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Old Guard (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1862-1865. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

A1155

Old Settlers' Association of Jefferson County, Missouri.

Records, 1864-1951 (bulk 1891-1941). 1 manuscript box; 1 oversize folder

The Old Settlers' Association of Jefferson County, Missouri, was formed for the purpose of meeting annually to form new acquaintances and strengthen old friendships, and to preserve old landmarks of the county. The association is open to anyone at least 50 years of age who has been a resident of the county for 20 years.

Collection contains minutes, membership rosters, correspondence, newspaper clippings, and other material regarding the activities of the Old Settlers' Association. Collection also contains material relating to the history of Jefferson County, and correspondence of John L. Thomas to Samuel A. Reppy.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Old Settlers' Association of Jefferson County, Missouri, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2383

Olin, Franklin W. (1860-1951).

Papers, 1887-1900. 1 folder

Franklin W. Olin was born January 9, 1860, in Woodford, Vermont, and graduated from Cornell University with an engineering degree in 1886. He moved to East Alton, Illinois, in 1892, where he established companies that eventually became Olin Industries, Inc. He died May 21, 1951, in St. Louis, Missouri.

The collection consists primarily of receipts and business correspondence of Franklin W. Olin.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Franklin W. Olin Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2117

Oliver, Lillian Hays.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1957. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Lillian Hays Oliver Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1156

Olsen, Audrey, C.S.J.

Research notes on Saint Louis Germans, no date. 1 box

Research notes on St. Louis Germans compiled by Sister Audrey Olsen, C.S.J., for her Ph.D. thesis. Includes data on first, second, and third generation males of German extraction who were listed in the St. Louis Blue Book, 1910-1911, members of the Liederkrantz Club, 1910-1920, officers of German societies, 1911-1910, or listed in the *Book of St. Louisans*, 1906 or 1912. Data extracted includes residence(s); occupation; property tax paid and property value, 1914; personal tax paid, 1914; religion; political affiliation; societies to which they belonged; place and date of birth and death; and other information found in the *St. Louis Times*, *Westliche Post*, or *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*.

Cite as: Sr. Audrey Olsen's Research Notes on St. Louis Germans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1157

Olshausen Family.

Papers, 1830-1912. 1 box

Family of Theodore Olshausen (1802-1869). A native of Holstein, Theodore Olshausen helped organize the Home Guards in St. Louis, and edited the *Westliche Post* after 1856. He returned to Holstein after the Civil War.

This collection includes a body of unprocessed German-language material relating to Theodore Olshausen. In addition, it contains a wide variety of other materials of uncertain origins that include a journal of a trip through England, Paris, etc.; maps, plats, etc., St. Louis (1842-), including a plat of "The Glades" in Gratiot League Square and

maps of the St. Louis Commons; material relating to Bernard Kraft, including a sketch of his residence (1850); annual report of the Washington Mutual Fire Insurance Company of St. Louis (1858); list of German-language books, 1884, no date; booklet "St. Louis Water: Is it Chicago Sewage Diluted?" by Gustavius D. Hinrichs; and papers regarding John F. Wixford and the chemical process of purifying water, 1904-1912.

Some German handscript.

Cite as: Olshausen Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1158

Olympic Amateur Athletic Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute book, 1889-1894. 1 volume

Cite as: Olympic Amateur Club Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1159

On The Wall Productions, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1974-1993. 11 cubic feet; 3 flat storage boxes; 20 flat files.

Firm records, job files, business correspondence and design sketches for mural projects.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: On the Wall Productions, Inc. Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1160

O'Neil, Joseph (1817-1893).

Papers, 1838-1909. 5 folders (approximately 150 items)

Joseph O'Neil immigrated from Ireland circa 1829 to Utica. He arrived in St. Louis circa 1839. He was a member of the Missouri Senate, 1858.

Includes business papers of Joseph O'Neil; numerous letters from Archbishop Peter Richard Kenrick to O'Neil concerning building of New Cathedral, other church-related business. Personal letters from David Nicholson; "The Story of Joseph O'Neil," 1817-1893, by Horton O'Neil.

Cite as: Joseph O'Neil Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1161

O'Neill, Rose (1874-1944).

Papers, 1927-1952. 6 folders (approximately 200 items); 1 scrapbook

Artist; creator of Kewpie cartoons and dolls; author, sculptor. She died on her estate near Branson, Missouri.

Papers include scrapbook with photographs, clippings, etc. regarding her and her dolls; typescript of a chapter of O'Neill's autobiography [not actually identified]; drawings and notes of O'Neill; notes and poetry of Thomas Boggs and clippings regarding Kewpie Dolls and Ms. O'Neill's life.

Cite as: Rose O'Neill Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2893

Order of DeMolay (Maplewood Chapter).

Invitation, 1937 May 1. 1 item

Invitation to the annual informal dance of the Maplewood Chapter, Order of DeMolay, at the Hotel Jefferson. Entertainment by Buddy Kay's Orchestra.
Cite as: Order of DeMolay (Maplewood Chapter) Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1162

Oregon-California Collection, 1832-1943. 1 box

The Oregon-California Collection is an artificial, or subject-based, collection comprising a variety of documents that have been placed in this collection over the years due to their common subject matter. The collection consists primarily of letters, diaries, and articles from Missouri newspapers relating to overland travel to Oregon and California in the 1840s and 1850s. Most of these items are transcriptions or reproductions, rather than original documents. The collection also includes correspondence of the Missouri Historical Society with various individuals, 1924-1940, mostly relating to papers and publications about 19th-century overland travel to California and Oregon.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Oregon-California Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1163

O'Reilly, Joseph (-1949).

Papers, 1779-1945. 18 folders (approximately 250 items)

Joseph O'Reilly was an early balloon racing enthusiast in St. Louis and participated in races during the Louisiana purchase Exposition in 1904. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War and also a member of the Board of Trustees of the Missouri Historical Society.

The papers concern mainly the areas of real estate and balloon racing. The correspondence series include both personal and professional correspondence for the years, 1913-1944. Most of the correspondence relates to balloon racing in the years, 1913-1922. A number of letters relate to applications for participation in balloon races. Others are written to and from Warren Rasor and William Assmann, two friends and fellow participants. A few personal letters to Goodyear Tire and Rubber also include references to R.H. Upson, an expert in the field and winner of a number of international races. Also includes correspondence from Albert Bond Lambert regarding the Missouri Aeronautical Society (in folder dated 1940-1945). There are flight logs which document races in 1909, 1912, and 1917. The financial records include a checkbook, a tax book, and a number of receipts. The printed materials include memorial envelopes, souvenir canvas, commemorative ribbons, real estate cards, and a flag dedication pamphlet. There are also lists of materials needed by balloonist and a number of aeronautical bulletins. The real estate records contain early St. Louis street surveys and real estate transfers. There is also an early map of a number of city streets. These records were gathered as a result of Mr. O'Reilly's partnership in a real estate firm.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Joseph O'Reilly Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1164**O'Reilly, M.B.**

Collection, [1766]-1941. 6 folders (approximately 25 items)

Irish immigrant who came to St. Louis in 1849. He was a prominent investigator of land titles.

Collection includes transcriptions of early land titles, 1766-1841; papers, letters, etc., 1861-1941; also early marriage contracts.

Cite as: M.B. O'Reilly Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1165**Ormerod Family.**

Papers, 1815-1905. 2 folders (approximately 35 items)

Papers include correspondence to Joseph Ormerod while living in Settle, Yorkshire County, England; Bedford, Pennsylvania; and Boonville, Missouri, from family and friends regarding politics, living conditions, family happenings; various receipts for the family.

Cite as: Ormerod Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1166**Orten, J.H.**

Account books, 1891-1905. 2 volumes

One volume of accounts of road work undertaken for Road district no. 30 in Missouri, J.H. Orten, overseer (1894), and records of cases brought before J.H. Orten, justice of the peace for the township of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri (1898-1899). Ledger of unidentified Ste. Genevieve insurance company serving Ste. Genevieve and surrounding Missouri counties, 1891-1905.

Cite as: J.H. Orten Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1167**Osterhaus Family.**

Papers, 1865-1931. 2 folders (approximately 25 items); 2 oversize folders

Peter Joseph Osterhaus was born January 4, 1823, in Coblenz, Germany. He emigrated to the United States in 1849, eventually settling in St. Louis. During the Civil War he rose to the rank of major general in the Union army. Following the war he worked as a United States consul in France and Germany. He died January 2, 1917, in Duisburg, Germany.

Collection contains diary (163 pages) of General Osterhaus while commanding the 1st Division, 15th Army Corps, dated January 1 to December 15, 1864. (Osterhaus was traveling and away from his command from early January to February 19; he did not record any entries for the period July 19 to August 24.) Diary contains occasional accounts of operations in northern Alabama while encamped at Woodville, January to April; accounts of operations during the Atlanta and Savannah Campaigns; and regular accounts of the number of miles marched. Collection also contains pardon granted by President Johnson to G.R. Wilson, dated July 26, 1865; Military Order of the Loyal Legion certificate of Osterhaus, dated 1904; several obituaries of Osterhaus; and

newspaper article (with typescript English translation) from the *New York Staat-Zeitung und Herald*, April 5, 1925, titled "The Germans in the Civil War: Recollections of Generals Osterhaus, Sigel, Schurz, von Steinwehr and Willich." Also includes letters, documents, clippings and genealogical material regarding the Osterhaus family; and five letters of P. Joseph Osterhaus, 1915-1916, to Sen. Hugo regarding entrance of U.S. to World War I.

Cite as: Osterhaus Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1168

Osterhorn, Johann Wilhelm (1830-1874).

Papers, 1849-2000 (bulk 1862-1865). 1 box; 1 volume

Johann Wilhelm Osterhorn was born January 14, 1830, in Allendorf, Germany. He left Germany without government permission and worked and traveled extensively in the United States from 1855 to 1860. He met Juliana Gertrude Wilhelmine "Minna" Buhner (born 1839) in Marburg on the Lahn (Germany) around 1860, and they agreed to travel to America together. They emigrated to St. Louis, Wilhelm in 1861 and Minna in 1862, and were married there June 5, 1862. In April 1861 he was elected 1st lieutenant of Company A, 3rd Missouri Infantry (Union). He resigned due to poor health in early 1863, but in July of the same year he reentered the service as captain of Company G, 31st Missouri Infantry. He was discharged in January 1865. Following the war he moved with Minna to Bismarck, Missouri, where they operated a hotel and restaurant. They had four children. Wilhelm was shot and killed by a tenant in Bismarck in 1874. Minna later married Herman Hasenpatt. She died in 1915 in Bismarck.

This collection contains letters between Wilhelm and Minna Osterhorn, and from friends and family. The letters from Wilhelm to Minna sometimes give first-hand accounts of conditions in the U.S. Army during the Civil War. The letters from the Buhner family in Marburg consist mostly of news about family and friends. The collection also contains Wilhelm's journal, which has untranslated receipts in the front, and his account of his own personal history in the middle, the rest is blank. There is also a bound booklet titled "The Genealogy of the Spielman Family," compiled by Armand Spielman, the great grandson of Wilhelm and Minna Osterhorn.

In German, some translations available.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Johann Wilhelm Osterhorn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1169

Oversize collection. 5 (20x24) flat storage boxes; 10 map drawers

Contains items from other collections that are too large to be housed in manuscript boxes.

List of items in each box.

A1170

Overstolz, Henry Clemens (1822-1887).

Papers, 1846-1907. 2 folders (approximately 30 items); 4 volumes

Henry Clemens Overstolz was born in Muenster, Westphalia, Prussia, and lived there

until 1836; married Philippine Espenschied (1847-1925); settled in St. Louis, and served as mayor, 1876-1881.

Collection includes three volumes of personal accounts, consisting of one ledger (1870-1882) and two cash journals (1870- 1879 and 1880-1883); personal letterbook while mayor of St. Louis, 1876-1881; family photographs; newsclippings; and some correspondence.

Some German on first page of letterbook.

Cite as: Henry Clemens Overstolz Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2489

Owen, Martha, Miss.

Papers, 1889-1909. 3 items

Papers include letter signed W.B. Anderson, president, Western Academy, LaBelle, Missouri, "to whom presented," May 19, 1889, recommending Miss Martha Owen as a teacher; grade report of Miss Martha Owen, Western Academy, LaBelle, Missouri, June 4, 1889; and letter signed W.M. McGee, Warren County superintendent, Indianola, Iowa, May 4, 1909, recommending Miss Owen as a teacher.

Cite as: Miss Martha Owen Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Oyster, D.K.

See D.K. Oyster (Lagrange, Missouri) Bills of lading.

A1171**Paddock Family.**

Papers, 1815-1934. 4 boxes; 1 volume (124 pages).

Family of Revolutionary War soldier Gaius Paddock, his wife Mary (Polly) and of his ten children, two of whom were sons, Sprouat and Orville.

This collection consists of descriptions of life in St. Louis; Paddock's Grove, Madison County, Illinois; and Springfield and Alton. It includes a few deeds, papers, Civil War letters, correspondence concerning nursery stock. The collection also includes correspondence of the Paddock women; a ledger, 1821-1822, later used as a scrapbook; a volume of writing of Gaius Paddock (grandson of Revolutionary War soldier), 1834-1844; and Gaius Paddock family book, 1836-1936, by Susan and Gaius Paddock. The collection also contains a daybook of unidentified merchandise accounts, 1836-1837; most accounts obscured by clippings, as volume was later used as a scrapbook by Susan Paddock of Paddock's Grove.

Cite as: Paddock Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1172**Paffrath, Max.**

Papers, 1893-1926. 5 folders; 1 oversize folder

Engineer.

Collection includes professional correspondence; specifications for Philippine Exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Municipal Courts Building (St. Louis), unidentified hospital and various railroads; floor plans for a public bath house at 7th and Souard (St. Louis), 1908; floor plans for the Municipal Court Building, 1910; and the confirmation certificate of Max Paffrath, 1893.

Cite as: Max Paffrath Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Pageant and Masque (Saint Louis, Missouri)

See Saint Louis Pageant and Masque

A1173**Palacek Family.**

Papers, 1911-1956. 1 box (approximately 15 items)

Thomas Palacek was born June 23, 1887, in St. Louis. A beer bottler by trade, he was employed by Anheuser-Busch, and was a member of Beer Bottler's Union no. 187 of the International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal, Soft Drink and Distiller Workers of America.

Papers include three record booklets of Clara Palacek relating to participation/membership in Czech immigrant societies, the Sebevzdělavací Spolek Ceskych Zen a Dívky, 1911-1921, and Sbor Bretislava c 14., 1928-1938 and 1930-1939; Missouri State Unemployment Service identification card, issued to Thomas A. Palacek, Sr., October 9, 1939; membership booklet, International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal, and Soft Drink Workers of America, issued to Thomas A. Palacek, Sr., May 17, 1943; group insurance and retirement income plans for employees of Anheuser-Busch, Inc., 1947; printed booklet titled "Constitution of the International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal Soft Drink and Distillery Workers of America, adopted 1950";

printed booklet titled "Labor Agreement between International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal, Soft Drink and Distillery Workers of America, CIO, and its Local Union No. 187 and Anheuser-Busch, Inc, 1953"; letter of Harold Gartner, Industrial Relation Dept., Anheuser-Busch, Inc., to Thomas Palacek regarding absence from work due to illness, January 19, 1956; attendance card issued to Thomas Palacek of Beer Bottlers' Union no. 187, 1955; St. Louis motor vehicle tax receipt, 1955; printed booklet titled "General Company Conduct Rules and Regulations, Anheuser-Busch, Inc.," no date. Cite as: Palacek Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1174

Palmer, I.B.

Capitulations and extract of treaties relating to Canada, circa 1814. 1 volume

Copybook of I.B. Palmer with extracts of treaties of 1763, 1783, notes on War of 1812, and words and melodies of several American songs, date on flyleaf: February 24, 1814.

Cite as: I.B. Palmer Copybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1175

Palmer, James A.

Estate papers, 1839-1844. 1 box (approximately 30 items)

Papers relating to estate of James A.H. Palmer; Pierre Chouteau and Kenneth McKenzie administrators (not all government related).

Cite as: James A. Palmer Estate Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1176

Palmer, Singleton (1912-).

Papers, 1953-1992. 5 folders

Singleton Palmer was born November 13, 1912, in St. Louis, and attended Sumner High School. At age eleven, Palmer began trumpet lessons, and by age fourteen, he became second trumpeter of the Mose Wiley dance band. Shortly thereafter, Palmer switched to the tuba. During his professional career, he played with Oliver Cobb, Eddie Johnson, George Hudson, Fats Waller, and Count Basie. In 1950, Palmer returned to St. Louis, where he played with his own band at the Forest Park Hotel. The Singleton Palmer Dixieland Band played at the Opera House in Gaslight Square from 1958-1967, and they recorded six albums. In 1984, Palmer received the Mayor's Award for the Arts.

Collection includes correspondence of friends, fans, and organizations to Singleton Palmer; programs, invitations, newspaper clippings and magazine articles documenting Palmer's musical career and band.

Cite as: Singleton Palmer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1177

Palmyra, Missouri.

Collection, 1829-1880. 1 box (approximately 25 items)

Papers include land papers of Palmyra, Missouri; correspondence of people in Palmyra or surrounding areas; articles of agreement of expedition to California for gold, January 28, 1849; report of Ann E. Lear from Palmyra Female Seminary, May 1856.

Cite as: Palmyra, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1178

Pape, Erich (1821-1881).

Papers, 1860-1908. 3 folders (15 items)

Erich Pape was born in Germany in 1821 and came to the United States in 1844, settling in Bollinger County, Missouri. He served as sergeant of Company B, Fremont Rangers, from August to December 1861. He then enlisted in Company A, 12th Missouri State Militia Cavalry, which was later consolidated and became Company K, 3rd Missouri State Militia Cavalry. He rose to the rank of lieutenant. Following the war he returned to Bollinger County, where he died April 23, 1881.

Collection contains quartermaster's account book of Lieutenant Erich Pape, Company K, 3rd Missouri State Militia Cavalry (new), which includes accounts of military equipment and clothing for members of Company K; diary entries for Company K for the month of June (year not provided); and brief entries regarding the operations of the 12th Missouri State Militia Cavalry in southeast Missouri in September 1862. Collection also includes notebook containing rosters of Captain John R. Cochran's Company C., Enrolled Missouri Militia, Bollinger County; roster of Captain Cochran's company, Missouri Volunteer Militia, Bollinger County (1865); roster of Company K, 5th Missouri State Militia Cavalry (new); and affidavits for invalid pension claims. Also includes discharge certificate of Erich Pape and pension certificate of his wife. Collection also includes a tax receipt to Marcus L. Keller, October 19, 1860; document signed Erich Pape, identifying his mark for hogs, sheep, goats, May 11, 1867; two certificates of election of Erich Pape for sheriff of Bollinger County, 1868; letter of F.A. Ainsworth regarding the military history of John R. Cochran; three documents stating Levi B. James has been elected Judge of County Court, 1st District, Bollinger County, 1898; letter of Belle Cochran to Mr. L.B. James regarding father's papers; and document naming L.B. James deputy food administrator of Bollinger County, 1918.

Cite as: Erich Pape Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Papers from Spain

See Houck, Louis. "Papers from Spain" transcripts.

A1179

Papin Family.

Papers, 1749-1890. 3 boxes; 1 volume

Joseph Alexandre Papin and his son Joseph Marie came to the Cahokia area from Canada around 1760. The elder Papin, was a land surveyor and also in the commissariat department of the army of French King Louis XV. Joseph Marie Papin married Rene Auguste Chouteau's daughter Marie Louis in 1779. Joseph and Marie Louis Papin had 13 children. Joseph and his wife settled on a 1,300 acre tract of land outside of St. Louis which later became Forest Park.

Papers include some correspondence of Papin family, some in France to members in St. Louis; accounts with Saint Louis University (January 29, 1839) and St. Mary's College (October 19, 1841) that have statements of tuition, board; various receipts and bills of Papin family; deeds, indentures, rent receipts, tax receipts of family (property for

the most part was in St. Louis); rolled map of streets in St. Louis, circa 1870 (Henry Papin written on the back), streets lots bounded by Main on the east, Carondelet on the west, Picotte on the north and Duchoquette on the south; genealogy of Papin family. In addition, there is a copybook of Henry Papin, St. Louis, 1853-1854, with lists of recipes, trees in his backyard, dates of family marriages, names of children, articles on paper money, hospitals, name derivations, etc.

French.

Cite as: Papin Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1180

Papin, Theophile (1827-1902).

Real estate transactions, 1846-1877. 1 volume (74 leaves)

Record of real estate holdings and transactions in St. Louis City and County.

Cite as: Theophile Papin Record of Real Estate Transactions, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2277

Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG), St. Louis Chapter. Brochure, circa 2006.

Informational brochure regarding the St. Louis chapter of PFLAG.

Cite as: Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG), St. Louis Chapter, Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1181

Parker Family.

Parker-Russell papers. 1797-1947. 2 boxes

Family and business papers; estate papers; passports; deeds of the families of Lemon Parker, William Russell, and James Russell (St. Louis and Washington County and Franklin County, Missouri). Includes a travel journal of Lemon Parker; land records from Howard County, Missouri; records relating to the firm of Ward and Parker, and to the Galena Mining Company; and reminiscence of Anne Clendennin Russell about St. Louis life from 1861 to 1947, circa 1947.

Cite as: Parker-Russell Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1182

Parker, George Washington (1836-1913).

Papers, 1854-1876. 5 boxes

Born in 1836, reared in Elizabethtown, Kentucky, lawyer, prominent builder and manager of railroads, Charleston, Illinois, 1861-1876; moved to St. Louis 1876, was Republican nominee for mayor, 1901, and a director of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, 1904.

Business papers and correspondence concerned chiefly with affairs of the St. Louis, Alton, and Terre Haute Railroad and other railroads. Some personal correspondence, some of Civil War interest.

Acquired by Book World from the Estate of C.G. Parker.

Cite as: George Washington Parker Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

A2415

Parkhurst, E.

Advertisement, 1830 Nov 24. 1 item

Advertisement for new shoe store of E. Parkhurst: "The subscriber respectfully solicits a share of public patronage, at the store formerly occupied by Menard & Sire, on Main street, four doors south of the Market, where he offers for sale, a general assortment of boots & shoes, at wholesale and retail. . . . Also, a good assortment of combs, clothing, broad cloths, vestings, cravats, buttons, buckles, stock rifles, &c. Hides taken in exchange."

Cite as: E. Parkhurst Advertisement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1183

Parks-Curtner Family.

Papers, 1856-1990. 1 box

Joseph L. Parks (1906-1972) attended Kirkwood High School (class of 1925), the University of Missouri–Columbia, and George Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee. He taught at Braggadocio, Missouri, public schools and was a science teacher at Kennett School until his retirement in 1970. He was president of the Southeast Missouri Teachers Association and a member of the Central Presbyterian Church, the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in St. Louis, and Hayti AF and AM Lodge No. 571. In 1932, he married Carrie Curtner. They had one child, Jane Parks. Carrie Curtner attended Braggadocio High School (class of 1924) and Southeast Missouri Teacher's College in Cape Girardeau, Missouri. She taught in the Braggadocio public school system.

Collection consists of Curtner family genealogy; newspaper clippings regarding the Parks and Curtner families; photographs of Joe Parks, Carrie Parks, and Professor Hardin Craig; Kirkwood High School Class Roll (1925) and diploma; miscellaneous family papers; sermons of Reverend W.H. Parks (1856-1889); class autograph book of Jane Parks (1947-1948); and scrapbook of Carrie Curtner.

Cite as: Parks-Curtner Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1184

Parrish, Wilhelmina.

Parrish Sisters Castle Square Opera Company Scrapbook, 1902-1903. 1 volume

Grace and Wilhelmina Parrish, St. Louis photographers, part of the Potters movement in St. Louis art and literature.

Letters and photographs relating to the Castle Square Opera Company.

Cite as: Parrish Sisters Castle Square Opera Company Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1185

Parsons, Charles (1824-1905).

Papers, 1808-1940 (bulk 1862-1864). 45 manuscript boxes; 3 oversize boxes; 4 oversize folders (in AMD); 33 volumes

Charles Parsons, son of Lewis B. and Lucinda Hoar Parsons, was born January 24,

1824, in Homer, New York. In 1851, he moved to Keokuk, Iowa, where he conducted a successful banking business. He married Martha A. Pettus in 1857. During the Civil War, Parsons was appointed assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, and placed in charge of the St. Louis post of the Union rail and river transportation service. In this role, Parsons worked closely with his brother Lewis B. Parsons, chief of rail and river transportation. Following the war, Parsons worked with the St. Louis State Savings Association, becoming president in 1870. He died September 15, 1905, in Wequetonsing, Michigan.

Collection consists of accounts, abstracts, correspondence, bills of lading, orders, transportation passes, crew lists, charters, contracts and other types of material that document his work as assistant quartermaster in St. Louis during the Civil War. The collection includes both loose papers and bound volumes that provide extensive information on the logistics of transporting troops and supplies for the Union army in the western theater, including the Vicksburg Campaign. The collection also contains several folders of Parsons' personal papers.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Parsons Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2365

Parsons, J.B.

Papers, 1840-1846. 2 items

Contains letter signed J.B.P. [J.B. Parsons], Philad. [Philadelphia], to Mrs. Frances Parsons, St. Louis, Missouri, August 19, 1840. In this letter, Parsons updates his wife on his business trip and discusses family matters. Papers also include letter signed Jno. Rostez Thornton, Paris, [Kentucky?], to Lewis Vimont, Millersburg, Bourbon County, Kentucky, which discusses a debt and a land sale. Includes typescript transcriptions of both letters.

Cite as: J.B. Parsons Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1186

Parsons, Mosby Monroe (1822-1865).

Papers, 1847-1869. approximately 30 items

Mosby Monroe Parsons was born May 21, 1821, at Charlottesville, Virginia. As a young man he moved to Cole County, Missouri, where he studied law and was admitted to the bar. After serving in the Mexican War, he served in the state senate and as attorney general. During the Civil War he commanded the Sixth Division, Missouri State Guard, and later commanded a brigade in Price's army. He was killed in August 1865 in Mexico.

Collection includes undated address of J[ames] H. McNamara titled "An Historical Sketch of the Sixth Division, Missouri State Guard," which contains accounts of operations of the Sixth Division in Missouri in 1861, including the Battles of Carthage, Wilson's Creek, and Lexington, and listings of casualties in each battle; newspaper clipping from the *Missouri Republican*, dated November 6, 1886, which contains McNamara's reminiscences regarding the affairs of Parson's Brigade in Arkansas and Louisiana in 1863 and 1864, including information on camp life and account of the Battle of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana; fragment of diary of Dr. Robert Joseph Bell, a surgeon in the 10th Missouri Infantry, Parson's Brigade, dated June 1863 to August 1864 (28 pages,

includes typescript), which describes his experiences while serving in Arkansas, including accounts of marches, the Battle of Helena, and depredations of Union soldiers; fragment of diary of Dr. Bell's wife, dated January to August 1864 (37 pages, includes typescript), which contains descriptions of her activities while in Arkansas and Louisiana with her husband; brief undated manuscript biographies of Parsons and his brother-in-law, Austin Martin Standish; register of officers in Parsons' Division, kept by Austin Standish, dated 1862 to 1865; notes of Mrs. Mildred Parsons Standish containing her recollections of a wartime journey from St. Louis to Arkansas and Louisiana; five letters of Parsons to family, including letter dated June 5, 1865, which discusses impending surrender of his troops at Shreveport, Louisiana; two letters of L[ebbeus] A. Pindall, including letter dated February 3, 1869, which contains account of the death of Parsons; and general orders signed by Pindall, dated camp at Van Buren, Arkansas, December 13, 1862, announcing the death of Lieutenant Gus A. Parsons.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mosby Monroe Parsons Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2519

Paschall House Association of St. Louis.

Ticket, [1868]. 1 item

Ticket entitles the holder to one share in the Paschall House Association of St. Louis. Ticket includes illustration of building.

Cite as: Paschall House Association of St. Louis Ticket, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1187

Passports collection, 1826-1958. approximately 15 items

American and other national passports issued to various people.

Some French.

Cite as: Passports Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1188

Patents collection, 1881-1927. approximately 30 items

Patents issued mostly to residents of St. Louis from the United States government (one from Canada), for various inventions.

Cite as: Patents Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Patience Worth collection

See Curran, Pearl Pollard, 1883-1937

A1189

Patrick, William K. (1841-).

Papers, 1862-1907. 4 folders; 1 volume (approximately 50 items)

William K. Patrick was born June 12, 1841, in Birmingham, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania. His family moved to St. Louis in 1848. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a private in the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months). He later served as assistant provost marshal for the Department of Missouri. He was active in the

Missouri Radical Republican party.

Collection contains letters to William K. Patrick from several individuals, including the following: two letters of Frank Lord, dated Provost Marshal's Office, St. Louis, September 22 and October 17, 1864; two letters of A.J. Hughes, 12th Missouri Cavalry (Union), dated September 23, 1864, and May 8, 1865; and letter of Lieutenant Colonel James F. Dwight, 11th Missouri Cavalry, dated Little Rock, April 18, 1865. Collection also contains correspondence regarding Patrick's appointment as assistant adjutant general, dated January to April 1864; correspondence regarding Patrick's appointment as paymaster for the Regular Army, dated May to August 1865; charge against Richard S. Raymond for violation of the laws of war, dated 1865; printed circular letter of B. Gratz Brown to the editor of the *Cosmos*, titled "Let Us Have Genuine Freedom in Missouri," dated November 15, 1864; and Patrick's record book of Civil War pension claims, dated 1890 to 1891. Collection also contains papers regarding the Radical Republicans of the state; the impeachment proceedings of Andrew Jackson and the reconstruction of the South; and ledger book containing combination of tax and other accounts, affidavits and other legal items.

Cite as: William K. Patrick Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Paule, John

See John Paule's Store

A1190

Paule's Fashionable Merchant Tailoring Emporium (Saint Charles, Missouri). Daybook, [1868]-1869. 1 volume (60 pages)

Cite as: Paule's Fashionable Merchant Tailoring Emporium Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2423

Pavey, Ida F.

Certificate of appreciation from the Walnut Park School Patrons' Association, 1934 Dec 12. 1 item

This certificate of appreciation was given to Ida F. Pavey in recognition of her 42 years of service as a teacher in the St. Louis public schools.

Cite as: Ida F. Pavey Certificate of Appreciation from the Walnut Park School Patrons' Association, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1191

Paxton, William McClung (1819-).

Papers, 1850-1913. 22 boxes; 9 volumes

William Paxton was born in Mason County, Kentucky, and married Mary Forman in 1840. They settled in Platte City, Platte County, Missouri, where he served as notary, examiner, attorney, and judge. He authored *Annals of Platte County, Missouri* in 1897.

This collection contains a variety of records from various aspects of Paxton's career in Platte City, Missouri, including four volumes of accounts from his general store in Platte City (1850-1854); three volumes of specimen letters "from each of the correspondents of W.M. Paxton," arranged in alphabetical order in January 1877, but dating from the 1860s

and 1870s; a scrapbook of daily weather reports for Platte County, clipped from the *Platte County Argus* (1905-1913); and a record book of collections brought before the Platte County Circuit Court, judgments, executions, and commissions (1860-1871), apparently kept by Paxton in his capacity as an attorney. In addition, the collection contains genealogical material, including a genealogical index and a number of wills, abstracts, court papers, etc. of the Paxton family.
Cite as: William McClung Paxton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Payne, Jacob U.

See Jacob U. Payne and Brothers

A2312

Payne, W.E., M.D.

Letter to the clerk of the County Court of St. Louis County, Mo., 1894 Apr 11. 1 item

Dr. Payne of Pattonville, St. Louis County, reports “a case of diphtheria under my care in the family of Mr. W.W. Brownfield of Normandy, St. Louis Co.”

Cite as: W.E. Payne, M.D. Letter to the clerk of the County Court of St. Louis County, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1192

Peabody, Charles (1816-).

Travel diaries, 1846-1859. 5 volumes; 2 folders

Protestant (possibly Presbyterian) minister, born in New York, traveled on behalf of the American Tract Society to the American West, made similar missionary excursions to Europe.

Diaries of protestant missionary travel through the American West (including Missouri) and Europe. American travel diaries document two trips, the first in 1846 (typescript only) on behalf of the American Tract Society, and the second in 1846-1849 (original). They include material on St. Louis and Missouri, including information on the 1849 cholera epidemic in St. Louis. Also information on the Cumberland Express, and Peabody's own origins and genealogy. Four European travel diaries, 1858-1859, relate to Peabody's travels with W.H. McClure through England, the Netherlands, the German states, Prussia, and Switzerland. One file of correspondence received by Peabody, 1888-1889, including letters from the American Tract Society.

1846 typescript diary may not be reproduced without the permission of the Philosophical Society of Ohio at Cincinnati.

Cite as: Charles Peabody Travel Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2571

Pearson, Lillie V. “Granny,” Mrs. (1915-2006).

Papers, 1948-2006. 13 items

Mrs. Lillie V. “Granny” Pearson owned and operated Tillie’s Food Shop (also known as Tillie’s Corner), a neighborhood confectionary located at the corner of Garrison and Sheridan Avenues in St. Louis, Missouri. She opened the shop in 1948. Mrs. Pearson died November 30, 2006, in St. Louis.

The papers include photocopies of newspaper obituaries of Mrs. Lillie V. Pearson from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* and *St. Louis American*; reproductions of photographs of the exterior of Tillie's Corner, 1345-1355 North Garrison Avenue, taken in 2002; historical synopsis of Tillie's Corner written by her granddaughter Carla R. Pearson, 2004; reproductions of photographs of Mrs. Lillie V. Pearson; reproduction of sketch of Mrs. Pearson by artist Bill O'Donnell, 1995; and an original photograph of Mrs. Pearson inside Tillie's Food Shop, 1948.

Cite as: Mrs. Lillie V. "Granny" Pearson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1194

Peck, Charles.

Papers, 1817-1889. 5 items

Papers contain birth and death records from family Bible; notebook containing record of remedies and dosages for various ailments, prescriptions of numerous St. Louis druggists and pharmacists, and entries regarding local physicians; printed letter to member of the Central Presbyterian Church, circa 1865; and issue of the "Children's Friend" (Volume II, Number 10; May 18, 1867), an Evangelical Sabbath school journal, published in Richmond, [Virginia].

Cite as: Charles Peck Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1193

Peck, Charles Henry (1817-1899).

Papers, 1887-1898. 2 volumes

Born in New York, left for West in 1838, settling in St. Louis, married Rebecca Adams in 1840. Worked in building and mining, with numerous other business interests. Served as a director of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, was an incorporator and director of Vulcan Iron Works and of Bessemer Steel Works, incorporator of Mechanics' Bank and of Provident Savings Association, vice-president of St. Louis Gaslight Company, president of Central Silver Mining Company. Also an original trustee of Vandeventer Place.

Two letterpress letterbooks of Charles H. Peck, relating to his numerous business interests and personal affairs in the latter part of his life, 1887-1899. Includes extensive correspondence regarding the Central Silver Mining Company and its interests in Arizona.

Cite as: Charles Henry Peck Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1195

Peddicord, Kelion Franklin (1833-1905).

Papers, 1862-1910. 11 folders

Kelion Franklin Peddicord was born October 1, 1833, near Barnesville, Ohio. His family later moved to Virginia and then Tennessee. He enlisted in the Confederate army in the fall of 1861, serving as orderly sergeant in Company C, Morgan's Squadron of Kentucky cavalry. While sick in Huntsville, Alabama, in May 1862, he was captured and sent to Camp Chase, Ohio. He was exchanged in September 1862. He then joined Quirk's Scouts of Morgan's command. In May 1863 Quirk's Scouts reported to Colonel R.C.

Morgan's 14th Kentucky Cavalry, and became Company B. In July 1863 he was captured again at Buffington, Ohio, and was confined in several northern prisons until the close of the war. Following the war he moved to Palmyra, Missouri. He died August 28, 1905.

Collection contains several detailed rosters of Quirk's Scouts compiled by Peddicord; Peddicord's reminiscences of his service with Quirk's Scouts, including an account of the "Christmas Raid" in Kentucky in 1862; ten letters of Peddicord to his family while imprisoned at Camp Chase, Ohio, the Western Penitentiary (Allegheny City, Pennsylvania), Point Lookout, Maryland, and Fort Delaware; Peddicord's notebook listing men of Morgan's Cavalry imprisoned at Columbus, Ohio; reminiscences of Peddicord's sister Mrs. India P. Logan, regarding her effort to get supplies to her brother in prison; letter of Columbus Peddicord, Johnson's Island Military Prison, to sister, August 28, 1864; three letters of R.M.J. Arnette, dated 1894 and 1901, to Peddicord, which include reminiscences of experiences with Morgan's Cavalry; scrapbook of postwar newspaper clippings regarding the war; three letters of George H. Blakeslee, Eddyville, Nebraska, 1902, to Peddicord, which include reminiscences of Blakeslee's service with the 129th Illinois Infantry in middle Tennessee (also includes photograph of Blakeslee); letter of J. Ogden Murray, Charlestown, West Virginia, 1902, to Peddicord, which includes reminiscences of experiences in prisons at Point Lookout, Maryland, and Fort Delaware; and postwar correspondence of Mrs. India P. Logan with the Missouri Historical Society.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kelion Franklin Peddicord Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2458

Peerless Hangers.

Circular, circa 1902-1911. 1 item

Circular for Peerless Hangers, for hanging suits and skirts, sold by Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., St. Louis.

Cite as: Peerless Hangers Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1833

Pence, William D.

Papers, 1892-1902. 2 folders

William D. Pence taught civil engineering at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana. He compiled data and notes on the collapse of stand pipes (water towers) in Maryville, Missouri (1893), Lexington, Missouri (1885), and St. Charles, Missouri (1889) for articles published in *Engineering News*, 1895.

Collection contains correspondence between Pence and various engineers associated with the design of stand pipes, officials of the U.S. Department of Agriculture weather bureau, handwritten and typed manuscripts describing the events, and photographs of stand pipes.

Cite as: William D. Pence Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2511

Penn Treaty Rolling Mills.

Price List, circa 1880. 1 item

Penn Treaty Rolling Mills price list of American galvanized sheet iron, [sold by?] Marshall Bros. & Co.

Cite as: Penn Treaty Rolling Mills Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis–Benton Park, Oral History Project Transcripts, 1997.

See Missouri Historical Society. People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis–Benton Park, Oral History Project Transcripts, 1997.

People's Art Center (Saint Louis, Missouri)

See Curtis, Mabel B. Files regarding the People's Art Center

A2402

Pepper, F.M.

Letter, 1891 Oct 1. 1 item

Letter signed F.M. Pepper, St. Louis, to S.M. Crook and family. Mentions his lecture schedule as a student at the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons; a recent earthquake that shook St. Louis; fires that broke out in St. Louis; and the death of uncle Jim Dickson.

Cite as: F.M. Pepper Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1196

Perrin, J. Nick.

Papers, 1893-1938. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

J. Nick Perrin wrote articles and compiled histories of Illinois, Kaskaskia, etc.

Papers include newsclippings of histories written by Perrin and articles regarding Perrin.

Cite as: J. Nick Perris Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1197

Perry County, Missouri.

Collection, 1937; 1959. 1 folder

Letter of Ida Schaaf to Stella Drumm, October 31, 1937, authenticating wayside shrine in Perry County; 1959 letter, photocopies, to sister Lillian Owens regarding land at Apple Creek and containing information about The Barrens in Perry County, and Father Joseph Paquin, 1959.

Cite as: Perry County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1809

Pershing Memorial Museum Development Fund

Collection, 1978. 1 folder

The Pershing Memorial Museum Development Fund was established to raise money for the construction of the John J. Pershing Museum, a museum dedicated to the life and

career of General John Pershing. The museum was designed to be a component of the Pershing boyhood home historic site in Laclede, Missouri.

The collection consists of a *Progress Report* newsletter, an invitation to the dedication of the Pershing boyhood home, and card and medallion presented to development fund donors.

Cite as: Pershing Memorial Museum Development Fund Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1198

Pet, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, circa 1890s-1980. 8 boxes

Founded in the late nineteenth century at Helvetia Milk in Highland, Illinois, by the Latzer family; moved to St. Louis and reestablished as Pet, Inc., sold to The Pillsbury Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, in the 1995.

Records related to the history of Pet, Inc.; includes some Latzer family historical materials.

Pet, Inc., records transferred to The Pillsbury Company when Pillsbury purchased Pet, Inc., in 1995. The records were then turned over to Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Latzer in 1995, with the understanding that they could be donated to appropriate repositories. Latzer family papers collected by Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Latzer.

Pet, Inc., trademarks and patents are and remain the property of The Pillsbury Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Finding aid available.

Associated Pet, Inc., and Latzer family materials at the Highland Archives (Illinois); the Latzer Homestead Museum (Illinois); the Louis Latzer Memorial Library (Illinois); the University of Illinois; and with the Louis A. Latzer family.

Cite as: Pet, Inc., Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1199

Peters, John.

Scrapbook, circa 1927-1934. 1 box

At one time was chief clerk of the register's office assisting St. Louis Mayor Dickmann and the mayor's secretary, 1933.

Loose scrapbook of clippings, mementoes, invitations, cards, etc. Also contained are photographs and newsclippings regarding the dedication of the Federal Building (St. Louis), 1933, and the political campaign of Mayor Dickmann.

Cite as: John Peters Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1200

Peterson, Charles.

Collection, 1936-1989. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Architectural historian and planner for the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial when it was first established.

Information regarding the destruction of St. Louis river front for memorial; history of park; information on Old Courthouse and Cathedral.

Cite as: Charles Peterson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1202**Peterson, Cyrus A. (1848-).****Battle of Pilot Knob research collection, 1862-1914.** 12 boxes; 4 oversize folders

Cyrus A. Peterson was born March 30, 1848, in Burke County, North Carolina, and moved to Cape Girardeau, Missouri, with his family in 1860. He graduated from the Missouri Medical College in 1878 and worked as a physician in St. Louis. In the early 1900s he began gathering data on the Battle of Pilot Knob, mostly in the form of correspondence and personal narratives of Union veterans, which resulted in the publication of a book he co-authored titled *Pilot Knob: The Thermopylae of the West*, published in 1914. Dr. Peterson also served as Missouri Historical Society president from 1905 to 1906. He died November 19, 1915, in St. Louis.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence to Peterson from Union veterans and their relations and descendants, containing recollections of the Battle of Pilot Knob and other operations during Sterling Price's expedition through Missouri in 1864. Most of the correspondents were veterans of the following units: 14th Iowa Infantry, 2nd Missouri Light Artillery, 2nd M.S.M. Cavalry, 3rd M.S.M. Cavalry, 47th Missouri Infantry, and 50th Missouri Infantry. The most frequent correspondent was Henry C. Wilkinson, a veteran of the 47th Missouri Infantry. Collection also contains general and special orders, muster rolls and other official papers of the 47th Missouri Infantry, mostly regarding Company H; official papers of several other regiments; papers of the Pilot Knob Memorial Association, and correspondence regarding veterans' reunions and efforts to establish Fort Davidson as a memorial.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Cyrus A. Peterson Battle of Pilot Knob Research Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1201**Peterson, Cyrus A.****Papers, 1883-1911.** 1 box

President of the Missouri Historical Society, 1905. Collected historic manuscripts.

Letters to Cyrus A. Peterson on such topics as archaeology, geology, Cahokia Mounds, and the Missouri Historical Society. Also correspondence with J.G. Van Orman, Marshalltown, Iowa, and G.A. Smith regarding the sale of improved stock cars to railroad, 1886-1887.

Cite as: Cyrus A. Peterson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1203**Pettis County, Missouri.****Collection, 1840-1898.** 3 folders (approximately 60 items)

Collection includes deeds, indentures and land transactions in Pettis County; items concerning Haley and Sheets families.

Cite as: Pettis County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1204

Pettus, Charles Parsons (1876-1923).

Collection, 1911-1940. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Mr. Pettus was educated at Smith Academy and Washington University in St. Louis. He married Georgia Wright in 1902. He was the vice-president and director of American Trust Company of St. Louis.

Collection includes newsclippings regarding the Pettus family and also the death of Pettus, various essays and sketches regarding the life of Pettus.

Cite as: Charles Parsons Pettus Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1205

Pettus, William Grymes.

Pettus family papers, 1766-1946. 36 boxes; 4 oversize folders

William G. Pettus was one of the framers of the Missouri Constitution of 1820.

Family papers; land papers, especially concerning St. Charles, Missouri; papers regarding Missouri politics; including material relating to the framing of the Missouri Constitution of 1820, namely minutes of the convention, drafts of ordinances, amendments, reports, ballots, printed and photostatic copies of the finished Constitution. Some French.

Cite as: William Grymes Pettus Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1206

Peugnet Family.

Papers, 1779-1949. 16 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Correspondence and papers concerning the Peugnet family; awards of honor to Peugnet men from Napoleon Bonaparte; estate papers; materials regarding property in Minnesota and New York; materials regarding mineral rights; genealogy; scrapbook of French letters.

Some French.

Cite as: Peugnet Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1207

Pfeiffenberger, Lucas (1834-1918).

Papers, 1848-1949. 4 boxes; 10 volumes

Alton, Illinois, architect. In partnership with Henry Armstrong (Armstrong and Pfeiffenberger), 1858-1870. Partner in firm of Pfeiffenberger and Hugo, from 1870 on. Thereafter partner in firm of L. Pfeiffenberger and Sons,

Six volumes of records of Armstrong and Pfeiffenberger, architects and contractors, 1858-1870. Daybook of Pfeiffenberger and Hugo, architects and contractors, 1870-1872. Index to architectural drawings, circa 1902-1923, and letterbook, 1900-1907, of L. Pfeiffenberger and Sons, circa 1902-1923. Manuscript boxes contain specifications for houses, buildings, parks and various other works, mostly in Illinois, by firm. Two oversize boxes of rolled architectural drawings. Collection also contains two architectural publications thought to have belonged to Lucas Pfeiffenberger; and a childhood scrapbook of Pfeiffenberger's son Andrew, who died young of tuberculosis.

Cite as: Lucas Pfeiffenberger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1208

Pfeiffer, Charles.

Papers, 1851-1918. 4 folders (approximately 150 items)

Papers include travel permits from Wilhelmine Toeck; clippings, letters with genealogical notes concerning Pfeiffer and Rotteck families; handwritten dissertation by Pfeiffer (in German), concerning street construction; engineering notes by Pfeiffer, 1854; correspondence of Pfeiffer; specifications for steel and iron to be used in New Monongahela Bridge at Pittsburgh, circa 1871; paper read before St. Louis Railway Club by Herman Pfeiffer, 1918 regarding Terminal Railroad Association; and issue of Railway Engineering and Maintenance date June 1941.

German.

Cite as: Charles Pfeiffer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1209

Phelan, Sidney Towner (1896-1964).

Papers, 1899-1960. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Collection consists primarily of letters written by Mr. Phelan, and signed "Towner," to his mother, Mary Towner Phelan, while serving as an ambulance driver during World War I. There are a few letters written to or by other people as well as a large photo album. As might be expected the letters do not contain a great deal of the harsher details of his service but the photo album contains several graphic reminders of the horrors of combat during World War I.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Sidney Towner Phelan Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Phelps County, Missouri.

Collection, 1950-1960.

Transferred to Alphabetical Files—Mann, Clair V.

A1211

Phelps, Seth Ledyard.

Letterbook, 1861 Jan 2-1864 Sept 9. 2 boxes (approximately 350 items)

Seth Ledyard Phelps, a native of Ohio, enlisted in the U.S. Navy in October 1841, and eventually rose to the rank of lieutenant commander. He resigned October 29, 1864.

Letterbook consists of correspondence primarily to and from Seth Ledyard Phelps while commanding U.S. Navy gunboats on the western waters from 1861 to 1864. Correspondence contains accounts of naval operations mainly along the Mississippi, Tennessee, and Red Rivers, including the movement of gunboats to capture Forts Henry and Donelson, and operations during the Red River Campaign. The collection also contains extensive correspondence regarding repairs to the *U.S.S. Eastport* and its eventual destruction, and repairs to the *U.S.S. Choctaw* and *U.S.S. Lafayette*. Principal correspondents include Admiral David D. Porter, Captain Alexander M. Pennock, and Commodore Andrew Hull Foote, in addition to 3 letters of General William T. Sherman. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Seth Ledyard Phelps Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1212

Philibert Family.

Papers, 1852-1930. 4 folders (approximately 75 items)

Joseph Philibert came to St. Louis in 1801. He was an Indian trader.

Papers include genealogical information; record book of Joseph Philibert, 1852-1853; records prices for animal furs; various deeds for lands in St. Louis; family correspondence between members in St. Louis and other Missouri towns; letters with news of farm activities; Edmund Philibert's account of 28 visits to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1904; letters regarding fair visits; letter of Florence [McCollien], dated May 7, 1905, describing the exposition grounds after the closing of the fair.

Cite as: Philibert Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1213

Philip H. Lenz and Son Realty Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1908-1954. 2 boxes; 6 volumes

Located in the Wainwright Building. Incorporated in 1914; dissolved in 1953; 1944 Elmer Lenz takes over.

Includes proceedings (1914-1953); incorporation papers (September 20, 1914); stock certificates (1914-1953); deeds, titles, and contracts (1923-1953); ledger (1932-1953); rents and receipts (1941-1953); assets and equities statement (1945-1952); check stubs (1941-1953); assets and equities statement (1945-1952); check stubs (1945-1954); journal (January 1, 1953-April 1954); unidentified photography; capital stock tax returns and anti-trust affidavits (1915-1953); franchise tax returns (1918-1954); income tax returns (1944-1953); ledgers (1908-1954); journals (1934-1945); cash bonds (1944-1953); and Elmer L. Lenz personal accounts (1946-1950).

Cite as: Philip H. Lenz and Son Realty Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1214

Phillips, Alroy S.

Papers, circa 1914-1950s. 26 boxes

Alroy S. Phillips was chairman of the Workmen's Compensation Commission during the last two years of the administration of former Governor Baker and early months of Governor Caulfield's term. He was a state senator from 1911-1915, ran for the Republican nomination for Supreme Judge in 1922, 1924, and 1928, and was appointed prohibition administrator for Missouri and Arkansas in 1926. He resigned to become chairman of the Compensation Commission in January 1927. As first chairman of the Commission, Phillips organized its work. In 1943-1944, Phillips also served at the Missouri State Constitutional Convention.

A second body of papers concern the revision of the Missouri Constitution; several political maps, 1943 St. Louis Congressional districts, St. Louis State Representative Districts, 1954, St. Louis Magistrate districts, 1952 St. Louis Senatorial districts, St. Louis 1859 black population map, 1950 St. Louis census tracts and reports. Includes papers relating to his work in obtaining for the state of Missouri its Workmen's

Compensation Act.

Cite as: Alroy S. Phillips Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1215

Philpott Family.

Philpott-Bassett family papers, 1832; 1854; 1967. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes genealogy; correspondence of both families with photostats and originals-Jefferson City to A.M. Philpott Jefferson City to mother in Middle Grove, Missouri, and Woodson Bassett, in Virginia to family in Middle Grove; photograph of Alexander Martin Philpott; typescript manuscript by Charles H. Philpott titled "Alexander Martin Philpott: A Virginia-Born Missourian Who Died In the Gold Rush" (August 1967).

Cite as: Philpott-Bassett Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1217

Picot Family.

Papers, 1844-1866. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include checks of Louis G. Picot chiefly drawn on L.A. Benoist and Co.; bank account of Ann Biddle with Bank of the State of Missouri, 1846; memorandum of Broadway Hotel specifications, March 21, 1859.

Cite as: Picot Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1945

Piggott Family.

Papers, 1922-1947. 10 items

Collection includes correspondence of Carl W. Veale, Los Angeles, California, with the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1947, relating to his research on the Piggott and related families; Missouri Historical Society family history form filled out by Mrs. Cora Jones Heltzell of St. Louis, which records the descendants of Capt. James Piggott; correspondence of Miss Alice Wientge, St. Louis, with the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1922, relating to Capt. James Piggott; and copy of family register of the Piggott, Wood, Lake, Jones, and Heltzell families, including information on births, marriages, and deaths.

Cite as: Piggott Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1218

Pike County, Missouri.

Collection, 1896-1970. 3 folders (30 items)

Collection consists of reminiscences of William Campbell Orr and Ms. Elizabeth Whitaker of Antioch Presbyterian Church, its members and preachers, other Pike County families and tales of life in Pike County. Also contains clippings of residents of Pike County.

Cite as: Pike County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1219

Pilcher, Joshua.

Papers, 1791-1898. 3 folders

Cite as: Joshua Pilcher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2338

Pilgrim Congregational United Church of Christ (St. Louis, Mo.).

“Pilgrim’s Social Concerns and Responsibilities Newsletter,” 1980 Dec. 1 item

This four-page newsletter “deals principally with the activities of the Delmo Housing Corporation, celebrating its 40th anniversary this year. The articles are written by Dr. W. Wilder Towle, who is a member of the Social Action Committee, and by Dr. Ralph Pumphrey, a long time member of Pilgrim.”

Cite as: Pilgrim Congregational United Church of Christ “Pilgrim’s Social Concerns and Responsibilities Newsletter,” Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1220

Pillow, Gideon.

Papers, 1846-1853. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Gideon Pillow was a soldier in the Mexican War.

Papers consist of letters to and from Gideon to family members while engaged in the Mexican War.

Cite as: Gideon Pillow Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0088

Pinckert, Carl W. (1898-1985)

Forward 22 Club Scrapbook, 1941-1949. 1 volume

Carl W. Pinckert was born in Missouri on October 16, 1898. He was a veteran of World War I and won a Purple Heart for injuries he suffered during the Battle of Argonne Forest. In 1922, after graduating from Iowa State University, Pinckert started work as an engineer with the Bemis Brothers Bag Company and remained with the company until his retirement in 1963.

During World War II, Pinckert was part of a local group that volunteered to be air raid wardens under the supervision of the Office of Civilian Defense. The group was designated as Sector 2, Zone 9 in District 2, with boundaries of Brannon Avenue on the east, Tholozan Avenue on the south, Macklind Avenue on the west, and Oleatha and Marquette avenues on the north. The group had its first meeting on July 22, 1942. In December 1945, after the war ended, the group changed its name to the Forward 22 Club. The name came from combining the words “former” and “wardens” and the club had 22 members. The club focused on various civic activities, such as neighborhood rat control and dangerous intersections. Pinckert became president of the club in February 1947. The club ended in 1949. Pinckert died on October 4, 1985 in St. Louis.

The scrapbook contains minutes, correspondence, photographs, training certificates, membership lists, arm bands, badges and other items that document the entire history of the group as air raid wardens and the Forward 22 Club. The scrapbook also includes front pages of the December 8, 1941 issues of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*, the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, and the *St. Louis Star-Times*. The photographs include the officers of the club and the group’s picnic in 1946 and 1947. The correspondence primarily documents

efforts to control rats in the neighborhood and manage dangerous intersections.
Cite as: Carl W. Pinckert Forward 22 Club Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1221

Pinckert, Nellie.

Household account books, 1966-1984. 5 folders

Cite as: Nellie Pinckert Household Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1222

Pinnell, Eathan A. (1834-1925).

Civil War journals, 1862-1894. 3 volumes

Eathan A. Pinnell was born November 17, 1834, in Crawford County, Missouri. In July 1861 he enlisted in the Missouri State Guard and rose to the rank of sergeant. He joined the Confederate army in August 1862, serving as captain of Company D, 8th Missouri Infantry until the end of the war. After the war he resided in Cuba, Missouri, and St. Louis. Ultimately he was elected judge of Crawford County, Missouri. In 1870, he married Frances Ester Collins. In 1893, Pinnell moved to Bronson, Florida, with his family. He died August 15, 1925, in Jacksonville, Florida.

Collection contains Pinnell's diary (224 pages), which describes the affairs of the 8th Missouri Infantry in southern Missouri, Arkansas, and Louisiana from August 1862 to June 1865. Diary includes accounts of the Battle of Prairie Grove, Arkansas; actions during the Red River Campaign, including of the Battle of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana; operations against General Steele's expedition to Camden, including the Battle of Jenkins' Ferry, the surrender at Shreveport and the subsequent journey home to St. Louis; and information on camp life, marches, and diet. Diary also contains postwar entries. Collection also contains Pinnell's descriptive book of the 8th Missouri Infantry (71 pages). (Diary is published in Michael E. Banasik, *Serving with Honor: The Diary of Captain Eathan Allen Pinnell of the Eighth Missouri Infantry (Confederate)*, Iowa City: Camp Pope Bookshop, 1999.)

Cite as: Eathan A. Pinnell Civil War Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2385

Pioneer Klondyke Transportation Company (St. Louis, Mo.).

Circular, circa 1898. 1 item

This 8-page circular promotes investment in the company. The cover page of the circular states, "A Klondyke! at home. A chance for those who cannot go to the Klondyke to safely invest small sums in the Land of Gold."

Cite as: Pioneer Klondyke Transportation Company Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1620

Pioneers, The (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1879-1995. 4 boxes

The Pioneers, organized in 1879 "to promote literary taste and to cultivate general knowledge," was a study club of Jewish women. Its active membership was limited at different times to between 30 and 45 women at least 21 years of age who had been residents of St. Louis for at least a year. Active members must participate in the literary programs on a regular basis by preparing papers on specific topics. The programs revolve around an annual theme.

Club records including seven volumes of minute books dated 1879-1961; minutes, 1962-1995 (unbound); minutes include membership lists, programs, and financial records; Pioneers programs, 1960-1982; material regarding the 100th birthday party of the organization; papers delivered by Pioneers; and pamphlets, fliers and programs for 1985-1986; program books, 1989-1995.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: The Pioneers Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1224

Plant, Benjamin, 1794-1876.

Journal, 1818. 1 volume (130 pages)

Resident of New York, apparently unrelated to the Plant family of St. Louis.

Travel journal of young New Yorker through Missouri, 1818.

Cite as: Benjamin Plant Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1223

Plant Family.

George P. Plant Milling Company and Plant family papers, 1797-1927. 3 boxes; 10 volumes

Frederick William Plant (1817-1860) and brother William Marshall Plant (1823-1868), sons of Samuel Plant (1777-1847) and Delicia Mary Poignand, brothers of George Poignand Plant (1814-1875), Samuel Plant (1819-1866), and Alfred Plant (1821-1907), all of whom came to St. Louis from Massachusetts in the 1840s. George Poignand Plant founded Geo. P. Plant and Co., proprietors of Franklin Mills and Plant's Flouring Mills, in 1851; company purchased by George P. Plant Milling Co. in 1883, and sold to Oklahoma and Texas milling interests in 1926. Frederick William and William Marshall Plant established a tool and seed business in 1845, succeeded by the Plant Seed Company, Alfred Plant, president.

Personal and business correspondence, ledgers, deeds, business papers, and other data, concerning George P. Plant Milling Company, St. Louis, its predecessors, Franklin Flour Mills and Plant & Bros., and the Plant family of St. Louis and Massachusetts. Includes papers of George Poignand Plant, his brother and partner Samuel Plant, George's son George Janvier Plant (died 1897), one of Samuel's sons George Hague Plant (born 1847), and Samuel, son of George Hague Plant. Specific material includes letterbooks and personal account ledgers of Samuel Plant, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1797, 1800-1848; cashbook of Lancaster Cotton Manufacturing Co., Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1830-1837; farmer's memoranda book, 1834; George H. Plant engineering notebook, 1838; family correspondence between branches of the family in St. Louis and in Pennsylvania and New York; records pertaining to family business activities in addition to the Milling Company; specifications for First Trinitarian Congregational Church, St.

Louis, 1854-1855; Samuel Plant memoranda book, 1864; diaries of Alby Easton Plant, 1881, 1888, 1894, 1896, 1897. Additional records include cashbook (1851-1863), with memoranda regarding milling equipment (1851-1883); and two minute books (1883-1911 and 1912-1927) of Geo. P. Plant and Co. and successors milling interests. Letterbook no. 4 of Frederick W. Plant, St. Louis seed merchant, 1852-1855. Address book of Plant Seed Co., 1874. Letterbook of Samuel Plant, 1818-1837, before the move to St. Louis.

Additional business papers in the collection include bills, receipts, bank statements; city and state manufacturers licenses; tax receipts; copies of the articles of incorporation of George P. Plant Milling Co. and various agreements; letterheads of local and out-of-state firms; stock certificates in the company; inventories, and specifications of equipment; business correspondence.

Cite as: George P. Plant Milling Company and Plant Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2397

Planters Hotel, The (St. Louis, Missouri).

Advertising card, circa 1896-1905. 1 item

The advertising card includes an illustration of The Planters Hotel.

Cite as: The Planters Hotel Advertising Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1225

Poems Collection, 1850-1983. 3 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder

Collection includes poems about Missouri, Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis, etc.; collection of poems by Eugene Field, proofs from *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*.

Cite as: Poems Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1226

Poepping, C., Mrs.

Collection, 1778-1800. 1 box

The collection contains papers of court cases tried in St. Louis in the colonial era. These cases relate primarily to land claims and disputes, debts, and disputes regarding business transactions and financial accounts. The collection includes documents in French and Spanish. Most of the documents have been translated.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mrs. C. Poepping Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1227

Pohlman, George.

Collection, 1910-1950s. 3 boxes

George Pohlman was from Macon, Missouri. He did genealogical research on different families.

Genealogical information on different Missouri families compiled by George Pohlman.

Cite as: George Pohlman Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1228

Police collection, 1861-1974. 3 folders (approximately 50 items); 2 oversize folders

Papers include payroll of metropolitan Police Department of St. Louis, September-December 1861; appointment of Col. Matthew Kiely, Chief of St. Louis Police Force, 1905; various articles and newsclippings regarding John M. Shea, Chief of the St. Louis Police Department Bertillon Bureau, 1903-1926; circular regarding reward in connection with the robbery of the home of Adolphus Busch, 1915; collection of letters to Thomas Doherty from police officials in St. Louis, Kansas City, and Chicago regarding his lectures on polygraph machine, 1938-1941; newsclippings regarding polygraph machine, 1939-1941; various police related brochures.

Cite as: Police Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1229

Political collection, 1814-2005. 4 boxes; 5 oversize folders

This collection contains manuscript and printed materials pertaining to political subjects, especially elections, mostly in St. Louis, St. Louis County, and Missouri. This material was acquired from a variety of separate sources, and is housed together by virtue of its subject matter. Materials include circulars, notices, certificates, maps showing ward boundaries, propaganda sheets and handbills; election returns; poll books (including one from Warren County, Missouri); materials relating to national political conventions held in St. Louis in 1896 (Republican), and in 1904 and 1916 (Democrat); and a variety of party tickets for various local and national elections. The collection also contains two volumes of abstracts of votes cast in the city of St. Louis in the state Republican primary election, August 4, 1914. Pledge card regarding peaceful settlement in Vietnam, 1966. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Political Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1230

Polk County, Missouri.

Collection, 1858-1973. 1 folder (11 items)

Survey of swamp lands and overflowed lands in Polk County, August 30, 1858; document signed Grant to [M] Rankin of Polk County of 40 acres in township 34, November 27, 1868; receipt for poll tax received, L.P. Hueye, 1901; news account, 1973, of presentation of plaque by Townsend family to Polk County. Collection also includes seven deeds, dated 1878-1895.

Cite as: Polk County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2466

Polk County Agricultural and Mechanical Society Third Annual Fair (Bolivar, Missouri).

Broadside, 1860 Oct 2. 1 item

Broadside contains a list of premiums to be awarded at the fair.

Cite as: Polk County Agricultural and Mechanical Society Third Annual Fair Broadside, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1231**Pollock, M.E.F.****Collection, 1861-1904.** 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

M.E.F. Pollock served as volunteer aid to Confederate General Slack at the Battle of Pea Ridge. In late 1864 he recruited three companies of men, mostly from Reynolds County, Missouri, for the Confederate service. Following the war Pollock returned to St. Louis where he worked as a lawyer.

Collection contains official military correspondence and orders mostly regarding Pollock's recruiting efforts for the Confederate army in Arkansas and along the Missouri border. Also includes commission of Richard T. Morrison as aide-de-camp with the rank of lieutenant colonel in the Missouri State Guard, dated May 18, 1861; rosters of Pollock's squadrons of recruits; typescript statement of Pollock, dated January 18, 1904, regarding the history of saddle bags and a coat he donated to the Missouri Historical Society; and a record book containing the list of Camp Jackson prisoners exchanged for federal prisoners captured by General Price at Lexington, Missouri, made at the office of Barret and Pollock—J.R. Barret being one of the commissioners of exchange, dated after 1875.

Cite as: M.E.F. Pollock Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1232**Pollock, Oliver.****Papers, 1781-1782.** 1 folder (3 items)

Papers include letters of Oliver Pollock to Louisiana governor Don Bernardo de Galvez regarding supplies ordered for campaign of George Rogers Clark against British. Letters ordering establishment of credit and payment of claims incurred by Pollock. Letter of John Hanson to Stephen Miro, governor of Louisiana, regarding Pollock and determination to do justice to him.

Cite as: Oliver Pollock Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1233**Pommer, William Henry.****Papers, 1819-1935.** 15 boxes

Musician, composer, and professor of music at the University of Missouri–Columbia.

Correspondence; and manuscript music collection.

Music catalogue by Janice Wenger, appendix to William Henry Pommer: His Life and Works, D.M.A. thesis, University of Missouri, Kansas City, 1987.

Cite as: William Henry Pommer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1234**Pondrom, Joseph N.****Collection, 1785-1842.** 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

Collector.

Collection contains various land grants, indentures for Indiana, Tennessee, Missouri; military appointments; marriage license, 1814.

Cite as: Joseph N. Pondrom Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1235

Pontchartrain.

Papers, [1704]. 1 folder (7 items)

Minister to Louis XIV.

Contemporary copies of unidentified manuscript, [1704].

French.

Cite as: Pontchartrain Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1236

Pope, Pierce Smith.

Papers, 1793-1797. 1 folder (11 items)

Pierce was to take over the military post along the Mississippi River in the name of the United States.

Papers regarding the evacuation of posts along the Mississippi according to the treaty between Spain and the United States.

Cite as: Pierce Smith Pope Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2185

Poppenhusen, Wm.

Receipt, 1896. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Receipt from Wm. Poppenhusen, successor to Henry Poppenhusen, dealer in hardware, stoves and tinware, Washington, Missouri, 1896.

Cite as: Wm. Poppenhusen Receipt, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1237

Porter, Clyde H.

Papers, 1949-1957. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Letters of Clyde H. Porter regarding the Santa Fe Trail; and biographical data on Porter, James Kipp, and Charles Robertson communicated to Charles van Ravenswaay and others.

Cite as: Clyde H. Porter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1238

Porter, David D. (1813-1891).

Papers, 1862-1864. 2 boxes

David D. Porter was born June 8 1813, in Chester, Pennsylvania. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1829. During the Civil War he commanded the Mississippi Squadron, and after the fall of Vicksburg in July 1863, was promoted to rear admiral. Following the unsuccessful Red River Campaign of 1864, he was sent to command the North Atlantic Blockading Squadron. After the war he served for several years as superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and in 1869 he moved to Washington, D.C., where he served as assistant to the Secretary of the Navy. He died February 13, 1891, in Washington.

The collection, most of which was donated by a manuscript collector, consists primarily of correspondence to Admiral Porter from several high-ranking Union officers—including generals Nathaniel P. Banks, Ulysses S. Grant, John A. McClernand,

and William T. Sherman—regarding operations in the lower Mississippi River Valley. Collection contains accounts of the Yazoo River Expedition, the Arkansas Post Expedition, the Vicksburg Campaign, the siege of Jackson, Mississippi, and the Red River Campaign. Also contains information on gunboats and the operations of the Mississippi Squadron.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: David D. Porter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1239

Porter, Eliot F., Jr.

Campaign to Save Sam Wah Laundry collection, 1978-1986. 1 box (9 folders).

The Sam Wah Laundry, located at 4381 Laclede in St. Louis, was the last hand wash Chinese laundry in St. Louis. It had been purchased or inherited by two brothers, Gee Wong and Gee Hong, from their uncle Sam Wah, and had served as the Gee brothers' residence and place of business for 56 years, when, in 1978, the Washington University Medical Center Redevelopment Corporation and The Station Partnership (also known as Team 4) attempted to evict the Gee Brothers. Popular opposition of friends and customers of the Gee brothers led to their fight to remain in business at their original location. A combination of publicity, legal action, and fund-raising efforts that financed the rehabilitation of the Sam Wah Laundry, bringing it up to city codes, enabled the business to remain in operation so long as either of the two brothers lived. Gee Wong, the elder of the brothers who was often erroneously known as Sam Wah, died in 1985[?] and Gee Hong died in 1986.

This collection consists of papers of *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* reporter Eliot F. Porter, Jr., who, among others, led the fight to save the Sam Wah Laundry. Included are correspondence of the principals involved; editorials and notes of Eliot Porter; newsclippings; and documentation related to the efforts of the Friends of Sam Wah to raise funds for the rehabilitation of the Sam Wah Laundry. Also of note in the collection is the initial sign from the door of Sam Wah Laundry announcing their closing, and the original condemnation notice that was posted. "Save Sam Wah" campaign buttons transferred to the Division of Museum Collections.

Cite as: Eliot F. Porter, Jr., Campaign to Save Sam Wah Laundry Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Porter, Fitz-John

See Fitz-John Porter court martial collection

A1240

Porter, Valentine Mott.

Papers, [1898-1915]. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Missouri Historical Society Board Member.

Papers contain some correspondence of Porter in California; genealogical information regarding family; article with photographs, L'Affaire Fery, a fishing village in Canada.

Cite as: Valentine Mott Porter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1241

Post, Eliza G. Randolph (-1876).

Memorandum books, 1812-1876. 16 volumes

Married Justus Post, mother of Marcus Post, came to St. Louis from New York in 1815, then to farm in St. Louis County, fourteen miles upriver from St. Charles at Bonhomme, Missouri, in 1816. In 1830, moved to Illinois, living first in America, then Caledonia, then on a farm outside of Caledonia in Pulaski County on the Ohio River. Upon the death of her husband in 1846, she began to live with relatives and friends, including her son Augustus Post, in Alton, Illinois, and her nephew, Erastus Post, in St. Louis County near Bridgeton.

Sixteen memorandum books (incomplete) detailing day-to-day activities of Eliza Post and her family in St. Louis, St. Louis County, southern Illinois, and on trips to the northeast to visit her family. Memorandum books include a record of her marketing expenditures, 1812-1832; condensed autobiographical information dating from 1815-1876; and a list of books read between 1851 and 1868. Two volumes of transcripts of memorandum book, 1815, expenses for travel from New York to St. Louis and later trips back to New York, 1826-1850, memorandum book, 1851-1855, and a record of books owned and read by Justus and Eliza Post.

Cite as: Eliza G. Randolph Post Memorandum Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1242

Post, Justus.

Papers, 1807-1821; 1947. 4 folders (approximately 60 items)

Justus Post was an army officer in the War of 1812.

Series of letters to his brother John Post, describing his arrival in St. Louis. The letters include descriptions of the people, the land, etc., and his buying of farm land in St. Louis County. Includes typed translations.

Cite as: Justus Post Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1243

Postal Service collection, 1821-1958. 4 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder

Papers include circulars, maps, promotional and historical material, time tables, etc. pertaining to air mail service in St. Louis and the United States; general postal service related items; letter dated Washington, Kentucky, 1821, describing postal duties; notice of establishment of post office in Bellefontaine, 1826.

Cite as: Postal Service Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1244

Postlethwaite, Samuel (1772-1825).

Journal, 1800-1801. 1 folder

Born in Carlisle, Pennsylvania; merchant; settled in Natchez; married Ann Dunbar in 1805.

Journal of Postlethwaite's journey down the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers from Louisville to Natchez via flatboat, with maps, charts, and surveys of distances, plus typescript transcription.

Cite as: Samuel Postlethwaite Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1621

Potters Wheel collection, 1904-1907. 4 boxes; 18 volumes

The Potters were a group of St. Louis women artists and writers who issued a monthly magazine called *The Potter's Wheel* from 1904-1907. Only one copy of the magazine was hand-lettered and hand-illustrated by the Potters. *The Potter's Wheel* contained a variety of artistic output, including poetry and prose, photographs, calligraphy artwork, needlework and the like. The Potters were all young women in their late teens and early twenties and members included poet Sara Teasdale, artists Caroline Risque and Petronelle Sombart, photographers Grace and Williamina Parrish, and writers Vine Colby, Inez Dutro, Celia Harris, Edna Wahlert and Guida Richey. Their mentor, Lillie Rose Ernst, was a botany teacher at Central High School and later an administrator with the St. Louis Public School System. She alternately encouraged and challenged them. The Potters went their various way after 1907, some of them to marry, others for further study or to actively pursue careers in distant places.

The collection contains fifteen issues of *The Potter's Wheel*. The issues contain poems, short stories, watercolor prints, photographs--mostly portraits, various hand-painted designs, plays, fabric covered designs, and photographs of sculptures. Also in the collection; four criticism notebooks that accompanied each issue in which the girls critiqued each others work; Christmas party book, consisting of paintings and photographs of the girls, completed for Lillie Rose Ernst; tiny notebook describing each of the Potter's personality characteristics, dedicated to L.R. Ernst; five booklets in published form with poems (one with photo portraits of the girls) from *The Potter's Wheel*, 1910; play title *The Soul's Inheritance* by George Cabot Lodge; play titled *Whitsuntide, Ye Comets Tail* by Will [Williamina] Parrish and Vine Colby, 1908; and play titled *The Pursuit of the Ideal*, 1908.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: *The Potter's Wheel* Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1245

Pratt, John Vernon (1926-).

Papers, 1922-1958 (bulk 1944-1946). 2 boxes

John Vernon Pratt served from February 1944 to March 1946 in the United States Navy as seaman, first class. He was stationed primarily at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, where he was attached to the submarine force flag ship, the *U.S.S. Litchfield*. After the war he worked with and retired from the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

Collection includes World War II correspondence of John Vernon Pratt to his parents, Clarence E. and Bessie Pratt, from 1944-1946. Letters discuss family news, St. Louis events, details of naval training, life at Pearl Harbor, and general wartime news. Related correspondence of family and friends to Bessie Pratt from 1943-1945 includes war-related information and family news. Also includes the following publications: "1955 Directory of Landing Facilities in Missouri"; "Army Laughs: A Pocketful of Fun"; several St. Louis theater programs, mostly of the St. Louis Municipal Opera; "Stuart's Parliamentary Points of Order," 1922; Official Schedule of the 1952 Tournament Woman's International Bowling Congress, Inc.; St. Louis Classic League Official

Schedule, 1950-1951; 1948 roster of the St. Louis Browns. Also includes reproductions of bowling photographs of Pratt.

Cite as: John Vernon Pratt Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1247

Pratte, Bernard S.

Account book, 1849-1850 and 1865-1866. 1 volume (300 pages)

Ledger of mill accounts and sales of flour and meal of Bernard S. Pratte, Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, 1849-1950, at front of volume. Daybook of Pratte and Son, general store at St. Mary, Missouri, 1865-1866, at rear of volume.

Cite as: Bernard S. Pratte Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1246

Pratte Family.

Pratte-Nidelet family collection, 1771-1959. 1 box

This collection consists mainly of the correspondence of the Pratte and Nidelet families. It includes the genealogy of the Pratte, Nidelet, and allied families, including the family of Ramsey Crooks; a 1787 census of Sainte Genevieve, Missouri (contemporary copy); letters of Etienne (Stephen) Nidelet to his mother, 1802-1833; letters of Emilie Labadie Pratte to daughter Celeste Pratte Nidelet, 1830-1844; and a few items relating to Dr. James C. Nidelet, Confederate army surgeon.

Some French.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Pratte-Nidelet Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Pratte, J.

See J. Pratte and Sons

A1248

Preetorius Family.

Scrapbooks, circa 1890-1920. 1 folder 2 volumes and 1 folder

Scrapbook of St. Louisan William C. Preetorius, including invitations, letters, and clippings, regarding national and St. Louis politics and personalities, with mention of President William McKinley, General John A. Logan, James G. Blaine, Jay Gould, Theodore Roosevelt, and Eugene Field, and also including material on German-American attitudes to World War I, circa 1890-1920. Scrapbook of Anna Muenchen Preetorius (Mrs. William C.) concerning her involvement in St. Louis women's home front activities during World War I. Volume includes minute book of the Auxiliary of Company G, 5th Missouri Infantry; material on the Red Cross, Salvation Army, Relatives' Auxiliary of the Saint Louis National Guard, et al, 1917-1920.

Some German in William C. Preetorius scrapbook.

Cite as: Preetorius Family Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1249

Preisler, Ernst.

Architectural Collection, circa 1906-1911. 3 boxes

An architect working from 211 Hagan Building (10th and Pine), St. Louis. The collection includes specifications and plans for residences in St. Louis.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ernst Preisler Architectural Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1250

Presidents Collection, 1802-1969. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder, 2 volumes

Collection was assembled, in part, as an autograph collection that contains examples of the signature of each American president. Most items are land grants, letters of appointment, and thank-you notes, assembled together by virtue of their autographs rather than their content. In addition, there are items relating to various presidents such as inaugural invitations, memorials, and newsclippings. Specific items of interest include: several Martin van Buren personal letters, 1808-1843; a few Zachary Taylor letters relating to the War of 1812, 1814-1816; an autograph letter of James K. Polk discussing his decision not to seek renomination for the presidency and his desire to retire from politics, 1848; Millard Fillmore's correspondence with John F. Darby concerning an anonymous letter he received; a John Tyler letter relating to Stephen A. Douglas, 1858; the original manuscript of a speech delivered by ex-president Grover Cleveland for the semi-centennial of the Young German Men's Association, Buffalo, New York, March 11, 1901; Woodrow Wilson correspondence with Isaac H. Lionberger, 1904-1924; and a leather-bound, hand-tooled volume from the Bixby Collection titled "Original Letters and Documents of the Presidents of the United States of America," containing examples of presidential manuscripts from George Washington to William Howard Taft. Every American president is referenced in the collection through Richard Nixon. The collection excludes Confederate President Jefferson Davis. In oversize is newsclippings about President John F. Kennedy and a tissue printed program for President Woodrow Wilson's visit to Manchester, England.

Cite as: Presidents Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Finding aid available.

A1251

Price Family.

Papers, 1840-1961. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Genealogy of Price and Willis families; numerous receipts, accounts of Dr. Ed Price in [New] Brunswick, circa 1840; short essay by Judge Thomas Shackelford titled "A Chapter of the Unwritten History of Missouri: General Sterling Price," dated Glasgow, Missouri, December 11, 1905, which recounts his interactions with Price in the Missouri state convention of 1861; letter of Bryan Snyder, Jr., regarding Sterling Price history, May 15, 1961.

Cite as: Price Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1253

Pride, George Greenwood (1826-).

Papers, 1850-1902. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

George Greenwood Pride was born June 4, 1826, in New York. He moved to St.

Louis in the 1850s and was involved in railroad construction. In 1862, he served as a volunteer aide-de-camp to General Ulysses S. Grant and in November of that year was appointed Chief Engineer of Military Railroads. In 1881, he moved to Huntington, Indiana, where he died December 11, 1906.

Collection contains mostly business correspondence, receipts, bills regarding the selling of cotton and like materials to southern cities during the Civil War; also personal and business papers regarding the taking of Vicksburg.

Cite as: George Greenwood Pride Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1254

Primm Family.

Papers, 1827-1896. 2 folders (approximately 75 items)

Papers include newsclippings, letters, etc. Body of letters consist of papers removed from a scrapbook regarding Judge Wilson Primm's speeches before the Missouri Historical Society and other similar institutions regarding early St. Louis history; genealogy of Primm family.

Cite as: Primm Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2290

Prior Family.

Papers, 1944-1945. 3 boxes

William King Prior was born December 2, 1905, in Marshall, Missouri, the second son of Jerome and Agnes Prior. He attended Sion Academy in Marshall from 1913 to 1920, Marshall High School from 1920 to 1924, Missouri Valley College in Marshall from 1924 to 1926, and the University of Missouri in Columbia from 1926 to 1928. He enlisted in the Enlisted Reserve Corps at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on October 2, 1942, and began Signal Corps School in Kansas City, Missouri, on November 23, 1942. He married Helen Vogel (born November 22, 1911), the daughter of Felix and Theresa Vogel (nee Lock) on December 25, 1942. On February 4, 1943, he was sent to Camp Reynolds in Greenville, Pennsylvania. On August 23, 1943, he was sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where he stayed until September 1, 1943, when he was transferred to Camp Kohler in Sacramento, California. On March 4, 1944, he was relocated again to Fort Slocum in New Rochelle, New York. On March 13, Prior and his company began their journey to Europe aboard the *Acquatina*, the sister ship of the *Luisitania*. On March 22, the ship made port in Grennock, Scotland, in the Firth of Clyde. The company then took a train to England. On April 11, Prior and his company were sent to Qulten Park in Cheshire, England, where he was a cadre in HQ Co. of the 86th Replacement Battalion. On May 9, 1944, Prior's battalion was moved to Yoevil, England. On June 7, 1944, the day after the D-Day Invasion, his battalion boarded the *Arthur Sewall* set for Normandy Beach in France. On July 1, the battalion was moved to Cartigny-l'Épinay, and on July 12 to St. Clair sur l'Elle. After his time in France, he was sent to Holland where he spent his nights at the home of a Dutch family. On December 25, 1944, he was sent to Germany. He was sent back to France on July 12, 1945. After the war, he served as assistant superintendent for the Marshall State School and Hospital Complex. William King Prior died in September 1984.

The collection consists mainly of correspondence between William King Prior and his wife, Helen, while he was serving in World War II and she was home in Jefferson City, Missouri. Also includes a history of the Prior family, several photographs, and programs. The collection also includes a packet of translated emails between Nikolaus Messmer and Prince Maximilian of Germany. Apparently, Prior had taken some family heirloom postcards from a castle in Germany that his company lived in during the war. Prior's niece, Helen Backer, wanted to return the postcards to the Prince and his family. She enlisted the help of a neighbor who spoke German and eventually sent the cards to the prince along with several of Prior's original letters describing the castle and several German towns for the castle's archives. The collection includes photocopies of these items that were sent to the prince.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Prior Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1255

Pritchett, Carr Waller.

Memorabilia of Carr Waller Pritchett, 1904: condensed somewhat by Betty Huston Pritchett, with remembrances of her grandfather / Chattanooga, Tennessee, 1952. 1 volume (30 pages)

Born in Virginia in 1923, migrated with family to Missouri in 1935. Lived in Glasgow and Fayette, Missouri, founder of Pritchett School in Fayette, Missouri, attended Harvard University, teacher, mathematician, and astronomer.

Mimeographed typescript biography of life of Carr Walter Pritchett as educator in Fayette and Glasgow, Missouri. Includes material on guerrilla warfare in Missouri during the Civil War.

Cite as: "Memorabilia of Carr Waller Pritchett, 1904, condensed somewhat by Betty Huston Pritchett, with Remembrances of her Grandfather, manuscript, Chattanooga, Tennessee, 1952, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1256

Proetz Family.

Papers, 1872-1885; 1966-1971. 2 folders

Collection contains an autograph album of Laura K. Proetz, 1872-1885; and an obituary, 1966, and biographical essays by Charles Nagel, 1971, about Laura's son Victor H. Proetz, St. Louis architect and Smithsonian Institution curator.

Cite as: Proetz Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2444

Professional Nurse Day.

Proclamation, 1979 May 12. 1 item

Proclamation of May 12, 1979, as Professional Nurse Day, signed Gene McNary, supervisor, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Professional Nurse Day Proclamation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2153

Progressive Series Piano Studios (St. Louis).

Program, 1924. 1 folder

Piano recital program for students of instructor Mary E. Lyng, South Grand Avenue, St. Louis, February 29, 1924.

Cite as: Progressive Series Piano Studios (St. Louis) Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1257

Prouhet Family.

Papers, 1832-1900. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder (42 items)

The collection consists primarily of deeds for land in St. Louis County, receipts of St. Louis businesses, and receipts for St. Louis County real estate and personal property taxes.

Some French.

Cite as: Prouhet Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1258

Provenchere Family.

Papers, 1809-1824. 1 box

Family correspondence (photocopies).

French, with typescript translations.

Donor obtained photocopies from Mrs. John Tylick (Martha Straut).

May not be reproduced, the Missouri Historical Society does not own originals.

Cite as: Provenchere Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1259

Prunty Seed and Grain Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1875-1931. 58 volumes

Firm of Charles E. Prunty, wholesale grain dealers.

Six letterbooks (1874-1898, interrupted run), seven cashbooks (1878-1879, 1915-1818, and 1929-1930), ten journals (1878-1901, interrupted run), accounts payable ledger (1898-1925), U.S. Express Co. shipping record (1876-1877), insurance accounts with Western Bascome's Insurance Agency (1877-1880), two checkbooks (1928-1931), and 28 collection books (1875-1892). Also includes 1903 Polk's Flourmill, Grain and Bakers Directory of the U.S.; catalog #11 of the Hill Clutch Company, no date, Cleveland, Ohio-power transmission machinery.

Cite as: Prunty Seed and Grain Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1260

Public Question Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1905-1957. 4 boxes

The Public Question Club was organized in 1903 with the purpose to discuss vital social, political, scientific, industrial, economic, educational and religious questions. The members were carefully selected by a committee from a wide variety of professions.

Collection includes organizational records, 1905-1957, including minutes of board,

business and dinner meetings records, correspondence, assignments (for programs), subject topics, programs, speeches, printed material, club rosters from 1929-1957, and Public Question Club record books from 1921-1937.

Cite as: Public Question Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1261**Quarantine Island collection, [1818-1981].** 1 flat storage box

Collection of material regarding Quarantine or Arsenal Island in the Mississippi River near St. Louis. Consists of typescripts of ordinances, court cases, boundaries, etc., relating to Quarantine Island; typescript historical note; photostatic maps of the Mississippi River; map of St. Louis, 1855; and other sketches.

Cite as: Quarantine Island Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1262**Quarton, Jonathan.****Papers, 1789-1899.** 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Jonathan Quarton was a lawyer and justice of the peace of Alton, Illinois.

Correspondence between J. Quarton and his family in England regarding new life in America; various tax forms of J. Quarton; tax receipts, etc., for justice of the peace; receipts etc. of Rebecca S. Godfrey estate in which J. Quarton was administrator; record book of J. Quarton, Alton justice of the peace, 1865-1874, contains posting of animals, marriage records, coroner's inquest records (personal not official record book); account book of J. Quarton, 1896-1899; items regarding justice of the peace and Godfrey estate, 1896-1899.

Cite as: Jonathan Quarton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1263**Queen Mineral Ranch Mining Company.****Records, 1896-1956.** 1 box

Queen Mineral Ranch, a Missouri corporation controlled by the Mercantile Commerce and Trust Company (St. Louis), was organized in 1896. Its principal asset was 177 acres of mining land in Gilpin County, Colorado. Charles B. Stark was elected president of the company in 1918 and continued until his death in 1924. His sister Margaret Stark was elected president of the corporation in 1927.

Prospective brochure regarding the Queen Mineral Ranch and Springdale Lode Mine submitted to prospective associates by Bowles and Bennett, 1936; report titled "Uranium Occurrence at the Cherokee Mine Queen Mineral Ranch, Gilpin County, Colorado," by Ray A. Bennett, Atomic Energy Commission, 1954; correspondence of the Mercantile Trust Company, 1948-1950; mining leases, 1948-1956; stock certificates, 1896-1956; maps, 1919; cashbook and ledger, 1935-1956; tax returns and financial statements, 1933-1944.

Cite as: Queen Mineral Ranch Mining Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1264**Query Club.****Records, 1891-1915.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

The Query Club was organized in 1890 by a group of women "of excellent educations and keen minds with no particular outlet for their activities." They came together "for the cultivation of different and broader points of view for the comparison of ideas and general mental improvement." The club stayed small, a group of no more than 25 friends,

meeting every two weeks in private homes to present papers they had prepared on topics in history, literature, religion, philosophy, science, and current events.

Contains minute book with membership lists, treasurer's accounts, and annual lists of discussion topics, 1891-1904; correspondence concerning the nature of the club, 1915; program of meetings including bibliography of suggested readings, 1903-1904.

Cite as: Query Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1265

R.B. Bacon and Brothers (Boonville, Missouri).

Letterbook, 1859-1860. 1 volume (315 pages)

General merchandise firm.

Holograph copies of business letters, with inventory of merchandise.

Cite as: R.B. Bacon and Brothers Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1266

Rabenberg, Edward H.

Papers, 1911-1956. 2 folders

Scrapbook regarding Edward H. Rabenberg's political and banking career; two political campaign cards; photocopies of newsclippings regarding Edward and Katherine Rabenberg.

Cite as: Edward H. Rabenberg Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1267

Race relations collection, 1914-1970. (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes circulars, pamphlets, newsclippings, etc. dealing with segregation in St. Louis. Many items pertaining to the segregation plan, 1916; United Welfare Association of St. Louis; Jewish discrimination; new housing law, 1968; leaflets, newspapers regarding civil rights activities in St. Louis; personal notes regarding boycott of United Fund.

Cite as: Race Relations Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2439

Racquet Club, The (St. Louis, Missouri).

75th Anniversary Celebration Poster, 1981 Oct 24. 1 item

Poster announces the 75th anniversary celebration to be held October 24, 1981, and includes a brief history of the club's founding.

Cite as: The Racquet Club 75th Anniversary Celebration Poster, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1810

Rader, Perry S. (1859-)

Papers, 1889-1931. 1 folder

Perry S. Rader was born November 24, 1859, in Carthage, Missouri. He was the son of the Reverend A.M. and Isabella Rader. Rader attended Central Methodist College (Fayette, Missouri), and later studied law under Judge J.P. Strother in Marshall, Missouri. He served one year as vice principal of the Brunswick (Missouri) School District. Rader became editor and part-owner of the *Howard County Advertiser* before returning to law. In 1889, he was accepted into the bar and moved to Brunswick. He acquired interest in and became editor of the *Weekly Brunswicker*. Rader married Bennie Younger in 1889. As an amateur historian, Rader published a number of books and articles on Missouri history.

The collection consists of correspondence and manuscripts written by Rader.

Cite as: Perry S. Rader Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1268

Railroads collection, 1830-1969. 2 boxes; 1 volume 1 oversize folder

Collection contains correspondence regarding building of various railroads, traveling on railroads, etc.; various timetables, printed matter, etc., all pertaining to railroads in the United States, mainly in the Midwest and western United States; scrapbook of fronts of railroad timetables from United States, 1881. In addition, this collection contains a report relating to the transcontinental railroad. Probably a draft, and of unidentified origin, this report relates to plans in the mid-nineteenth century to construct a national Pacific railroad, and, citing the potential of American development in California and Oregon, focuses on the construction of the Missouri portion of this proposed transcontinental railroad.

Cite as: Railroads Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1269

Rambo, Jacob (-1840).

Papers, 1812-1959. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Jacob Rambo was in charge of mines in Leadmine, Missouri.

Papers include photocopy of handwritten record of Old Mines Baptist Church, September 1836–February 1844; photocopies of documents concerning the administration of the estate of Jacob H. Rambo; genealogical information; data concerning 3rd Company, 1st Battalion, 6th Regiment, Missouri Mounted Militia, under Capt. John Davis and Lieut. Rambo; papers for a Illinois detachment under Col. Stephen Byrd for which Rambo acted as quartermaster; and ammunition and provision returns and several lists of men who were delinquent at battalion musters.

Cite as: Jacob Rambo Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2372

Randolph, George Brown.

Papers, 1895-1901. 2 folders

George Brown Randolph was born July 26, 1844, in Jefferson County, Kentucky. During the Civil War, he served in the Union army from Kentucky. He married Miss Elizabeth Reader Lewis in Cincinnati, Ohio, in September 1872. He later resided in Anniston, Alabama.

The collection consists primarily of typescript copies of correspondence gathered by George B. Randolph regarding the genealogy of the Randolph family of Virginia, Alabama, and Kentucky.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George Brown Randolph Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1270

Randolph, John.

Papers, 1828-1829. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Papers include letters from J. Randolph of Roanoke to Dr. John Brockenrough of Richmond regarding political matters of the day and general friendly, family

correspondence; with typescripts.

Cite as: John Randolph Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1271

Rankin, William.

Diary and accounts, 1856-1867. 1 volume; 1 folder

Diary kept by William Rankin of Rankin's Mill, Cooper County, Missouri, 1867, with accounts and miscellany dated 1856-1866.

Cite as: William Rankin Diary and Accounts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1272

Ranlett, Seth A. (-1881).

Diary, 1850-1885. 1 volume (222 pages)

Seth A. Ranlett was a New Yorker who joined the eastern exodus of social reformers and missionaries to the American West in the mid-nineteenth century. He was a member of William Greenleaf Eliot's Unitarian Church of the Messiah in St. Louis, member of the St. Louis school board, and director of Washington University.

Diary of life in St. Louis, continued by Ranlett's wife after his death in 1881, and her return to Boston in 1882. Diary mentions William Greenleaf Eliot, Chester Harding, and Thomas Hart Benton, among others, with discussions of social life, education, and social reform.

Cite as: Seth A. Ranlett Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1273

Rauchenstein family.

Papers, 1850-1948. 2 boxes; 3 volumes

Frank W. Rauchenstein, founder of the *Clayton (Missouri) Watchman-Advocate*, married Frederika (Fritzie) Robyn, the daughter of Charles Robyn.

Family correspondence of Frank W. Rauchenstein, his family in Switzerland; correspondence of Robyn family; correspondence of Friederika (Fritzie) Robyn, later Mrs. Frank W. Rauchenstein, and others. Scrapbook kept by Friederika Rauchenstein, mostly obituaries of family and friends; reminiscences of Mrs. Rauchenstein written in 1840; family papers. Account books of Charles Robyn's St. Louis County general store, consisting of a ledger (1870-1879) and two sales journals (1871-1882). Addition to collection includes family letters addressed mostly to Frederika and Frank W.

Rauchenstein, late 1800s; childhood diary of Frederika Robyn; Frederika Robyn report cards, 1878-1882; invitations, including an 1898 Veiled Prophet invitation, calling cards, and newsclippings. Also, Robyn family genealogy by Ernst Robyn.

Some German manuscript.

Cite as: Rauchenstein Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1274

Rauchenstein, Frank W. (1852-1900).

Bartholdt-Rauchenstein correspondence, 1892-1918 (bulk 1892-1901). 1 box

Collection consists primarily of political correspondence addressed to Frank W.

Rauchenstein by Richard Bartholdt, U.S. representative from Missouri (Republican). Bartholdt's correspondence includes discussions of his re-election campaigns, German-Americans in the U.S. House of Representatives and in his district, immigration, Missouri and St. Louis Republican party politics, and patronage activities, especially regarding post office appointments. The collection also includes several letters of condolence from Bartholdt to Frederika Rauchenstein (1901) following the death of her husband; a few additional letters relating to political issues received by Rauchenstein from other correspondents; and printed items, among which is a speech of Bartholdt's (1915) relating the attitudes of German-Americans about World War I (neutrality).
Cite as: Bartholdt-Rauchenstein Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1802

Rausendorf Family.

Papers, 1892-1988. 4 boxes; 2 oversize folders (3 items)

Charles Rausendorf (1854-1917) came to the United States from Germany in 1883. In 1887, he married Caroline Sharp (1864-1953), who was born in Jefferson County, Missouri, to Carl Sharp and Maria Hauser. The couple had four children: August (1889-1961), Anna (1896-1913), Mathilda (1894-1969), and Walter (1900-1977). Raymond Rausendorf (1923-1995), the only child of August and Olivia Rausendorf, served in World War II. In 1952, he married Peggy Jo Wilson, daughter of Perry Wood Wilson and niece of A.C. Bruce.

The collection consists of Rausendorf family records, photographs, and journals. Includes correspondence from August Rausendorf's World War I service and from Raymond Rausendorf's World War II service.

Cite as: Rausendorf Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1275

Reardon, James A.

Papers, 1891-1940. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

James A. Reardon was president of Reardon Glue Company, 1535 North Broadway, St. Louis.

Papers include personal mementoes of Reardon from the Louisiana Purchase Exposition; 1896 Republican national convention and Democratic convention mementoes; 1905-1906 correspondence regarding the St. Louis Public Museum and by-laws of museum; correspondence with the Missouri Historical Society, 1902-1905; Louisiana Purchase Exposition correspondence, 1899-1903, finance, etc.; notes and recipes regarding Reardon's Liquid Glue; correspondence regarding 1900-1914 Progressive party, Franklin Club of St. Louis.

Cite as: James A. Reardon Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1276

Reavis, L.U.

Papers, 1808-1889. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

L.U. Reavis was an author and lecturer who traveled throughout the United States promoting St. Louis, and also proposed moving the national capital to St. Louis. He wrote

several books and pamphlets on the history of Missouri and St. Louis.

Papers include lectures and writings of Reavis. Some correspondence from the Chicago Historical Society.

Cite as: L.U. Reavis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1277

Reed, James A.

Collection, 1939-1949. 1 folder (4 items)

Two letters from James Reed to Cyril Clemens, 1939-1940, regarding the Mark Twain Society banquet; typescript circular signed Cyril Clemens titled "Curious Case of the Senators Widow," which advertises a biography of Sen. James A. Reed by Lee Meriwether and published by Clemens; and newspaper article, 1934[?], titled "Hitlerism Attacked by James A. Reed in Address at Chicago."

Cite as: James A. Reed Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1278

Reed, Joseph B. (1831-).

Papers, 1861-1944. 3 folders

Joseph B. Reed was the proprietor of the Cairo Foundry and Machine Shops in Cairo, Illinois.

Papers include family genealogical material; articles of co-partnership between Joseph B. Reed and Hugh M. Mann for the engine building and machine shop business on Carr Street, 1861-1863 (the business was to be known as the Union Iron Works); balance sheets; several letterheads of the Cairo Iron and Machinery Supply Store and the Cairo Iron Works; correspondence of Reed regarding the furnishing of his home in Cairo, a couple of letters of soldier Russell Reed to his family during World War I (he was stationed in the United States and in France); and World War II letters of Frank B. Reed and R.S. Reed.

Cite as: Joseph B. Reed Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1279

Reedy, William Marion (1863-1920).

Papers, 1895-1950. 6 folders (approximately 100 items)

William Marion Reedy was born in St. Louis in 1863. He was educated in the public schools and in St. Bridget's parochial school, Christian Brothers College, and St. Louis University. He went to work in 1880 for the *St. Louis Republican*. He afterward worked for several local newspapers and in 1896 took charge of the *Mirror*. He was married three times. His third wife was Mrs. Margaret Helen Chambers. He died in 1920 in San Francisco.

Papers include correspondence of Reedy with Albert Bloch in Munich, Germany, regarding literary rights issues of the day, his personal life, work, etc.; correspondence with Gano Bryan about Father Sullivan and women's rights (1909); body of collection concerns the death of Reedy, reminiscences and tributes to Reedy; some issues of *Reedy's Mirror* and *Mirror*. Other correspondents in the collection include Francis A. House, Witter Bynner, Mrs. Anne George DeMille, Mrs. D.N. Knefler, John L. Hervey, Miss Minnie Lawrence, Charles H. Dennis, Dr. M. Gabriel Seelig, Mr. Tate, Silas Bent, and

W.M. Van der Weide.

Cite as: William Marion Reedy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1280

Rees, Amos.

Papers, 1827-1884. 2 folders (approximately 80 items)

Papers include deeds and indentures for land situated in Ray, Clay, and Jackson counties, Missouri, all concerning Amos Rees.

Cite as: Amos Rees Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2567

Reese, David W. (1843-1928).

Journals, 1917-1923. 2 volumes (193 pages)

David W. Reese was born November 1, 1843, in Cardigan Shire, South Wales. He emigrated to the United States with his parents in 1846, settling in Newark, Ohio. During the Civil War, he served in Company D, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry. After the war, he moved to Clinton, Missouri, where he lived until his move to Springfield, Missouri, in 1882. After a brief stay in Springfield, he moved to West Plains, Missouri, where he engaged in flour milling and banking. He married Ann Jones at Granville, Ohio, on February 5, 1868. His wife died December 1, 1912. He then married Sidna B. Simpson on September 17, 1914. David W. Reese died July 10, 1928, in West Plains, Missouri.

The two journals of David W. Reese include frequent brief entries regarding his expenses and income. These financial accounts are interspersed with comments on local events in West Plains, the weather, deaths in the community, and crops and farming. On November 1, 1920, Reese entered an autobiographical sketch in his journal.

Cite as: David W. Reese Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1281

Reier, Alice Henderson (-1969).

School friendship book, 1919-1921. 1 folder and 1 volume

Alice Henderson graduated from Cleveland High School in June 1921. She married Paul G. Reier of Glen Arm, Maryland, and they resided in Maryland. Alice and Paul Reier had one daughter, Nannilou (Nan).

School friendship book of Alice Henderson Reier during her years as a student at Cleveland High School in St. Louis. Includes autographs and snapshots of classmates, invitations, newsclippings, and small keepsakes.

Cite as: Alice Henderson Reier School Friendship Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2363

Reifsnider, Frank.

Papers, 1858-1923. 5 items

Collection contains the following five items: (1) St. Louis County real estate tax receipt issued to S. Gratz Moses, December 31, 1858. (2) Deed for the sale of property in Warren County, Missouri, from Joseph W. Hoover and Mary G. Hoover, his wife, of Jackson County, Missouri, to Frank Reifsnider of Summit County, Ohio, November 24,

1892 (filed oversize). (3) Typescript will of Rufus J. Lackland, 1623 Lucas Place, St. Louis, Missouri, June 21, 1900. Includes codicils dated July 22, 1904, and February 11, 1905. His estate is given to his children, Sarah Scott, Lamartine Lackland, Morrison Lackland, Edgar C. Lackland, Fanny Taylor, Margaret A. Ives, and Mary S. Trezevant, and his son-in-law Thomas J. Scott. Witnesses, Wm. H. Thompson and E.M. Hubbard. Will was certified in the St. Louis Probate Court, November 30, 1923. (4) State of Maine certificate of organization of a corporation for the American Kaolin Company, organized at Augusta, Maine, May 25, 1903. The owners of the shares in the company are listed as William H. Hoover, Frank Reifsnider, F.L. Dutton, C.L. Andrews, and E.F. Whittum. (5) Envelope of J.W. Hoover, civil engineer, Kansas City, Missouri, addressed to Miss Birdie Reifsnider, Akron, Ohio.

Cite as: Frank Reifsnider Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1282

Reilly, John G.

Papers, 1849-1863. 1 box

Papers include correspondence with family in Platteville, Wisconsin, discussing everyday life with mentions of visits to St. Louis.

Cite as: John G. Reilly Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1283

Reily and Dillon.

Letterbook, 1836-1837. 1 volume

St. Louis wholesale grocers, commission and forwarding merchants, firm of John P. Reily and [possibly Patrick M.] Dillon, succeeded by Reily and Chouteau in June 1836, the firm of John P. Reily and [possibly Henry] Chouteau.

Letterbook dated March 28, 1836–June 2, 1837.

Cite as: Reily and Dillon Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2506

Reller, J.F.O.

Membership card in Columbia School Patrons' Association, circa 1919. 1 item

Membership card expires September 1, 1919. The Columbia School Patrons' Association was located at St. Louis and Garrison Avenues in St. Louis.

Cite as: J.F.O. Reller Membership Card in Columbia School Patrons' Association, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Remington, Frederic

See Clarke, Powhatan H. Papers.

Reppy Papers

See Frissell, Willard.

A2512

Republic Iron Works, Limited (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania).

Price List, circa 1880. 1 item

Price list for the Republic Iron Works, Limited, manufacturers of galvanized, Juniata, charcoal and common sheet iron.

Cite as: Republic Iron Works, Limited, Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2493

Republican City Central Committee (St. Louis, Missouri).

Petition to the president of the United States, circa 1904. 2 items

The committee petitions the president to appoint a postmaster for St. Louis, and encourages him to immediately remove postmaster F.W. Baumhoff. The petition is accompanied by an endorsement signed Wm. Dutzi.

Cite as: Republican City Central Committee Petition to the President of the United States, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2240

Resurrection of Our Lord Parish.

Collection, 2005. 1 folder (2 items)

Collection contains two typescript articles relating to Resurrection of Our Lord Catholic parish in south St. Louis: "Resurrection Church: Msgr. George Dreher's Gift" (by John F. Knoll, class of 1955) and "Resurrection School: A Very Short History (by Father Gerald J. Kleba, class of 1955). Both articles are dated June 4, 2005.

Cite as: Resurrection of Our Lord Parish Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2441

Reuf, William Andrew.

Marriage certificate, 1903 Nov 25. 1 item

Marriage certificate of William Andrew Reuf, St. Louis, Missouri, and Anna Margaret Coughlin, St. Louis, Missouri, at Holy Rosary Church.

Cite as: William Andrew Reuf Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1284

Reuss, Adolph.

Papers, 1819-1875. 1 box

School notes, Masonic certificates, autograph albums, etc., of Dr. Adolph Reuss of Germany and Belleville, Illinois; accounts of income and expenses.

Mostly in German handwriting.

Cite as: Adolph Reuss Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1285

Revolutionary War Collection, 1770-1957. 13 items

The collection consists primarily of photostats of documents. Includes a land grant to Robert Jones by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania (original document) for services rendered in the army of the United States, June 13, 1787.

Cite as: Revolutionary War Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1286**Reymershoffer, Charles (1873-1955).****Papers, 1906-1942.** 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Charles Reymershoffer was an artist who furnished the catalogue of pictures and illustrations for William Romaine Hodges' biography of the artist Carl Wimar, which was published in 1908. Reymershoffer died October 25, 1955, in St. Louis, Missouri.

Correspondence to C. Reymershoffer concerning Carl Wimar's "Buffalo Hunt"; letter of C.M. Russell to Charles Reymershoffer, August 23, 1907, regarding identification of Indians in Wimar's "Buffalo Hunt"; letter from Reymershoffer to Mrs. Atherton Noyes, August 16, 1940, discussing Indian painter (typescript); series of letters regarding his search for work and his views of Germany and World War II; information regarding Clark Indian Museum.

Cite as: Charles Reymershoffer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1287**Reynolds, George D. (1841-1921).****Papers, 1801-1929.** 2 boxes; 2 volumes

George D. Reynolds was born December 16, 1841, in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. His family moved to Springfield, Illinois, in the 1850s, and in 1862 he enlisted as a private in Company K, 2nd Illinois Light Artillery. In October 1863 he was commissioned major in the 6th U.S. Heavy Artillery (Colored), and served as an administrator in the Freedmen's Bureau for the southern district of Mississippi at Natchez. He was mustered out in March 1866 with the rank of lieutenant colonel. Soon after the conclusion of the war he completed his law studies and moved to Potosi, Missouri, and later to St. Louis, where he served for many years as judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals. He died March 18, 1921, in St. Louis.

Collection contains genealogical material of Reynolds and related families; various military papers, 1862-1867, including Reynolds' provost marshal records, Natchez, Mississippi, freedmen and refugees, 1864-1866; deeds to land in Washington and Madison Counties, Missouri, 1867-1879; letters from President William H. Taft, 1910-1911; correspondence of Robert T. Lincoln, George D. Reynolds, President William H. Taft, and others concerning statue of Abraham Lincoln by George Gray Barnard; paper regarding Reynolds' estate settlement; speeches and manuscripts by Reynolds on various subjects including General U.S. Grant, Abraham Lincoln, Camp Jackson, Pennsylvanians in Missouri, and dueling.

Cite as: George D. Reynolds Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1288**Reynolds, Thomas (1796-1844).****Papers, 1819-1907.** 1 box

Thomas Reynolds was born March 12, 1796, in Bracken County, Kentucky. In early years he became a citizen of the state of Illinois, and there filled the several offices of clerk of the House of Representatives, attorney general, speaker of the House of Representatives and chief justice of the Supreme Court. In 1829, he moved to the state of Missouri, and was successively speaker of the House of Representatives, judge of the

Second Judicial Circuit, and died governor of the state in 1844.

Legislator and judge of both Illinois and Missouri and governor of Missouri. Papers of Governor Thomas Reynolds, his son Ambrose D. Reynolds, and his grandson Thomas Y. Reynolds, including letters on legislative subjects to Gov. Reynolds, material relating to properties of the Reynolds family, and a murder charge against St. Louis news reporter Thomas Y. Reynolds in October 1897 (accused of killing James Kirby). Gov. Reynolds' correspondents include David R. Atchison, Thomas Hart Benton, Gov. Daniel Dunklin, Joel H. Haden, Claiborne F. Jackson, Gov. John Miller, W.B. Napton, John S. Phelps, and B.F. Stringfellow.

In part; Papers found by Sidney Probst in the basement of his violin shop, 1019 Chestnut Street, and presented to the Missouri Historical Society when building was torn down in August 1925.

Cite as: Thomas Reynolds Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1289

Reynolds, Thomas C. (1821-1887).

Papers, 1844-1906. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Thomas Lyttleton Cate Reynolds was born in 1821. He was educated in Europe was admitted to the bar in Virginia in 1844. He was appointed the secretary of the U.S. legation at Madrid in 1846, and later relocated in St. Louis in 1850. He was the U.S. district attorney for Missouri in 1853-1856. He dueled with B. Gratz Brown in 1856. He was elected lieutenant governor of Missouri on a ticket with Claiborne Jackson for governor in 1860. Upon the death of Governor Jackson in 1862 he was recognized by Missouri Confederate soldiers as governor of Missouri. At the close of the war he exiled himself in Mexico, 1866-1869. He was a representative from the City of St. Louis in the 28th General Assembly of Missouri, 1875-1876. In 1884, he was appointed a member of the U.S. commission to visit South and Central American states to report on commerce between them and the United States. He committed suicide March 30, 1887, in St. Louis.

Papers include correspondence, mainly copies, of T.C. Reynolds during his political life as secretary of legation at Madrid, 1846; removal to St. Louis in 1856; Civil War years while serving as governor of the Confederate state of Missouri; his exile years in Mexico, 1866-1869; later discussion of Civil War events with Jefferson Davis, William T. Sherman, John. O. Shelby and others; acceptance of commission to Central and South America, 1884.

Bound typescript of Reynolds' 1867 manuscript titled "General Sterling Price & the Confederacy" is available in the library.

Cite as: Thomas C. Reynolds Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1290

Rhoads, William H.

Philippine Islands diary, 1900 Aug 15-Nov 23. 1 volume

William H. Rhoads, from Sedalia, Missouri, served as a corporal in Company B, 27th U.S. Volunteers, and was stationed at Mariquina, Philippine Islands, following the Spanish-American War. He was in charge of the camp canteen.

Daily record of army life at and around Mariquina, Philippine Islands, with daily menus entered in red ink.

Cite as: William H. Rhoads Philippine Islands Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1291

Ribarich, Frank.

Collection, 1902-1913. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes voucher numbers 73, 74, and 78 for expenses at Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company for India signed by commissioner-general to Asia; acknowledgments to Mrs. M.E. Smith and Mrs. W.E. Cotton for copies of book about their father, "Biography of George R. Snow," biographical sketch of John M. Wherry, clerk under General Lyon in the Civil War, 1905.

Cite as: Frank Ribarich Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1294

Rice, Edward Parker (1832-1915).

Papers, 1859-1916. 2 folders (approximately 100 items)

Edward Parker Rice was born August 22, 1832, in Bangor, Maine. He served as a private in Company K, 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months) from May to August 1861. In late August he was detailed as a part of a body guard composed of members of the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months) to escort the remains of General Nathaniel Lyon from St. Louis to Connecticut. From 1862 to January 1864 he served as captain and major in the 7th Enrolled Missouri Militia. He later served as captain in the Lyon Guard. He died June 20, 1915, in St. Louis.

Contains official military papers of Edward P. Rice including order regarding the Essex Guard, dated 1862; special orders, general orders, and other papers regarding the 7th Enrolled Missouri Militia in St. Louis, dated 1863 to January 1864; two documents regarding the Lyon Guard, 1864; accounts of the escort of the remains of General Lyon; pension papers of Rice including affidavit of William K. Patrick, dated 1914; and a roster of Company D, 7th Enrolled Missouri Militia, dated 1912. Also includes photograph of Rice, genealogical notes, and a land grant to Rice in Jackson, Missouri, dated September 1, 1859.

Cite as: Edward Parker Rice Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1293

Rice Family.

Papers, 1879-1961 (bulk 1918). 1 box; 1 volume

Mr. and Mrs. John Rice were married circa 1880. Their children included Lawrence, Cyril, James R., Nellie, Monica, Maurice K., and Mollie (Mary), who married Alvis Ritter. The Rice family resided near Cameron, Missouri. Maurice K. Rice served in the army and was stationed at Camp McArthur in Waco, Texas, in 1918.

Collection consists primarily of letters to Maurice Rice from his family while he was stationed at Camp McArthur in 1918. Collection also contains other family correspondence; newsclippings regarding the Rice, Ritter, and Kenney families; and a family photograph album.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Rice Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1292

Rice Family.

Charles M. and May Goldman Rice Family Papers, 1843-1978. 34 boxes; 1 flat storage box; 6 volumes

The Rice family of St. Louis was a prominent Jewish family of German origin. Initially named Reuss, the family anglicized their name upon immigration. They became prominent in the St. Louis area in the person of Jonathan Rice (died 1903), who immigrated from Germany during the 1850s. He was the first vice-president of the Rice-Stix Dry Goods Company, begun in 1862. He married Aurelia Stix, the daughter of his business partner William Stix. They had three children: Erna, Henry, and Charles. Erna and Henry died in 1895. Thus their only child to survive to adulthood was Charles Marcus Rice (1882-1950). Charles married May (Margaret) Nanette Goldman (1882-1960) in September 1908, after concluding his legal studies at Washington University in 1907. May was the daughter of German immigrant Jacob D. Goldman (1845-1925) and Sarah Hirsch (died 1890). Jacob had developed a dry goods business in Arkansas after the Civil War, but moved to St. Louis in 1875 where he co-founded the dry goods firm of Adler, Goldman and Company. He also co-founded the Lesser-Goldman Cotton Company with Julius Lesser in 1892. Jacob and Sarah Goldman had four children: May, Alvin G., Florence, and Hortense. Jacob Goldman was also the developer of Hortense Place in St. Louis, which he named after his daughter, who died in infancy. Charles and May Rice similarly had a significant impact on St. Louis history, both in terms of Charles' professional life and both of their philanthropic activities. In 1909, Charles joined with Joseph W. Lewis in a legal partnership, which lasted the remainder of their professional lives and formed the basis of one of the most prominent law firms in St. Louis. In that same year, May and Charles moved into their first home at 51 Kingsbury Terrace, which Charles' mother had built for them as a wedding gift. They remained there until 1914, when they moved to Oak Knoll where they spent most of their married lives. Charles and May Rice had three children: Jay G., Erna S. and Jonathan C. Rice. Jay married Bonnie Dell Lafferty, and worked as a buyer for the book department for Famous-Barr. Erna Sarah Rice married William N. Eisendrath. She was a biology professor at Washington University and he was director of the Washington University Art Museum.

The collection consists of biographical information on family members and associates, personal correspondence, diaries, scrapbooks and newsclippings, and printed matter from or about organizations with which family members were involved or in which they held an interest. In particular, this collection includes a few business records of Jonathan Rice, 1895-1896, and a bound memorial resolution adopted by the Jewish Federation on the occasion of his death in 1903. The bulk of the collection consists of the records and papers of Charles M. and May Goldman Rice, 1899-1960, which include records of Buckeye Plantation, 1936-1948, a sharecropping operation near Sikeston, Missouri; records of the Boy Scouts of America in St. Louis, 1911-1914, of which Charles Rice was treasurer; records of the Kingsbury Place and Kingsbury Terrace Associations, in which Charles Rice served as a trustee and treasurer, 1911-1914; records of the Crawford County Caverns Company, which the Rices owned and which operated Onondaga Cave, 1946-1973; May Goldman Rice's travel diaries, 1901, 1903, and 1909,

wedding books, 1908, family and philanthropic correspondence and memorabilia, 1899-1960. The collection also includes correspondence of Erna Sarah Rice Eisendrath, consisting primarily of condolence letters she received upon the death of her parents in 1950 and 1960; and papers of Jay G. and Bonnie L. Rice, 1927-1978, which include Jay's retirement scrapbook, 1970, and Bonnie's records of her tenure as president and vice-president of the Women's Division of the Academy of Science, 1959-1961. The collection also includes business records of L.B. Tebbetts and Sons Carriage Company, 1901-1911. It is, however, unknown at this time what the connection between the Rice and Tebbetts families might be, or how these records came to be part of this collection. A group of photographs from this collection was transferred to Photographs and Prints Department.

Addendums I and II to the collection cover five generations of the Rice family, beginning with Jonathan Rice's parents, Seligmann and Jetta Rice of Bamberg, Germany, and considerably expand the parent collection of Charles M. and May Goldman Rice Family Papers. Each generation contributes a significant amount of personal and family correspondence. Correspondence of note includes the writings of Jonathan and Aurelia Stix Rice (husband to wife), 1874-1902; Harry Rice to his parents, Jonathan and Aurelia, during his college years, 1892-1894; Erna Rice Eisendrath to her parents, Charles and May Rice, and siblings, Jay and Jonathan, during her college years, circa 1926-1930, and married life in Chicago, circa 1930-1950. Papers include passports of Jonathan Rice and family to Germany (1886-1900); writings and translations of Aurelia Stix Rice; business records of Charles M. Rice regarding his Lodge, Onondaga Cave, and Buckeye Plantation; memorial broadsides, articles, and volumes for various family members; certificates, newsclippings, and ephemeral items (dance cards, invitation, keepsakes). Photographs of family members and their homes have been transferred to the Pictorial Department. A St. Louis Country Day newspaper (1926) has been transferred to the Library.

Some German and Hebrew.

Papers consist of materials that were in the possession of Bonnie L. Rice, the mother of the donor, at the time of her death.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles M. and May Goldman Rice Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1295

Rice, John P. (1837-1930).

Papers, 1862-1930. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

John P. Rice was born April 21, 1837, in Knox County, Kentucky. During the Civil War he served as sergeant of Company I, 4th Missouri State Militia Cavalry, from February 1862 to May 1863. He served as commissary sergeant and lieutenant of the 48th Missouri Infantry from November 1864 to June 1865. He died January 18, 1930, in St. Louis.

Contains official military papers of John P. Rice, including appointments, discharges, commission, muster-in roll, muster-out roll, and pension papers. Also contains Spanish-American War official papers of Daniel O. Rice.

Cite as: John P. Rice Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1296**Richards, John R.****Letterbook, 1881-1893.** 1 volume

Letterpress correspondence of St. Louis real estate dealer, includes letters addressed to Phoebe Couzins, Samuel Cupples, H.K. Johnston, Richard Ridgley, Stephen Ridgley, R.M. Scruggs, Abner Stone, Mrs. Mary Walker, Prof. Waterhouse, Mrs. Ellen A. Stone, C.S. Greeley, and George W. Lubke.

Cite as: John R. Richards Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1297**Richardson, John.****Papers, 1837-1893.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

John Richardson came to the Spanish possessions from Kentucky, in 1787. He lived in the St. Charles District in 1797. He purchased lots in Soulard and the Chouteau tracts in St. Louis.

Papers include land papers regarding Auguste Chouteau and Antoine Soulard property in Jefferson County. Also includes John Richardson, Jr., land and tax papers.

Cite as: John Richardson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2416**Richardson, John.****Stock certificate, 1857 Sept 28.** 1 item

Certificate of John Richardson for five shares of stock of the Saint Louis & Iron Mountain Rail Road Company.

Cite as: John Richardson Stock Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2424**Richeson, Booker.****Land grant, 1832 Feb 11.** 1 item

United States land grant of Booker Richeson for 80 acres of land in the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 14, Township 43 North, Range 6 East, in the district of lands subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri. Document signed by President Andrew Jackson.

Cite as: Booker Richeson Land Grant, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1298**Ricketts, Claude B.****Papers, 1899-1947.** 1 box, 1 volume

Collection consists of business papers of Claude B. Ricketts, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes the Railway Exchange Building Company (Saint Louis, Missouri) minute book, 1912-1923; papers, photographs, newsclippings, and plats related to St. Louis downtown urban planning, 1927-1935; two reports from J.W. McKnight and Company (Saint Louis, Missouri) relating to bus, streetcar, and subway transportation in St. Louis, 1934; and the program and appendices of the Architectural Competition for the Jefferson National

Expansion Memorial, 1947. The collection also contains the printed will and probate of Charles H. Peck, 1899; the Building Owners' and Managers' Association St. Louis Constitution and By-Laws, 1928 revision; and the 1931 Veiled Prophet Ball program. Cite as: Claude B. Ricketts Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1299

Riddle, Alexander.

Letters, 1840 Oct 12–1850 June 23. 1 folder

Letters from Sarah A. Treadway, Alton, Illinois, and from W.E. Riddle (brother) to Alexander Riddle in St. Louis.

Cite as: Alexander Riddle Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1300

Ridenhour, Edward (1847-1895?).

Family Papers, 1865-1932. 5 folders; 1 volume

Edward Ridenhour was born in the St. Louis area around 1845 and spent much of his life in the town of Labaddie as a farmer. He volunteered for the 40th Missouri Infantry in 1861 and served throughout the Civil War. After his discharge in 1865, he returned to Labaddie and died some thirty years later.

Collection contains family papers dealing largely with the Civil War service, pension, and estate settlement of Edward Ridenhour. The first folder includes Ridenhour's discharge from the 40th Missouri Infantry in 1865, receipts for membership dues for the Grand Army of the Republic, and pension paperwork for the stipends his widow received after his death in 1895. The second folder contains documents relating to the pension and to the Ridenhour estate. The third folder contains land documents pertaining mostly to the Ridenhour family and ranging in date from 1870 to 1932. Much of the land recorded in the deeds is in the area of Labaddie, Missouri. The final folder contains handwritten notations of the Ridenhour family history as well as a short notation of the history of Labaddie, an unidentified family photograph, and the calling card of a Josie Larretto, and an 1814 Ridenhour family Bible.

Cite as: Edward Ridenhour Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1301

Ridgway, Joseph.

Papers, 1812-1859; 1923. 2 folders (approximately 35 items)

Joseph Ridgway moved to St. Louis from Massachusetts circa 1837.

Papers include letters to family in New Westbury, Massachusetts, regarding family news, everyday happenings, tobacco and real estate business news, some mention of copper mining.

Cite as: Joseph Ridgway Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1302

Riehl Family.

Papers, 1848-1934. 2 boxes

Family records of the Riehl family of St. Louis and southern Illinois. Includes

receipts, bills, insurance and property records, and correspondence.
Some German manuscript.

Cite as: Riehl Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2340

Ries, Ed (1931-).

Reminiscences titled "When I Was a Boy," circa 2006. 1 item (9 pages; pages are numbered 13-21)

Ed Ries grew up in Webster Groves and Chesterfield, St. Louis County, Missouri. His family first lived on Forrest Ave. in Webster Groves. (The 1941 St. Louis County directory lists the family at 690 North Forest Ave.). The family moved to a home on Ossenfort Road in Chesterfield, before moving back to Webster Groves.

Reminiscences of Ed Ries, written for his children, discuss his experiences as a young boy living in Chesterfield and Webster Groves circa 1939-1948. He recounts growing up in Chesterfield on the land his father named Hollyhock Hill. He discusses chores, the flooding of the Missouri River, peddlers, attending Wildhorse Creek School in Chesterfield, his experiences living in a small, two-bedroom house in Webster Groves, and attending Webster Groves High School. Reminiscences include a reproduction of a photograph of Ed Ries (page 19).

Cite as: Ed Ries Reminiscences Titled "When I Was a Boy," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1303

Rieser, John (1825-1900).

Papers, 1850-1890. 1 folder (approximately 215 items); 1 oversize folder

John Rieser was born in Austria in 1825. During the Civil War he served in the following regiments: captain, Company B, Stewart's Cavalry Battalion (Union); Company E, 16th Illinois Cavalry; and 2nd lieutenant, Company K, 51st Missouri Infantry. He died February 4, 1900.

Collection includes Rieser's discharge papers, commission, muster-out roll, and pension document; two morning reports of Stewart's Cavalry Battalion; and four muster rolls of Company B, Stewart's Missouri Cavalry Battalion. Also includes document granting U.S. citizenship.

Cite as: John Rieser Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1304

Ripley County, Missouri.

Records, 1833-1860; 1870-1879. 10 volumes

Collection consists of Ripley County, Missouri, records copied and collected by southern Missouri historian John R. Hume. They include two volumes of marriage records copied by Hume (1833-1853, 1853-1866); one volume of Circuit Court proceedings (1834-1853); two volumes of County Court proceedings (1841-1847, 1847-1853) of which records after 1850 are exclusively probate court records; three record books of the clerk of the County Court consisting of letters of administration of estates (1834-1853) of which records dated 1849-1851 are of the judge of the Probate Court, record of wills filed (1840-1885), and justice of the peace commissions (1834-1856); and

two justice of the peace docket books (1857-1860, 1870-1879), the first of which consists of executions on promissory notes in Current River Township.

Cite as: Ripley County, Missouri, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1305

Ritter, H.A.

Collection, 1847-1905. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes deed of burial lot from Britton A. Hill, president of board of trustees of Oakland Cemetery to Edward Coop, September 20, 1847; circulars of U.S. Sanitary Commission Army and Navy Claim Agency, March 12 and July 20, 1864; three manuscripts regarding charges preferred against 1st Sergeant Archy L. Mayson by 1st Lieut. Jacob Roesener, Company G, 6th U.S. Volunteer Infantry, 1865; special orders of Col. W.R. Davis for Jacob Roesener, and others in regard to stores received from Capt. S.D. Childs, September 15, 1865; other materials regarding the Civil War.

Cite as: H.A. Ritter Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1306

Roach, Harry F.

Syndicate Trust Building Architectural Plans, circa 1895. 2 volumes

One volume (2 copies, 72 pages/42 plates) of drawings and specifications for the Office Building for the Syndicate Trust Co. (northeast corner of 10th and Olive). A stamp on front leaf of the second copy reads "John Hill Construction Company, 915 Olive St., St. Louis."

Cite as: Harry F. Roach Syndicate Trust Building Architectural Plans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1307

Roach, Ruth Hunter.

Papers, 1947-1973. 5 boxes

Mrs. Ruth Hunter Roach, wife of Leonard V. Roach, was an authority on St. Louis silver and author of *St. Louis Silversmiths*, published by Eden Publishing Company, St. Louis, 1967.

Correspondence regarding research and publication of her book, 1943-1973; card index file regarding silversmiths, research notes, and literary manuscripts including typescripts, revised proofs, and galley of *St. Louis Silversmiths*.

Cite as: Ruth Hunter Roach Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1308

Roads collection, 1805-1970. 3 folders (approximately 200 items)

Collection includes petitions for roads from St. Louis to Florissant, Platin Creek, Meramec River, Coldwater, St. Andrew, River Gingras, River au Boeuf, Maline River, etc.; clippings on early highways and transportation facilities; pamphlet titled "The Old Trails Road: The National Highway as a Monument to the Pioneer Women Proposed by the Missouri D.A.R." (1911; 11 pages); pamphlet titled "Story of the Lost Trail to Oregon—No. 2, Illustrated" by Ezra Meeker (summary of transcontinental car trip in

Pathfinder car) (1916; 32 pages); pamphlet titled "History of Old Road, Pioneer Settlers and Early Communities of St. Louis County" by Henry Hertich (no date; 42 pages); typescript manuscript by J.H. Long titled "Old Roads, New Roads, More Roads for Missouri (1941; 48 pages); and material on Missouri roads from Mrs. Schaaf pertaining especially to the King's Highway.

Cite as: Roads Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1309

Robbins, Leroy K.

Papers, 1898-1943. 6 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers include muster rolls of Company C, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry; genealogical data on Robbins family; rations, descriptions of volunteers, etc.

Cite as: Leroy K. Robbins Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1310

Robertson, Andrew.

Ledger, 1839 Jan 1–1843 July 24. 1 volume (100 pages)

Grocery, labor, and personal accounts, Walnut Hill (Walnut Grove), Missouri. Published recipes and domestic hints affixed to blank pages, circa 1860s.

Cite as: Andrew Robertson Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1311

Robertson, Charles Franklin (1835-1886).

Diaries, 1868-1885. 6 volumes

Second bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Missouri, born in New York, graduated from Yale in 1859, completed theology course in 1862, served as cure and rector in New York state parishes, elected bishop of the diocese of Missouri in 1868, arrived in St. Louis on November 6, 1868.

Diaries of Robertson's tenure as bishop in St. Louis of the diocese of Missouri of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Diaries commence with his consecration on October 25, 1868, through 1885, a few months prior to his death. Diaries cover October 25, 1868, to October 1, 1876, June 1 to September 26, 1878, and May 2, 1879, to October 15, 1885.

Cite as: Charles Franklin Robertson Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1312

Robertson, William B. (1893-1943).

Collection, 1923-1964. 1 box

William B. Robertson was born October 8, 1893, in Nashville, Tennessee. He has been regarded as a pioneer in St. Louis aviation and was a co-founder of the Lambert–St. Louis Municipal Airport. He organized and served as president of the Robertson Aircraft Corporation, which was involved in the original airmail contract for the St. Louis to Chicago run. He was a sponsor of the flights of Charles Lindbergh and also of the St. Louis Robin, which set a record for the longest time spent in the air. The Robertson Aircraft Corporation produced troop-carrying gliders for the army. Robertson was killed in 1943 when he and several prominent St. Louisans were making a demonstration flight

of one of the gliders and a wing came off and it crashed to the ground.

Collection contains correspondence, preservation copies of newsclippings, and magazine clippings concerning the growth of aviation in St. Louis. Includes information regarding Charles A. Lindbergh's flight across the Atlantic; Robertson Air Field; operating statements of Robertson Airplane Service Co. issued to the Post Office Department; glider crash (1943) that killed Mayor William Dee Becker and William B. Robertson; endurance flight of Dale "Red" Jackson and Forest O'Brine in St. Louis "Robin" for 420 hours, 21 minutes; newsclippings relating to air mail contracts in U.S.; development of air service; *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* section (1942), "Flashback in St. Louis' Importance in the History of World Aviation."

Cite as: William B. Robertson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1313

Robins, Thomas.

"Facts of a Family" / manuscript, circa 1930. 1 box (211 pages)

Collection consists of a history of the Robins family, compiled by Thomas Robins, dating back to sixteenth-century Europe. The collection also contains correspondence relative to the family history.

Cite as: Thomas Robins, "Facts of a Family," manuscript, circa 1930, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1314

Robinson, J.E.

Papers, 1870-1908. 4 folders (approximately 50 items)

Seven letters, 1892, from Willie and Helen Robinson, Wesleyan Female Instiyute, regarding boarding school life; business correspondence of J.E. Robinson, 1900-1902, regarding grading and shipping of grains, endorsements for positions as grader and inspector; congratulations on appointment as chief inspector, Maritime and Merchants Exchange, New Orleans; and telegrams and message backing Robinson in dispute over discharge of McKenzie from Maritime Exchange, New Orleans, 1903-1908.

Cite as: J.E. Robinson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1315

Robinson, John H. (1782-1824).

Papers, 1810-1816. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

John H. Robinson was born in Augusta County, Virginia. He came to St. Louis in 1804 after completing the study of medicine and on December 24, 1805, he married Sophie Marie Michau. Dr. Robinson was a friend of Zebulon Pike and joined his expedition in 1806 as a volunteer. He was commissioned surgeon in the U.S. Army stationed at Fort Bellefontaine in 1808, and in 1810 he was stationed at Fort Osage. He went to Mexico in 1815 and fought in the Mexican War of Independence. He died in Natchez, Mississippi, in 1824.

Typed copies and photostats. Collection relates to the charges against Robinson that "he has been engaged in the unlawful business of exciting the citizens of the United States to the invasions of the Spanish provinces beyond the Mississippi," January 21, 1816. Also includes a biography of John Robinson.

Cite as: John H. Robinson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Robyn, Charles. Account books.

See Rauchenstein family.

Robyn, E.

See E. Robyn and Co. [Hermann, Missouri?].

A1316

Robyn Family.

Papers, 1840-1946. 5 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 oversize box

Genealogical material regarding the Robyn family and newsclippings regarding family; original copies of the autobiography and biographical notes of William Robyn; document signed Wm. Robyn, 1840, regarding the excellence of the St. Louis German Brass Band; and William Robyn manuscript music collection.

Cite as: Robyn Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1317

Rodney Family.

Papers, 1811-1922. 1 box

Family papers dealing mostly with real estate possessions in and around Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and relating to the cotton trade and river transportation.

Cite as: Rodney Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2065

Rogers, E.E.

Letter to son Francis, 1915 Jan 14. 1 item

Letter of E.E. Rogers, Crowthers & Rogers Manufacturing Co., St. Joseph, Missouri, to son Francis, discusses family news.

Cite as: E.E. Rogers Letter to Son Francis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1318

Rohrbach, Gerwin K.

Business records, 1960-1993. 4 cubic feet

President of General Planning and Resource Consultants, University City, Missouri.

Records of city planner Gerwin K. Rohrbach, consisting of clippings, correspondence, and reports regarding city planning projects primarily in Missouri, Illinois, and Ohio, 1960-1971. Of note are records concerning the city design of Oak Park, Illinois, and many smaller Missouri and southern Illinois communities and some suburban St. Louis communities. Records regarding the proposed development of Chapel Spring, Illinois, at the site of a proposed southern Illinois airport that would have served the St. Louis metropolitan area, 1973-1989. Later newsclippings regarding the long-term successes of Rohrbach's project. Includes 14 rolls of 35 mm color slides.

Cite as: Gerwin K. Rohrbach Business Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1319**Rombauer, Robert Julius (1830-1925).****Papers, 1861-1864.** 1 volume; 1 folder

Robert J. Rombauer was born January 10, 1830, in Hungary. He emigrated to the United States with his family in 1853, eventually settling in St. Louis. He served as lieutenant colonel of the 1st United States Reserve Corps (3 months) in the summer of 1861 and then as colonel of the 1st United States Reserve Corps. In 1909, he wrote *The Union Cause in St. Louis*. He died September 25, 1925, in St. Louis.

Volume includes adjutant's order book of the Turner Hall Detachment of the First Regiment of the U. S. Missouri Reserve Corps, July 15-24, 1861, and for the Bird's Point Detachment of the First and Second Regiments, plus the morning reports, on board the steamer *G. W. Graham*, and at Camp Lyon, Bird's Point, Missouri, July 30-Aug 12, 1861; copies of Rombauer's letter to Abraham Lincoln, March 4, 1863, asking for a position in the Regular Army and outlining his previous experience in the Hungarian Army; a copy of Rombauer's memorial to Lincoln concerning the proper conduct of the war; his illustrated report to John C. Fremont on the siege of Vicksburg; an annotated and illustrated abstract of Mahan's field fortifications; Rombauer's notes on the Radical Reform party and his reasons for opposing the election of Lincoln; and some Spanish grammar exercises.

Some German manuscript and some Spanish.

Cite as: Robert Julius Rombauer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1320**Roos, Lawrence K. (1918-).****Papers, circa 1962-1974.** 165 boxes

Lawrence K. Roos was born in St. Louis on February 1, 1918. He graduated from St. Louis Country Day School in 1936 and from Yale University in 1940. After serving in the U.S. Army from 1941 to 1945, he worked for Westheimer and Co., a St. Louis advertising and public relations firm. In 1946, he was elected to the Missouri legislature, and re-elected in 1948. From 1950 to 1955, he served as the executive vice-president of the Mound City Trust Company. In 1962, Roos was elected St. Louis County supervisor, a position which he held for three consecutive terms. Roos' administration brought numerous changes to the county and its governing organization, including home rule, improved infrastructure and police training, and the addition of several county parks. After his political tenure, Roos was elected executive vice-president and a director of First National Bank of St. Louis. Among his various civic and political positions, Roos served as the chairman of the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council, a member of the executive committee of the Regional Industrial Development Corporation, a presidential appointee on the U.S. Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, director and member of the Greater St. Louis United Fund, and president of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. In 1967 and 1968, Roos was nominated for the St. Louis Award, and in 1974, the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* named him Man of the Year.

Papers consist of personal correspondence, campaign records, general office files, scrapbooks, logbooks, and newsclippings collected during Roos' 12 years as St. Louis County supervisor.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lawrence K. Roos Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1321

Roper, Emma P.

Collection, 1830-1902. 3 folders (approximately 35 items)

Collection includes diary of Charles P. Warner titled "trip to the mountains," 1850[?], which describes trip from St. Louis to North Dakota; recipe book of H.R. Patterson [Horace Reed Patterson], 1836; Odd Fellows membership certificates for John Denning, 1846-1847; three certificates of exemption from service in the militia granted to John W. Denning, St. Louis, 1862-1865; photograph of John W. Denning, taken in St. Louis, July 2, 1886; membership certificate of Horace R. Patterson in the Saint Louis and Murdock's Lake Fishing Club, August 28, 1866; deed of William P. Freeman and his wife, Sarah, to Peter W. Johnston, 1859 for land in Stoddard's addition, St. Louis; log book of steamboat *Lillie Martin* describing two trips to Fort Benton, Montana, 1865-1867; 1867 log book of Steamer *Abeona*, one trip from St. Louis to Fort Benton.

Cite as: Emma P. Roper, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1322

Rosati, Joseph, Bishop (1789-1843).

Papers, 1818-1825. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Bishop Rosati received his theological training in Rome. He was ordained in 1811 and transferred to the Mississippi Valley in 1815. He was appointed superior of Vincentians in America, head of St. Mary of the Barrens when consecrated bishop in 1824. He became the bishop of St. Louis in 1827. He is buried in the New Cathedral, St. Louis, his remains having been brought from Rome in 1854 after a century of legal problems were solved.

Papers include typescript copies, made by Ida Schaaf, of original correspondence at the St. Louis Archdiocese Seminary, 1818-1822, regarding mundane happenings in the parish at Ste. Genevieve; and typed copies of original diaries of Rosati's at Kenrick Seminary, 1822 and 1825.

Latin.

The Missouri Historical Society does not own originals, typescript copies may not be published.

Cite as: Bishop Joseph Rosati Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1323

Rose-Uhri family.

Papers, 1846-1930. 4 boxes; 2 volumes

Papers of the Uhri and Rose families, 1846-1930, including naturalization papers and military certificate for Andrew Uhri, 1852-1861; correspondence of Henry Uhri to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Uhri, 1920-1919; family bills and receipts; advertising flyers, 1900-1930; newsclippings; advertising cards, St. Louis, circa 1900-1930; greeting cards (to Mrs. William C. Uhri), circa 1895-1930; notebooks and pocket calendars; maps/plats including East St. Louis, 1874, and St. Louis, no date; architectural drawings for Dr. Edward Rose's house on Walnut Street; certificates; an unidentified leather travel

diary with compass and pencil, that includes short descriptions of a trip to Europe (1912), a trip to the western United States (1915), and a world map; and a Conrad Rose family record book, circa 1859-1868, titled "Houschronik."

Some German.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Rose-Uhri Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2421

Ross-Gould List & Letter Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Advertising circular, circa 1916. 1 item

Includes a reproduction of an article from the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*, September 17, 1916, titled "Ross-Gould Firm Gets New Home in Steinberg Building."

Cite as: Ross-Gould List & Letter Co. Advertising Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1324

Rotary Club of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Membership records, 1929-1950. 10 volumes

Committee reports on membership; membership proposal cards. Numerically arranged volumes; no. 1-8, 10-11. There is no number 9.

Cite as: Rotary Club of Saint Louis Membership Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2379

Rozier, Edgar J.

Papers, 1910-1911. 8 items

Collection includes membership card of Edgar J. Rozier in the Edgewater Club, St. Joseph, Michigan, for the year 1911; printed prospectus of the Flat River Mining Company, St. Louis, Mo., circa 1911 (8 pages); letter signed W.H. Mayfield, The Mayfield Sanitarium, 920 North Taylor Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., to Edgar J. Rozier, February 17, 1911, offering to sell his holdings in the Flat River Mining Company (letterhead and envelope include illustrations of the sanitarium); typescript letter signed L. Bertram Cady, L. Bertram Cady Company, tailors, 421 Olive Street, St. Louis, to Mr. E.J. Rozier, 4451 Westminster Place, St. Louis, March 16, 1911, promoting the company's products; state of Missouri County Resident Hunter's License issued to Edgar Rozier, authorizing him to hunt in Washington County, November 1, 1910; typescript letter of Wetzel, tailors, New York, to Edgar Rozier, St. Louis, Mo., informing Rozier of David Rice's upcoming visit to St. Louis; printed card of Wetzel announcing David Rice's appearance at the Planters Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.; and receipt of Morgens Bros. C. & D. Co. [Morgens Bros. Cleaning & Dyeing Co.], 3407-3409-3411 Olive St., to Mr. E. Rozier (letterhead includes illustration of building).

Cite as: Edgar J. Rozier Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1325

Rozier Family.

Papers, 1806-1900; 1923-1934. 1 box; 1 volume (approximately 200 items)

Papers include genealogical information, clippings regarding Rozier family; receipts and notes to John Audubon, 1810, 1814; Rozier family correspondence to Francois Rozier, Nantes, France, regarding family matters, education of children, business (i.e. skins, mines); document signed Ferdinand Rozier, September 11, 1820, order for night patrol to prohibit slaves from running at large, Ste. Genevieve; Ferdinand Rozier, various places, to family regarding family and business; "Rules and conditions under which all peaceable persons will be admitted to work on the lands of the subscribers," Decemer 6, 1826, handwritten document outlining 11 conditions for working mines of Valle and Valle; journal, in French, no. 8, 1837 June 28 to 1838 July 20, with typescript describing life in area around Ste. Genevieve, with mentions of mines, taking care of animals, loneliness, despair, no identification; journal, 1840 April 15 to May 13, partly code or shorthand, with typescript of what is actually written, possibly written by Ferdinand Rozier; correspondence about collection. A notebook of genealogical information on the Rozier family including obituaries. Contains four lectures of Firmin Rozier, dated 1878-1888, and a circular for the Old Ste. Genevieve Academy, operated by Firmin Rozier, dated 1854.

Some French.

Cite as: Rozier Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1326

Rozier, Henry.

Ledger, 1828 Feb 14-1841 Aug 9. 1 volume (140 pages)

Commission and shipping merchant's record of steamboat shipments from Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, mostly to New Orleans, Louisiana (1828-1841); and later unidentified general merchandise accounts (1864).

Cite as: Henry Rozier Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1327

Rozier, Henry.

"Old Ste. Genevieve" / manuscript, no date. 1 folder (22 pages)

Manuscript of speech of Henry Rozier on the history of Ste. Genevieve.

Cite as: Henry Rozier, "Old Ste. Genevieve," manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1328

Rubelmann Family.

Papers, 1803-1897. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Wedding invitations, family correspondence of Umrath family and Rubelmann family in St. Louis; bound volume, "Aus meinem Leben von Jakob Lucas," typed.

German.

Cite as: Rubelmann Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1329

Ruff, Charles F.

Papers, 1846-1859. 2 boxes

Charles F. Ruff married Annie Dougherty, daughter of Major John Dougherty, in

1842 in Liberty, Missouri. He died October 1, 1885.

The collection relates to the personal life and military career of Major Charles F. Ruff. The bulk of the collection consists of returns for clothing and camp garrison and horse equipage invoices for Companies I and II, Mounted Riflemen, at points on the "Oregon Route" and at Columbia Barracks and Fort Childs, Oregon Territory; Jefferson Barracks, Missouri; Mobile, Alabama; New Orleans, Louisiana; and Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. Additional materials include a notebook of the Santa Fe expedition (1846) and other materials relating to the Mexican War; correspondence with Major John Dougherty, 1852-1859; biographical information; and a sketch of the life of Annie Dougherty Ruff.

Cite as: Charles F. Ruff Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1330

Rumbold, Charlotte.

Papers, 1846-1946. 2 boxes

Charlotte Rumbold was a social reformer who worked in St. Louis for the Open Air Playground Committee in 1902, spent nine years as playgrounds supervisor for the city starting in 1906, and compiled a descriptive report on terrible housing conditions for the city's Civic League in 1908. She also organized a large, successful Pageant and Masque in Forest Park in 1913 to celebrate the city's 150th anniversary. A suffragist and popular speaker, her motto was, "If we play together, we will work together." In 1914, the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* named her the "best-known young woman in St. Louis." The following year, when she asked for a raise from St. Louis as New York was recruiting her for a \$4,000-per-year position, despite public outrage, the city's Board of Aldermen voted against her raise given that "she is not a voter." She resigned and moved to Cleveland, Ohio, to work for the Chamber of Commerce as secretary of the city planning committee, where she studied Cleveland's housing situation and made recommendations. She was responsible for Cleveland's first group housing in 1917, and she continued her work to eliminate slums and improve housing conditions and public spaces. She died at age 90 in Cleveland.

Collection regarding Dr. Caroline Rumbold, noted plant pathologist and specialist on fungus diseases of trees; regarding her sister Charlotte Rumbold, early feminist and for many years director of playground recreation in St. Louis; regarding the related Engelmann, Ledergerber, and Hildenbrandt families; diaries of Caroline Rumbold's trip around the world in 1928; translations of Adolph Engelmann's letter to his family while serving in the Mexican War; photographs, newsclippings, passports, birth certificates, and other documentary material.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charlotte Rumbold Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1331

Rumbold, Frank M., General.

Papers, 1890-1927. 2 boxes

Frank M. Rumbold was commander of the 128th Field Artillery, and served in the Spanish-American War and World War I.

Papers concerning the military career of Frank M. Rumbold and his command of the

128th Field Artillery.

Cite as: Frank M. Rumbold Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1332

Runge, Edward C., Dr. (1856-1904).

Papers, 1897-1942. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Dr. Edward C. Runge came to St. Louis in 1883. He found work checking baggage in Union Station. In 1888, he started classes at the St. Louis Medical College, and graduated in 1891. Dr. Runge married Ms. Emily Foote. He also took a position under Dr. Frank R. Fry in the Neurological Clinic of the St. Louis Medical College. He also held the position of instructor in physiology at the St. Louis Medical College. In 1895, Dr. Runge was appointed superintendent of the St. Louis Insane Asylum.

Two annual reports of the superintendent of the St. Louis Insane Asylum (27th, 1897; 33rd, 1903) (transferred to library); typescript letter signed Edward Runge to Health Commissioner Max Starkloff, June 6, 1898, regarding transferring St. Louis Insane Asylum to the state with lists of maintenance costs, etc.; annual reports of "Vacation Playground" (1900-1904), playground during summer school vacation for children started by Wednesday Club (transferred to library); report of review of eight years of work at the St. Louis Insane Asylum, by Dr. Runge, 1903 (transferred to library); memorial notices of Dr. Runge; certificate appointing Mrs. Emily F. Runge assistant probation officer, 1907; deeds, photographs of patients at asylum and juvenile court offenders; book of compositions of Emily Foote, 1892; collection of newsclippings regarding the insane asylum.

Cite as: Edward C. Runge Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2333

Russell, Cyrus.

Collection, 1845; no date. 3 items

Collection contains undated typescript reminiscences of Cyrus Russell (2 pages) and his son C.S. Russell (7 pages), civilians living near Pilot Knob, Mo. Contains Cyrus Russell's account of his being taken prisoner, and C.S. Russell's account of the family's encounters with soldiers during the time of the Battle of Pilot Knob. Collection also contains letter signed Cyrus Russell, Arcadia, Madison County, [Missouri], to Mr. S.D. Chapin [Samuel D. Chapin], [Somers, Tolland County, Connecticut], March 26, 1845. In this letter, Russell tells Chapin that he has "made arrangement with Collins & Kellogg of St. Louis to receive the money at Hartford"; provides instructions for selling his trees, barn, and land in Somers; and mentions the prices at which he has recently sold oats and potatoes in Missouri.

Cite as: Cyrus Russell Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1333

Russell, Edna Frances.

Correspondence 1922, 1933-1952. 2 boxes

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Russell of Fulton, Missouri, teacher of English and education in Orrick, Missouri (1934-1936), Memphis, Missouri (1937-1938), and at the University of Missouri (1940-1951). Married George K. Morgan in 1951, whereupon

she left her teaching position to join him at Fort Polk, Louisiana, and then returned to Fulton, Missouri, when he was shipped overseas.

Correspondence received by Edna Frances Russell from her parents in Fulton, Missouri, friends, and from her fiancé and husband, army Lieutenant George K. Morgan, when he was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Camp Polk, Louisiana, Camp Stoneman, California, and on board the *General Black* during the Korean War. Includes only a few letters written by Edna herself. Of note is one letter written by her father regarding the work of the Missouri Relief and Reconstructions Commission during the depression (letter of October 4, 1933).

Cite as: Edna Frances Russell Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1334

Russell, William (1778-1857).

Land records, 1811-1861. 4 volumes

William Russell was born in Frederick County, Virginia, came to St. Louis in 1804, and served as surveyor for the United States government in Missouri and Arkansas. He speculated in large tracts of land in Missouri, Illinois, and Iowa. His only daughter, Ann, to whom he left his estate, married Thomas Allen, who then managed his holdings.

This collection consists of records written by William Russell to document his land holdings in Missouri, Illinois, and Iowa, and references transactions dated 1807-1853. These records also include annotations dating up to 1861, some of which were probably made by Russell's son-in-law Thomas Allen. Collection also includes a one-volume record of Russell's orchard at Crystal Springs, Missouri, with memoranda on fruit production and planting (1835-1854). In addition, contained on the first 29 pages of the earliest volume are field notes, plat drawings, and other records of surveys made by Russell in 1811-1812 in his capacity as U.S. government surveyor, and furnish detailed descriptions of lands and lots in the St. Louis area.

Cite as: William Russell Land Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1335

Rutgers College collection. 1787-[1857]. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Mostly typescripts. Journal of Arend Rutgers, 1787-1827, account of trip from Utrecht, Holland, to St. Louis; A. Rutgers sold his tract of land to the government to be used as the St. Louis Arsenal, copy of original; typed letters of people like Elijah Lovejoy regarding articles in the *Observer*; Thomas H. Benton, 1839, letters regarding political news of the day; correspondence to A.R. Corbin discussing national politics, 1836-1856; two letters, typed copies, U.S. Grant to "Dear Father," December 28, 1856, and February 7, 1857, containing family news and difficulty with farming.

Cite as: Rutgers College Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1336

Rutledge, Wiley Blount (1894-1949).

Papers, 1936-1949. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Dean of Washington University School of Law, 1931-1935. While in St. Louis he was active in the city, state, and national bar associations. He served as associate judge of

the U.S. Supreme Court.

Political and personal correspondence with Luther Ely Smith, Fred Gerber, etc;
biographical notes and clippings regarding Rutledge's career and social activities.
Cite as: Wiley Blount Rutledge Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Ryrie, D.D.

See D.D. Ryrie and Co. (Alton, Illinois).