

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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NOTE: Collections for the City of St. Louis and for St. Louis County, Missouri, appear after the last “S” entry.

A1337

Sachs, Paul.

Collection, circa 1940s. 1 folder (7 items)

Seven advertisements, circa 1940s, for Paul Sachs Originals.

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

A1338

Saint Ange de Bellerive.

Collection, 1902-1929. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Notes and articles written by Rev. Amedee Gosselin; other notes containing biographical information on Louis St. Ange de Bellerive (1702-1775) and his activities in St. Louis.

Cite as: Saint Ange de Bellerive Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1340

Saint Charles archives. 1792-1806. 3 boxes

Collection includes instruments for leases, deeds, concessions, marriages, inventories, estates, public sales, mortgages, notes, slaves, litigations, and wills of early residents of St. Charles.

French.

Inventory of documents in the St. Charles Archives is available at the Archives Reference Desk in *Early Missouri Archives: Historical Records Survey*, 1941. (Archives Ref./MO/9.1/H629)

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

A1341

Saint Charles County, Missouri, Board of Education.

Subdistrict record books, 1867-1868; 1870-1885. 3 volumes

This collection consists of three record books of sub-district 4, township 45, range 1, school subdistrict in St. Charles, Missouri. This subdistrict operated a single class for 20-40 students, aged 5-17, with single teachers. The records contain one official record book (1870-1881) and two volumes recording daily attendance, scholarship, and deportment of the students (1867-1868; 1876-1885). The official record book is a volume published by the state of Missouri for use in public school subdistricts and included sample printed contracts, extracts of the 1870 school legislation for Missouri, and sample designs of school houses. This volume contains manuscript record of annual school meetings and elections of school directors, proceedings, estimates of annual expenses, and financial accounts. The two student registers are for schools in Cappeln, Missouri, in St. Charles County (1876-1877 to 1884-1885), and include similar records for Tuque's Prairie Public School for the 1867-1868 and 1868-1869 school years.

Cite as: Saint Charles County, Missouri, Board of Education Subdistrict Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1342

Saint Charles County, Missouri, Circuit Court.

Fee book, 1867-1875. 1 volume

Part of the Maher Collection.

Cite as: Saint Charles County, Missouri, Circuit Court Fee Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1339

Saint Charles, Missouri.

Collection, 1789-1962. 1 box; 1 volume

Typescripts of the St. Charles register, 1791-1832, St. Charles baptisms, 1792-1850, and baptism book, 1812; papers filed in the office of recorder of deeds in concession of land of Jacques Clamorgan by Spanish king, March 1797; deposition of James Mackay in regard to the above matter, March 7, 1817; letter of Zenon Trudeau to Francois Saucier regarding the forming of the village of Portage des Sioux, dated March 15, 1799; marriage contracts, land papers; census of free white male inhabitants of the Townships of Dardenne, Upper and Lower Quivre, Femme Osage, and Cote sans de Sein in St. Charles County after 1817; census of St. Charles County for 1819; papers of John Mackay (will, marriage license, etc.); letter discussing the establishment of the Circulating Library Company in St. Charles, February 14, 1835; Frances Howell; typescripts of letters of Dr. John Grammar Tannor to family members regarding his settling and setting up practice in St. Charles, 1844-1856; manuscript journal of unidentified twenty-year-old male residing in St. Charles with clippings, many of them from the *Missouri Patriot*, relating to history of St. Charles, 1847-1850; correspondence and clippings regarding the history of St. Charles, 1904-1940; and material regarding the state capitol, 1959, and restoration of the capitol building in 1962.

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

Saint Charles Post. Provost Marshall.

Records, 1861 Dec 13-1862 July 30.

Transferred to Civil War Collection (see Arnold Krekel record book).

A1343

Saint Gem, Gustavus.

Collection, [1779]-1901. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Contains biographical information on Jean Baptiste Janis, Jean Baptiste LaCroix, Francois Chauvin de Charleville; genealogical information of St. Gem and Valle families; petition for restoration of homestead. Some reproductions.

Cite as: Gustavus Saint Gem Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1344

Saint Gemme, Deguire and Company (Sainte Genevieve, Missouri).

Ledger, 1834-1838. 1 volume (71 leaves)

General merchandise firm of Bartholomew Saint Gemme and Francis P. Deguire.
Some entries in French.

Cite as: Saint Gemme, Deguire and Company Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1345

Saint Jacoby Evangelical Church (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Journal of collections, 1918-1934. 1 volume (170 pages)

Now St. James United Church of Christ.

Accounts of monies collected at German- and English-language services.

Cite as: Saint Jacoby Evangelical Church Journal of Collections, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2419

Saint James Evangelical Church (Morrison, Missouri).

Program and flyer for presentation of "The Golden Trail," 1932 Dec 8-9. 2 items

Cite as: Saint James Evangelical Church Program and Flyer for Presentation of "The Golden Trail," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1346

Saint Joseph Lead Company.

Blueprints for car ferry, 1922. 1 oversize folder

Blueprints for car ferry for St. Joe Lead Company by Charles War Engineering Works, Charleston, West Virginia, and Cox and Stevens Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, New York City.

Cite as: Saint Joseph Lead Company Blueprints for Car Ferry, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis African-American Newsclippings Collection

See Turner, Charles, Scrapbooks.

A1454

Saint Louis-Alabama Coal and Iron Company.

Account Book, 1926-1950. 1 volume

Officers in 1929 were President W.W. Strickler; Vice President T.H. Cobbs; Treasurer G.A.H. Mills; Secretary H.W. Kroeger; and Assistant Secretary Treasurer E.A.H. Shepley. Officers in 1950 were President W.W. Strickler; Secretary Harry W. Kroeger; and Assistant Treasurer Ethan A.H. Shepley.

Account book for company.

Cite as: Saint Louis-Alabama Coal and Iron Company Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2448

St. Louis & Chain of Rocks Railroad.

Time Table, 1974. 1 item

Time table notes that “passenger trains of this railroad will operate between the hours of 1:00 and 5:00 P.M. on the second Sunday of each month from April through October. The St. L. & C.R. Railroad operates 3 miles of track in north St. Louis, from the Burlington Northern Jct. to Mississippi River Dam #27. All passengers must board trains at the Briscoe Station, located at the intersection of Riverview and Lookaway Drives. Free parking. Passengers of all ages may ride these trains free of any charge. Donations are welcome and will be used to maintain and improve passenger service on this line.”
Cite as: St. Louis & Chain of Rocks Railroad Time Table, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1374

Saint Louis and Missouri newsclippings collection, 1950; 1959; 1961-1969. 4 boxes

Collection of newsclippings arranged in topical files, A-Z, that pertain to St. Louis City and County. Topics include air pollution; anti-poverty campaign in Missouri and Illinois; area beautification; Gaslight Square; crime; the mob; Landmarks Association of St. Louis; slum clearance; Spanish Pavilion; St. Louis riverfront plans; River Center plans; Laclede’s Landing; Pruitt-Igoe; Rev. John A. Shocklee; Ozarks tourism brochures; Lewis and Clark Trail; Meramec River basin; Open Space Council; Ozarks Regional Commission; St. Louis Parks, Recreation and Forestry Department; municipal tax rates and school district rates; and the St. Louis stadium site. Also includes copies of St. Louis–area newspapers regarding urban planning and urban renewal in the city during the 1950s-1960s.

Cite as: Saint Louis and Missouri Newsclippings Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1375

[Saint Louis and Vicksburg Anchor Line?].

Record books, 1871-1872; 1875-1897. 26 volumes

The collection consists of annual journals of Mississippi River levels, weather reports, and steamboat arrivals and departures from St. Louis. Identification of the company that generated these records is based upon letterhead of documents inserted into some volumes

Cite as: Saint Louis and Vicksburg Anchor Line Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1376

Saint Louis archives, 1766-1804. 38 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Recorded archives of the French and Spanish administration of the district of St. Louis, 1766-1804, which includes deeds, land claims, and marriage contracts. Collection includes original instruments and a paper copy made from the microfilm of the bound copies (6 volumes) retained at the St. Louis recorder of deeds office.

French and Spanish.

Collection is name-indexed in the W.P.A. card index available at the archives reference desk.

Oscar W. Collet's index to these archives is available in the Library reading room.

Cite as: Saint Louis Archives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1377

Saint Louis Arms Collectors' Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1936-1958. 1 box

The St. Louis Arms Collectors' Club was formed in September 1936, to enable collectors of rare and ancient firearms to get together. Dr. Thomas T. Hoopes, then curator at the St. Louis Art Museum, was active in the creation of the club, and served as its first president.

The collection includes correspondence, minutes of monthly meetings, membership lists, and articles regarding firearms.

Cite as: Saint Louis Arms Collectors' Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis Arsenal collection, 1934.

Transferred to Alphabetical Files—Reasoner, Mathew A.

A1378

Saint Louis Artists' Guild (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1901-1992. 8 boxes

Corporate records of St. Louis artists' association. Includes minutes, correspondence, programs, etc.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Louis Artists' Guild Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1379

Saint Louis Association for Retarded Citizens.

Collection, 1986-1998. 4 folders

Founded in 1952 as a day camp for retarded children, the St. Louis Association for Retarded Citizens progressed into an agency to assist the mentally challenged.

The collection consists of annual reports (1986-1998), promotional literature, special events programs, and information pertaining to the Lion's Den Outdoor Learning Center and Childgarden School development day care and pre-school.

Cite as: Saint Louis Association for Retarded Citizens, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1380

Saint Louis Auxiliary of the French Red Cross.

Records, 1918-1919. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Organization that supported French Red Cross Hospital #106 in Millau, Aveynon, France, during World War I.

Records include monthly reports from Mme. Prevot in Millau to Mrs. Taylor Bernard, and correspondence of John C. Wilkinson regarding the export of supplies.

Mme. Prevot letters are in French.

Cite as: Saint Louis Auxiliary of the French Red Cross Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1381**Saint Louis Award Committee (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1931-1969.** 5 boxes

The Saint Louis Award Committee was formed in 1931, and offered the annual Saint Louis Award for civic accomplishments. The annual \$1000 award was anonymously endowed by David P. Wohl. His involvement was not revealed until his death in 1960.

Records of the St. Louis Award Committee, consisting of correspondence, letters of nomination and recommendation, press releases and clippings, and biographical information on the nominees and recipients of the annual St. Louis Award.

See Photo and Prints Department for portraits of award winners, 1931–circa 1977.

Cite as: Saint Louis Award Committee Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2376**Saint Louis Battery.****Historical sketch, no date.** 1 item

Typescript historical sketch of the St. Louis Battery (Confederate) in the Civil War, author unknown (3 pages).

Cite as: Saint Louis Battery Historical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1382**Saint Louis Bible Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1863-1894; 1901-1902.** 1 box; 3 volumes

The St. Louis Bible Society, founded in 1863, was the local auxiliary of the American Bible Society. Headquartered in New York, the national organization had been founded in 1816. Its purpose was “to promote the circulation of the Holy Scriptures without note or comment.”

This collection consists of the records of the St. Louis auxiliary of the American Bible Society. They consist of a minute book (1863-1893) containing the constitution, minutes of annual meetings, clippings and printed annual reports, and executive committee minutes; a ledger of colporteurs in Missouri in account with the American Bible Society in Missouri (1877-1882); a record of monthly fiscal reports (April 1879-June 1888); and a collection of correspondence and receipts (1893-1894; 1901-1902).

Cite as: Saint Louis Bible Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1383**Saint Louis bicentennial collection, 1957-1966.** 6 folders (approximately 200 items)

Collection includes programs, invitations, tickets, etc. to dinners and special events regarding the St. Louis bicentennial; correspondence and memos of the planning committee, 1958-1964; folder with proposed ideas for celebration, including logos, events, memorials, slogans; St. Louis bicentennial planning committee minutes, reports, 1958-1959; photographs and publicity items; Arch dedication, Riverfront Festival committee correspondence, 1966; 1963 pamphlets from Klasek Letter Co., which in

cooperation with the Missouri Historical Society contained reproductions of items in the Missouri Historical Society collections regarding the history of St. Louis.

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

A1384

Saint Louis Bicentennial Corporation, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1962-1966. 7 boxes

St. Louis Bicentennial Corporation, Inc., was established June 11, 1964, to celebrate the bicentennial of the founding of St. Louis. The president of the board of directors was August A. Busch, Jr. Up to 3,000 events were staged and conducted by individuals and groups representing every facet of St. Louis life.

Papers include minutes, reports, press releases, invoices and financial statements of the corporation. Includes material related to the corporation, e.g. selling of medallions, parades, festivals, etc.; audio tape, circa 1964 on "Conference." File titled "Missouri Pavilion for New York Worlds Fair" (1963) contains materials regarding proposed St. Louis Worlds Fair for 1953. One box of printed material of various national and local publications regarding St. Louis and the bicentennial celebration. One box of newspaper clippings regarding the various events sponsored by the St. Louis Bicentennial Corporation. Notable items include information on Plaza Square; three bumper stickers, "I Saw the St. Louis Gateway Arch" and "St. Louis Bicentennial, 1764-1964"; calendars of events, 1964, 1965-1966; published volume, "Negroes: Their Gift to St. Louis," 1964, 44 pages.; 2711th issue of the *St. Louis Argus*, April 24, 1965.

Cite as: Saint Louis Bicentennial Corporation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1385

Saint Louis bond issues collection, 1955-1962. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Pamphlets, brochures, stickers regarding various bond propositions for the city of St. Louis.

Cite as: Saint Louis Bond Issues Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1386

Saint Louis Branch of the American Lyceum (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute book, 1831-1834. 1 volume

The Saint Louis Branch of the American Lyceum was organized November 19, 1831, for "the mutual improvement of its members, and the general diffusion of knowledge." Its regular meetings, which required member participation but were open to the public, were designed for "conversation, discussions, dissertations, illustrating the sciences, or other exercises." The annual dues of \$2 were used to purchase books, apparatus, and collections in natural history.

This minute book includes the constitution of the organization.

Cite as: Saint Louis Branch of the American Lyceum Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1387**Saint Louis Building Code Committee (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1954-1960.** 3 boxes

Minutes of Building Code Committee, 1954-1960; building code of the city of St. Louis signed by committee members.

Cite as: Saint Louis Building Code Committee Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1388**Saint Louis buildings collection, circa 1815-1960s.** 2 boxes

Newsclippings, typescripts and manuscript material concerning early houses of St. Louis (arranged alphabetically); advertisements, correspondence, promotional material for St. Louis hotels, motels, 1843-1868; material pertaining to the St. Louis court house, 1815-1966; descriptions of early St. Louis residences, business houses, fire stations, etc., collected by Dr. W.G. Swecosky (1895-1963), St. Louis dentist.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

A1389**Saint Louis businesses collection, 1807-1976.** 2 boxes

Business papers of various St. Louis firms, 1807-1959. Also includes undated business cards from various St. Louis businesses.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

A1837**Saint Louis Butcher Association.****Certificate, 1857.** 1 item (oversize)

The St. Louis Butcher Association was incorporated by an act of the Missouri General Assembly in February 1857. The association's executive officers were Charles Forstl, president, and Charles Volling, secretary. Forstl was a butcher at the Central Market and later owned and operated a saloon on Carondelet Avenue. Volling was a butcher at the Soulard Market.

Certified copy of a corporation instrument granted to the St. Louis Butcher Association by the Missouri secretary of state. Document is in German with an English typescript translation.

Cite as: St. Louis Butcher Association Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1390**Saint Louis charities collection, [1870-1970].** 1 box

Information and promotional material about charity organizations and social agencies in St. Louis including the Annie Malone Home, Caroline Mission, Christmas Carols Association, Edgewood Children's Center, Family and Children's Service, International Institute, United Fund, Western Female Guardian Society, St. Louis Women's Christian

Association, and the Frank Wyman Outing Farm for Children.
Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

A1391

Saint Louis Chronic Hospital (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1912-1968. 6 volumes

Records consist of ledgers of receipts of bodies (3 volumes), 1928-1934; 1954-1968; employee time records, 1912-1916; records of admissions and discharges for the St. Louis City Infirmery, 1949-1955; and list of city cemetery burials, 1943-1964.

Cite as: Saint Louis Chronic Hospital Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1392

Saint Louis city charter collection, 1956-1957. 1 box

Correspondence, memos, and notes of the St. Louis Citizens Charter Committee, March-July 1956; files, correspondence, proceedings, and reports of the St. Louis Board of Freeholders; draft and final version of proposed city charter.

Cite as: Saint Louis City Charter Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1394

Saint Louis city-county consolidation collection, 1923-1926; 1958-1959; 1962. 1 box

Correspondence, reports, and newsclippings on the proposed St. Louis City-County merger; notes of meetings and proposals of the Board of Freeholders for the consolidation of the city of St. Louis and the St. Louis County, so that city and county are one legal subdivision under the municipal government of the city of St. Louis, 1923-1926; transcript of hearing held July 31, 1958, on the subject of parks, recreation and cultural institutions; information on plans for city-county consolidation as proposed by the Metropolitan Board of Freeholders, 1958-1958; and the Borough Plan for reuniting the city of St. Louis and St. Louis County, 1962.

Cite as: Saint Louis City-County Consolidation Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1393

Saint Louis City Hospitals Schools of Nursing.

Records, 1868-1949. 25 volumes; 1 box

St. Louis City Hospital operated the following four schools for the training of nurses: St. Louis Training School for Nurses, Homer G. Phillips Hospital School of Nursing, St. Louis City Hospital School of Nursing, St. Louis Municipal School of Nursing. The schools consolidated into one, the St. Louis Municipal School of Nursing.

Collection contains minutes, records, budget reports, handbooks, student affair reports, student grade book, treasurer records, etc. of the four different schools. Also includes the St. Louis Training School for Nurses Alumnae Association minutes, records, programs, roll book, etc.

Cite as: Saint Louis City Hospitals Schools of Nursing Records, Missouri History

Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1395

Saint Louis Clearing House Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1868-1949. 25 volumes; 1 box

The St. Louis Clearing House was organized in 1868 and had as its members the leading banks of the community. It was established to facilitate reciprocal relations among banking institutions of the city (i.e. clearing checks held by various banks on each other), and over the years, has expanded its activities to promote the highest standards of efficiency in banking operations, including periodic examinations of individual banks in the membership as a check to prevent any member from drifting into insolvency.

The collection consists of minutes (1868-1928); the records of the committee of managers (1868-1939); records relating to interest on loan certificates (1907-1908; 1914); daily record of Clearing House certificates held by member banks (1914); Clearing House loan certificates (1914); circulars, letters, notices, blanks, and forms; memorials (1927-1949); and correspondence from local banks in connection with the Clearing House mainly in regard to joining the organization, acknowledging checks from other banks, etc. (1868-1928).

Cite as: Saint Louis Clearing House Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1396

Saint Louis Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute books, 1878-1923. 4 volumes

The St. Louis Club was organized in November 1878 in St. Louis by a group of businessmen whose purpose was to discuss certain vital social, political, scientific, industrial, economic, educational, and religious questions. The membership was carefully selected by a committee from a wide variety of professions.

Cite as: Saint Louis Club Minute Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1397

Saint Louis Coliseum.

Collection, 1951-1953. 1 folder

Papers include condemnation notices, correspondence, records of legal proceedings against owners, and building inspections.

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

Saint Louis Colonial Archives

See Saint Louis Archives, 1766-1804.

A1398

Saint Louis Council of Parent-Teacher Associations (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1912-1979. 2 boxes

The records of the St. Louis Council of Parent-Teacher Associations includes minute books and typescript minutes of regular Council and Executive Board meetings, 1912-1975; historians' reports, 1912-1979; presidents' reports, budgets, and annual reports; unit

record book, 1928-1935; treasurers' journal, 1941-1953; and song books.
Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Louis Council of Parent-Teacher Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1413

Saint Louis County Horticultural Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1859-1864. 1 volume (128 pages).

The St. Louis County Horticultural Society was founded in 1859 as the Mississippi Valley Horticultural Society in St. Louis. It incorporated in 1860 or 1861 under its permanent name. In 1859, it was named to operate the horticultural exhibit at the St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Fair. It established a library and pursued discussions relating to the cultivation of fruit and vegetables.

This record book is primarily a minute book, containing the constitution and by-laws of the organization, its act of incorporation, and minutes of meetings. The minutes include newsclippings reporting presentations and discussions and letters entered into the record.

Cite as: Saint Louis County Horticultural Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1414

***Saint Louis County Legal Record and Advertiser*, 1861 Dec 10-1862 Mar 10. 2**

volumes

The *Saint Louis County Legal Record and Advertiser* was an official newspaper of St. Louis County, publishing legal notices.

Cite as: *Saint Louis County Legal Record and Advertiser*, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1415

Saint Louis County Pension Request Committee.

Records, 1962; 1964-1969. 1 box

St. Louis County Pension Request Committee conducted a campaign in 1964 to petition Governor Warren E. Hearnes and the general assembly of Missouri to pass necessary legislation to allow Missouri counties to establish pension plans for all employees. Some forty-two separate resolutions were introduced in the house and senate. The committee selected house joint resolutions #5 and #15 in May 1965 "as best suited for our purpose." The county pension provision (Amendment No. 1) was approved by Missouri voters in a special election January 14, 1966. Melville B. Martin was chairman of the committee.

Correspondence, notes, fact sheets, petitions, house and senate joint resolutions, memos and newsclippings, arranged chronologically, revealing work of the committee. Correspondence, 1964-1966, is between the committee and Melville B. Martin, chairman of the committee, Missouri legislators, and Governor Hearnes; additional letters, 1967-1968, are from Martin, as a county employee, seeking changes in the proposed county retirement program; a 1979 letter seeks to upgrade the pension. Records also include a petition, February 25, 1969, from county employees regarding the St. Louis County

Retirement "Plan A" Changes, February 25, 1969, which was adopted and approved February 1967.

Cite as: Saint Louis County Pension Request Committee Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis Courthouse Papers

See Saint Louis, Missouri, Circuit Court. Records, 1801-1967.

A2899

St. Louis Dairy Co.

Circular, 1927 July. 1 item

Circular advertises schedule of ice cream specials. Verso is stamped with the dealer's name: Andrew Wurm, confectionary, 5101 Minerva Ave.

Cite as: St. Louis Dairy Co. Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2336

Saint Louis Dante Club.

Minute book, 1932-1952. 1 volume (268 pages)

The St. Louis Dante Club (sometimes referred to as the St. Louis Dante Study Club) was founded in 1921 "during the period of great celebrations of universities and schools to celebrate the 600[th] anniversary of the death of the poet Dante in 1321" (page 156). In June 1922, the St. Louis Dante Club was made a part of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs, also a member of the national body of Women's Clubs" (page 156). The club members were women, and the club met monthly at the Hotel Chase and later Stix, Baer & Fuller Co. Some meetings were held at members' homes.

This volume contains the minutes of the club's monthly meetings. The following women were among the members: Mrs. Clarence Perkins, Mrs. William Watt Spear (1227 Amherst Place), Mrs. Katharine Higgins Sommers (8340 Washington Ave.), Mrs. Marion E. Millen, Mrs. Oliver Crede (7032 Dale Ave.), Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Val Vogel, Mrs. Carl Mink, Mrs. Edward Card, Mrs. Huette, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Sudekum, Mrs. Lenore C. Pehle (241 East Adams, Kirkwood), Mrs. Frank E. Dolson (8120 Cornell Ave.), Mrs. Frederick M. Schramm (4423a South Grand Blvd.), Miss Mary Crowley, Mrs. Joseph T. Davis, Mrs. Etta DeArmond (3802 Castleman), Mrs. Elmo Hocke, Mrs. Kathryn Cross (5615 Maple Ave.), Mrs. Esther Donaldson, Mrs. Joseph Conradi (9023 Eager Road), Mrs. John Dinter, Miss Frances Pursell (4342 Olive Street), Mrs. Alice Diehm, Mrs. J. Vincent Donaldson (2617 Louisiana Ave.), Mrs. Paul K. Finney (6040 Waterman Ave.), Mrs. Samuel Howard (7069 Pernod Ave.), Mrs. A.K. Russell (512 Lake Avenue), Mrs. Will H. Young (4928 West Pine Blvd.), Mrs. Frank Yenawine (2710 South Grand), Miss M.J. Thias (605 Forest Avenue), Miss Thomas Ross (5024 Vernon Avenue), and Mrs. Ula C. Adams (5810 Waterman). Past presidents of the club (listed on page 156) were Mrs. Edgar P. Sommers (1921-1924), Mrs. William W. Spear (1924-1927), Mrs. Edward Card (1927-1930), Mrs. Valentine Vogel (1930-1932), Mrs. Oliver Crede (1932-1935), Mrs. Marion Millen (1935-1938), Mrs. Sommers (1938-1941), Mrs. R. DeArmond (1941-1942), and Mrs. Kathryn Cross (1942-1945). The club's constitution and by-laws are recorded on pages 154-156. A list of members in 1948 is recorded on pages 223-225.

Cite as: St. Louis Dante Club Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1416

Saint Louis Dental Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1910-1939. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers contain speeches, minutes, and rosters of the St. Louis Dental Society; correspondence regarding the Dental Society Library.

Cite as: Saint Louis Dental Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1622

Saint Louis Dramatic Varieties Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1851-1853. 1 volume

This organization comprised local businessmen who built a new theater in St. Louis after the failure of the firm of Ludlow and Smith in 1851. The theater was leased to Joseph M. Field, formerly a leading man with Ludlow and Smith, and called Field's Varieties. It failed quickly, was then operated by a variety of owners until 1873, when it was purchased by Ben DeBar.

This volume contains the articles of association, subscription list, and financial accounts of the St. Louis Dramatic Varieties Association.

Cite as: Saint Louis Dramatic Varieties Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1417

Saint Louis Effort For AIDS (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Newsletters, 1988-1991. 1 box

Saint Louis Effort for AIDS is an organization designed to effectively deal with the AIDS crisis in the St. Louis metropolitan area. It was founded in 1985 by a group of gay men meeting in Monte's Bar (St. Louis) The group later moved to the Metropolitan Community Church (St. Louis) and then in 1987 the American Red Cross offered both office and meeting room space to the St. Louis Effort for AIDS (EFA). In 1990, St. Louis EFA moved to 5622 Delmar Boulevard. The organization is divided into two outreach areas to the public. The client services branch administers all of the programs that are designed to offer support to the person with AIDS and their family members. The educational branch of the organization is concerned with educating the public about the medical and socio-legal issues of AIDS and how to care for the person with AIDS (PWA).

The collection consists of an incomplete run of monthly newsletters produced by Saint Louis Effort for AIDS and distributed to its members. The newsletter is titled *Frontline*. Also includes items mailed to members of the organization regarding legislative concerns, fund-raisers, etc.

Cite as: Saint Louis Effort for AIDS Newsletters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1418

**Saint Louis Exposition and Music Hall Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1889-1896.** 4 volumes

Consists of letterbook (1889-1890), accounts of advertising expenses (1891), record of ticket sales and inventory (1895-1896), and journal of bookings (1892).

Cite as: Saint Louis Exposition and Music Hall Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1419

Saint Louis Female Seminary.

Penmanship book, 1862-1863. 1 volume

Leather-bound book with embossed cover: "St. Louis Female Seminary. L.N. Bonham, principal, A.E. Holcombe, teacher." On flyleaf: "Written by Sue Mead."

Cite as: Saint Louis Female Seminary Penmanship Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1420

Saint Louis film collection, 1918-1928. 2 folders (approximately 75 items)

Correspondence and printed matter, newsclippings, list of subscribers regarding the making of the film, "Spirit of St. Louis," which depicts the history of St. Louis. The Missouri Historical Society provided historical data for the film, which was distributed locally. Also includes memos regarding the making of the film, "St. Louis Men of Mark, Builders of St. Louis," in cooperation with Missouri Historical Film Company, Skouras Brothers, and the Missouri Historical Society, 1924.

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

A2459

St. Louis Firemen, The.

Circular titled "Nothing but the Truth," [1921]. 1 item

Circular of "The St. Louis Firemen" states in part, "some of the reasons why the three platoon should be adopted at the polls on April 5th. Because it will increase the efficiency of the Fire Department. It will give the city a reserve force of 100% at all times. It will reduce your fire insurance. It is inhuman to make a man do 48 hours continuous duty. . . ."

Cite as: The St. Louis Firemen Circular Titled "Nothing but the Truth," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1421

Saint Louis Funeral Directors' Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1881-1954. 4 volumes

The St. Louis Funeral Directors' Association was founded on April 25, 1881, as the Livery Stable Keepers and Undertakers' Association of St. Louis. In 1908, its name changed to Union Undertakers and Liverymen's Association of St. Louis, and then to Mound City Liverymen and Undertakers' Association of St. Louis in 1916 before becoming the St. Louis Funeral Directors' Association in 1929.

These records contain two volumes of minutes (1881-1888 and 1908-1936), which include a list of members (1882-1888) and eulogies of its deceased members. Also

includes a volume relating to civilian defense (1939-1941) and a volume concerning the convention of the National Funeral Directors' Association held in St. Louis in October 1941.

Cite as: Saint Louis Funeral Directors' Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1422

Saint Louis Gay and Lesbian Community Collection, 1988-2000. 2 boxes

Collection includes minutes and newsletters from various St. Louis organizations involved with gay and lesbian issues; St. Louis Acts Out, Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG), and Privacy Rights Education Project (PREP). Also includes information sheets, press packets and releases, invitations, and fliers for St. Louis gay and lesbian events. Includes Lesbian and Gay Pride Celebration Guides for St. Louis and Kansas City, Missouri (1988-1990). Other organizations represented in the collection are Wired Women Productions, Lesbian Agenda/Lavender Moon Calendar, Our World Too (bookstore), Human Rights Campaign Fund, and the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force. Additional material includes Challenge Metro Newsletter, 1990-1991; and wedding program, July 27, 1991 (including invitation), for the union of Carrie B. Clement and Amy Adams Squire at Trinity Episcopal Church, St. Louis.

Cite as: Saint Louis Gay and Lesbian Community Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1423

Saint Louis Grand Jury Association.

Records, 1961-1976. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

The Saint Louis Grand Jury Association was formed to promote and advance the effectiveness of the grand jury in St. Louis.

Papers include minutes, correspondence, newsletter of Grand Jury Association of St. Louis, 1961-62. Reports of the St. Louis Grand Jury, 1961-1976.

Cite as: Saint Louis Grand Jury Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1424

Saint Louis Grays (Saint Louis Missouri).

Records, 1834-1860. 3 volumes

The St. Louis Grays was an independent volunteer company of infantry organized "to cultivate military science and discipline." Formed in 1832, intended for Black Hawk War, but before command was uniformed and armed, Indian trouble was suppressed. With the Mexican War, became Company A of the Saint Louis Legion. Reorganized after the Mexican War in 1847. In 1850s, called on to quell strikes, riots and civil disturbances. At outbreak of Civil War, captured at Camp Jackson, some then joined Price's troops (Guibor's Battery of Light Artillery), most formed Company D of the 1st Missouri Infantry (Confederate) under Colonel John S. Bowen.

Record books contain the constitution, by-laws, minutes, and accounts of the St. Louis Grays (1834-1847); a ledger (1840-1847); and a minute book (1848-1860). In addition, muster rolls no. 13 and 14 of the St. Louis Grays for Santa Fe, "for the purpose

of being mustered into the service of the United States under the requisition upon this State for Infantry to serve in New Mexico," are inserted loose into the earliest volume. Cite as: Saint Louis Grays Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2932

St. Louis Gruetli Verein.

Records, 1850-1962. 18 volumes; 4 folders; 1 box

The St. Louis Gruetli Verein was formed in St. Louis circa 1849 as a benevolent society for natives of Switzerland. The organization offered its members the opportunity to socialize with one another, kept alive the traditions and cultural heritage of Switzerland, and paid out benefits to its sick and deceased members. The exact relationship of the St. Louis Gruetli Verein and the St. Louis Schweizer Bund is unclear; however, it appears that the Gruetli Verein changed its name to the Schweizer Bund in the 1910s.

The collection consists primarily of record books of the St. Louis Gruetli Verein (and later the St. Louis Schweizer Bund) that contain meeting minutes, expenditures, earnings, and financial reports. The collection also includes 72 issues of *Der Schweizer* (1931-1940); cash books; an account book; a sick list; a membership diary; a record book of membership applications; and loose papers including event programs, legal documents, and receipts. Most of the collection is in German.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: St. Louis Gruetli Verein Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1425

Saint Louis historic preservation collection, 1959-1970. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Contains pamphlets, clippings, maps regarding historic buildings in St. Louis and St. Louis County, including Bissell Mansion, DeMenil House, and Old Post Office. Items are mainly generated from the Landmarks Association.

Cite as: Saint Louis Historic Preservation Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1426

Saint Louis Historical Documents Foundation, Inc. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1946-1977. 1 box

The Colonial St. Louis Documents Committee was formed in 1946. The board of directors consisted of John Francis McDermott, Charles E. Peterson, Arthur C. Hoskins, John F. Bannon, Hart Vance, Jr., and William C. Fordyce, Jr. Charles van Ravenswaay joined the board at a later date. As stated on its stationery, the organization's purpose was "To make available the source materials from which the history of St. Louis and the West will be written." The organization became the St. Louis Historical Documents Foundation, Inc., in 1947.

The collection includes minutes, membership records, reports, financial records and correspondence of McDermott with A.P. Nasatir, Kate L. Gregg, et al. Records regarding publication and distribution of works on colonial St. Louis include Nasatir's *Before Lewis and Clark* and *Life on the Spanish Mississippi*; McDermott's *Early Histories of St. Louis*,

The French in the Mississippi Valley, and Old Cahokia; and William Carson's Managers in Distress.

Cite as: Saint Louis Historical Documents Foundation, Inc., Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1427

Saint Louis history collection, 1762-1976. 5 boxes; 4 oversize folders

Collection of material pertaining to the history of the city of St. Louis. Includes original documents and letters and numerous articles and newsclippings referring to various aspects of life in St. Louis.

Some French.

Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

A1428

**Saint Louis Light Artillery Armory Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1896-1956.** 3 boxes

Collection contains scrapbook of Colonel Rumbold of Battery A, Missouri National Guard in St. Louis; correspondence and bills (rent, repaid to armory, etc.); typescript manuscript titled "History of the First Regiment of the Infantry, 138th Infantry and Connected Organizations, 1808-1933"; manuscript titled "History of Battery 'A' of St. Louis: With an Account of the Early Artillery Companies from Which It Is Descended," 1905; cashbook of the armory association.

Cite as: Saint Louis Light Artillery Armory Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1552

St. Louis Magazine.

Scrapbook, 1963-1968. 1 box

The first issue of *St. Louis Magazine* was released in May 1963. Girard P. Brownlow, the magazine's publisher, founded the publication with the intent of creating a magazine that featured articles by recognized writers in areas such as the arts, history, society, politics, etc. but with a St. Louis focus.

The collection consists of press releases, news clippings, programs, radio scripts, and correspondence relating to the magazine. Most of the material dates from the founding of the magazine in 1963.

Cite as: *St. Louis Magazine* Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1429

Saint Louis Maternity Hospital.

Records, 1911-1934. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

The St. Louis Maternity Hospital was founded in May 1908 when Mrs. Elizabeth Samuel Garrison hosted a meeting of friends, physicians, and clergy to discuss the need for a maternity hospital where poor married women and "unfortunate" girls could be cared for before, during, and after their confinement. The non-sectarian hospital began in a six-room house at 3430 Lucas Avenue, then soon moved to larger quarters at 2621

Locust Street. In 1912, as demand for services continued to increase, the hospital moved into a former sanitarium at 4518 Washington Avenue. From its beginning the institution's financial support came solely from the public through subscriptions and various fundraising efforts. By the 1920s about 50% of the work at the hospital was without cost to the patients. In 1924 the Rockefeller General Education Board gave the hospital's research department a gift of \$650,000, contingent upon the construction of a new and enlarged building. The Maternity Hospital, newly affiliated with Washington University, would use the money for research and teaching in obstetrics and diseases of newborns. Although affiliated with the university, the Maternity Hospital still relied on public support for building funds and operating expenses. An eight-story building was erected at 630 South Kingshighway in 1928, and the Maternity Hospital continued to operate at that site until the early 1970s, when it ceased to exist as an independent hospital. It later was used to house medical offices as part of the Barnes-Jewish Hospital Complex at the Washington University Medical Center Complex.

The bulk of the collection relates to the issue of fundraising to pay for the new (1928) hospital. The collection is also particularly strong in documenting the construction of the hospital building at 630 South Kingshighway during the years 1925 through 1928. The correspondence with the architects reveals not only concerns about the modernity and efficiency of the building's layout, but hints at social issues as well. A letter dated October 12, 1925, refers specifically to "toilet rooms for white men and women," while another, dated October 12, 1929, suggests that an entrance "could still be used for taxi cab and Negro patients." There are few items that illuminate the inner workings of the hospital or inform the researcher of the philosophy behind the hospital.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Louis Maternity Hospital Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1430

Saint Louis Merchants' Exchange (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1845-1963. 61 boxes; 118 volumes

In 1849, merchants started bringing to the Chamber of Commerce meetings samples of grain, produce, and merchandise for sale. This led to the forming of the St. Louis Merchants Exchange in 1850. The merchants met and exchanged statistics concerning shipments, visible supplies of commodities, transportation needs, current consumption levels and other matters useful for estimating price trends and changes.

The collection contains the correspondence addressed to the Merchants Exchange and deals with local and national matters concerning trade in the St. Louis area. Such national matters are railroad freight rates, silver coinage and currency, postal service, telegraph service, improvement of inland waterways, commercial relations with other nations, tariffs, etc. Local matters are rules and business transactions of the exchange and its members, benevolent society, behavior of members, building improvement, promotion of business in this area, etc.

Cite as: Saint Louis Merchants' Exchange Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1432

**Saint Louis Montgomery Guards (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1842-1846.** 1 volume

The Montgomery Guards was a volunteer company of infantry organized in August 1842.

Record book contains the constitution, by-laws, and minutes of the Montgomery Guards. The volume was later used as a scrapbook, penmanship book, memo book, etc. Items that had been affixed over minutes have been removed, but still obscure some passages.

Cite as: Saint Louis Montgomery Guards Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis Monuments and Markers Collection

See also Douglas, James Kimball. Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Collection.

A1434

Saint Louis monuments and markers collection, 1904-1933. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Collection of items relating to St. Louis monuments and markers that include correspondence and newsclippings regarding the Grant-Dent home; correspondence and clippings regarding the Eugene Field house; information on Young Men's Division, St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

Cite as: Saint Louis Monuments and Markers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1435

**Saint Louis Municipal Opera (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Rehearsal book, 1925.** 1 volume

Record book of rehearsal attendance, organized by voice, for the chorus of the Municipal Opera.

Cite as: Saint Louis Municipal Opera Rehearsal Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1436

Saint Louis neighborhoods collection, 1892-1984. 13 folders (approximately 200 items)

Notebook of West End Protective Association, 1892; blueprint of Catlin tract (Lindell, Union to Skinker); indenture of conditions for building and living in area; various published items, brochures, pamphlets on various St. Louis neighborhoods—walking tours, house tours; newsclippings on Mill Creek area; collection of Washington Heights Neighbors newsletters, 1959-1967.

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

A1437

**Saint Louis Pageant and Masque (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, circa 1910-1916.** 13 boxes; and 1 roll storage tube.

Sponsored by the Saint Louis Pageant Drama Association, the St. Louis Pageant and Masque was an outdoor historical pageant and symbolic masque dealing with St. Louis history, held between May 28 and June 1, 1914, in Forest Park to celebrate the sesquicentennial of the founding of St. Louis. In 1916, the St. Louis Pageant Drama Association sponsored a production of William Shakespeare's *As You Like It*, also staged in Forest Park, to celebrate the tercentenary of Shakespeare's death. From that project emerged the Municipal Theater Association, which initiated the Saint Louis Municipal Opera in 1919.

The collection consists of the reports and correspondence of the executive committee, finance committees, and other committees of the St. Louis Pageant Drama Association as it prepared the Saint Louis Pageant and Masque in 1914 and the tercentenary Shakespeare celebration in 1916. Also includes some drawings for the Pageant and Masque production; and registration cards for "Sons and Daughters of St. Louis—A Roll of St. Louisans for the historical records of the pageant."

Registration cards have been copied and bound in library.

Cite as: Saint Louis Pageant and Masque Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1438

Saint Louis Pageant Drama and Choral Society.

Records, 1914-1930. 1 box (approximately 150 items)

Papers include canceled checks and stubs, 1927-1928; correspondence, January to December 1927, regarding selecting the board of directors; contract between St. Louis Pageant Drama and Choral Society and the St. Louis Symphony Society for use of symphony orchestra, November 28-30, 1927, for presentation of choral society, "Elijah," at the coliseum; items regarding staging of large musical productions in St. Louis and of "Elijah" especially.

Cite as: Saint Louis Pageant Drama and Choral Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1439

Saint Louis Philharmonic Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1860-1992. 13 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

The St. Louis Philharmonic Society was organized June 21, 1860, by a group of men who "desired to perpetuate the best in music and to give its concerts solely for the enjoyment of its members with no thought of material advancement." On May 14, 1868, the society was incorporated under the laws of the state of Missouri. Members of the first board of directors included the following: George W. Barker, James B. Eads, L.H. Benoist, John J. Anderson, James F. Yeatman, H.T. Blow, Charles Balmer, Dabney Carr, Thomas Marston, E.C. Catherwood, William Robyn and B.A. Bode. Edouard Sobolewski was brought to St. Louis from Milwaukee to become the first conductor of the choral-symphony. The first concert was held October 18, 1860, in the Mercantile Library Hall. Sobolewski continued with the society for six years. August Waldauer was the second conductor, remaining one season, 1866-1867. Egmont Froehlich became the third conductor in 1868 and continued for three seasons until 1870 when the society ceased to exist because of financial troubles. The present St. Louis Philharmonic Society can trace

its origin to the St. Louis Amateur Orchestra founded in 1893 by Abraham Isaac Epstein. The orchestra later changed its name to the St. Louis Orchestra Club, when in 1910 Dr. Frank Gecks assumed the position of conductor. Beginning with the 1923-1924 season another change in name was made: the St. Louis Orchestra Club became the Philharmonic Society of St. Louis (the present St. Louis Philharmonic Society). For many decades the Philharmonic has been managed by a board of directors who are its playing members. Each playing member pays yearly dues and the "pay to play" feature has always been stressed. The conductor is virtually the only salaried person. The nominal dues provide only a small amount of the funds necessary for the operating of the society, whose chief source of income is the patron membership. Concerts are open to the public without charge. The St. Louis Philharmonic Society is not to be confused with The Philharmonic Society formed under the auspices of the faculty of St. Louis University in 1838 (the first musical society in St. Louis). This university philharmonic was purely a college adjunct and bore no relation to the amateur or professional instrumental groups that were organized in later years.

Minute book, with constitution and annual reports, 1860-1869; correspondence, 1860-1985[?]; official record, 1902-1913[?]; financial record and minutes, 1924-1940; St. Louis Orchestra Club and Philharmonic Orchestra of St. Louis minutes, 1913-1923; patron receipts, 1943-1944; resolutions, programs, 1922-1985; clippings, 1942-1975; scrapbook, 1895-1940; press clippings (bound), 1942-1966; music library, 1942; passes, histories of the Society including list of performance dates, soloists, and conductors; patron receipts, 1943-1944; associate memberships, 1928-1943; the articles of incorporation; minutes of directors' and annual meetings, 1938-1976; programs, 1911-1989, and card index to programs, 1860-1992. Also includes copies of the Society's publication *Intermezzo*, 1941-1985; and seven original pencil or pen-and-ink drawings of musical emblems.

Finding aid available for Boxes 1-9.

Cite as: Saint Louis Philharmonic Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1440

Saint Louis Philosophical Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1866-1871. 1 volume; 1 box

The St. Louis Philosophical Society was founded in St. Louis in 1866 to "encourage the study and development of speculative philosophy; to foster an application of its results to art, science and religion and to establish a philosophical basis for the professions of law, medicine, divinity, politics, education, art and literature." It was an organization of the St. Louis Hegelians, and included among its more noted members Henry C. Brokmeyer, William Torrey Harris, and Denton J. Snider.

This volume includes the organization's constitution and revised constitution, its membership lists, a history of its founding, minutes, and treasurers' accounts. Collection also contains a translation by Professor Herbert Spiegelberg of Washington University, his edited version, typescript copies with annotations, proof copy, and Spiegelberg's correspondence relating to the volume's possible publication.

Cite as: Saint Louis Philosophical Society Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1441**Saint Louis Physicians' Symphony Orchestra.****Papers, 1962-1965; 1972-1974.** 4 folders

The Saint Louis Physicians' Symphony Orchestra was founded in 1963 by Dr. Bernard Loitman of Jewish Hospital. The orchestra comprised mostly physicians, members of their families, and medical students. The group held rehearsals in the Washington University band room, and was conducted by William Schatzkamer of the Washington University Department of Music. The orchestra appears to have disbanded by the early 1970s.

Collection includes correspondence, articles, rehearsal announcements, lists of members, etc., of the Saint Louis Physicians Symphony Orchestra. Also includes information on the Brooklyn Doctors' Symphony Orchestra and the Gateway Festival Orchestra.

Cite as: Saint Louis Physicians' Symphony Orchestra, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1442***Saint Louis Post-Dispatch* (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Reporters' assignment diaries, 1913; 1915-1920; 1937; 1960-1970.** 6 boxes

Nineteen newspaper reporters' assignment diaries.

Cite as: *Saint Louis Post-Dispatch* Reporters' Assignment Diaries. Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1443**Saint Louis Protestant Orphan Asylum (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Record books, 1834-1916.** 2 volumes

The Saint Louis Protestant Orphan Asylum was established December 22, 1834, by St. Louis women to provide maintenance and education to orphans. Initially known as the Ladies' Association for the Relief of Orphan Children, it incorporated on February 3, 1841, and changed its name in 1853.

These records include one volume containing the minutes; financial records; list of children admitted with references to parents, age, death or dismissal; and lists of employees for the years 1834-1852 when the organization was known as the Ladies Association for the Relief of Orphan Children. (Indexed abstract of this volume is available at the Archives Reference Desk; see Dennis Northcott, compiler, *Abstract of the Minute Book of the St. Louis Protestant Orphans' Asylum: December 22, 1834-March 17, 1852.*) The second record book in this collection records admissions and removals of children to and from the home, 1882-1916. (See Dennis Northcott, compiler, *Abstract of the Record Book of admissions and removals of the St. Louis Protestant Orphan Asylum, 1882-1916*, at the Archives Reference Desk. This record book is also indexed in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index.). The second volume also contains unrelated records, namely, the minutes of the Executive Committee of the Grand Mississippi Valley Sanitary Fair from February 1 to August 5, 1864.

Cite as: Saint Louis Protestant Orphan Asylum Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2433**Saint Louis Provident Association.****Report and accounts, 1912 Oct 31.** 1 item

Typescript letter of Price, Waterhouse & Co., chartered accountants, St. Louis, Missouri, to W.K. Bixby, chairman, Executive Committee of the St. Louis Provident Association, St. Louis, Missouri, and attached statement of assets and liabilities, statement of income and expenditures, and statement of special funds.

Cite as: Saint Louis Provident Association Report and Accounts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1445**Saint Louis Public Museum (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1904-1909.** 1 box

The St. Louis Public Museum was organized in 1904 by prominent public-spirited citizens who were assisted by local commercial, industrial, and educational organizations, to perpetuate in a local museum some of the remarkable features of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition held in St. Louis in 1904. The collection is composed of donations from foreign and American commissioners and private individuals. The museum was originally (and temporarily) located in the West Annex of the Art Pavilion in Forest Park. It became defunct in 1907.

Correspondence regarding the securing of exhibits, collections, and a permanent home for the museum. Also minutes of directors meetings, November 21, 1904–February 27, 1905.

Cite as: Saint Louis Public Museum Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2354**Saint Louis Public School Patrons Alliance.****Articles of agreement, constitution and by-laws, 1898 Feb 15.** 1 item (20 pages)

Introduction reads, "The undersigned citizens of the City of St. Louis of the State of Missouri desiring to incorporate an association for the purpose of advancing the educational interests in the respective school districts of our city, as prescribed by the Board of Education of the City of St. Louis, and to form a medium of co-operation for the patrons and friends of our public schools to promote and advance every public interest in connection with same and not for business or any other pecuniary profit whatsoever, and in conformity with the provisions of Article X Chapter XLII Revised Statutes of Missouri 1889 do hereby adopt the following constitution.

Cite as: Saint Louis Public School Patrons Alliance articles of agreement, constitution and by-laws, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2339**Saint Louis Public Service Company.****"All Aboard!" Bulletin Number 3, circa 1928.** 1 item

This 4-page printed bulletin contains three announcements titled "Change in Transfer System Will Speed Up Service," "How Transfer System Has Been Simplified," and "Use

Street Cars for 'Billy' Sunday Meetings, Coliseum, Starting Jan. 8.”

Cite as: Saint Louis Public Service Company “All Aboard!” Bulletin Number 3, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2469

St. Louis Public Service Company.

Brochure for The Gray Line sight-seeing tours of St. Louis, circa 1940s.

Cite as: St. Louis Public Service Company Brochure for the Gray Line Sight-Seeing Tours of St. Louis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1446

Saint Louis sanitation collection, 1861-1931; 1988. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include circulars of the Western Sanitary Commission; article and printed list of articles sent to General Grant's army by the Western Sanitary Commission, 1863; issue of the New England Loyal Publication Society (#137, November 11, 1863) regarding enlisting black troops in Maryland, Missouri and Tennessee; printed information on Mississippi Valley Sanitary Fair to be held in St. Louis, May 5, 1864; bulletin dated March 7, 1864, regarding condition of blacks who came into Vicksburg with Sherman's army; article by Dr. G.A. Jordan regarding “Quarantine” and the St. Louis Health Department, 1925; printed matter regarding American Red Cross, 1931, and the St. Louis Red Cross Branch; program of the American Society of Civil Engineers, designating River des Peres sewerage and drainage works as a National Historic Civil Engineering Landmark, October 27, 1988; undated bibliography of sanitary work in St. Louis during the Civil War by Roland G. Usher.

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

A1447

Saint Louis Shoe Manufacturers' Association.

Records, circa 1951-1965. 1 box

Collection includes newsclippings, printed matter concerning the shoe industry with emphasis on St. Louis manufacturers; report of the activities of the St. Louis Shoe Manufacturers Association, 1952-1953; Shoe Woman's Executives, Inc., by-laws, December 13, 1961, and roster, 1965; reports of various shoe manufacturers in Missouri including output figures, financial status, general history of organization.

Cite as: Saint Louis Shoe Manufacturers' Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1800

Saint Louis Smelting and Refining Company.

Payroll Ledger, 1898 Sept–1900 Aug. 1 volume

Ledger contains company payroll for each half month, with entries including employee name, occupation, shift, rate, and amount due. Volume also includes the distribution of payroll each half month.

Cite as: Saint Louis Smelting and Refining Company pay roll ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1448**Saint Louis Symphony Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1897-1982.** 37 boxes; 18 volumes

The St. Louis Symphony Society was formed when, in the spring of 1890, the St. Louis Choral Society (organized in 1880 by Joseph Otten) absorbed the St. Louis Musical Union, a small symphonic group that was organized in 1881 by August Waldauer. Upon consolidation of these two groups, the name of the Choral Society was changed to St. Louis Choral-Symphony Society. In 1907, when Max Zach assumed the leadership of the orchestra, its choral section was dropped and it became known as the St. Louis Symphony Society. The orchestra has performed in five buildings: the first concerts took place in the Mercantile Library Hall; the St. Louis Grand Exposition Hall, Olive and Thirteenth Streets, was its second home; near the turn of the century, the Odeon at Grand and Finney; and in 1934 the orchestra moved to Kiel Auditorium. In 1968, it moved to its first permanent home, Powell Symphony Hall.

Minute books of the St. Louis Symphony Society including organizational meetings, executive committee, sub-committees, and annual meetings, etc.; published comparisons of various United States symphonies in size, revenue, salaries, pamphlets, brochures, etc.; scrapbooks, 1930-1945, 1955-1982; Metropolitan Opera scrapbook, 1966; centennial scrapbook, 1979-1981, scrapbooks of the Junior Division of the Women's Association of the Symphony, 1958-1969, and printed programs, 1901-1980s.

Cite as: Saint Louis Symphony Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1449**Saint Louis Turnverein (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1852-1933.** 1 folder (15 items); 12 volumes

Records and accounts of St. Louis German community's gymnastic association (Turnverein). Consists of seven minute books (1852-1912), expense book (1850-1853), two membership ledgers (1855-1863 and 1904-1919), ledger of shareholders' accounts with expense journal concerning building of a new gymnastic hall (1855-1858), and ledger of gymnastic hall bookings (1906-1915), tax bills, contracts, mortgage papers, promissory notes, and insurance papers.

In German handscript.

Cite as: Saint Louis Turnverein Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1450**Saint Louis Volunteer Firemen Collection, 1826-1945.** 4 boxes; 26 volumes; 1 oversize folder

The first of the St. Louis volunteer fire companies to endure more than a few years was the Central Fire Company No. 1, founded in 1832, and incorporated in 1834. One of only several volunteer fire companies in St. Louis, it was also the last to disband, in 1859, on the advent of a paid professional fire department. The professional St. Louis Fire Department first began operations on September 14, 1857. In addition to the volunteer fire companies, there also existed the Firemen's Fund Association, organized in St. Louis on February 28, 1841, to raise funds for the relief of widows and orphans of volunteer fire fighters. In 1864, the association was transferred from the volunteer companies to the

city fire department. Following the demise of the volunteer fire companies, the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Historical Society was founded November 20, 1888, to unite the veterans of the volunteer fire companies and to collect the history and artifacts of the companies. In June 1891 the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Historical Society formed the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Beneficiary Fund to cover the funeral expenses of its members.

This collection consists of records relating to fires and firefighters in St. Louis, especially the volunteer fire companies that existed from 1826-1859. The companies whose records are represented include Central Fire Company No. 1 (1849-1869), Franklin Fire Company No. 8 (1845-1872), Laclede Fire Company No. 10 (1848-1858), Missouri Fire Company No. 5 (1841-1858), Mound Fire Company No. 9 (1853-1857), Phoenix Fire Company No. 7 (1843-1849), St. Louis Fire Company No. 4 (no date), Union Fire Company No. 2 (1833-1851), and Washington Fire Company No. 3 (1853). In addition, the collection includes a payroll book of the St. Louis Fire Department (1857-1859); correspondence and service certificates concerning volunteer firemen; charters, constitutions, and by-laws of St. Louis volunteer companies (1826-1859); accounts of the Great Fire of 1849 in St. Louis; fire insurance policies; and information on fire fighting equipment. Also includes records of the Firemen's Fund Association (1841-1886) and the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Historical Society (1888-1945).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Louis Volunteer Firemen Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2252

Saint Louis War Against Depression.

Brochure, circa 1932. 1 item (2 copies)

Brochure relates to the effort to find employment for those out of work during the depression.

Cite as: St. Louis War Against Depression Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1451

Saint Louis Washington Blues.

Records, 1990-1991. 1 folder

Militia unit first organized in 1857 and disbanded in 1861. Reorganized in 1990 with Douglas Harding, president; George Wunderlich, secretary; Bryan Haynes, treasurer. Reorganized unit was formed to undertake historic recreations.

Minutes, 1990-1991; membership certificates; clippings.

Cite as: Saint Louis Washington Blues Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense.

Records, 1917-1919.

See Council of National Defense. St. Louis Woman's Committee Records, 1917-1919.

A1453

**Saint Louis Zoological Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Records, 1910-1961.** 2 boxes

By-laws, articles of incorporation, membership lists, minutes of board meetings, financial reports, memorials for society members, and business correspondence of the St. Louis Zoological Society. Material includes correspondence and information regarding the zoological expedition into Central America, and the tax support litigation for the St. Louis Zoo. Also includes publications and newspaper clippings.

Cite as: Saint Louis Zoological Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1455

**Saint Luke's Hospital (Saint Louis, Missouri).
Select records, 1932-1969.** 1 box

St. Luke's Hospital was founded by the Episcopalians in 1865 at 2345 South 13th in St. Louis.

This collection consists of select correspondence from the officer of the superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital, 1936-1942; correspondence of the superintendent regarding complaints filed by patients, 1964-1969; and financial statements from the hospital for 1932.

Cite as: Saint Luke's Hospital Select Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2517

**St. Peter's German Evangelical Church (St. Louis, Missouri).
Christmas card, 1888.** 1 item

Christmas card is in German with English translation.

Cite as: St. Peter's German Evangelical Church Christmas Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2235

**St. Philomena's Technical School
Collection, 1935.** 1 folder

St. Philomena's Technical School was established by the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul in 1845 as a training school for orphaned girls. In 1910, the school moved from its original location at Clark and Ewing Avenues to a new building at Union and Cabanne Avenues. At that time, the school opened its doors to all girls and no longer restricted enrollment to orphans. The school provided skilled domestic training along with a basic education and Catholic instruction and by 1912 nearly one hundred girls supported themselves at the institution making dresses and other garments for women and children. The school closed in 1970.

The collection consists of historical information relating to St. Philomena's Technical School and five receipts to Mrs. Edward Walsh, 4349 Westminster Place, for trousseau underwear produced by students at the school.

Cite as: St. Philomena's Technical School Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1456**Saint Stephen's Episcopal Church.****Papers, 1886-1951.** 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Established in 1886 by laymen who wished to spread Episcopal Doctrine, Saint Stephen's House became a charitable institution in St. Louis. Working out of a series of tents, Reverend Richard W.E. Green took control of St. Stephen's House from the laymen and continued with the spread of doctrine as well as charitable programs until 1891 when Reverend Richard Gustavus Tuckerman succeeded him. Under Tuckerman's leadership, a church was built in St. Stephen's name in 1905 at Sixth Street and Rutgers Street. Prior to construction of the church in 1901, Reverend Henry Watson Mizner (1869-1930) arrived at St. Stephen's and later took over for Tuckerman. Popular among parishioners and successful as a missionary, Mizner stayed at St. Stephen's for twenty-five years, expanding the community outreach programs and bringing youth programs to the church. Through much fund-raising and donations, Mizner kept the mission work of St. Stephen's active in St. Louis and recognized around the nation. Bishop Daniel S. Tuttle officially recognized St. Stephen's House as St. Stephen's Episcopal Church March 6, 1921, and instituted Mizner as first priest and rector the same day. Mizner stayed at St. Stephen's until 1926, when he resigned as pastor and moved with his family to Florida. Reverend Roy Spencer Rawson became pastor of St. Stephen's following Mizner's departure. In 1928, Mizner suffered a stroke and died two years later on July 9th in Paris. Programs of St. Stephen's included the Men's Club, Mother's Club, Girls' Friendly Society, Boy Scouts, Women's Auxiliary and also St. Stephen's-in-the-Hills. Located in Allenton, Missouri, St. Stephen's-in-the-Hills served as a country getaway for parishioners (especially for children as a summer camp).

Papers contain minutes and reports of various organizations of St. Stephen's Church, such as the Men's Club and Girls' Friendly Society; financial records of the church; items relating to church musical and theatrical performances; correspondence, mostly of Reverend Henry Mizner; items relating to St. Stephen's-on-the-Hills; papers regarding health services; items regarding church members, and newspaper clippings regarding the church.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Stephen's Episcopal Church Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1457**Saint Vincent's Institution for the Insane (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Records, 1858-1904.** 1 box

St. Vincent's Institution for the Insane, later renamed St. Vincent's Sanitarium, was founded by the Sisters of Charity for the treatment of mental and nervous diseases. It opened in August 1858 at Ninth and Marion Streets in St. Louis with four patients and fifteen sisters. In 1891, the home relocated to St. Charles Rock Road in St. Louis County. The home was in part financed by the patients' fees. By 1941 the home was operated by the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul for the treatment of mental and nervous disorders as well as selected cases of alcoholism and drug habituation. The home remained in existence until the 1980s.

The collection consists of three record books of the St. Vincent's Institution for the

Insane: cash ledger, 1858-1867; contracts of obligations for patients, 1859-circa 1890; and record of doctors' prescriptions for patients, 1901-1904.

Cite as: Records of Saint Vincent's Institution for the Insane, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1458

Sainte Anne Parish (Fort de Chartres).

Church register / transcription and translation by Rose Josephine Boylan, [1704-1797]; no date. 1 box (approximately 500 pages).

Transcript and translation of Ste. Anne of Fort de Chartres register, made by Rose Josephine Boylan. Consists of records of births, deaths, baptisms, kept by J. Gagnan, missionary priest of the parish of Ste. Anne. Transcript also contains some Kaskaskia and Cahokia records, 1729-1800. Also copies of Comptes-Rendus de Le L'Athenea Louisianais, July 1787, November 1899, January 1900.

French.

Cite as: Sainte Anne Parish Church Register transcripts and translations, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1461

Sainte Genevieve archives, 1761-1854. 5 boxes

Typescripts (in French, with translations) of a portion of the French colonial and territorial records of the district of Ste. Genevieve and Ste. Genevieve County records and court records. Original documents are in the possession of the Ste. Genevieve County Court. Documents are arranged by type: account books; accounts, notes, and receipts; agreements and contracts; bonds, land transactions, including exchanges, leases, mortgage, public sales, surveys and plans, and miscellaneous; estate papers; wills; litigation; and marriage certificates and contracts.

See also Microfilm 43-54.

French, with translations.

Originals obtained in 1916 and replevened by the Ste. Genevieve County Court in 1967.

Collection was microfilmed in 1967 prior to being returned to the Ste. Genevieve County Court from the Missouri Historical Society where it had been on loan for approximately 50 years. The Missouri Historical Society has a set of the 1967 microfilm (microfilm reels #43-54). An index to the collection titled *Early Missouri Archives* was published in 1941 by the Missouri Historical Records Survey, Division of Community Service Programs, Work Projects Administration (call number: Archives Ref./MO/9.1/H629).

The collection was filmed again in 1978; we have a finding aid to this set, but we do not have the microfilm. Reels of the 1978 set of microfilm (C3636) can be obtained at any of the four branches of the Western Historical Manuscript Collection (WHMC), located on the four campuses of the University of Missouri. WHMC also makes the microfilm available via interlibrary loan.

Cite as: Sainte Genevieve Colonial Archives Microfilm, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1462

**Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Board of Equalization.
Proceedings, 1867-1876.** 1 volume

Cite as: Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Board of Equalization Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1463

Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Circuit Court.

Records, 1826-1875. 7 volumes; 4 folders

The collection consists of assorted Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, circuit court records. They include a docket book of Justice of the Peace T. Phelps (1809-1811); an appearance and return docket book (1826-1829); a docket book of Justice of the Peace James Clark (1830-1831); an appearance docket book (1833-1843); an execution docket book with sheriff's returns (1841-1847); two volumes of proceedings (1846-1851 and 1870-1875); assorted receipts (1817-1829); an undated docket book fragment; and two indices, one by defendants' names (circa 1832), the other unidentified (no date).

Cite as: Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Circuit Court Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1464

Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Sainte Genevieve Township.

Justice of the Peace Records, 1834-1846. 3 boxes

Return writ files of Ste. Genevieve Township Justices of the Peace James Simms, 1837-1844, and H. Blackledge, 1845-1846. Includes summonses, warrants, and attachments, with supporting affidavits, notes, accounts, and receipts; subpoenas, bonds, jury summonses, writs of execution, fee bills, and road district work allotments. Also includes files of Coroner Michel Amoureux and correspondence of James Simms and J.N. Amoureux.

From the Bolduc House.

Cite as: Sainte Genevieve Township, Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Justice of the Peace Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1465

Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Sheriff and Collector.

Ledger, 1843-1872. 1 volume

Ledger of accounts of sheriff and collector of state, county, and road revenues for Ste. Genevieve County, Missouri, 1843-1872.

Cite as: Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Sheriff and Collector's Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1466

Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Union Township.

Justice of the peace docket books, 1838-1851. 2 volumes

Docket books of justices of the peace William H. Edwards, who was commissioned October 16, 1838, and Joseph Vansickles, who was commissioned August 24, 1846.

Cite as: Union Township, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, Justice of the Peace Docket Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1467**Sainte Genevieve District (Louisiana Territory). Court of Common Pleas.****Fee book, 1807-1808.** 1 volume

Fee book, dated from the November term of 1807 through the November term of 1808, for the court of common pleas in the Sainte Genevieve District of Upper Louisiana. Cite as: Sainte Genevieve District (Louisiana Territory) Court of Common Pleas Fee Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1459**Sainte Genevieve, Missouri.****Collection, 1775-1970.** 1 box; 3 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Approximately 400 manuscripts including petitions by inhabitants for land; orders concerning concessions; historical data/newsclippings concerning Ste. Genevieve; genealogy of some prominent families; correspondence and receipts for Ste. Genevieve manuscripts deposited with the Missouri Historical Society, 1906-1940; a cashbook and ledger of general merchandise accounts of unidentified Ste. Genevieve firm, 1854-1862; a ledger of postal accounts from Ste. Genevieve, 1855-1860; an unidentified blacksmith's accounts ledger, 1916-1922; and lists of lands subject to taxation in Ste. Genevieve County and lists of Spanish grants confirmed by recorder of land titles and not surveyed, 1837-1846.

Some French and Spanish.

Cashbook from the Bolduc House in Ste. Genevieve.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

A1460**Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, Collector of Revenue.****Ledgers, 1849-1872.** 2 volumes

Records of revenue collection in the city of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, 1849-1872. Cite as: Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, Collector of Revenue Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Sainte Genevieve, Missouri.**Court papers.**

See Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, Sainte Genevieve Township. Justice of the Peace Records, 1834-1846.

A1468**Sale Family.****Papers, 1843-1898.** 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Papers contain land agreements, tax receipts, business receipts, personal accounts; genealogy; family receipts for personal items.

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

A1469**Saline County, Missouri.****Collection, 1841-1972.** 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

Contains four letters of Dr. J.W. Bradford to his fiancée, Lavinia Pearson, 1841; typescript copy of letter from Auscra Hayne, Marshall, Missouri, inquiring about legal rights to blacks, August 23, 1847; unidentified account book, 1868-1870, by someone living in or near Arrow Rock, Missouri; four photocopies of letters between C.E. Smith and Thomas R.E. Harvey, 1873-1874, regarding settling of Saline County.

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

A1470**Saline County, Missouri, Public Administrator.****Records, 1895-1904.** 1 volume

Public administrator's ledger of fees, public auctions, estates settled, etc., in Saline County, Missouri, 1895-1904.

Cite as: Saline County, Missouri, Public Administrator's Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2446**Sallenbach, H.L., Mr.****Certificate of honorary membership in the World's Fair Building Committee of the Travelers Protective Association of America, 1902 Jan 4.** 1 item

Certificate granted to Mr. H.L. Sallenbach [Henry L. Sallenbach], treasurer of the January Shoe Co., St. Louis, Missouri, January 4, 1902.

Cite as: H.L. Sallenbach Certificate of Honorary Membership in the World's Fair Building Committee of the Travelers Protective Association of America, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1471**Salmon, Harvey Wallis (1839-1927).****Papers, 1861-1926.** 1 folder (approximately 35 items)

Harvey W. Salmon was born January 26, 1839, in Greenville, South Carolina. In January 1840 his family moved to Versailles, Morgan County, Missouri. He enlisted in the Missouri State Guard in May 1861, and was captured in December 1861 in Versailles while on recruiting duty. He was held in several federal prisons before being exchanged. He then enlisted in Parson's Brigade, Price's army, and served until the end of the war. Following the war he was prominent in the Democratic party in Missouri. He was one of the founders of the Confederate Home at Higginsville and he served as state treasurer from 1873 to 1874. He died April 27, 1927, in St. Louis.

Collection contains several official military papers of Harvey Salmon, including commission, resignation, parole, and assignments to duty, and papers regarding his war service; undated postwar roster of Morgan County men who served in Company F, 1st Cavalry, 6th Division, Missouri State Guard; typescript copy of letter from resident of Boonville, Missouri, dated December 1, 1863, which discusses upheaval in central Missouri, including mentions of individuals and families, mostly from Benton County,

Missouri, who have been uprooted by the war; newspaper clipping titled “Confederate Days in St. Louis,” dated May 17, 1903, which includes account of the escape of three prisoners—Colonel Edward Shands, Captain Hampton L. Boone, and Captain John C. Carlin—from St. Louis prisons; two letters of George M. Jones to Harvey Salmon, dated 1907 and 1911, regarding the transfer of the Confederate Cemetery at Springfield, Missouri, to the government; letter of I.M. Chism to Harvey Salmon, dated Albany, Texas, February 12, 1911, which recalls his service in the war; typescript copy of letter of Harvey Salmon to Mrs. W.G. Moore, dated October 9, 1913, which recounts the attempted escape of Captain Hampton L. Boone from Myrtle Street Prison in St. Louis; typescript copy of letter of Joseph Macauley Lowe to Governor Arthur M. Hyde, dated June 17, 1921, which states his service record in the Confederate army and his eligibility for the office of president of the Board of Managers of the Confederate Home at Higginsville, Missouri; views of the Memorial Park at the Confederate Home, dated September 22, 1926; and a poem titled “The Little Bronze Cross,” inscribed to the United Confederate Veterans by Eugenie Clark Clough.

Cite as: Harvey Wallis Salmon Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1472

Samuel, Giles M.

Letterbook, 1822-1830. 1 volume

Mercantile firm of Giles M. and James A. Samuel of Franklin, Missouri.

Series of business letters, mostly addressed to St. Louis concerns, and dealing with the traffic and commerce along the Missouri River; includes frequent mention of salt shipments from the Boon's Lick area and information concerning the movements and cargoes of early Missouri River steamboats.

Cite as: Giles M. Samuel Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1473

Sanguinet-Hogan family.

Collection, [1766]; 1779-1851; 1921. 1 folder (10 items)

Biographical information on Ferdinand Henry Sanguinet; copy of concession of land to Andrew Auguste [Conde], June 2, 1766, translation from Livre Terrien #2; copy of registry of marriages of Sanguinet family, 1779-1849, from St. Louis Cathedral; journal of Louis Auguste [Conde] Benoist while in Europe, June-September 1851; genealogical data on Sanguinet, Conde, and Hogan families.

Cite as: Sanguinet-Hogan Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1474

Santa Fe trade collection, [1739]-1908; 1930. 1 box (approximately 200 items); 1 volume

Collection includes clippings regarding Santa Fe Trail and trade; notes dealing with trade or trail; typewritten journal of Joseph Davis on Survey of the Santa Fe Trail in 1825; map from Fort Osage to Taos, 1825 (photocopy of original at State Historical Society of Missouri); inventory of goods for Chihuahua J.H. and Co., November 1, 1831, Santa Fe; series of letters of John McKnight (typescripts and photostats) regarding receipt

of certain goods and business matters in Santa Fe, April 4, 1839; diary of William R. Pye, Commissioner Department, Army of the West, Santa Fe to Washington via St. Louis, 1848-1849; broadside proclamation by governor of New Mexico, June 24, 1889, regarding organization of a state government; extracts from M.M. Marmaduke regarding Santa Fe trade, notes by G.C. Broadhead; typed copy of journal of Susan Shelby Magoffin, edited by Stella Drumm, published by Yale University Press, 1926 (original at Yale University). Mostly typescripts and photostats.

Cite as: Santa Fe Trade Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1475

Sappington-Marmaduke.

Family papers, 1810-1935. 8 boxes; 20 volumes

Dr. John Sappington (1776-1856) was born in Maryland and raised in Tennessee, where he studied and began practice of medicine. He brought his family to Howard County, Missouri, in 1817, and moved to Saline County, Missouri, in 1819. Dr. Sappington is credited with being the first doctor to use quinine for the treatment of malaria. He published *The Theory and Treatment of Fevers* in 1844. He developed, manufactured and sold Dr. Sappington's fever pills. Dr. Sappington died in Arrow Rock, Missouri, in 1856. [NOTE: Dr. John Sappington should not be confused with John Sappington of Sappington, Missouri, whose papers can be found in the Hawken-Sappington Family Papers.] Meredith Miles Marmaduke (1791-1864) was the son-in-law of Dr. John Sappington. Marmaduke moved to Missouri from Virginia and became a successful Santa Fe trader. He partnered with Erasmus Darwin Sappington (1808-1858), general merchandiser in St. Helena, Missouri, and Jonesboro, Missouri. Marmaduke served as a county surveyor, county judge, and was elected as lieutenant governor of Missouri in 1840. He served as governor of Missouri after the death of Thomas Reynolds in 1844. Marmaduke died in Arrow Rock in 1864.

Collection contains papers of Dr. John Sappington and Meredith M. Marmaduke. Correspondence relates to politics, the sales of Dr. Sappington's anti-fever quinine pills, bills of sale for slaves, the slave patrols (no date, 1821), and the Santa Fe trade. Also includes family letters; genealogy; accounts, invoices, and daybooks of E.D. Sappington, and Marmaduke & Sappington, Jonesboro, Missouri; manuscript by John Sappington titled "A Treatise on Fevers Together with Some Remarks on the Subject of Asiatic Cholera," published as "The Theory and Treatment of Fevers," Arrow Rock, Missouri, 1844. Collection also includes the business records of Erasmus D. Sappington and Meredith Miles Marmaduke. These records consist of a daybook of Marmaduke and Co., St. Helena, Missouri (1832-1833); records of Meredith Miles Marmaduke, which include merchandise invoices made by Marmaduke and Co. (St. Helena) (May 17, 1832) and by Marmaduke and Sappington of Jonesboro, Missouri (August 1, 1833), with record of notes received by Marmaduke (1815-1837), and journal of receipts and expenses at St. Helena and Jonesboro; account books of E.D. Sappington and Company and of Marmaduke and Sappington, both in Jonesboro, which comprise twelve daybooks (1833-1835) and three ledgers (1829-1845).

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Sappington-Marmaduke Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

A1476

Saucier, Eugene F.

Castillian Spanish grammar book, 1831. 1 volume

Manuscript grammar book compiled and bound by Eugene F. Saucier.

Spanish.

Cite as: Eugene F. Saucier Castillian Spanish Grammar Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1477

Saugrain, Antoine, Dr. (1763-1829).

Saugrain-Michau family papers, 1776-1876. 2 boxes; 1 volume; 2 oversize folders

Antoine Saugrain, physician and chemist, was born in Paris in 1763. Educated in France, he was sent to America in 1783 to examine the mineralogy of the country and its general natural history. Saugrain visited Paris in 1887 but returned to America that same year to live with other emigrants in the new settlement, Gallipolis, Ohio. He married Rosalie Michau in 1793; they had six children. In 1799, apparently a St. Louis resident, he was appointed surgeon of the military hospital, and later served as the post surgeon at Fort Bellefontaine. He devoted himself, in St. Louis, principally to medical practice, botany and chemistry. Dr. Saugrain, a descendent of book publishers and librarians, was a collector of books; his library (inventory of his estate in 1822 lists 450 volumes) was donated by his grandchildren, Morrison and Mary Elise Pettus, to the Missouri Historical Society in 1967.

Correspondence from Saugrain family members in France, including a series of letters from the mother of Dr. Saugrain to her son, 1800-1814, with news of the family, the Revolution, Bonaparte, etc.; a few land papers, mainly relating to the estate of Dr. Saugrain and correspondence between Rosalie G. Michau Saugrain and J.P.R. Bureau, Gallipolis, Ohio, pertaining to Saugrain properties in Gallipolis, 1821-1845. Also includes typescript and manuscript copies of Dr. Saugrain's encounter with Indians on the Ohio River in March 1788. An addition to the collection contains correspondence, land papers, family records, etc., of the Saugrain-Provenchere-Waddell family, 1776-1876. Also includes an accounting exercise book, 1820, of Alfred Saugrain, son of Dr. Antoine Saugrain.

Some French.

Cite as: Saugrain-Michau Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1478

Sawyer, Samuel.

"Major Trombon of Louisiana: A Narrative" / typescript, no date. 1 box (234 pages)

Manuscript supposedly found by Trebor H. Notland of St. Louis, written by Samuel Sawyer regarding Major Trombon of Louisiana. Typed copy.

Cite as: Samuel Sawyer, "Major Trombon of Louisiana: A Narrative," typescript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1479

Sayers and Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Ledger, 1886-1901. 1 volume (182 pages)

Alphabetized record of collection agency in account with St. Louis Type Foundry.
Cite as: Sayers and Company Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1480

Schaaf, Ida M.

Collection, 1758-1939. 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Collection of genealogical and other data filed in three separate classifications: (1) Genealogy of early Ste. Genevieve families, arranged alphabetically. (2) Records of baptisms, marriages, deaths of prominent families, 1758-1938; estate inventories, court decisions, agreements, wills, petitions, land surveys; War of 1812 bounty requests; correspondence regarding Iron Mountain, Missouri, Iron Company, and Iron Mountain Company; copies of radio scripts, lectures, list of slides in slide show concerning St. Louis and Ste. Genevieve history, customs, architecture; list of first settlers in Ste. Genevieve. (3) Correspondence of Ida M. Schaaf, mainly with Nettie H. Beauregard, Missouri Historical Society archivist, with information pertaining to settlers and later residents, historic events, customs, etc.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Ida M. Schaaf Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2477

Scheller Family.

Papers, 1904-1933. 3 folders

Kilian Scheller and his wife, Leona, resided in St. Louis, Missouri.

Papers consist primarily of stock certificates owned by Kilian and Leona Scheller. Papers also include stock certificates owned by Mrs. Ella L. Fyffe and A.L. Deibel, and a concessionaire contract between the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company and The Official Catalogue Company.

Finding aid available.

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

A1481

Schenk, John (1837-1913).

Quartermaster record books, 1861-1870. 2 boxes

John Schenk was born June 21, 1837, in Winzeln, Germany. During the Civil War he served as lieutenant and quartermaster of the Western Turner Rifles, which later became the 17th Missouri Infantry (Union). He served as quartermaster of the 9th Division, 13th Army Corps, and later in the same position in the 1st Division, 15th Army Corps, Army of the Tennessee. Following the war he returned to St. Louis, where he died September 9, 1913.

Collection contains ten record books kept by Schenk while serving as a quartermaster. Includes ledger, dated August 1861 to January 1862, and record book of scrips issued and approved, dated March 1862 to May 1865, while serving as quartermaster of the 17th Missouri Infantry; quartermaster's abstracts and accounts of the 1st Division, 15th Army Corps, dated August 1864 to September 1865; and several letter

and order books of Schenk while serving with the 13th and 15th Army Corps, dated March 1863 to May 1866.

Cite as: John Schenk Quartermaster Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1811

Scherck, Henry J., Jr. (1906-1982).

Papers, 1864-1980. 8 folders

Henry J. Scherck, Jr., was born November 22, 1906, in St. Louis. He was the son of Henry J. Scherck, M.D., and Natalie Altheimer Scherck. Henry Scherck, Jr., attended St. Louis public schools and graduated from Washington University. He was employed in the sales and advertising departments of the A.S. Aloe Company for 36 years before leaving to become special assistant to the president of St. Louis University. Scherck was active in St. Louis Jewish and community organizations and also served on the board of trustees of Mary Institute. Henry Scherck, Sr., was born in New Orleans, Louisiana. He attended university at Heidelberg, Germany, and finished his studies at Tulane School of Medicine, New Orleans. He moved to St. Louis around 1893 and was appointed chief physician of the St. Louis City Dispensary in 1903. Dr. Scherck died in 1933. Henry J. Scherck, Jr., died in 1982.

The collection consists primarily of genealogy data on Scherck and related families; Confederate Civil War journal of Isaac Scherck; newspaper clippings concerning Dr. Henry Scherck's attempts to improve infant mortality rates in St. Louis and duties with the City Dispensary; photocopies of photographs; and an autobiography of Henry J. Scherck, Jr.

Cite as: Henry J. Scherck, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2561

Scheske, Robert Lewis.

Diploma, 1929 June 3. 1 item (oversize)

Diploma of the Missouri College of Chiropody (St. Louis) awarded to Robert Lewis Scheske, June 3, 1929, conferring upon him the degree of doctor of surgical chiropody.

Cite as: Robert Lewis Scheske Diploma, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1844

Schiffer, George.

Prenuptial agreement, 1872 Oct 29. 2 items

Prenuptial agreement between George Schiffer of St. Louis, now residing in Darmstadt, and Miss Katharina May from Gross-Umstadt, signed at Darmstadt, October 29, 1872 (document in German with English typescript translation). Attached document of the U.S. consulate for Hesse Darmstadt, dated July 17, 1873, states that Bartha, who certified the prenuptial agreement, was the town clerk of Darmstadt.

Cite as: George Schiffer Prenuptial Agreement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2162

Schlafly Cultural Desegregation Oral History Project.

Transcripts, 1994. 2 boxes

In 1981, Daniel and Adelaide Schlafly provided funding to eleven major St. Louis cultural institutions and requested proposals for creating educational programs for black and white children. In the 1990s, Dan Schlafly posed a question about the consequences of these experimental programs aimed at reducing racial isolation. The objective of this oral history project was to determine the consequences of the programs.

The collection contains both verbatim and edited transcripts of interviews conducted in 1994 regarding 1980s desegregation programs in St. Louis cultural and educational institutions. Some of these culturally based desegregation programs included the Missouri Botanical Garden's "Eco Act" program, the Missouri Historical Society's "Where Rivers Meet" program, and the Vaughn Cultural Center's "Eyes on the Prize" program. Interviews were conducted with former students and teachers in the programs, and with directors and staff at the various cultural institutions. The collection also includes two copies of the project report.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Schlafly Cultural Desegregation Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1482

Schlossstein, George.

Account books, 1854-1882. 15 volumes

St. Louis retail and wholesale grocer and (after 1863) wine and liquor wholesale merchant.

Personal and business records. Consists of one volume of personal accounts payable, and other accounts (1854-1878); five volumes of ledgers and journals of grocery business with records of wine and liquor sales interspersed (1854-1870). One volume of sales record of wine accounts (1861-1863) with records of shipments received (through 1876). Six volumes of records of wine and liquor wholesale business. Two indexed letterpress letterbooks, 1865-1867 and 1869-1871.

Some German handschrift in letterbooks.

Cite as: George Schlossstein Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1483

Schneck, Henry.

Receipt book, 1819-1851. 1 volume (150 pages)

Receipts for payment of personal accounts, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Inventory of estate of Henry Schneck inserted into volume (1863).

Some entries in German script.

Cite as: Henry Schneck Receipt Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1484

Schneiderhahn, Edward Vincent Paul (1874-1948).

Diaries, 1890-1913. 7 volumes

St. Louis attorney, legal advisor to Cardinal Glennon and then Archbishop Joseph E. Ritter, named knight of St. Gregory in 1943 by Pope Pius XII.

Personal diaries begun at age 15, continuing through school years and the earlier part of his legal career. Includes comments on most of the political and moral issues of the day, and descriptions of events such as the visits of Presidents Grover Cleveland, William McKinley, and Theodore Roosevelt, and Admiral George Dewey to St. Louis, the erroneous report of William Jennings Bryan's election to the presidency in 1896, the golden jubilee celebration of old St. Mary's Church, and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to which Schneiderhahn devoted 26 pages of retrospective comment. Also includes a description of an art exhibit at St. Louis University in 1910 in which several works of Schneiderhahn's father, Maximilian Schneiderhahn, were displayed. Portions of his diaries and memoir relating to the 1904 World's Fair were published in Martha R. Clevenger, editor, *"Indescribably Grand": Diaries and Letters from the 1904 World's Fair* (St. Louis: Missouri Historical Society Press, 1996).
Cite as: Edward V. P. Schneiderhahn Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1485

Schoolcraft, Henry R.

Collection, [1818-1823]; 1844; 1902. 1 box (8 items)

Henry R. Schoolcraft (1793-1864) was a scientist, naturalist, mineralogist, geologist, traveler and explorer; a student and an authority in all that pertained to the North American Indian. At 24 he traveled the Mississippi Valley, visited Jefferson County and St. Louis, which he called the "Queen of the West."

Collection contains article titled "With Schoolcraft in S.W. Missouri in 1818 by Levi Pettibone," published in the *Missouri Historical Society Collections*, Volume II (January 1900), pages 46-51; four letters to Schoolcraft from various people regarding minerals, 1820-1823 (in Library of Congress, copied by Mary Louise Dalton); lecture on H.R. Schoolcraft read before the Missouri Historical Society by Meade C. Williams, November 13, 1902.

Cite as: Henry R. Schoolcraft Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1486

Schools collection, 1817-1991. 4 boxes

Material referring to primary and secondary schools (public and private), universities and colleges in St. Louis, as well as in Missouri.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

A1487

Schramm, Jack J. (1932-).

Papers, 1963-1972. 10 boxes

Jack Schramm was a lawyer, Missouri state representative, 1965-1972, and the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor of Missouri in the 1972 election. He graduated from University City schools in 1949 and received a bachelor's degree in political science at Colgate University, 1953. Schramm finished his first year of law school at Washington University when he joined the army in 1954. Following his discharge in 1956, he traveled in Europe where he met his wife, June, who was also

traveling. They were married at the American Consulate in Tangier, February 12, 1957. They have two children: Lorie and Adam. Schramm worked openly for St. Louis County home rule, the nonpartisan court plan, a county school equalization tax, support of the Legal Aid Society, housing development, and the public defender bill. He was in the forefront of a number of other significant issues: air and water pollution control, creation of a state department of community affairs, levying of a county-wide cigarette tax, consumer fraud legislation, a state medical examiner system, accelerated state aid to schools, state aid to kindergartens, and annual legislative sessions.

Political correspondence and subject files relating to his tenure as a Missouri state representative, 1965-1972. Topics relate to his service on the judiciary and educational committees, and social reform issues of the late 1960s including abortion legislation, air and water pollution control, housing, government reorganization, and aid to the elderly. Also includes material regarding his bid for lieutenant governor in 1972.

Cite as: Jack S. Schramm Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1488

Schuchat, Catherine E.

Papers, 1940-1978. 1 flat storage box

Kate Schuchat was a St. Louis illustrator who worked for various department stores: Vandervoorts, 1935-1936; Famous Barr, Co., 1937-1939; Stix, Baer, and Fuller, 1939 or 1940; Garlands, 1946; and Stix, Baer, and Fuller, 1969-1978. She freelanced during the years 1947-1969.

Collection includes newspaper illustrations and fashion promotions for retail stores, 1940-1978, including Sylvia Styles Column from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, 1950-1959; tear sheets of illustrations and ad mats for manufacturers, 1950s-1970s; three sales books for Liontree designs, illustrated by Kate Schuchat, 1967-1968; Stix, Baer and Fuller Christmas catalog, 1960s, and fashion sketch book, Fall 1975.

Cite as: Catherine E. Schuchat Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Schulte Plumbing Company

See A.B. Schulte Plumbing Company.

A2570

Schultes, Anna.

Papers, 1904-1910. 8 items

Papers include New Year's greeting card of Emmaus German Evangelical Church, Chouteau near Tower Grove Ave., St. Louis, January 1, 1904 (in German); three New Year's greeting cards of Pastor H. Walser to the friends and members of St. Luke's German Evangelical Church, St. Louis, 1906-1910 (in German); and two undated Easter greeting cards of Heydt Bakery Co. These items were found in a German hymnbook titled *Evangelisches Gesangbuch*, published in 1900. The owner's name, "Anna Schultes, 1904" was embossed on the cover.

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

A2264

Schultz Sisters.

Papers, 1909-1910. 1 folder (2 items) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Pauline and Otilie Schultz had a dress-making business at 2017 Cherokee Street.

Collection contains bills for dresses that the Schultz Sisters made for Miss Elsie Heaussler, including her wedding dress and a black satin gown, dated 1909-1910.

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

A2501

Schumacher, Adolph G.

Papers, 1934-1936. 1 folder

Adolph G. Schumacher was an attorney who served on the Board of Trustees of the town of Des Peres, St. Louis County, Missouri, at the time of the town's incorporation in 1934.

Collection contains papers relating to the incorporation of the town of Des Peres.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Adolph G. Schumacher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1489

Schumacher, Lillian.

World's Fair Diary, 1904. 1 folder

From Wichita, Kansas, traveled to St. Louis at the age of 18 to visit the World's Fair for two weeks, stayed for two months, working on the Pike. Married name is Lampton.

Original and typescript copies of Lillian Schumacher's 1904 St. Louis World's Fair diary, and copy of Carl Speiser's presentation of the diary to the 1904 World's Fair Society, November 1994.

Cite as: Lillian Schumacher World's Fair Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1490

Schurz, Carl (1829-1906).

Papers. 1 folder (8 items)

Carl Schurz was born in Liblar, Germany, in 1829, and came to the United States in 1852. In 1867 he moved to St. Louis and became editor and chief of the *Westliche Post*. In 1869, he was elected as a United States senator. In 1881, he moved to New York and became editor of the *New York Evening Post*. He died in 1906.

Several letters of Schurz regarding politics, his health; a couple of newspaper articles regarding Schurz.

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

A1491

Schuster, George Daniel (1835-1893).

Papers, 1858-1983. 1 box

George D. Schuster was born March 27, 1835, at Freinsheim, Bavaria, Germany. He enlisted in the 3rd Missouri Infantry (Union) in May 1861. He was taken prisoner at the Battle of Wilson's Creek in August 1861 and was released on parole. He returned to his regiment and was promoted to captain in January 1862, and was honorably discharged in October 1864. On January 12, 1865, he was commissioned as colonel of the Missouri

State Militia and aide-de-camp on the staff of the governor, and served in that capacity until the end of the war. In 1867, he was appointed supervisor of street inspectors for St. Louis. In 1869, he was appointed inspector of customs for the port of St. Louis. He served in this position until being named the assistant marine deputy for St. Louis in 1881. He died December 17, 1893, in St. Louis.

Collection contains commissions, parole, and special and general orders regarding George Schuster; memorial sketch, dated July 13, 1894, and membership application to the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, dated February 8, 1899; photocopies of Schuster's Civil War compiled service record; undated typescript notes (2 pages) on the participation of Germans in the Civil War; and typescript letter of Samuel Simmons to the editor of the *Globe-Democrat*, dated St. Louis, May 9, 1881, which contains his reminiscences (7 pages) of the capture of Camp Jackson. Also contains papers regarding his governmental appointments in St. Louis.

Some German.

Cite as: George Daniel Schuster Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1826

Schwerdtmann, Otto F.

Papers, 1904. 3 folders

Collection contains several invitations to events association with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis, 1904; two letters signed S. Doi to Mr. Schwerdtmann, October 3, 1903, and October 3, 1904 (one of which is addressed from 7 Lewis Place, St. Louis); business cards of Henry D'Allemagne, H.C. Pearson, Julien Romieux, S. Doi, Milan H. Hulbert, and Robert E. Tommerson; program for the 25th national festival of the North American Saenger-Bund in St. Louis, June 13-16, 1888; four business letters and receipts of Joh. Heckemann, forwarding and shipping merchant, Hamburg, Germany, to the Schwerdtmann Toy Company; and two colored postcards that show interior and exterior views of the Schwerdtmann Toy Company building at 811-813 Washington Ave., St. Louis.

Cite as: Otto F. Schwerdtmann Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1492

Scott, Bertha Warburton Drake (1866-1945).

Diary, 1893-1945. 1 volume

Daily journal of St. Louis woman, commencing with her marriage to Henry Clarkson Scott (1859-1911) in 1893 until her death. Typescript only.

Cite as: Bertha Warburton Drake Scott Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1493

Scott, Dred (-1858).

Collection, 1843-1968. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

In 1832, John Emerson, an army surgeon in St. Louis, purchased the slave, Dred Scott. Scott accompanied Emerson to posts in Missouri, Illinois, and the Minnesota Territory. In Minnesota he married, and his wife gave birth to their first child in free territory. Scott then returned with Emerson to St. Louis, and after the latter's death in

1843, he sought freedom for himself and his family, first unsuccessfully through purchase and then in the Missouri courts, beginning in 1846. Dred Scott lost both cases. He was manumitted with his family on May 26, 1857, after the death of Sanford, but he died of consumption in St. Louis on Sept 17, 1858.

Collection includes typescripts of papers regarding court cases, 1844, 1846, 1847, 1851-1853, 1853-1854; brief of the plaintiff, Supreme Court, December 1855; correspondence regarding portrait of Scott, J. Milton Turner to Edmund Walsh, secretary of the Missouri Historical Society; newsclippings, articles regarding Dred Scott's life and the trial; letter of Julia Webster Blow to Frederick Hill, March 13, 1907, regarding her reminiscences of Scott.

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

A1494

Scovel, Sylvester Henry (1869-1905).

Papers, 1896-1917. 7 boxes

Sylvester Henry (Harry) Scovel was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in 1869 to Dr. Sylvester Scovel, who later became president of Wooster University in Wooster, Ohio. Sylvester (Harry) Scovel, after a series of jobs, became the general manager and chief fund-raiser for the Cleveland Athletic Club. In 1896, he went to Cuba as a newspaper correspondent to cover the Spanish-American War for the *Pittsburgh Dispatch* and the *New York Herald*. He was arrested in 1896 by Spanish authorities. After his escape from prison, he was hired by the *New York World* as their correspondent in Cuba. He lived for eleven months with the insurgents and ran through the Spanish military lines several times. He was captured again in 1897 and released on demand of the United States Senate. He married Frances Cabanne of Saint Louis in 1897. Scovel was then sent to Greece to cover the Turco-Greek war. After his return, he and Frances traveled to the Klondike region as correspondents for the *New York World*. He returned to Cuba before the sinking of the *Maine*. He stayed in Cuba long enough to report the transition of Havana to the United States. During the transferring ceremony, Scovel exchanged blows with General William Rufus Shafter, the commanding United States officer in Cuba. He remained in Cuba after the war and continued to write articles for the *New York World* until 1899. After his resignation from the *World* in 1899, he became a consulting engineer for the United States military in Cuba. He died February 2, 1905, and was buried in Wooster, Ohio. Frances Scovel returned to St. Louis and was the society editor for the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* from 1909 to 1917. She married Captain William F. Saportas, who she met while on the Klondike expedition. She died in 1959.

The collection contains both the personal and professional papers of Sylvester Scovel. The biggest part of the collection deals with his venture in Cuba with the insurgents and on the battle fronts. Notes, correspondence, dispatches, etc. cover this period. Also includes a diary while in prison, 1897; various statements and maps of violent actions committed by the Spanish; an autobiographical sketch of Scovel; case notes and testimonials relating to the Shafter vs. Scovel case; photographs of the *U.S. Maine*, 1898; notes and testimonials regarding the *Uncas* case (Scovel was accused of being a stow away on the *Uncas*, which was a United States military ship); diary while traveling with General Antonio Maceo in 1896; copies of original dispatches sent by Scovel regarding the victory celebration ending hostility in Cuba and problems arising from evacuation and

reconstruction periods; correspondence between Scovel and Bradford Merrill, the *New York World* editor, 1898-1899; numerous newsclippings regarding the sinking of the *Maine*; correspondence to Frances Scovel from Sylvester from Greece and Cuba; a newsclippings scrapbook regarding imprisonments of Scovel; material and correspondence from the Klondike expedition; notebooks of Scovel; many loose newsclippings regarding Scovel's professional career.

Includes some Spanish.

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

A1496

Scullin, John.

Railroad passes collection, 1891-1917. 4 card file boxes

Various railroad passes issued to John Scullin and his family.

Cite as: John Scullin Railroad Passes Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1495

Scullin Steel Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Selected records, 1900-1978. 2 boxes; 1 volume

St. Louis company, plant closed in 1987.

Selected records include laboratory notebooks, 1900-1905, 1953, 1962; journals of on-the-job injuries, 1919-1923; material related to the reorganization of the company, 1937; machinery parts notebook, 1940s-1970s; storehouse receipt books, 1914-1922; minute book of Des Peres Valley Railroad Company serving Scullin Steel plant, 1906-1913; machine shop contracts; World War I and II contracts, reports, and correspondence; fliers; tribute to John Scullin, 1920; and commemorative plaque, 1978. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Scullin Steel Company Selected Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1497

Sebree, John Payne (1818-1882).

Sebree and Farrington family papers, 1820-1989. 5 boxes

John Payne Sebree (1818-1882) came to Missouri with his parents in 1821, and was married to Louisa Daly in 1839; they had 11 children. He was a farmer and member of the Missouri legislature. Sebree also served as the warden of the Missouri Penitentiary under Governor Silas Woodson, 1873-1875, and under Governor Charles H. Hardin, 1875-1877.

Collection of letters, deeds, bills, papers concerning family life and political generalities of the Sebree and Farrington families in Missouri. Includes journal of accounts of merchandise and money furnished boat hands, etc., cash ordered by Colonel Henry Atkinson for provision, names of steamboats, keel boats, in operation, and boat repairs for trips to mouth of Ohio, Council Bluffs, Missouri River, 1820; correspondence and business papers regarding land of Sam S. Farrington, 1850s-1870s; John P. Sebree's journal as warden at the Missouri Penitentiary, 1873-1877, with daily memos of prison fare, comments on prisoners, and orders issued to lessees; personal and business

correspondence of John P. Sebree, Jr., manufacturer of wagons, Jefferson City, 1877-1878; correspondence and papers relating to mining in Iron County, 1879-1883; personal and business correspondence of John Farrington; family letters of Alice (Mrs. John P.) Farrington, and son John, student at the Missouri Military Academy, Mexico, Missouri, 1886.

Cite as: Sebree and Farrington Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1498

Sechrest Family.

Family history, circa 1992. 1 volume

Typescript family history of the Sechrest family of Kentucky and Missouri, compiled by Mariam W. Schaefer.

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

A2558

Sedgewick, Josie, Mrs.

Papers, 1886-1947. 5 items

The collection includes the following five items: (1) Letter signed Jas. B. Eads [James B. Eads], Wormley's, to his daughter Josie, July 4, 1886. Invites his daughter to visit him on her way to Bar Harbor. Mentions his visit to congress with President Cleveland's wife.

(2) Letter signed Jas. B. Eads [James B. Eads], New York, to Josie, December 22, 1886. Sends her a check to buy herself a Christmas present; mentions John Hardin. (3)

Typescript letter signed Florence Dorsey, New York City, to Mrs. Sedgewick, December 11, 1947. Explains why she wrote a biography of James B. Eads; asks her to send him reviews of her book from the newspaper; and mentions Wallace McHenry, John Harris McHenry, and Estill McHenry. (4) Letter signed Florence Dorsey to Mrs. Sedgewick, Christmas 1947. (5) Printed announcement of the awarding of the Albert Medal to James B. Eads by the Council of the Society of Arts at Marlborough House in London.

Cite as: Mrs. Josie Sedgewick Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2473

Sedgwick, S.J., Prof.

Broadside, circa 1880s. 1 item

Broadside of Professor S.J. Sedgwick, Newtown, Queen's County, New York: "250 Nights! Prof. S.J. Sedgwick's illuminated lectures, across the continent (Prof. Sedgwick was in the Photographic Corps of the Union Pacific Railroad Co.). 1000 Transparent photographs exhibiting 16 tribes of Indians, the various animals, types of vegetation, geological formations, Mormons and their Great Salt Lake City, mines and miners, the amazing scenery of the Rocky Mountains, and of the Sierra Nevadas, the wonderful structures on the line of the great continental railroad, the big trees of California, her geysers, her sea lions, her Golden Gate, and the glories of the world-renowned Yosemite Valley in a most vivid and life-like manner. . . ." Broadside includes illustration of seal rocks from Cliff House, Golden Gate, California.

Cite as: Prof. S.J. Sedgwick Broadside, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1499**Seidel, Julius (-1871).****Papers, 1860-1871.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Julius Seidel was a traveling musician, who served in the regimental band of the 41st Ohio Infantry. He died August 15, 1871, in St. Louis.

Correspondence of Julius Seidel with family members regarding life as a musician with traveling company; Civil War correspondence; correspondence regarding settling in St. Louis after the war. Photocopies, with typescript translations.

Some German.

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

A1500**Seifert, Shirley, 1888-1971.****Research notes and manuscripts, circa 1940s-1971.** 6 boxes; 1 volume

Shirley Seifert, writer of more than 15 historical novels, lived most of her life in St. Louis, and did the bulk of her research for her novels at the Missouri Historical Society and other St. Louis libraries. After working in the liberty loan office during World War I, she began teaching in St. Louis public schools. In 1919, the *American Magazine* accepted her short story, "The Girl Who Was Too Good Looking," and her short stories appeared regularly in popular magazines for the next 15 years.

Research notes for her historical novels: *The Medicine Man*; *By the King's Command*; *Destiny in Dallas*; *Waters of the Wilderness*; *Three Lives of Elizabeth*; *Captain Grant*; *Look to the Rose*; *Never No More*; *Let My Name Stand Fair*; *The Senator's Lady*; *Those Who Go Against the Current* (Manuel Lisa); *Farewell, My General*; research notes on general topics, alphabetical index cards; and typescript manuscript of *Captain Grant*, published under that title in 1946.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Shirley Seifert Research Notes and Manuscripts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1501**Selbing, Georg.****Prayer book, 1836.** 1 volume

Hand-illuminated manuscript prayer book titled "Katholische Andachten eines Christens fuer jeden Stand. Geschrieben Georg Selbing fuer Margaretha Kraeml in Markstetten, 1836." (Catholic meditations of a Christian for every circumstance.)

Illumination in German fraktur, text in German handschrift.

Cite as: Georg Selbing Prayer Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2398**Semple, Chas.****Circular letter, 1858 May 5.** 1 item

Circular letter of Chas. Semple, Castor Hill, to Dear Sir, May 5, 1858: "Dear Sir: I beg leave to inform you that I have removed from St. Charles to my stables at Castor Hill, on Plank Road, 2 miles west of Fair Grounds, the Imported Draft Stallion

NORMAN, also, **GEN. BARKER** and **RINGOAL**, who with **BLACK HAWK**

PRINCE & MORGAN HUNTER, will remain there for the balance of the season. This is believed to be the best stud of Horses in the United States, and will afford to breeders a choice to suit their Mares: an advantage which will be obvious to all experienced breeders. Norman will stand at \$10, 15 and 20; the others as heretofore announced, viz: \$25, 30 and 40. All admirers of fine horses are respectfully invited to call and see this fine stud of Horses. Yours Respectfully, Chas. Semple.”

Cite as: Chas. Semple Circular Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1502

Semsrott, William H.

Collection, 1794-1912. 3 folders (approximately 75 items)

Collector.

Collection includes personal letters, business letterheads, receipts mostly regarding St. Louisans. Included are 12 letters from Bates, Platte, Harrison, and Moniteau counties to George and Elizabeth Wood, Rock Island, Tennessee, written to their children, who were Missouri pioneers.

Cite as: William H. Semsrott Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2318

7th Ward Taft-Hadley Republican Club (St. Louis, Mo.).

Republican Mass Meeting and Entertainment Circular, [1912?] Oct 25. 1 item

This circular, titled “Treat of the Campaign,” promotes a Republican mass meeting and entertainment to be held at the Concordia Club Hall, 1441 Chouteau Ave., “under the auspices of the 7th Ward Taft-Hadley Republican Club, Gus Frey, President.” The circular includes photographs of C. Porter Johnson, William T. Findly, Governor Herbert S. Hadley, Cleveland A. Newton, Lillian Leiber, Leo Rassieur, and the Brock Brothers. The circular also notes the appearance of the Piccolo midgets.

Cite as: 7th Ward Taft-Hadley Republican Club Republican Mass Meeting and Entertainment Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1503

Sevier, John (1745-1815).

Diary, 1790-1815. 1 volume

John Sevier was born in Rockingham County, Virginia. He was involved in Tennessee statehood controversies, and served as the first governor of Tennessee and as United States representative from Tennessee. He died in 1815.

Typed manuscript, edited by Thomas H. Cooke, original in State Archives of Mississippi at Jackson, Mississippi.

May not be reproduced; the Missouri Historical Society does not own original.

Cite as: Diary of Gov. John Sevier, typescript copy, edited by Thomas H. Cooke, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1504

Seyersted, Per (1921-).

The Per Seyersted Collection of Kate Chopin Material, 1850-1993. 1 box (15 folders).

This collection consists of research notes and papers relating to Kate Chopin, as compiled and arranged by Per Seyersted, Norwegian specialist in British and American studies and Kate Chopin scholar. Includes writings about Kate Chopin, 1890-1970; photographs (reproductions); copies of Kate Chopin letters, music, etc.; and documents concerning Kate Chopin's ancestry.

Finding aid available.

List of published works given by Per Seyersted, and considered as part of this collection, is included in the guide to the collection. Kate Chopin books; given by Per Seyersted to the Missouri Historical Society; catalogued separately and housed in the Missouri History Museum Library.

Cite as: The Per Seyersted Collection of Kate Chopin Material, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2343

Shands, J.G.

Letter to his sister, Mrs. M.A.T. Aldridge, 1849 Jan 24. 1 item

Letter signed J.G. Shands [Joseph G. Shands?], St. Louis, to his sister, Mrs. M.A.T. Aldridge, Stony Creek Warehouse, Sussex County, Virginia, January 24, 1849. He writes about the O'Fallon Mill that he built in St. Louis the previous year; mentions his partner Jno. W. Robertson; mentions that the mill is producing first-rate flour; and discusses his bright business prospects. He provides news of family members, including William, Caroline, John, Ned, and Augustus, and describes his children: Anne, Thomas, Clara, and Caroline.

Cite as: J.G. Shands Letter to His Sister, Mrs. M.A.T. Aldridge, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1505

Shaw, Henry (1800-1889).

Papers, 1819-1962. 2 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 oversize folder

St. Louis merchant and benefactor of Missouri Botanical Garden.

Papers include receipts of Shaw; document signed by Henry Shaw, October 1883, regarding endowing of Shaw's Gardens (carbon copy); copy of typescript of Henry Shaw's estate to 1889; various newsclippings regarding Shaw and his estate; typed manuscript report on Shaw and his houses by Dorothy A. Brockhoff, March 14, 1962.

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

A2253

Shepard Baking Powder Company.

Printed Advertisement, 1900 Mar 17. 1 item

Cite as: Shepard Baking Powder Company Printed Advertisement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2227

Shepard, Ernest.

Patent Records, 1926; 1931. 1 folder

The collection consists of two patents issued to Ernest Shepard of Conception

Junction, Nodaway County, Missouri. The first patent was issued for a face shield designed to be used primarily by railroad workers. The second patent is for a lantern burner.

Cite as: Ernest Shepard Patent Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1506

Shepperd, David.

Papers, 1810-1869. 2 folders (approximately 70 items)

Papers include tax receipts, land deeds, all concerning David Shepperd and family in St. Louis.

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

A1507

Sheridan, Phillip.

Papers, 1853-1891. 1 box (approximately 25 items); 1 oversize folder

Phillip Sheridan married Mary McMahan in 1853.

Collection contains official military papers of Philip Sheridan, acting 2nd assistant engineer, Mississippi Squadron, including several orders and his honorable discharge, dated December 7, 1863; letter of J.P. Thompson to Mrs. Mary Sheridan, dated *U.S.S. Tyler*, Helena, Arkansas, July 1864, informing her of her husband's condition in a Memphis hospital; and widow's pension papers of Mrs. Sheridan, dated 1890 to 1891. Also includes various land papers in Cleveland, Ohio, and Carroll County, 1855-1858.

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

A1508

Sherman, William Tecumseh (1820-1891).

Collection, 1850-1891; 1892-1910; no date. 1 box

Correspondence of William Tecumseh Sherman, stationed in St. Louis (Headquarters, Military Division of the Missouri) regarding the purchase of stores and their financing, 1850s; as brigadier general, commander, Benton Barracks, 1862, correspondence regarding making arrangements for those with smallpox, other matters dealing with the Civil War, and plans for troops, after the war, on the frontier; correspondence from Headquarters, Army of the United States, Washington, D.C., and St. Louis, 1869-1884; personal correspondence, 1885-1891.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: William Tecumseh Sherman Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1509

Shields, Marion.

Papers, 1919. 5 folders

Correspondence of Marion Shields to family, bulletins, pamphlets, newspapers, and photographs regarding the transcontinental speaking trip of the League to Enforce Peace.

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

A1510**Sibley, George Champlain (1782-1863).****Papers, 1803-1853; 1927.** 2 boxes

George Champlain Sibley (1782-1863), the son of Dr. John Sibley, a surgeon in the Revolutionary army, was born in Massachusetts, but reared in North Carolina. In 1805, he was appointed assistant agent and factor at St. Louis, and three years later appointed factor at Fort Osage on the Missouri River. In 1811, he explored the Grand Saline, in Oklahoma, escorted by Osage warriors. Sibley married Mary Smith Easton, daughter of Rufus Easton in 1815. They lived at Fort Osage for several years. In 1825, he was named one of three commissioners to mark the Santa Fe road from Council Grove to the border of Mexico. The Sibleys moved to St. Charles, Missouri, in 1827 and established Lindenwood, a school for girls. Both he and Mrs. Sibley were responsible for the religious atmosphere and training at Lindenwood. Sibley was also active politically in the Whig party in St. Charles.

Papers relate primarily to Sibley's life on the Missouri Indian frontier and in St. Charles, Missouri. Includes correspondence with William Clark regarding Indian affairs, and Sibley's correspondence as one of three commissioners appointed to mark the Santa Fe road from Council Grove to the border of Mexico, 1825; commonplace book no. 1, personal accounts during residency as factor at Fort Osage; as one of three Santa Fe road commissioners, 1820-1828; and commissioner to superintend the survey of route for railroad from St. Louis to Iron Mountain, 1839; commonplace book no. 3, Lindenwood College, and Sibley's interest in Whig party, 1844; commonplace book no. 5, mainly about activities at Lindenwood, events in St. Charles, family news, etc., 1847-1848; commonplace book no. 6, daily journal entries, 1849-1850; and letterbook, 1825-1836. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: George Champlain Sibley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1511**Sigel, Franz (1841-1901).****Papers, 1843-1901.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Military papers of General Franz Sigel including topographic and military drawings by Sigel when a student in the Military Academy of Karlsruhe, Baden, 1841-1843; correspondence from Sigel to Dr. Heinrich Windwait, 1849-1851. Also military papers of Sigel's brother Colonel Albert Sigel, including maps, political and military essays and numerous German documents.

German and French.

Finding aid available.

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

A1512**Simmons Family.****Papers, 1873-1891.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Papers include charter for Mount Zion Grange, Liberty, Schuyler County, Missouri; minutes of Grange meetings; paper titled "Responsibility of Members"; items of Simmons family including teacher contracts, newspaper clippings regarding teaching, various tax receipts and bills, and one issue of *Missouri School Journal*, Vol. VIII, No. 8, Aug

1891.

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

A2461

Simmons Hardware Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Memo book, 1902-1903. 1 item

Last page of memo book is stamped, "Mr. Marion C. Fach, 11823 Parklind Dr., St. Louis, Mo. 63127."

Cite as: Simmons Hardware Co. Memo Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1513

Simmons Hardware Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1910-1928. 5 boxes; 1 volume

The Simmons Hardware Company was chartered December 15, 1873, by Edward Campbell Simmons (1839-). The company began business January 1, 1874, and reincorporated July 9, 1901. Simmons was born in Frederick, Maryland, in 1839 and moved with his family to St. Louis in 1846.

Records of the Simmons Hardware Company, 1911-1928; general letters sent to salesmen, 1910-1921 (letters from 1912-1921 in four bound volumes); history of the Simmons Hardware Company, 1874-1920, by A.E. Dann, 1921; and corporate record "Book B," containing by-laws as amended and adopted January 4, 1886, minutes, board of directors, 1886-1891, and inspectors return, August 14, 1889 (loose pages inserted into volume).

Cite as: Simmons Hardware Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1514

Sissner-Bensinger-Horowitz Family.

Papers, 1897-1938. 10 folders

St. Louisan Clara Sissner attended the Jewish Orphan Asylum in Cleveland, Ohio, and married Sam Bensinger in April 1910.

Correspondence and papers of Clara (Sissner) Bensinger, Sam Bensinger, Esther Sissner, and Jake Sissner. Also includes diaries of Muriel (Bensinger) Horowitz.

Cite as: Sissner-Bensinger-Horowitz Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2456

Sister Cherokee (St. Louis, Missouri).

Circular, circa 1959-1963. 1 item

Circular of Sister Cherokee, 5356 Easton Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, states in part, "Sister Cherokee, Indian healer and advisor. Sister Cherokee has the God-given power to heal by prayer. Are you suffering? Are you sick? Do you need help? Do you have bad luck? Bring your problems to Sister Cherokee today and be rid of them tomorrow. She advises you on all affairs of life. There is no problem too great for her. (How to hold your job. How to succeed.) She calls your friends and enemies by name without asking a

single question.”

Cite as: Sister Cherokee Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2455

Sister Marlow (St. Louis, Missouri).

Circular, circa 1959. 1 item

Circular of Sister Marlow, 1417 North Union Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri, states in part, “Sister Marlow, healer and advisor. Are you suffering–sick–need advice? See Sister Marlow. She has the God-given power to heal by prayer. Guarantees to heal the sick and the ailing, but there is no pity for those who know they are in hard luck and don’t come to see Sister Marlow. Guaranteed to help or you don’t have to pay.” Includes brief testimonials of Charles E. Harris, Eleanor Smith, and Henry Warfield, accompanied by their photographs.

Cite as: Sister Marlow Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1515

Skiles, Jacqueline (1937-).

Papers, 1951-1954. 3 boxes

Born in St. Louis in 1937, Skiles attended Bryan Mullanphy elementary school and Roosevelt High School before graduating from the Washington University School of Fine Art circa 1958. After traveling to Brazil, and stints as a lecturer, Skiles studied at Columbia University (New York) earning a masters in Ibero-American studies. Her interests in art and society led Ms. Skiles to enter the field of sociology, earning a masters in 1972, and a Ph.D. in 1989. Ms. Skiles then taught at the City University of New York.

The collection consists of a grade school autograph book, high school notebook, and high school scrapbooks.

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

A1516

Skinker, Charles R.

Papers, circa 1932-1939. 3 boxes

Charles R. Skinker, attorney, Denver, Colorado.

Papers of Charles R. Skinker's legal connection with the readjustment and settlement of the bankruptcy of the Otero Irrigation District, Colorado, in which several St. Louisans had invested.

Cite as: Charles R. Skinker Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1517

Skinker, Thomas S.

Skinker family papers, 1839-1918. 2 boxes

Thomas K. Skinker married Bertha Rives.

Mostly family and business papers. Tax receipts, 1839-1886; Thomas S. Skinker memorandum book, 1845-1847; family and business correspondence, 1872-1918, which includes extensive correspondence between Thomas K. Skinker (son of Thomas S. Skinker) and his wife.

Cite as: Thomas S. Skinker Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

A1518

Slaves and slavery collection, 1772-1950. 7 folders (96 items); 1 oversize folder

The Slaves and Slavery 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. Approximately half of the documents in the collection are receipts for sales of slaves, some of which were recorded in various courts. The collection also includes deeds of emancipation; personal correspondence; and broadsides offering rewards for the capture of runaway slaves.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Slaves and Slavery Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1519

Slawin, Michael S. (1963-).

Collection, 1989-1995. 1 record storage box

Press packet for P.R.E.P. and Challenge Metro, National Day of Mourning regarding the Bowers v. Hardwick case and the Missouri sexual misconduct law, June 28, 1989; various press releases from P.R.E.P., 1990s. Press packet for the repeal of Missouri sexual misconduct law, section 566.090.1 (3) (prepared by P.R.E.P.). Press releases, notes, newspapers articles regarding the controversy between P-FLAG and St. Louis County over the "Adopt A Road Program," 1990. Minutes, correspondence, notes, informational fliers, regarding the founding of ACT UP/St. Louis, 1990; press releases, notes, photograph layout sheets regarding the ACT UP/St. Louis demonstrations at the Adams Mark Hotel, September 11, 1990, the Social Security Office, St. Louis, September 25, 1990, St. Louis City Hall, November 14, 1990, State Capitol Building in Jefferson City, Missouri, January 9, 1991. Press packet and related items regarding the violence and attacks that occurred at the 1992 St. Louis Gay and Lesbian Pride Festival. Advertising correspondence and notes from the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter, fund-raiser, "Carnival," January 1993, and the 1992 program of the "Heart Beat Ball." Press packet regarding "A Town Hall Meeting: Why We Should March on Washington," sponsored by Human Rights Campaign Fund, February 21, 1993. Wedding invitation for Susan L. Slawin and Barry S. Holt, June 5, 1993, and genealogical information of the Slawin/Bricker family. Newspaper articles dealing with gay and lesbian issues including the special issue of the *San Francisco Examiner*, titled "Gay in America," June 4, 1989.

Cite as: Michael S. Slawin Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1520

Sloan, Edwin C.

Letterbook, 1856-1858. 1 volume

St. Louis commission merchant.

Indexed, letterpress, business correspondence concerning trade in hogs, lard, sugar, and other commodities.

Cite as: Edwin C. Sloan Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1521

Small, Mary Amanda.

Autograph album, 1845-1853. 1 volume

Married N.J. Calhoun, 1853, daughter of David Small of St. Louis County.

Cite as: Mary Amanda Small Autograph Album, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1522

Smith, Anthony W.

Papers, 1854-1880. 1 folder (approximately 35 items)

Anthony W. Smith came to St. Louis from Farmington in 1854. He worked with his older brother, Alexander Hamilton Smith, as an apprentice with Gaty, McCune and Company. He moved to Pennsylvania, and served in the Civil War. After the war he returned to St. Louis, and served as vice president of the Smith, Beggs and Ranken Machine Company.

Letters of Anthony W. Smith to his family from Altoona, Philadelphia, and Washington D.C., 1860-1863, regarding political events in the city; 1854 correspondence regarding experiences as journeymen for Gaty, McCune and Co. based in St. Louis; correspondence to his wife, Kate, 1222 North Market St., 1886, while traveling in New Mexico, Arizona, California, and Utah regarding business matters; biographical data written from family members on A.W. Smith and family. In part typescript copies. Cite as: Anthony W. Smith Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2485

Smith, Brothers & Co.

Account with the city of St. Louis, 1849 Feb. 1 item

Account of Smith, Brothers & Co. with the city of St. Louis for 1 keg of blasting powder (to quarry out Ashley St.) and 10 feet of fuse.

Cite as: Smith, Brothers & Co. Account with the City of St. Louis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1523

[Smith, C.E.?].

Plats and maps, 1930s-1940s. 17 roll storage boxes

Collection of subdivision plats, railroad maps, and sewer maps in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and St. Louis.

Cite as: C.E. Smith Plats and Maps, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1524

Smith, Elkanah.

Papers, 1821-1892. 3 folders (approximately 135 items)

E. Smith came to St. Louis from Kentucky in 1829 and settled in Fulton where he established one of the first carding factories in central Missouri.

Papers consist of letters of A.B. Smith and James G. Smith to their father, Elkanah Smith. Correspondence concerns family matters with mention of the carding business. James writes from Liberty, Missouri, where he was attending William Jewell College.

Also includes receipts and bills of E. Smith, some regarding the carding business; and daybook of E. Smith, dated 1831.

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

A1525

Smith, Eunice C.

Collection, 1862-1932. 1 box (22 items); 4 volumes

Typed biography of James Smith and family; will of William Harris Smith, July 10, 1865. In will, Smith bequested to William G. Eliot tracts of land known as the school section in the city of St. Louis to Washington University; newsclippings, *St. Louis Democrat*, November 30, 1874, regarding the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Church of the Messiah where Mr. and Mrs. James Smith were two of the original 12 members; three letters regarding the 75th anniversary of the formal inauguration of Washington University and memorial to James Smith, 1932. Two cashbooks of George S. Kellenberger, Alton, Illinois, insurance agent, 1857-1865. Memorandum book of William H. Smith detailing lands owned in Missouri and Illinois, 1848-1866.

Unidentified notebook with excerpts from literary and political works, mathematical exercises, list of volumes in personal library, circa 1850s.

Some German in 1850s notebook.

Cite as: Eunice C. Smith Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1526

Smith, George R. (1844-1879).

Papers, 1836-1896. 2 boxes

George Smith (1844-1879) was born in Virginia, and educated as a lawyer in Kentucky. He came to Missouri in 1833 with his wife and two little girls, and his wife's family, General David Thomson. He later settled in Georgetown, Pettis County, Missouri. As one of the promoters of the Pacific Railroad, he founded Sedalia in 1856. General Smith was a strong supporter of the Union and became an active politician in the Whig, Know-Nothing, and American parties, and was a candidate for Congress in 1846, and 1856-1858. He was also in the Santa Fe freighting business, 1848-1852, and contracted for mail deliveries in 1851. Under Governor Hamilton R. Gamble, General Smith served as adjutant general for three months in 1861. Although a slaveholder, General Smith was an abolitionist. He died July 11, 1879.

Correspondence pertaining to General George R. Smith's public and family life; among the correspondents discussing the national political scene are James H. Birch, John S. Phelps, John Wilson, and Silas Reed; manuscript of "A Maker of Missouri," a biography of George R. Smith (1804-1879) in his relations to the economic, political and social life of central Missouri before and during the Civil War, by Samuel Bannister Harding, 1901. Also includes a manuscript of Bacon Montgomery (title unknown).

Cite as: George R. Smith Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1527

Smith, Jedediah Strong (1798-1831).

Papers, 1826-1928. 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

Jedediah Smith, David E. Jackson and William L. Sublette bought William H.

Ashley's fur trading business in 1826 and carried on until 1830 when they sold it to other mountain men, among them, James Bridger. Jedediah Smith was killed by the Comanches in 1831.

Journal of a journey, original and typescript, August 7, 1826, to June 21, 1827. Journey started in Soda Springs, Idaho, thru Utah to San Diego, back thru Sierra Nevada Mountains, ends in Utah. Vivid descriptions of Indians, places visited, etc. Also contains correspondence of Smith, 1829-1831, to William Clark, family, etc., concerning his travels and life, typescripts. Also includes some articles and correspondence about the collection.

Cite as: Jedediah Strong Smith Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1528

Smith, Louis Chouteau (1831-1899).

Family Papers, 1803-1913. 20 items

Family papers including obituaries for Louis Chouteau Smith, who died January 31, 1899, at his home, 2933 Lucas Ave., St. Louis; instructions from Capt. T.F. Smith to G.W. Harrison for Dubuque's Reservation, May 17, 1833; and stock certificate for Gunnison Gold and Iron Fields Development Co., Gunnison, Colorado, and St. Louis, November 12, 1900.

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

A1529

Smith, Luther Ely (1873-1951).

Family Papers, 1821-1958. 42 boxes; 8 volumes; 1 oversize folder

The Luther Ely Smith Papers consist primarily of personal, family, and business records. The collection documents the life of his father, Luther Rominor Smith, a Reconstruction Republican judge and plantation owner in Alabama and later government official in the U.S. Department of the Interior in Washington, D.C., as well as his own career and family life as a prominent Republican attorney and civic leader in Democratic St. Louis. The bulk of the collection consists of Luther Ely Smith's personal and business papers, 1888-1951, with most of the material dating from the 1930s and 1940s. Luther Ely Smith's papers include extensive correspondence relating to a variety of national and local civic and political matters with which Smith was concerned, including the St. Louis Pageant and Masque production of 1914, the American Friends of Spanish Democracy, the American Civil Liberties Union, the Missouri Bar Association, the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, the St. Louis Civil Service Commission of which Smith was chairman from 1945 to 1950. The papers also include private Smith family correspondence. In addition to correspondence, the Luther Ely Smith material includes a variety of related documentation such as legal briefs, court records, letterbooks of legal correspondence, newspaper clippings, and scrapbooks. Also within this collection are the papers of Luther R. Smith, Luther Ely Smith's father, dated 1821, and 1846 to 1923. This sub-collection includes the 1821 will of Luther R. Smith's father, Rominor Smith; Civil War correspondence and records of Luther R. Smith during his service with the 9th Michigan Battery; diaries and memorandum books from throughout his life; legal notes, briefs, and professional correspondence; newspaper clippings and personal

correspondence regarding the Ku Klux Klan in Alabama and the persecution of Smith by them while he was a circuit judge there. The collection also includes correspondence and financial records regarding the operation of Judge Smith's Choctaw Plantation in Alabama; personal correspondence between Luther R. Smith and his first wife, Addie Ely; and correspondence of his second wife, Helen (Nellie) Ely.
Finding aid available.

Cite as: Luther Ely Smith Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1530

Smith, Madison Roswell (1850-1919).

Papers, 1889-1897; 1903-1909; 1914-1916. 5 volumes

Attorney from Farmington, Missouri; state senator, 1884-1888; Democratic congressman, 1907-1909; ambassador to Haiti, 1912-1914.

Detailed diaries regarding family, religion, state and national politics, including entries regarding tenure in Congress and as ambassador to Haiti; and scrapbook, 1904-1907.

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

A1531

Smith, Solomon Franklin (1801-1869).

Papers, 1832-1868. 6 boxes

Actor and theater manager.

Chiefly correspondence with actors and actresses and with Smith's business partner Noah M. Ludlow, pertaining to their theaters in St. Louis, New Orleans, and Mobile. Also includes minutes of the Office of Grand Council of State of Missouri of National American Party, 1854-1857.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Solomon Franklin Smith Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1532

Smith, Thomas J. (1843-1917).

Account books, 1861-1916. 2 volumes; 1 folder

Judge in Pike County, Missouri.

Account and memorandum book of Thomas J. and Susan Smith, includes school notes (1860s), minutes of Oak Ridge Debating Society of which Thomas Smith was secretary (1870s), and household accounts and recipes (1890s). Ledger of family, household, and farm expenses of Thomas and Susan Smith and their daughters Elsie and Ina, 1884-1816. Correspondence, receipts, and newspaper clippings, 1861-1900.

Cite as: Thomas J. Smith Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Smoke abatement collection

See Citizens Smoke Abatement League of St. Louis.

A1533

Smyth, Florida Watts.

Family history, 1897. 1 box

Written family history compiled by Florida Watts Smyth with photographs, family correspondence, etc. Some typed.

Cite as: Florida Watts Smyth Family History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1534

Snead, Thomas L. (1827-1890).

Papers, 1861-1890. 3 boxes

Thomas Loundes Snead was born in Richmond, Virginia, in 1828. He moved to St. Louis in 1851, where he practiced law and became publisher of the *St. Louis Bulletin*. He served as assistant adjutant general in the Missouri State Guard with the rank of colonel, and subsequently served as assistant adjutant general in the Confederate States Army. In May 1864 he was elected to the Confederate Congress. After the war he moved to New York City, where he became editor of the *New York Daily News*. In 1886, he published *The Fight for Missouri: From the Election of Lincoln to the Death of Lyon*. He died in New York in 1890.

The collection consists primarily of materials gathered by Snead for an intended second volume of *The Fight for Missouri*, which was never published. Contains postwar correspondence mostly from Confederate officers to Snead in response to his requests for information regarding their wartime activities. Correspondents include D.A. Armstrong, Joseph Boyce, Basil W. Duke, John R. Gratiot, Colton Greene, James Harding, Thomas A. Harris, R. Holcomb, Dr. C. Hunter, Charles P. Hyde, Horatio M. Jones, John S. Marmaduke, Dabney H. Maury, Celsus Price, Thomas C. Reynolds, J[ohn] F. Snyder, E. Stickman, and W.E. Woodruff. Subjects discussed include Confederate military operations and affairs in Missouri and elsewhere, and accounts of the following battles: Boonville, Missouri; Corinth; Hatchie Bridge; Iuka; Pea Ridge; and Wilson's Creek. Collection also contains notes, newspaper clippings, chronologies, biographies, and manuscripts including: undated memoirs of Major R[obert] R. Hutchinson titled "Missourians East of the Mississippi River" (51 pages); undated manuscript titled "Acts and Deeds of Colonel Burbridge's Regiments" (29 pages); and undated manuscript titled "Missouri and Arkansas from Elkhorn to the End" (59 pages).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas L. Snead Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1535

Snider, Denton J. (1841-1925).

Papers, 1878-1920. 1 box

American philosopher, psychologist, pedagogue, and literary savant. Manuscript and typescript of *The St. Louis Movement in Philosophy, Literature, Education, Psychology with Chapters of Autobiography* by Denton J. Snider, 1920; three letters of Snider to Charles Wulffing, 1878-1879.

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

A1536

Snyder, John Francis, Dr. (1830-1921).

Papers, 1839-1920. 3 boxes

Dr. John F. Snyder was born March 22, 1830, near Cahokia, Illinois. He studied for two years at McDowell's Medical College in St. Louis, before traveling to California during the gold rush. After two years, he returned to McDowell's College and received his medical license in 1853. He then settled in Bolivar, Missouri. He joined the Missouri militia in the late 1850s and during the Civil War he served as an officer in the Missouri State Guard and later in the Confederate army under General Sterling Price. After the war he moved to Virginia, Illinois. He served in the Illinois state legislature in the 1870s. He died April 30, 1921, in Virginia, Illinois.

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

A2300

Social Planning Council.

Board of Directors Minutes, 1941 October-1945 December. 2 boxes

The Community Council of St. Louis, established in 1911, reorganized in 1937 as the Social Planning Council. It was supported by the United Charities, Inc. The council was a voluntary association made up of over 95 public and private social agencies for the purpose of studying social conditions; analyzing and stimulating social needs and the community resources necessary to meet them; insuring that the health and welfare needs of people are adequately satisfied and promoting cooperation, higher standards, efficiency and coordination among the agencies of the community.

Collection contains monthly typescript minutes and financial statements of the Board of Directors of the Social Planning Council, dated October 1941 to December 1945. These minutes include reports of hospitals, orphanages, nursing homes, camps and several other types of institutions in St. Louis City and County. The following individuals served as officers of the organization: Dr. Llewellyn Sale (president), Dr. Walter B. Bodenhafer, R. Walston Chubb, John L. Bracken, Rev. Fr. John J. Butler, Rev. Richard R. Caemmerer, Harry W. Castlen, Julian B Cohn, Scott R. Dekins, Samuel Gerson, Mrs. John A. Haskell, Judge Fred J. Hoffmeister, Henry F. Chadeayne, Father A. M. Schwitalla, E. G. Steger, Myron Gwinner, Harry G. Koerber, Joseph W. McClain, Mrs. Arthur Stockstrom, Mrs. J. Eldred Newton, and Dean Sidney E. Sweet.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Social Planning Council Board of Directors Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1537

Socialer Saengerchor (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1866-1880. 3 volumes

The Socialer Saengerchor was a German singing society formed in St. Louis in the 1850s.

These records consist of a library register (1866-1871), minutes (1866-1880), and an undated song catalogue of the Socialer Saengerchor.

Mostly in German handscript.

Cite as: Socialer Saengerchor Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0853

Societe Francaise D'Aide Mutuelle.

Minute Book, 1859-1879. 1 volume

Volume consists of two signed constitutions of the society and meeting minutes dated 1859-1879.

Cite as: Societe Francaise D'Aide Mutuelle Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1538

Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Missouri (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1894-1984. 26 volumes; 1 box

Records consist of a minute book, 1917-1934; a treasurer's record, 1896-1908; an index of ancestors and honor roll, 1922; a register of officers and members, commencing 1894; printed matter; and applications, 1894-1984.

For use only by members of the Society of Colonial Wars.

Cite as: Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Missouri Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1539

Soldan High School (St. Louis, Missouri).

Collection, 1914-1929. 1 folder

Collection contains the girl graduate book of Bessie Josephine Wolfner, 1914; student papers; and Soldan Pageant poster, 1929.

Cite as: Soldan High School (St. Louis, Missouri) Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2463

Solderless Standing-Seam Conductor Co., Limited (Allegheny, Pennsylvania).

Price List, 1882 Jan 1. 1 item

Hull & Cozzens Manufacturing Co., 1152 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri, was the agent.

Cite as: Solderless Standing-Seam Conductor Co. Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1540

Soldiers Memorial collection, 1923-1938. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

The Soldiers Memorial is located in downtown St. Louis.

Papers include ordinances, correspondence regarding bond issues and the building of the soldiers memorial plaza in St. Louis.

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

A1541

Sons of the Revolution.

Collection, 1918-1931. 3 folders (approximately 30 items)

Papers include programs, printed pamphlets, etc. concerning the Missouri chapter; resolution of St. Louis chapter, 1931.

Cite as: Sons of the Revolution Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Sons of the Revolution, Missouri Society. Records.

See Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution.

A1542

Soulard, Antoine Pierre (1766-1825).

Papers, 1774-1883. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Antoine Soulard was born in France in 1766. He left the French military service as an emigre in 1794, and came to St. Louis, where he was appointed the king's surveyor for Upper Louisiana. In 1794, he married Marie Julie Cerre, youngest daughter of Gabriel Cerre. Another Cerre daughter Marie Therese married Auguste Chouteau.

The collection consists primarily of land papers, early plats, and documents of St. Louis merchant Gabriel Cerre, Antoine Soulard, James Mackay, and other early residents of St. Louis. The later dates in the papers deal mostly with deeds of Julie Cerre Soulard Additions in Carondelet, 1840-1883, with members of the Soulard family, Mrs. Soulard, and her three sons, Henry G., James G., and Benjamin A. Soulard. Additional material includes family correspondence and genealogy.

Some French and Spanish.

Cite as: Antoine Pierre Soulard Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2744

South Side Day Nursery.

Papers, 1886-2010. 11 boxes

The South Side Day Nursery, organized in 1886 by fifteen Unitarian women and incorporated in 1888, is the oldest daycare facility in the St. Louis area and one of the oldest in the country. At its inception the nursery was intended to charitably assist working mothers in south St. Louis by providing quality care for young children. The nursery was housed at 1621 South 10th Street from its founding until November 1951, when the building was vacated in order to make way for expansion of the 3rd Street Interregional Highway. The St. Louis Variety Club underwrote a loan to complete construction of a new building at 2930 Iowa Avenue, which opened in December 1953. Over the years the role of the organization has substantially expanded to include social services and community-development efforts. The nursery is still in operation today.

The South Side Day Nursery Papers consist of bound volumes, loose papers, and photographs relevant to the operations and history of the South Side Day Nursery. The papers will be of particular interest to researchers investigating St. Louis history, the history of the Benton Park West neighborhood, non-profit management, St. Louis charitable organizations, and the history of early-childhood education and social work.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: South Side Day Nursery Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1543

Souther Family.

Papers, 1854-1953. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Family correspondence, Presbyterian church pew rent receipts, commonplace books, diaries, newsclippings. Some genealogical information.

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

A1544

Southern Hotel (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1908-1912. 7 volumes

The original Southern Hotel in St. Louis was completed in 1865 and destroyed by fire in 1877. New construction of an "absolutely fireproof" building began in 1879 and was completed in 1881.

These records consist of one undated volume containing the floor plans of the hotel by Barnett and Taylor, architects; and an incomplete run of six volumes of guest registers dating from October 12, 1908, to July 30, 1912.

Cite as: Southern Hotel Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2546

Southwest High School (St. Louis, Mo.).

Playbill for "Arsenic and Old Lace," 1958 May 1-2. 1 item

Cite as: Southwest High School Playbill for "Arsenic and Old Lace," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1545

Southwest Pacific Railroad (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Journal, 1866-1867. 1 volume (504 pages)

Records of transportation charges, dated March 1, 1866-December 31, 1867.

Cite as: Southwest Pacific Railroad Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Spain, Papers from.

See Houck, Louis. "Papers from Spain" transcripts.

A1801

Spanish Archives of New Mexico, 1621-1821. 23 rolls of microfilm

The microfilm, created in 1955, contains the extant official Spanish archives of New Mexico that are in the custody of the state of New Mexico and of the Zimmerman Library at the University of New Mexico. The documents concern the administration of the region from the period of Spanish control until the formation of the Mexican government in 1821. Official land grant documents are not included and can be found in the Surveyor-General for New Mexico records. The documents are arranged in chronological order and each reel contains frame numbers and number that correspond with Twitchell numbers located in *The Spanish Archives of New Mexico*, Volume II, by Ralph Emerson Twitchell (Missouri History Museum Library call number: /NM/9/T298s/1976).

Cite as: Spanish Archives of New Mexico (microfilm, University of New Mexico, 1955), Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1546

Spanish-American War collection, 1898-1934. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

The collection consists of material related to the participation of St. Louisans and

Missourians in the Spanish-American War. Material is arranged together due to common subject matter, rather than provenance. Special items include maps, muster rolls, correspondence, recruiting notices, war records, certificates, facsimile text of the peace treaty ending the war. Most of this relates to activities in the Philippines. In addition, the collection includes a body of material related to the war career and postwar veterans support activities of Jacob Kuhl (1876-1951), the last survivor of the St. Louis crew who served with Admiral George Dewey at Manila Bay. He also served in World War I, and had a great interest in veterans hospitalized in the Carville, Louisiana, leprosarium. Cite as: Spanish-American War Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2367

Sparks, Ephraim Ellis (1835-1901).

Diary, 1864 Aug 30-1868 Aug 30. 2 items

Ephraim Ellis Sparks enlisted as a private in the 39th Missouri Infantry (Union) in August 1864, and was mustered out as a 1st sergeant in March 1865. He died January 4, 1901, in Bison, Kansas.

This 81-page diary describes the movement and affairs of the 39th Missouri Infantry primarily in Missouri, Kentucky, and Tennessee. Includes accounts of affairs at Hannibal, Missouri, September 2-21, 1864; at Macon, Paris, and Mexico, Missouri, September 24-December 2; Sparks' trip home to Iowa on furlough via steamboat from Hannibal, December 3-11; return to his regiment at Macon, December 12-15; movement of the regiment via stock cars through Illinois and Indiana to Louisville, Kentucky, December 16-23; to Ft. Boyle in Hardin County, Kentucky, December 24-29; to Nashville, Tennessee, by train, December 30, 1864, to January 3, 1865; to St. Louis by train, January 4-8; at Benton Barracks, January 8-March 27; and Sparks' return home to Iowa via steamboat, March 27-29. The entry dated March 29, 1865, is followed by a single entry dated August 30, 1868. The back of the diary contains six pages of notes. Also includes transcript of diary (19 pages).

Cite as: Ephraim Ellis Sparks Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2272

Spatz, Michael E.

Papers, 1936-1993 (bulk 1940s). 4 boxes

Michael E. Spatz was born January 7, 1912, in Louisville, Kentucky, where he attended the University of Louisville. He married Charleen Spatz and enlisted as a United States Coast Guard yeoman, 2nd class reserve, on May 2, 1942, in St. Louis, Missouri. He served in the coast guard as a yeoman, radio reporter in the Pacific, and the representative for the U.S. Coast Guard in the Four Freedoms War Bond Show. He was honorably discharged as yeoman, first class reserve, in 1945, and then became an area director and spokesman of the American Heritage Foundation for the Freedom Train tour in 1947-1948.

The collection contains correspondence, newspaper and magazine clippings, photographs, publications, and business papers relating to the effort to increase patriotism during and after World War II, ranging from 1942 to 1948, with several letters from 1936. The collection also includes coast guard patches and a scrapbook detailing Spatz's

experience during his service in the war. Most of the items relate to either the Four Freedoms War Bond Show tour (1943-1944) in New Orleans, Louisiana, and Los Angeles, California, or the American Heritage Foundation Freedom Train tour around the country in 1947-1948. The collection also includes records of the Four Freedoms and Freedom Train shows in Saint Louis and Missouri.

A1547

Specking, Bernard J.

Cashbook, 1872-1907. 2 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Cash journal of St. Louis County teacher, with ledger entries in rear and inventory of personal library on back flyleaf (1896); journal, 1903-1907; and certificates.

Cite as: Bernard J. Specking CashBook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1548

***Spectator* (Alton, Illinois).**

Ledger, 1832-1836. 1 volume (80 pages)

Ledger of newspaper printing and advertising costs, plus list of subscribers and brief history of the newspaper.

Cite as: *Spectator* (Alton, Illinois) Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Spencer, Selden (1837-1878).

Journal, 1862. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

A1550

Sperry Family.

Papers, 1862-1889. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Dr. Harlow W. Sperry was born January 18, 1818, in Otsego County, New York. In 1836, he moved to Lincoln County, Missouri. During the Civil War he served as surgeon in the 37th Enrolled Missouri Militia and was detailed as an assistant surgeon in the 2nd Provisional Enrolled Missouri Militia. He died May 20, 1889, in Olney, Lincoln County, Missouri.

Collection consists primarily of official military papers of Dr. Sperry, mostly regarding medical and hospital supplies, while stationed at Memphis, Missouri, and Hannibal, Missouri, with the 2nd Provisional Enrolled Missouri Militia. Includes two rolls of soldiers employed on extra duty as cooks and nurses at the hospital in Memphis for the months of June and August 1863; certificates of disability for discharge, dated August 28 and 30, 1863, for Charles Folker, Vinet B. Fine, and Eli Davis; commission of A.W. Sperry; and letter of Robert McElroy to Dr. Sperry, dated Pilot Knob, Missouri, January 12, 1864, which mentions a skirmish in Ripley County (December 25, 1863) between the 3rd Missouri State Militia Cavalry and Timothy Reeves' men. Also includes Sperry's account book of visits made, medicines dispensed, charges made to patients, 1874-1875.

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

A1551

Spiering Family.

Papers, 1892-1925; 1951-1952. 7 folders (approximately 30 items)

Theodore Spiering was a violinist, conductor, and teacher. Louis Spiering was a St. Louis architect who designed many residences and public buildings, including the Soulard Branch of the St. Louis Public Library; Louisiana Purchase Exposition buildings; and some buildings for Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri.

Contains correspondence of Theodore Spiering; programs, clippings, etc. regarding Spiering; biographical information on Louis Spiering and a list of buildings designed by him. Correspondence regarding collection.

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

A2429

Spitz, M., Rabbi.

Papers, 1919. 3 items

Papers contain two appointments of Rabbi M. Spitz as an official delegate to the "Mid-Continent Congress for a League of Nations to consider and promote the cause of a League of Nations, said Congress to be held in St. Louis, February 25-26, 1919, and to comprise the States of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Colorado, New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas." Also contains an undated typescript circular letter of the League to Enforce Peace inviting him to the congress.

Cite as: Rabbi M. Spitz Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2352

Spoeri Family.

Papers, 1866-1922. 1 folder, 1 oversize item

Mathias Spoeri died April 8, 1888, in St. Louis, and was survived by his wife, Maria Magdalena Spoeri (widow of Michael Fischer).

The collection include deeds, certificates of titles, house building contracts, and other Spoeri family papers.

Finding aid available.

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

A2929

Spraggon, Sarah (circa 1871-1926).

Papers, 1917-1926. 2 boxes; 1 oversize item

Sarah Bird Spraggon, according to her passport, was born to Daniel Bird and Ellen Faulkner Bird on November 9, 1871, in Manchester, England. (Other records indicate earlier dates.) When Sarah was young the Birds moved to St. Louis, where she worked in a shoe factory and became a lifelong member of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union. She later married Alfred J. Spraggon of St. Louis and had a daughter, Hazel Maurie Spraggon, who married Leroy William Esmond of Troy, New York. An active labor leader in the St. Louis area, Spraggon especially advocated for working women. Her job titles included President of the Women's Trade Union League of St. Louis and Second Vice President of the Missouri State Federation of Labor. She was also active in the State Free Employment Bureau. In 1918, Spraggon was one of six women to participate in a two-month American labor mission to Britain and France. The mission was intended to

build resolve and increase understanding between European and American war workers. The party visited multiple factories and manufacturing sites; delegates also met with notable leaders, including the king and queen of England, the president of France, and General Pershing. Spraggon died at her home in St. Louis on June 9, 1926.

The Sarah Spraggon Papers focus primarily on her journey to Europe in the spring of 1918. The papers are organized into two series: Delegation and Personal. The Delegation Series includes correspondence, notes, schedules, and programs; guidebooks and memorabilia; photographs; and newspaper clippings. Within each grouping, items have been arranged chronologically whenever possible. The photographs, which document large groups of workers as well as the delegates themselves, may be especially interesting for researchers. The majority of photos were stamped and numbered by The Central News, Ltd., London, and detailed captions for these may be found in an accompanying booklet. Photographed locations include Queen Mary's Hospital for Limbless Soldiers at Roehampton, the Portslade Military School of Cookery, multiple shipyards in Glasgow, and the Gretna Munitions Works. Newspaper clippings pertaining to the mission have been bound into a large, well-organized scrapbook. The Personal Series includes Spraggon's passport, calling cards collected at home and abroad, personal and business correspondence, and newspaper clippings dated after her journey. The series includes a letter written by Spraggon to her 8-year-old granddaughter, Hazel Esmond. Finding aid available.

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

A1623

Stack Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Scrapbook, 1939-1947. 1 volume

The Stack Club, reportedly one of the more democratic businessmen's luncheon clubs in St. Louis, was founded in 1924 as a friendly rival to the Noonday Club. It was initially located at 717 St. Charles Street in St. Louis, on the top floor of a two-story building, adjacent to the smokestack from the St. Louis tunnel. It took its name from its proximity to that smokestack. In 1939, it moved to new quarters atop the Ambassador Building at Seventh and Locust Streets.

Scrapbook of fliers, circular letters, invitations, membership lists, and newsclippings. Cite as: Stack Club Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1553

Stadler, Frances Hurd.

Papers relating to St. Louis neighborhoods, 1962-1995. 5 folders

Papers include newsletters, newsclippings and correspondence regarding the St. Louis neighborhoods of Skinker-DeBaliviere, Rosedale-Skinker and Washington Heights; the 5200 Waterman Blvd. Block Association; and Operation SafeStreet. Also contains correspondence of Frances Stadler with city government offices, newsclippings regarding crime, and pamphlets of the Women's Crusade Against Crime.

Cite as: Frances Hurd Stadler Papers Relating to St. Louis Neighborhoods, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1554

Stadler, Frances Hurd.

***Titanic* Collection, 1912-1997 (bulk 1912).** 1 box; 1 oversize box

Collection contains original correspondence, telegrams, magazines, newspaper clippings, whole newspapers and memorabilia collected by Frances Hurd Stadler's parents, Carlos and Katherine Hurd, between 1912 and 1949, as well as newspaper and magazine clippings relating to her parents and the *Titanic* disaster that she has collected over the intervening years. The Hurds were passengers on the *Carpathia*, which took on passengers from the *Titanic* after it sank.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frances Hurd Stadler *Titanic* Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1555

Stafford Family.

Collection, 1915-1936. 1 box

Collection includes letters, cards, invitations regarding family; autograph book; Dearborn, Missouri, Public School catalogue, 1915-1916.

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

A2256

Stahlberg, Raymond.

Travel Diary, 1914. 1 volume

The collection consists of a 1914 travel diary and a postcard from Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, circa 1916. In 1914, Raymond Stahlberg accompanied his parents on a business trip to Europe just prior to the outbreak of World War I. The diary describes the journey to Europe aboard the *S.S. Baltic*, sightseeing in various major European cities, and events in New York City upon his return to the United States.

Cite as: Raymond Stahlberg Travel Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1556

Stamps collection, 1853-1986. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Commemorative stamps, first-day covers; packet hand stamps, and other kinds of cancellations.

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

A2483

Standard Realty Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Real Estate Tax Bill, 1912. 1 item

Bill for taxes, interest and costs on real estate in St. Louis city block 5557 assessed to the Standard Realty Company for the year 1912. Stamped "paid, May 21, 1915."

Cite as: Standard Realty Co. Real Estate Tax Bill, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1557

Stanford, Homer.

Collection, 1820-1848. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Joshua Stanford was a St. Louis merchant who specialized in flour and dry goods. In 1845, he retired and moved to Griggsville, Illinois.

Collection contains correspondence, receipts, promissory notes, shipping accounts.
Cite as: Homer Stanford Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1558

Starr, Samuel H., 1810-1891.

Papers, 1846-1904. 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Samuel Starr was born July 31, 1810, in Leyden, New York. He enlisted in the United States Army in October 1832, and served with the Engineer Battalion during the Mexican War. He was appointed brevet second lieutenant, 2nd Dragoons, in June 1848 and served in Texas from 1848 to 1854, in Kansas in 1855, in the Sioux and Utah expeditions in 1855-1856, and in the Western territories until 1861. During the Civil War Starr held a number of posts. He served as aide de camp to Brigadier General Joseph Mansfield, who was in command of the Department of Washington, and in August 1861 he was appointed colonel of the 5th New Jersey Infantry. He later commanded the 3rd Brigade, Hooker's Division, Army of the Potomac. He resigned his commission in the volunteer service in October 1862 and returned to the 2nd U.S. Cavalry (formerly the 2nd Dragoons). In April 1863 he was promoted to major of the 6th U.S. Cavalry. After recovering from wounds received at Fairfield, Pennsylvania, in July 1863, Starr was assigned as chief mustering and disbursing officer for the state of Ohio. He held this position from November 1863 to September 1864. In the latter month he was ordered to join Sheridan's army in the Shenandoah Valley. From November 1864 to August 1865 he served as special inspector of cavalry for the Army of the Potomac and the Army of the James. In October 1865 he was ordered with his regiment to Texas. He retired from the army in December 1870. Starr married Eliza Kurtz in 1841. He died November 23, 1891, in Philadelphia and was buried at Arlington National Cemetery in Washington, D.C. Samuel Starr's daughter Kate married William D. Price of Austin, Texas, in 1866. Price served as a captain of the 1st Texas Cavalry (Union) during the Civil War, and following the war he became a prominent lawyer and judge in Austin. He died in 1877.

The Samuel Starr Papers consist primarily of correspondence, military papers, and miscellaneous material regarding Starr's family and his service with various military units. The papers also include several folders of papers regarding William D. Price and his family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Samuel H. Starr Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2143

State of Missouri v. John Caulfield, 1861.

Collection, 1860-1861. 1 folder

The collection consists of sixteen court documents pertaining to the case of *State of Missouri v. John Caulfield*, 1861. Caulfield was tried for assault with the intent to kill in March 1861, convicted of the crime, and sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary. The documents include grand jury indictment, summons, a motion for a new trial, jury instructions, and the jury's written verdict.

Cite as: *State of Missouri v. John Caulfield* Collection, Missouri History Museum

Archives, St. Louis.

A1559

State Union Club of Missouri (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1861-1865. 4 folders; 1 oversize folder

The State Union Club of Missouri was organized in St. Louis in late summer 1861 by a group of men sympathetic to the Union cause in the Civil War. By November, there were ward clubs and branches in 36 counties.

Collection contains a minute book of the executive committee, dated September 1861 to September 1862; correspondence and reports to the executive committee; membership roll of the 8th Ward Union Club, St. Louis; and receipts and bills from St. Louis clubs. Cite as: State Union Club of Missouri Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1560

Steamboats and River History Collection, 1802-1986. 3 boxes; 3 volumes; 4 oversize folders

The Steamboats and River History Collection (formerly the Steamboats 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 bulk of the collection relates to river travel and commerce primarily in the vicinity of St. Louis and on the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers. The collection includes more than 60 receipts and bills of lading, mostly dated pre-1900, for merchandise shipped on the rivers; letters, reminiscences, and journals, many of which contain accounts of nineteenth-century steamboat travel; brochures, booklets and other printed advertising material for tourist excursion boats, including the popular twentieth-century St. Louis steamboats *Admiral*, *President*, and *Delta Queen*; several twentieth-century newspaper clippings reflecting on the steamboat era in the West; menus; tickets; and licenses for steamboat officers. Of particular note is a letter and petition of Robert R. Livingston and Robert Fulton to the governor of Upper Louisiana, dated 1810, requesting a monopoly to operate steamboats on the Upper Mississippi River.

Finding aid available.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Steamboats and River History Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1561

Steele, Elizabeth Little.

Family history, circa 1894. 1 volume

Manuscript titled "Memoirs, Sketches, and Anecdotes of the Stewarts, Littles, Gales, Browns and Others from Whom We Are Descended," compiled probably in the late nineteenth century.

Cite as: Elizabeth Little Steele Family History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1834

Steiner Family.

Papers, 1905-1946. 1 oversize folder

Papers consist of confirmation certificate for Ella Anna Meyer from St. James Evangelical Church, dated April 16, 1905, and certificate of the Domain of the Golden Dragon granted to Ken Steiner, dated December 29, 1946.

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

A1562

Steinestel, J. David (-1849).

Notebook, circa 1840s. 1 volume

J. David Steinestel was one of the first homeopathic physicians in St. Louis; died in the St. Louis cholera epidemic of 1849.

Includes essay on surgery; inventory of estate following the death of his wife in 1847; and inventory of estate after his death.

German manuscript.

Cite as: J. David Steinestel Notebook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2904

Steinnerd, Sylvester.

Papers, 1940-1945. 5 items

Papers include two receipts of florist Gordon W. Kocian, 2251 South Grand, St. Louis, Missouri, to Syl. Steinnerd, 4729 Milentz, St. Louis, March 1940; two payment account cards of Sylvester Steinnerd, 6227a Gravois, with McDougell Furniture Co., 5000 Gravois Ave., 1940; and program for the St. Louis Police Circus, presented by the St. Louis Police Relief Association, 1945.

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

A1563

Stella Maris Child Center (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minutes, 1944-1960 (bulk 1944-1956). 1 box

Minute book, 1944-1956; and director's report to board, February 11, 1960. Original typescript and photocopy.

Cite as: Stella Maris Child Center Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1566

Stephens, Claude E.

Family Papers, 1837-1963. 1 box

Family correspondence in Monroe County, Missouri. Originals and typescripts.

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

A1564

Stephens Family.

Genealogy, no date. 3 boxes

The collection consists mostly of typed genealogical material regarding the Stephens family.

Cite as: Stephens Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1565

Stephens Lithographing and Engraving Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1884-1899. 2 folders; 16 boxes

Successor corporation of the Gast Bank Note Company.

Collection consists of the articles of incorporation (September 29, 1884), minute book (1884-1889), ledgers and sample book of Stephens Lithographing and Engraving Company.

Originally donated to Washington University; incorrectly identified as Gast Bank Note Company Records at the time of donation and at the time of transfer to the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Stephens Lithographing and Engraving Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1567

Sternberg, Frederick.

Architecture Collection, circa 1946-1970.

Renderings, photographs, microfilm, reference materials, and drawings for approximately 200 residential, commercial, and institutional projects, including several buildings at Westminster College, Fulton, Missouri.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Frederick Sternberg Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1568

Stevens Family.

Papers, 1780-1883. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Contains correspondence, wills, land papers of the Stevens family; memo book of Lewis Stevens, 1791-1851, in which he records items like the birth of his children and the buying of slaves; various receipts of Lewis Stevens; papers regarding the estate of John Cordell, 1839; and correspondence regarding the estate of the Chiles family. Collection also includes a broadside announcing auction sale of Dr. R.H. Stevens' farm (U.S. surveys 122.150 part of 102 and part of 419 in Township 45 North, Range 3 East), which includes plat of Dr. R.H. Stevens' farm, which shows Bonhomme Plank Road, Wild Horse Creek, and Wild Horse Road. Sigerson & Brinck, auctioneers. Surveyed and subdivided October 9-13, 1866.

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

A1569

Stevens, Walter Barlow (1848-).

Papers, 1909-1930. 3 boxes; 1 volume

Washington correspondent of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* and historian; secretary of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and the City Plan Commission, 1911-1916; best-known books include *Recollections of Lincoln*, *The Building of St. Louis*, and *History of St. Louis*.

Correspondence regarding Veiled Prophet ball and parade, 1909-1915, and work of Stevens, especially 1900-1930; page proofs, etc. of various literary projects, including manuscript and galley proofs of "Missourians One Hundred Years Ago," written to commemorate the Missouri centennial, 1921.

Cite as: Walter Barlow Stevens Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1819

Stevenson, John (1895-).

Papers, 1952-1979. 1 folder

John Stevenson was born October 1, 1895, in Glasgow, Scotland. He was the son of David and Mary (Gray) Stevenson. Stevenson was the first cousin of author Robert Louis Stevenson. Prior to emigrating to the United States in 1919, Stevenson worked as an apprentice engineer for John Brown Shipbuilders, Glasgow. He was an active member of the British Labor Party and was a Labor candidate for the British House of Commons. In 1933, Stevenson was co-founder of the Mechanics Educational Society of America, the first tool and die union in America. He served as co-editor of the *Craftsman News*, 1941-1946. Stevenson retired from the United Auto Workers in 1963.

The collection consists of correspondence relating to Stevenson's nomination as a member of the International Mark Twain Society and his labor activism. plus articles written by Stevenson.

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

A1570

Stevenson, John Dunlap (1821-1897).

Papers, 1821-1933. 3 folders (approximately 75 items)

John Dunlap Stevenson was born June 8, 1821, in Virginia, and moved to Missouri in the early 1840s. He fought in the Mexican War and later served in the Missouri legislature. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War he was commissioned colonel of the 7th Missouri Infantry (Union). He was later promoted to the rank of brigadier general. He died January 22, 1897, in St. Louis.

Papers contain an undated typescript biography of John D. Stevenson, which includes an account of affairs in prewar Missouri and the affairs of the 7th Missouri Infantry in Missouri, Tennessee, and Mississippi. Also includes five typescript copies of letters of Stevenson to his wife, dated January 1861 to September 1864; general and special orders, dated March to April 1862, regarding measures to be taken to combat guerrilla activity in central Missouri; a general field order congratulating the troops following their expedition to Monroe, Louisiana, dated Vicksburg, Mississippi, September 3, 1863; Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States memorial sketch of Stevenson dated 1897; membership certificate in the Loyal Legion dated 1887; admission card and program for the 15th annual banquet of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee, held in St. Louis on May 11, 1882; two appointments and a commission of Stevenson; and General William T. Sherman's calling card. Also contains *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* article, dated January 5, 1933, regarding Ms. Virginia Stevenson, John Stevenson's daughter.

Cite as: John Dunlap Stevenson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1571

Stevenson, William (1768-1857).

Papers, 1817-1835. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Methodist preacher who was the first protestant to preach in Arkansas and Texas.

Papers include original and typed correspondence between William Woods and William Stevenson concerning collection of debt owed the latter by William Evans. Also includes typed biography of William Stevenson.

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

A1572

Stewart, Alexander P.

Journal, 1838-1842. 1 volume (76 pages)

Journal of personal expenses during years as a cadet at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York, dated July 10, 1838-March 19, 1842.

Cite as: Alexander P. Stewart Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2524

Stewart, John Bruce, Mr. and Mrs.

Papers, 1949. 2 folders

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce Stewart resided at 4961 McPherson Avenue in St. Louis, Missouri. Their daughter Phyllis married John Fred Schlafly. Phyllis Schlafly became a prominent conservative activist.

The collection contains circular letters and advertising material received by Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart from St. Louis businesses selling wedding supplies and services, on the occasion of the engagement of their daughter Phyllis to John Fred Schlafly, Jr., in 1949.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce Stewart Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1573

Stewart, William Drummond.

Papers, 1838-1848. 1 folder (approximately 75 items)

William Drummond Stewart made his first trip to the Rocky Mountains in 1833, as a hunter and adventurer. While attending the annual rendezvous of traders and trappers, he met William L. Sublette, and a warm friendship grew up between them. Five trips were made by Sir William from 1833 to 1838; his last trip was made in 1843.

Papers consist of friendly correspondence to Stewart from William Sublette, Robert Campbell, and others. Photostats.

Photostats were procured from the Scottish Record Office by Mae Reed Porter, author of *Scotsman in Buckskin*, and turned over to Charles van Ravenswaay, then director of the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: William Drummond Stewart Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1841

Stille Family.**Papers, 1857-1896.** 4 items

George H. Stille was born February 28, 1822, in Wechold, Hanover, and settled in St. Louis in 1841. He worked as a clerk for the justice of the peace and was later elected as justice of the peace. He formed a partnership with Arthur Olshauser in a real estate business. He later took in Julius Hertter as partner and then his cousin Werner A. Stille. George H. Stille died February 1, 1898, in St. Louis.

Collection contains the following four items: marriage certificate of George H. Stille and Josephina Luthy, dated St. Louis, April 18, 1857; post office registry receipt of G.H. Stille, dated November 8, 1881; telegram of R.G. Bremermanut, Greenleaf, Kansas, to Geo. H. Stille, St. Louis, February 4, 1883 (includes envelope); and Treasurers Office, State of Missouri, receipt of A.H. Stille, dated July 1, 1896.

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

A1574**Stine, Henry Atkinson (1826-1888).****Papers, 1838-1967.** 4 folders; 1 oversize folder (20 items)

Henry Atkinson Stine, the son of Jacob R. and Emily Miller Stine, was born July 27, 1826, in Carondelet, St. Louis County, Missouri. In 1850 he traveled along the California Trail with the Glenn & Co. wagon train. On February 28, 1859, he married Elizabeth Catherine Smith in St. Louis. In 1861 they crossed the plains in wagons and settled in Denver, Colorado Territory. During the Civil War he served in the 3rd Colorado Cavalry. Following the war the Stine family moved to Omaha and then Kansas City, before returning to St. Louis in 1876. Henry A. Stine died September 3, 1888, in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of the overland journal and correspondence of Henry Atkinson Stine to his mother, dated 1850, which recount his experiences on an overland journey with the Glenn & Co. wagon train from Independence, Missouri, to California. The collection also contains the notebook of Mary Ann Garrett Stine (daughter of Jacob R. and Emily Stine) while attending Lindenwood College in St. Charles, Missouri, in 1838; other papers of the Stine family; and a typescript copy of the journal of Micajah Littleton, who also traveled on the Glenn & Co. wagon train from Independence to California in 1850.

Finding aid available.

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

A2491**Stine, Jacob.****Commission, 1814 Aug 1.** 1 item

Commission of Jacob Stine, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, as first lieutenant of the 6th Company, 1st Battalion, 98th Regiment of the militia of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Cite as: Jacob Stine Commission, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1575**Stinson, Nolan****Architecture Collection, 1951-1975.**

Drawings, models, specifications, renderings, and reference materials relating to approximately 75 residential, institutional, and commercial projects. Includes some projects designed by Frederick Dunn.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Nolan Stinson Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1576

Stock certificates collection, 1835-1948. 3 folders (approximately 200 items)

Collection consists of various issuances of stock certificates ranging from the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to large corporate business certificates.

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

A1577

Stoddard, Amos (1762-1813).

Papers, 1796-1812; 1904-1958. 20 folders (approximately 250 items)

Capt. Amos Stoddard was serving in the West when Louisiana was ceded to the United States. He was designated by the governments of France and the United States to represent them in the formal transfer from Spain to France, and from France to the United States. After the transfer, he remained in command at St. Louis, acting as governor until provision had been made by Congress for the government of the newly acquired territory. Acting upon the advice of President Jefferson, he made few changes in the administration of local affairs, and inaugurated a policy that reconciled the French settlers to the new domination. He was succeeded in the exercise of gubernatorial powers by Gen. William Henry Harrison, governor of the Territory of Indiana, Upper Louisiana having been attached temporarily to the territory by act of Congress in the fall of 1804.

Important part of papers pertain to the transfer of Upper Louisiana Territory from Spain to France to the United States. Also contains papers dealing with his activities as first civil commandant of Upper Louisiana; autobiographical material, circa 1812; and family genealogical information. Items are mostly original with some typescripts.

Finding aid available.

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

A1578

Stone, Abner.

Papers, 1839-1892. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include business and personal correspondence of Abner Stone regarding arriving in St. Louis and creating a lamp manufacturing or repair business; tax receipts; map of the Stanton Copper Works, Franklin County, Missouri (with Abner Stone written on it); newspaper clippings regarding court case involving Stone and his estate.

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

A1579

Stone, Kate H.

Record books, circa 1865-1881. 3 volumes

From Cottleville, Missouri; married name Kate Stone Edwards; sister of Pauline Clay

Stone.

English literature theme book of Kate H. Stone [after 1865]; scrapbook of Kate Stone Edwards, circa 1875-1881; and theme book of Pauline Clay Stone for class of 1873-1874 at Fair View Seminary, St. Charles, Missouri.

Cite as: Kate H. Stone Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1580

Strauss, Julius Caesar.

Order books, 1902-1920. 7 volumes

J.C. Strauss was born in 1857 in Cleveland, Ohio. A prominent portrait photographer, he opened his studio in St. Louis in 1879. He was a pioneer artist and technician, whose work is characterized by natural poses, lighting effects, and soft finishes.

The collection consists of seven volumes of order books for J.C. Strauss' photography studio from August 2, 1902, to December 26, 1920. The entries include date, client, order number, amount paid, amount due, and remarks. Also includes annotations in the margin concerning weather and the whereabouts of J.C. Strauss if ill or out of town. (The Missouri History Museum's Photographs and Prints Department has an extensive collection of original J.C. Strauss photographs.)

Cite as: Julius Caesar Strauss Order Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Streetcar strike papers

See Cavender, John H. Saint Louis streetcar strike papers, 1900.

A1581

Streetcar transfers collection, 1800s. 2 boxes

Streetcar transfers from St. Louis and other cities.

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

A1582

Strother family.

Genealogy, circa 1909-1920s. 3 boxes

Genealogical material for Strother and related families including the Gaines, Huston, Browning, and Marshall families.

Cite as: Strother Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1583

Stuetzer, Elmer N.

"Letters to the editor" collection, 1966-1989. 2 boxes

Resident of Lemay, St. Louis County; accountant with Union Electric; known locally for his prolific writing of "letters to the editor" of St. Louis-area newspapers and to publications nationwide, including the *Washington Post*, the *New York Times*, the *Los Angeles Times*, *U.S. News and World Report*, *USA Today*, *Newsweek*, *U.S. Journal*, and the *Village Voice*.

The collection consists of original clippings of Stuetzer's letters to the editor of publications both in and out of St. Louis. The collection also contains copies of television

editorial replies, cartoons, and photocopies of the letters.

Cite as: Elmer N. Stuetzer "Letters to the Editor" Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1584

Sturgeon, Isaac H. (1821-1908).

Papers, 1816-1939. 3 boxes; 4 volumes

Isaac H. Sturgeon, lawyer and political figure, came to St. Louis in 1846. He was president and general surveyor of the North Missouri Railroad for ten years, and took an active interest in other railroads. Sturgeon was appointed the assistant treasurer of the United States, 1853; he served as the collector of internal revenue for this district, 1875-1885, and was the comptroller for St. Louis in 1893. In 1858, he married Ann Celeste Allen, daughter of Beverly Allen, noted St. Louis lawyer; Judge Nathaniel Pope was the grandfather of Mrs. Sturgeon.

Genealogy material for the Pope family; biographical material for Beverley Allen and Isaac H. Sturgeon; correspondence between Beverly Allen and Penelope Pope, his wife, regarding their marriage, 1834; data pertaining to the Home of the Friendless, 1852; catalogue of Monticello Seminary, and notebook of the Allen girls, 1855-1857; manuscript items regarding the Samuel Kincaid estate, 1859-1860; and manuscript relating some of the incidents in which Isaac Sturgeon played a part during the Civil War, 1861-1865. Also includes three scrapbooks, two of which relate to Sturgeon, 1896-1899 and 1903-1908, the other of which consists of biographical and genealogical data on the Allen, Pope and allied families, covering the span of Sturgeon's life, circa 1821-1908; and one letterbook of letters received by Sturgeon, many from family, 1869-1880.

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

A2190

Sublette, Garnet (1910-1994).

Papers, 1898-1987. 6 boxes

Garnet Sublette was born July 2, 1910, in Montgomery County, Missouri, the daughter of William Porter Sublette and Emma Elizabeth Deardorff Sublette. She is a direct descendent of Louis (Lewis) Soblet and Frances Hill of Virginia. They are all direct descendents of Abraham Soblet, a French Huguenot who came to America in 1700. Garnet Sublette appears to have been a farmer, never to have been married and to have been a school teacher. She died April 16, 1994.

The papers include correspondence from friends, family and businesses. Finding aid available.

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

A1585

Sublette, William L. (1799?-1845).

Collection, 1819-1905. 7 boxes

Businessman, politician, fur trader, and gentleman farmer.

Papers relating to mountain expeditions, the Santa Fe Trail, business associations, personal lives, and property holdings of five brothers engaged in the fur trade: Andrew W. Sublette (1813-1853), Milton Sublette (circa 1801-1837), Pinckney W. Sublette (circa

1811-1828?), Solomon P. Sublette (1816-1857), and William L. Sublette (1799?-1845). Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: William L. Sublette Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1586

Suffrage collection, 1911-1920. 1 box

Suffrage songs and verses by Charlotte Perkins Gilman, 1911-1913; sheet of "Suffrage for Missouri" stamps, 1914; circulars; paper of the Equal Suffrage League of Missouri, 1912-1914, including canceled checks, business accounts with St. Louis firms, and pledge cards.

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

A2387

"Summer Nights in St. Louis County."

Circular, no date. 1 item

Three-page circular titled "Summer Nights in St. Louis County" states in part, "The advantage of living in the suburbs is greatly enhanced to the busy business man and his family by placing a few electric lights over the lawn, so games, such as Croquet, may be played after dark, when the air is cooler. Four (4) standard sixteen candlepower lamps, properly placed, will give sufficient light to play croquet or table games. . . ." Includes photograph of men and women playing croquet outside at night.

Cite as: "Summer Nights in St. Louis County" Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2504

Summerfield, E.

Letter fragment, 1884 July 2. 1 item

Unsigned letter fragment addressed to "dear friend," and written on the stationery of E. Summerfield, merchant tailor, clothier and gents' furnisher, Litchfield, Illinois. The letter writer mentions that he is staying in Litchfield with his uncle in order to learn English; that he is bored; and that he intends to eventually get a job in an apothecary in St. Louis. (Letter is in German with English translation.)

Cite as: E. Summerfield Letter Fragment, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2141

Sunders, John E.

Creve Coeur Lake Scrapbooks, circa 1945-circa 1955. 4 scrapbooks

The collection consists of four scrapbooks containing newspaper clippings and other ephemera relating to Creve Coeur Lake. The subjects include crime, lake history, local events, and postcards.

Cite as: John E. Sanders Creve Coeur Lake Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1587

Superior Press Brick Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute books, 1890-1950. 2 volumes

Brick and tile manufacturing firm, founded in 1890, dissolved in 1944, succeeded by Superior Realty Company, which was formed to dissolve its assets and in turn dissolved in 1950.

Minute books that include the articles of incorporation, by-laws, and minutes of directors' meetings of both the Superior Press Brick Company (1890-1946) and the Superior Realty Company (1944-1950).

Cite as: Superior Press Brick Company Minute Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1588

Surveys collection, 1804-1961. 1 folder (approximately 20 items); 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Surveys of St. Louis, parts of Illinois; plat and survey of the city of St. Louis by Joseph C. Brown, U.S. surveyor, by court order, 1820; review of case of strip of land between Survey No. 1333 and the Mississippi River, 1857, involving public school lands; correspondence regarding tablet marking settlement of River des Peres by the Jesuits. Also includes a volume containing undated plats of city blocks #1 through #3268 in St. Louis, circa 1880s or 1890s.

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

A1589

Suttner, Bertha Felicie Sophie Kinsky, Freifrau von (1843-1914).

Correspondence, 1891-1902. 2 boxes

Austrian author and baroness; wife of the Baron Arthur von Suttner, married 1876; founder of the International Peace Society; Nobel Prize winner, 1905.

Autograph letters to the Baroness von Suttner, relating to the international peace movement, mostly from European luminaries. Collection includes two Mark Twain (Samuel Clemens) letters.

Mostly German and French.

Acquired by William K. Bixby from the Baroness von Suttner in 1912.

List of letters at beginning of collection.

Cite as: Bertha von Suttner Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2922

Sutton, J.M.

Letter, 1856 Jan 11. 1 item

Letter signed J.M. Sutton, Tully, Mo., to Jno. D. Fondren [John D. Fondren], St. Louis, Mo., January 11, 1856. Describes two slaves—a husband and wife aged 28 or 29—who a friend of his wishes to sell.

Cite as: J.M. Sutton Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1590

Sutton, James C. (1797-1877).

Sutton family papers, 1813-1924. 3 boxes

John L. Sutton was born to John and Catherine Compton Sutton in 1795. The family

resided in New Jersey. Two years later, another son, James C., was born. In 1817, John set out for St. Louis. James followed, and after a prolonged illness while traveling through Ohio, arrived in 1819. The two brothers were employed as blacksmiths and enjoyed success at their trade. James is credited with introducing iron-clad wheels, iron- and steel-pointed plows (the Sutton Plow), iron harrow teeth, and iron printers sticks to the area. He also made the locks for the old Spanish jails. In 1825, James retired and purchased 300-400 acres of land from Charles Gratiot. James married Ann Wells of St. Louis in 1829. John Sutton never married and died in 1830. James and Ann Sutton had eleven children, nine of whom lived to adulthood. James bought more land in later years. In 1840, he donated land for a school that would later be known as Benton Station School. James became involved in a steam flour mill that also manufactured lead pipe, sheet lead, flaxseed oil, steel plows, and yarn. The Suttons were also known for their beneficent aid to orphan children. The couple lived on the Sutton homestead (in what is now Maplewood) until their deaths: Ann in 1875 and James in 1877. John L. Sutton, the oldest of James and Ann's eleven children, was born in 1830. At age nineteen, he ventured to California to seek his fortune. He returned to St. Louis three years later. In addition to working as a farmer and stock raiser, he was also involved in other enterprises such as mining in Colorado and Montana and cotton planting in the South. John married Margaret Smith of St. Louis in 1858. The couple had six children. John became the owner of the Sutton homestead at his father's death. John died in 1909.

The collection consist of accounts due to John L. and James C. Sutton while working as blacksmiths, and later accounts of James. The papers also contain deeds and land transactions, legal papers, receipts and bills, tax receipts, and correspondence of and to the Sutton family. The papers are primarily arranged chronologically; however, in some cases documents are filed by subject. A few items are filed oversize.

Finding aid available.

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

A1591

Swacker, Grace Lee.

Papers, 1919-1920. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Founder and president of Missouri Woman's Club of New York City.

Papers include correspondence and newspaper clippings of the Missouri Woman's Club of New York regarding the planting of trees in memoriam to David R. Francis in New York City. Also includes information regarding the welcoming of returning Missouri soldiers from Europe by the Missouri Woman's Club of New York City.

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

A1592

Swaney, Dorothy M. (1913-2001).

"Memories of 'Sylvan Retreat'" / manuscript, 1993-1994. 2 folders

Dorothy M. Swaney was the granddaughter of Patrick and Julia Ward Conlon. She was the daughter of Benjamin F. and Ella Margaret Conlon Swaney.

Collection includes the original and transcript (with name index) of Dorothy M. Swaney's "Memories of 'Sylvan Retreat' (West St. Louis County)," in which she recounts her experiences and memories growing up on the farm. Memoirs cover the period late

1800s to the 1920s. "Sylvan Retreat" was the name given to the acreage (located on Hanna Road, two miles south of Manchester, Missouri) bought by Dorothy's grandparents Patrick and Julia Ward Conlon. The house on the grounds had been built by Gen. Frank P. Blair. Includes reproductions of photographs of family members and of "Sylvan Retreat"; reproduction of a hand-drawn map of the farm; sketches of wagons, carriages, and household implements used on the farm; recipes; brief biographical sketches of the children of Patrick and Julia Ward Conlon, and other genealogical information. Collection also contains copies of Conlon family letters, and correspondence (dated 1993-1994) of Dorothy Swaney with her cousin Mary Sandler regarding the writing of her memoirs.

Cite as: Dorothy M. Swaney "Memories of Sylvan Retreat" Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1593

Swap, Franklin P. (1830-1902).

Papers, 1851-1769; 1941. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Franklin P. Swap was born August 19, 1830, in Schenectady, New York. In the late 1850s he settled in Bedford, Taylor County, Iowa, where he became a dentist. During the Civil War he rose to the rank of captain in the 2nd Iowa Cavalry. He later served as captain in the 4th Missouri State Militia Cavalry and as assistant provost marshal in several locations in central Missouri. Following the war he settled in Boonville, Missouri, where he died September 4, 1902.

Collection contains official papers of Franklin Swap while serving as assistant provost marshal mostly at Warrensburg, Tipton, and Jefferson City, Missouri, including returns of contraband and confiscated property; returns of quartermaster's stores; returns of clothing, camp and garrison equipage; abstracts of articles received, expended, lost or destroyed; charges and specifications and records of court martials, mostly for trials of members of the 4th M.S.M. Cavalry; general orders, dated Department of the Missouri, December 1862, regarding instructions and regulations for provost marshals; and correspondence regarding affairs in central Missouri. Collection also contains some personal correspondence of Franklin Swap; a petition of members of Captain Parke's Company E, 4th M.S.M. Cavalry, dated April 17, 1862, protesting the election of officers; and printed copy of President Lincoln's proclamation of pardon granted to those who have participated in the rebellion, dated December 8, 1863.

Cite as: Franklin P. Swap Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1594

Sweeney Real Estate Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Plat books and title abstracts collection. 155 volumes; 1 (6" x 72") roll tube; 1 folder

The Sweeney Real Estate Company is a St. Louis real estate firm that has collected title abstracts and plat books for St. Louis, St. Louis County, and Jefferson County, Missouri. Many of these volumes were acquired from other St. Louis and Jefferson County-based title abstract companies.

This collection includes several sets of St. Louis plat books (1905) and St. Louis County plat books (1909); numerous title abstracts for St. Louis, St. Louis County, and Jefferson County, documenting land conveyances from original colonial land grants and

American confirmations of same through the 1950s. These records include copies of the Hunt's Minutes, Bates' Record, indexes to wills and administrations, records of major estate settlements and partitions, as well as conventional title abstract volumes. These record books were initially compiled by the firms of Charles H. Kleinschmidt, Miller and Kleinschmidt, Samuel A. Reppy, John A. Reppy, Reppy and Kleinschmidt, and Brewster and Brewster of Jefferson County; and the firms of Lincoln Trust and Title Company, Union Trust Company, Title Insurance Corporation of St. Louis, St. Louis Trust Company, Hunsche-Buder Land Title Company, Edward L. Bakewell Real Estate, Title Guaranty Trust Company, August Gehner and Company, Sterling and Webster Title Abstract Company, McClellan, and Willis L. Williams, of St. Louis. The collection also includes a map of St. Louis and St. Louis County, published by Hearne Brothers, Detroit, circa 1950s or 1960s, and an assortment of St. Louis subdivision plats and land sale broadsides.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Sweeney Real Estate Company Plat Books and Title Abstracts Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1595

Sweringen, James Tower (1807-1870).

Papers, 1818-1872. 1 box (approximately 300 items)

James T. Sweringen (1807-1870), St. Louis merchant and financier, came to St. Louis in 1828 and took an active part in the affairs of the city. He operated a large department store, dealt in real estate, banking, and various commercial affairs. Sweringen was married to Martha Farrar, daughter of Dr. Bernard G. Farrar, in 1832.

Contains papers regarding business, politics, Black Republicanism, secession, the Civil War, reconstruction, sale of Negroes, real estate and the settlement of the Tower family.

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

A1807

Swingley, Charles Ernest (1849-1934).

Papers, 1899. 1 volume

Charles Ernest Swingley was born January 4, 1849, in Ogle County, Illinois. He was the son of George and Anna Elizabeth (Locker) Swingley. The family moved to St. Louis in 1861 where Charles graduated from the public school system. In 1867, he began working as an apprentice in the bricklaying trade. He married Eliza Charlton on June 1, 1869. In 1869 he joined the St. Louis Fire Department and worked in various branches of the service until 1895. In that year he was appointed chief of the Fire Department by Mayor Walbridge, a position he served until 1914. Mayor Kiel appointed Swingley director of public safety in 1914 where he served until 1917. Swingley also served as president of the International Association of Fire Engineers. He died October 1, 1934, in St. Louis.

Bound volume of testimonial letters written on behalf of C.E. Swingley for his reappointment to the position of chief of the fire department in 1899.

Cite as: Charles Ernest Swingley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1596**Switzler Family.****Papers, 1818-1919.** 3 folders (approximately 40 items)

Collection has correspondence regarding David Barton and John Hardeman about political affairs in Missouri; diary of William F. Switzler on a trip to New Orleans from Missouri, January 17, 1836-April 30, 1837 (100 pages); letters of Switzler family in Huntsville, Missouri, 1859-1884; newsclippings regarding Eugene Fields' widow's financial misfortunes; letter of William F. Switzler to the Missouri Historical Society, dated January 5, 1903, regarding the first printing press brought west of St. Louis in 1819 by Matt Patten; Switzler family history.

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

A1597**Sylvester, Frederick Oakes (1869-).****Papers, 1910-1913.** 1 folder; 3 volumes

An artist and teacher, Frederick Oakes Sylvester was appointed the art director of Central High School in St. Louis in 1892. He later became the first art director for Principia, a private school in St. Louis, and was also in charge of exhibitions in the Missouri Room at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. In 1909, he was elected president of the St. Louis Artist's Guild. He also published *Verses* and *The Great River*. Both of these volumes were books of poems.

Papers include sketch books, photographs, poems, etc.; 1891 artistic anatomy sketch and notebook; sketch book of friezes while he was an art teacher at Newcomb College; biographical data.

Cite as: Frederick Oakes Sylvester Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis City

A1372

Saint Louis, Missouri.

City ordinances, 1823-1947. 35 flat storage boxes; 11 volumes

The collection consists of an incomplete run of abstracts, and complete manuscript and typescript copies of St. Louis city ordinances. The collection contains abstracts of ordinances dated 1823-1867 and 1881-1890; and manuscript and typescript copies of complete ordinances dated 1839-1842 and 1845-1878, with scattered copies of ordinances dates 1878-1947. In addition this collection contains several index books to St. Louis city ordinances, among which are indexes to street ordinances and to sewer ordinances.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, City Ordinances, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1373

Saint Louis, Missouri.

Street and sewer records, 1847-1858; 1866-1869; 1914-1926. 2 boxes; 17 volumes

The collection includes two volumes of St. Louis sewer district tax records (1853-1857), arranged by sewer district and city block number. It also includes a construction record of St. Louis harbor improvements (1847-1858) and sewer projects (1851-1858). Street records include abstracts of notices for street railroad repairs from the office of the street railroad commissioner (1866-1869); a record of bills paid for the opening of streets (1871-1873); records of the city engineer's final measurements of streets and alleys (1874-1877); and 12 volumes of street sprinkling schedules (1914-1926).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Street and Sewer Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1347

Saint Louis, Missouri, Assessor.

Dog tax list, 1875. 1 volume

Volume lists the numbers of dogs owned or kept by individuals in the first assessment district of St. Louis in 1875, and which were subject to a dog tax.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Assessor's Dog Tax List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1348

Saint Louis, Missouri, Auditor.

Register of accounts audited. 1823-1827. 1 volume

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Auditor's Register of Accounts Audited, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1349

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Aldermen.

Minutes, 1823-1830; 1835-1836. 2 volumes

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Aldermen's Minutes, Missouri History Museum

Archives, St. Louis.

A1350

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Delegates.

Proceedings, 1839-1840; 1866-1867. 2 volumes

The Board of Delegates of St. Louis in conjunction with the Board of Aldermen, comprised the City Council of St. Louis.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Delegates Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1351

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Education.

Records, [1813]-1898. 1 folder; 41 volumes

The St. Louis public school system was organized in 1833.

This collection includes 24 minute books of the St. Louis Board of Education, dating from 1833 to 1898, with some indexes to same. The collection also includes assorted additional records, including a collection of papers (copies only) relating to the genesis of the St. Louis School Board, as received by Frederick Mosberger, agent for Board of Public Schools, from Charles L. Tucker, previous president of the board (1813-1851); a daybook (1848-1855) that appears to be a record of St. Louis public school expenditures; two copies of a committee report to the Board of Education president and directors relative to the real estate of the board (1858); a small volume of tuition receipts kept by Ira Divoll, collector and superintendent of the St. Louis public schools for the quarter ending June 20, 1862 (dated April-June 1862); district clerk record books for St. Louis public school districts no. 1 (1874-1876), no. 2 (1870-1871 and 1874-1876), no. 4 (1874-1876), no. 5 (1870-1872, 1874-1877), and no. 6 (February-April 1874); and enumeration record of district youths, district no. 2 (1871-1876); payroll books for Normal School teachers (May 1875) and for evening school teachers (November 1875-May 1876); and minutes of the investigating committee on the sale of the Polytechnic Building and other matters (December 1891-January 1892).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Education Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1352

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Election Commissioners.

Poll books and voter registration records, 1838-1845; 1900. 12 volumes

Series of manuscript poll books for elections in the Township of Saint Louis, held at the Old Court House: August 6-9, 1838, election for state and county officers; February 9, 1839, election of justice of the peace; April 12-13, 1839, special election of clerk of the criminal court; and October 9, 1839, special election of members of Congress. Series of manuscript poll books for elections in the Second District of St. Louis held at the Old Court House: August 3-4, 1840, general election, city of St. Louis; November 2-3, 1840, election of circuit attorney and presidential electors; and August 2-3, 1841, county election. Series of manuscript poll books for elections in the Third District of St. Louis held at the Old Court House: August 5, 1844, general election; November 4, 1844, election of clerk of the county court, circuit attorney, and presidential electors; August 4,

1845, election of delegates to the Missouri Constitutional Convention. Printed poll book, arranged by ward #1-28 (undated, before 1879). Printed list of registered voters, October 1900.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Election Commissioners Poll Books and Voter Registration Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1353

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Estimates and Apportionments. Minutes, 1914-1917. 1 volume

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Estimates and Apportionments Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1354

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Freeholders. Proceedings, 1913-1914. 3 volumes

On April 1, 1913, a Board of Freeholders was elected in St. Louis to write a new city charter. The board adjourned sine die on July 3, 1914.

These records contain the summary and detailed minutes of the St. Louis Board of Freeholders, 1913-1914.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Freeholders Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1355

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Police Commissioners. Records, 1861-1911. 6 volumes

The St. Louis police force was made a special department of the city in 1846. It was under the control of the mayor and the city council until 1861 when the legislature established the metropolitan police, under the authority of a board of police commissioners.

These records include the minute book (1861-1867) of the Board of Police Commissioners of St. Louis and contains information on the activities of the board as they relate to the Civil War. Also includes two volumes of personnel records (1861-1894); one volume of records for the special police force established in 1904 with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition (St. Louis World's Fair); and two volumes of correspondence (1909-1911).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Police Commissioners Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1803

Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Public Service. Architectural Drawings, 1917-1941. 9 tubes.

The Board of Public Service, also known as the Board of Public Improvement, was a part of the city's Division of Buildings and Bridges.

The collection contains architectural drawings, linen and blueprints, for five city structures: comfort station and shelter house at Buder Memorial Playground (1919), comfort station and shelter building at Columbus Square (10th & Carr, circa 1919),

heating plans for a comfort station and swimming pool building at 11th & Mullanphy (1917), plumbing equipment for the City Work House (Broadway & Meramec, 1941), and 7 rolls of blueprints for the Civil Courts Building (Tucker, 11th, Market, Chestnut, 1927, dedicated 1930). The Board of Public Service and the Plaza Commission oversaw the design of the Civil Courts Building. The firm of Klipstein & Rathmann designed the building.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Board of Public Service Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1356

Saint Louis, Missouri, Circuit Court.

Records, 1801-1967. 17 boxes; 50 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Prior to 1876, the jurisdiction of the St. Louis circuit court included both the city and county of St. Louis. After the city removed itself from the jurisdiction of the county in 1876, the jurisdiction of the St. Louis circuit court was limited to the city. A new circuit court, based in Clayton, assumed the jurisdiction for St. Louis County after 1876.

The collection consists of files of legal procedures in St. Louis courts including actions concerning indictments, estates, deeds, applications, affidavits, accounts, abstracts, notes, petitions, certificates, damage suits, mortgages, plats, bills for inspection, assault and battery and assault and riot, murders, judgments, slavery, power of attorney, subpoenas, attachments, coroner's inquests, ferry permits, bounties for killing wolves, trespasses, receipts, seizure of properties, and court martials. Some of the earlier material includes records of the court of common pleas and of the court of quarter sessions, both of which later became part of the circuit court. The collection is arranged by file and folder number. The collection also includes a roster of attorneys admitted to appear before the St. Louis land court and then the St. Louis circuit court, often with the date of admission noted (1820-1880); 24 assorted docket books (1820-1823, 1835-1838, and 1840-1883); four motions docket books (1854-1877); three assignment indexes (1866-1874); a fee book (1835-1837); a ledger (1879-1881); three court of appeals docket books (1866-1875); five indexes (1851-1865); minutes of meetings of circuit court judges in conference (1901-1903); testimony in case of Forest Park, Laclede, & Fourth St. Railway Co. vs. Peoples Railway Co. (August 1893); and six jury registers (1852, 1860, and 1872-1883).

The bulk of this collection was donated by Circuit Clerk H. Samuel Priest after the W.P.A. rebound the volumes in April 1941.

Some French.

Case files; found at the St. Louis Court House.

Indexed in five drawers at the end of the Archives Card Catalog.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Circuit Court Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1357

Saint Louis, Missouri, City Collector.

Record books, 1841-1869. 12 volumes

These records include one volume of rents for lands in the St. Louis Commons (1841-1850); 10 volumes of merchant tax lists, arranged alphabetically (1850-1869); and one

volume of property tax receipts, by block number (1864-1865), with merchants' tax receipts from 1864.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, City Collector Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1358

Saint Louis, Missouri, City Lighting Department.

Atlases, 1898-1939. 3 volumes

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, City Lighting Department Atlases, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1359

Saint Louis, Missouri, City Register.

Records, 1823-1913. 39 boxes; 60 volumes

In 1876, St. Louis city removed itself from the jurisdiction of St. Louis County. After that date, the office of the city register assumed for the city of St. Louis many of the functions hitherto exercised by the St. Louis County clerk.

This collection consists of the records of the St. Louis city register—the city equivalent to a county clerk. The kinds of records to be found in this collection include deeds, bonds, certificates, etc. (dated 1823-1911, and arranged sequentially by instrument number), to which the city of St. Louis was a party or in which the city held an interest. Also includes bound indexes to bonds (1859-1911); contracts (1866-1884; 1890-1894); Kiel Auditorium booking contracts (1945-1955); deeds and related instruments (1830-1892); official oaths (1847; 1860-1863; 1875-1894), including oaths of aldermen (1915-1923); tavern, dram shop, and peddlers' licenses (1857-1874); assorted receipts and bills (1872-1873; 1878-1884); records of election and appointment (1880-1888; 1898-1915); registers of physicians, surgeons, and dentists in St. Louis (1874-1883; 1902-1909); records of documents received (1889-1911, 1921-1926, and 1933-1937); records of vouchers (1907-1911); and city agency job descriptions (1939). Records also relate to real estate vested in the city of St. Louis. This part of the collection includes records of the sales of the St. Louis Commons (1836; 1843-1856); and records of property acquired by the city for various purposes (1828-1878). It also contains a volume of St. Louis land surveys, with plats and descriptions, transcribed in 1865 by the office of the United States recorder of land titles from the original volumes of the office of the surveyor of public lands in Illinois and Missouri, which includes surveys of lands in St. Louis designated and set apart for schools (1840-1865); block surveys of the city of St. Louis (1837) and Carondelet (no date) made by U.S. deputy surveyor Jos. C. Brown; and field notes of the surveys of common field lots adjoining the town of St. Louis, made by U.S. deputy surveyor Rene Paul (1826).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, City Register Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1360

Saint Louis, Missouri, Committee of Public Health.

Minute book, 1849. 1 volume

The Committee of Public Health was formed in St. Louis by ordinance 2215 of the

city council to help prevent the spread of cholera within the city during the summer of 1849.

These minutes include the records of daily meetings of the St. Louis Committee of Public Health, the reports of block inspectors, notices of deaths of prominent individuals, and records of the problems with immigrants arriving by boat and lists of those quarantined, dated June 27-August 1, 1849.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Committee of Public Health Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1361

Saint Louis, Missouri, Council.

Journals of the council, 1867-1868; 1877-1879. 3 volumes

In the 1860s and 1870s, the council was the St. Louis municipal assembly.

These volumes are minute books of the St. Louis Council.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Council Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1362

Saint Louis, Missouri, Court of Common Pleas.

Records, 1843-1866. 19 volumes

Prior to 1876, the jurisdiction of the St. Louis court of common pleas included both the city and county of St. Louis.

The collection consists of three volumes of abstracts of judgment (1844-1855 and 1861-1865); three return dockets (1841-1846 and 1865-1866); a trial docket (1862-1865); an index (1851-1866); and ten fee books (1841-1860; 1863-1865).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Court of Common Pleas Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1363

Saint Louis, Missouri, Court of Criminal Corrections.

Select records, circa 1835-1900. 7 boxes

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Court of Criminal Corrections Select Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1364

Saint Louis, Missouri, Forest Park Commission.

Correspondence regarding land claims for areas of Forest Park, 1876-1877. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Correspondence to the office of the commission of Forest Park from different individuals regarding land claims for areas of Forest Park (St. Louis).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Forest Park Commission Correspondence Regarding Land Claims for Areas of Forest Park, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1365

Saint Louis, Missouri, House of Refuge.

Journal of commitments, 1854-1899. 1 volume

The House of Refuge in St. Louis was the city children's home for indigent, orphaned, and delinquent children.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, House of Refuge Journal of Commitments, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1366

Saint Louis, Missouri, Land Commissioner.

Records, 1825-1889. 4 volumes

The collection includes two volumes of the proceedings of the St. Louis land commissioner's court in regard to the opening of streets and alleys in accordance with city ordinances (1862-1875); and one volume of abstracts of deeds in St. Louis and Carondelet. It also includes a record book containing records of special taxes assessed, commissioner's reports and decree of the court confirming same in regarding the partition of the Eliza Clemens estate, and abstracts of deeds locating the right-of-way of the St. Louis and Suburban Railway from Union Blvd. to Catalpa Street, no date.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Land Commissioner Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1367

Saint Louis, Missouri, Land Court.

Records, 1851-1866. 4 volumes

The jurisdiction of the St. Louis land court included St. Louis City and County.

The collection consists of two docket books (1851-1866) and two fee books (1853-1859).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Land Court Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1368

Saint Louis, Missouri, Probate Court.

Indexes to abstracts, [1895 Feb 22-1953 July 17]. 20 volumes

The collection contains two sets of indexes to abstracts of the St. Louis probate court records. Three volumes, indexing case numbers 21,000 to 25,567, are arranged sequentially. Seventeen other volumes, indexing case numbers 25,557 to 113,989, are each arranged alphabetically. These indexes refer to records dated February 22, 1895 (#21,000) to July 17, 1953 (#113,989).

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Probate Court Indexes to Abstracts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1369

Saint Louis, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds.

Indexes to recorded deeds, 1804-1835; 1837-1840; 1845-1847. 4 volumes

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds Indexes to Recorded Deeds, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1370

Saint Louis, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds.

Marriage records, 1808-1836. 1 volume

Abstracts of marriages. Photostat copy.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds, Marriage Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1371

Saint Louis, Missouri, Street, Water, and Sewer Department Laboratory.

Record of cement testing, 1895-1904. 1 volume

This volume contains records of tests on different brands and mixes of cement, especially of their tensile strength, on behalf of the St. Louis Water Department.

Cite as: Saint Louis, Missouri, Street, Water, and Sewer Department Laboratory Records of Cement Testing, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2328

Saint Louis, Missouri, Water Division.

Letter to Isaac H. Lionberger, 1932 Mar 12. 1 item

Unsigned typescript letter of the Water Division to Isaac H. Lionberger includes a brief description of St. Louis' first reservoir, built in 1831, and states that a reservoir was not built on the "Big Mound."

Cite as: Saint Louis Water Division Letter to Isaac H. Lionberger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Saint Louis County

A1410

Saint Louis County, Missouri.

Justice of the peace marriage registers, 1839-1853; 1867-1874. 2 volumes

These volumes are records of marriages performed by St. Louis County Justices of the Peace Frederick Kretschmar, 1839-1853; Levi Block, 1867-1869; and George J. Decker, 1869-1874.

Cite as: Justice of the Peace Marriage Registers, Saint Louis County, Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1411

Saint Louis County, Missouri.

Record of road districts, 1832-1841. 1 volume

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Record of Road Districts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1400

Saint Louis County, Missouri, Board of Election Commissioners (Clayton, Missouri).

Abstracts of votes cast, 1918-1974. 14 boxes; 14 oversize folders

Collection consists of abstracts of votes cast in primary and general elections, and occasionally in special elections in St. Louis County, 1918, 1924-1974.

Finding aid available.

Records are available on microfilm.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Board of Election Commissioners, Abstracts of Votes Cast, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1401

Saint Louis County, Missouri, Board of Election Commissioners (Clayton, Missouri).

Voter registration books, 1924-1936. 608 volumes

Between 1924 and 1936, St. Louis County contained the five townships of St. Ferdinand, Central, Carondelet, Bonhomme, and Meramec. St. Louis County did not at this time include the city of St. Louis.

The collection consists of four sets of precinct-level voter registration books for each of the county's five townships. The four sets of books are dated January to October 1924; 1924-1928; 1928-1932; and 1932-1936.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Voter Registration Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1402

Saint Louis County, Missouri, Carondelet Township.

Justice of the peace docket book, 1852-1861. 1 volume

Bernard Poepping served as justice of the peace in Carondelet Township in St. Louis

County, between 1852 and 1861.

Docket book dated August 16, 1852-August 1, 1861.

Cite as: St. Louis County, Missouri, Carondelet Township, Justice of the Peace Docket, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1403

Saint Louis County, Missouri. Circuit Court (Clayton, Missouri).

Docket books, 1909-1910; 1913-1922; 1925-1933. 5 volumes

The jurisdiction of the St. Louis County circuit court excludes the city of St. Louis.

The collection consists of five attorneys' docket books.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Circuit Court Docket Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1404

Saint Louis County, Missouri, Collection, 1806-1972. 3 folders (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes items pertaining to St. Louis County including 1876 road tax book, Bethlehem Township, St. Louis County, kept by I.C.W. Jones; scripts of "Suburban Spotlight," St. Louis radio program concerning St. Louis County, 1961; brochures with histories on Richmond Heights, Wellston, Pine Lawn, Creve Coeur, Webster Groves, Ferguson, and Clayton.

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

A1405

Saint Louis County, Missouri.

Coroners' records, 1838-1848; 1858-1861. 4 volumes

Collection contains record book of inquests maintained by Esrom Owens, St. Louis County coroner, 1838-1848, with assorted accounts at end of volume dated 1840-1844. Records of St. Louis County coroner Dr. Louis Charles Boisliniere, 1858-1861, consisting of book of inquests, reference book, and volume of notes for reporters. Record book of inquests of Esrom Owens (1838-1848) and record book of inquests of Dr. Louis Charles Boisliniere (1858-1861) are abstracted in Dennis Northcott, compiler, *St. Louis County Coroner's Records, 1826-1873: Taken from Records in the Missouri Historical Society Archives* (1997). These records are also indexed in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Coroners' Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1406

Saint Louis County, Missouri, County Clerk (Clayton, Missouri).

Records, 1879-1955. 13 boxes

The city of St. Louis separated from the St. Louis County in 1876. Thereafter the county seat for St. Louis County was Clayton.

The collection consists of a selection of records filed with the St. Louis County clerk and the clerk of the St. Louis County Court. They include St. Louis County Council

resolutions regarding disposal of records (1972); bonds (1879-1915, incomplete); leases (1908-1950); petitions (1887-1934); dram shop licenses (1889, 1914, and 1920); sewer district ordinances (1917 and 1919); documents regarding George Skillman vs. George J. Roth (1926-1927); records regarding the Dartsdale and Dartsdale #2 subdivisions (1927); Chicago Ridge Construction Company assignments (1929-1930); St. Louis County relief and unemployment requisitions and appropriations (1932-1934); certificates of authority, and powers and revocations of attorney (1930-1941); and a survey dated 1949. Records also include institutionalization, commitments, admissions, and bills from the Missouri State Sanitarium (1916), City Infirmity (1921, 1941, 1945-1948), St. Louis Training School (1924-1925, 1943-1950), St. Vincent's Asylum (1903-1911, 1913, 1927-1929), and various hospitals (1941, 1947-1949). Also includes applications and reports of the Board of Plumbing Inspectors (1930-1947); applications and petitions of the Electric Company of Missouri (1916); statements of expenditures and appropriations of the St. Louis County Farm Bureau (1929-1940); records of sales of school lands (1888-1890 and 1893); school fund statements (1955); canceled school warrants (1952-1954); St. Louis County departmental reports (1939-1941); public objections and replies to St. Louis County zoning plans (1945-1946); and certificates from cities for road tax refunds, A to L (1940).

A portion of these records were marked for disposal by the St. Louis County Council, 1972.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, County Clerk Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1412

Saint Louis County Clerk.

Records, circa 1825-1853; 1856-1876. 9 volumes

This collection contains an assortment of the records of the Saint Louis County clerk from the years prior to the St. Louis City-County split. One volume contains two alphabetical listings of male citizens residing in the six wards of the city of St. Louis and six townships of St. Louis County during the early 1850s. Other volumes include a county treasurer's account book (1838-1849) and record of receipts, by township and range (1872-1873); justice of the peace commissions (1824-1856); oaths of justices of the peace (1856-1874); and records of notaries' commissions and bonds (1866-1876).

Cite as: Saint Louis County Clerk Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1407

Saint Louis County, Missouri, County Court.

Proceedings, 1824-1877. 29 volumes

The jurisdiction of the St. Louis County Court prior to the St. Louis City-County split was both the city of St. Louis and St. Louis County. After 1876, its jurisdiction was limited to only the city of St. Louis. Also known as the St. Louis County Commission.

This collection consists of a run of the proceedings and indexes to same of the St. Louis County Court (1824-1876). It also includes one minute book of the county court (1865-1868) two volumes with indexes of St. Louis County Court proceedings regarding school lands and moneys (1854-1877).

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Court, Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1408

Saint Louis County, Missouri, Highway Department.

Records of Jefferson Barracks Bridge, 1944-1959. 1 box

For more than 75 years, beginning in 1869, businessmen, civic leaders and residents of south St. Louis and southern Illinois were interested in the construction of a bridge spanning the Mississippi River near the southern boundary line of the Jefferson Barracks military reservation in St. Louis County. The first group formed to pursue this goal was the Carondelet Bridge Corporation. No bridge was built, perhaps because of the financial and engineering difficulties encountered in the building of Eads Bridge in the 1870s. It was not until July 24, 1940, that an application of St. Louis County for approval of plans for the bridge was approved by the U.S. War Department at a hearing at the U.S. Court House in St. Louis. Ground-breaking ceremonies were held under the auspices of the Lindbergh Bridge Association (name later changed to the Jefferson Barracks Bridge Association) August 5, 1942. The bridge, built to serve highway traffic only, was dedicated December 9, 1944.

The Jefferson Barracks Bridge records include managers monthly reports, traffic records, revenue reports, budgets, and managers expenses, 1944-1956; the St. Louis County Toll Bridge Audit, 1946, 1951-1958; correspondence of the Jefferson Barracks Bridge Association, composed of representatives of various business organizations of south St. Louis and southern Illinois, 1947-1955; and printed material including brochures and the bridge dedication program, December 9, 1944.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Highway Department Records of Jefferson Barracks Bridge, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1409

Saint Louis County, Missouri, Meramec Township.

Justice of the peace record book, 1878-1888. 1 volume (200 pages)

Record book, dated November 21, 1878–September 10, 1888, was maintained by three successive justices of the peace for Meramec Township: George Horneker, 1878-1882; Herman Heinze, 1882-1885; and William Doerges, 1885-1888.

Cite as: Saint Louis County, Missouri, Meramec Township, Justice of the Peace Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1399

Saint Louis County (Missouri Territory) Probate Court.

Minute book, 1806-1820. 1 volume

Photostat negative copy.

Cite as: Saint Louis County (Missouri Territory) Probate Court Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1598**T.H. Killoren & Sons (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Account books, 1905-1933.** 5 volumes

Plumbing company of Thomas H. Killoren and his sons Thomas A.J. and John A. Killoren. Thomas H. Killoren established himself as an independent plumber in St. Louis in 1875, located initially at 615-619 Pine, then at 4 South Jefferson Avenue as of 1879, and finally at 2334 Market as of 1887. His company was renamed T.H. Killoren & Sons as of 1920. The firm remained in business under that name at its Market Street location until at least 1947.

Cite as: T.H. Killoren & Sons Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2305**Tailor's Union Shop (St. Louis, Mo.)****Advertising circular, 1835 Dec.** 1 item

This advertising circular for the Tailor's Union Shop, located opposite the mayor's office, Olive Street, states in part, "At a meeting of the 'United Benevolent Society of Journeymen Tailors,' convened on the evening of the 3d inst., it was unanimously resolved to establish a *Union Shop* in this city, for the purpose of accommodating their friends and the public, in their line of business, on the most liberal and accommodating terms, which will be governed by their present bill of prices, with the customary advance for cutting. . . ." The circular lists the following directors: Taylor, Story, Howard, Rumsey, and Waples.

Cite as: Tailor's Union Shop Advertising Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1599**Talbot Family.****Family tree, no date.** 1 oversize folder

Joseph Talbot–Mary Burket family tree, engraving published by Moss Eng. Co., New York.

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

A1600**Tandy, Lura Boulton (-1925).****Papers, 1886-1943.** 9 boxes

Lura Boulton Tandy (Mrs. R.L.), genealogist and co-editor of *Lewis and Kindred Families*, published in 1905.

Collection includes Tandy's research correspondence and correspondence with persons seeking genealogical information, many in response to the publication of her book. The book's genealogies embrace four of the Lewis families of Virginia, but a more full and extended account of the Warner Hall Lewis family or the descendants of Robert Lewis of Brecon, Wales; the Dibrell family, the Cobbs family, with brief sketches of other families including those of Lee, Meriwether and Fearn.

Cite as: Lura Boulton Tandy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1601

Taussig, William (1826-1913).

Letterbook, 1868-1883. 1 volume (700 pages)

William Taussig studied medicine at the University of Prague. He immigrated to New York City in 1847, and worked there as an analytical chemist. He came to St. Louis in 1848, where he worked with the drug house of Charless, Blow and Co., and attended Pope's Medical College. He married Adele Wuerpel in 1857. He was elected mayor of Carondelet in 1852 and judge of the St. Louis County Court in 1859. In 1865, he was named collector of internal revenue by President Lincoln. After the Civil War, he became first president of the Trader's Bank, and in 1889 became the first president of the Terminal Railroad Association. He was influential in the building of the Eads Bridge in St. Louis.

Letterbook, with some typescript translations, mainly relating to Terminal Railroad Association affairs, 1868-1883.

Some German handwriting.

Cite as: William Taussig Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1602

Taxes and tax lists collection, 1805-1898. 3 boxes; 9 oversize folders; 38 volumes

This collection consists of assorted materials, acquired from a variety of sources, that relate to taxes and taxation in St. Louis and Missouri. These materials are housed together due to their common subject matter. The collection includes tax lists for the District of St. Louis, 1805; assessment of township of St. Louis for territorial tax, 1815; assessments of the county of St. Louis for territorial taxes, 1816, 1817; St. Louis City and County tax lists, 1819; property tax list for St. Louis, 1823; Scott County real estate tax list, 1827; abstracts of land sold at the land office at St. Louis, January 2, 1834–January 1, 1835; printed tax sales notices published in supplements to Jefferson City, Missouri, newspapers announcing auctions of lands throughout Missouri on which delinquent taxes were not paid, arranged by county for the years 1843-1849, 1851-1852; abstracts of land sold at the land office in Fayette, Missouri, 1845; Barry County tax list, 1836; and assorted examples of tax assessments, forms, and receipts. The larger part of the collection consists of assorted property tax lists from Missouri counties during the territorial period and early Missouri statehood, most of which were housed with the Missouri Register of Land Titles in Jefferson City, Missouri. This collection includes tax lists from Boone County, 1821-1841; Callaway County, 1821-1842; Cape Girardeau County, 1817-1840; Chariton County, 1821-1837; Clay County, 1822-1842; Cooper County, 1819-1841; Franklin County, 1819-1842; Howard County, 1817-1841; Marion County, 1827-1841; Monroe County, 1831-1842; Montgomery County, 1819-1841; St. Charles County, 1805-1841; St. Francois County, 1822-1840; Ste. Genevieve County, 1805-1863. The collection also contains one volume titled "Tax Lists by Counties" containing partial listing of persons assessed with notes of original land claimants in several Missouri counties, 1836, with annotations dating to 1849; and printed notices of delinquent property taxes in St. Louis County for the years 1833 and 1834, and records of delinquent property taxes, 1896-1898, with notes on disposition (case numbers 6960-7372). Additional separately housed tax lists for St. Louis and St. Louis County include a Saint Louis County tax list of real property, covering both the city wards and the county

townships, 1836; a tax book for the City and Township of St. Louis, 1841; a St. Louis County tax list of real and personal property in the city limits (names A-L only), 1847-1848; a tax book for the second assessment district of St. Louis County, 1853; and a St. Louis County tax list for roads and schools, 1855-1859.

Cite as: Taxes and Tax Lists Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1603

Taylor, George R. (1818-1880).

Papers, 1840-1882; 1949. 3 boxes

George R. Taylor was a lawyer and land and railroad investor. He came to St. Louis in 1841, and formed a partnership with Judge Wilson Primm, which continued until 1849. He married Theresa L. Paul, daughter of Gabriel Paul, in 1846.

This collection consists of personal letters; business correspondence regarding George R. Taylor's land and railroad interests; his ownership of Barnum's Hotel; his land holdings in Kansas, Missouri, and Arkansas; and deeds, real estate plats, bills, promissory notes, and tax receipts. Some material of specific interest includes material relating to the Pacific Railroad during the Civil War; and correspondence of L.A. Pratt, who leased Barnum's Hotel, regarding operations of the hotel, 1862-1872.

Cite as: George R. Taylor Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Taylor, Isaac S.

Jefferson Memorial Building Drawings, no date.

See Missouri Historical Society Records.

A1605

Teasdale, Sara, 1884-1933.

Papers, 1905-1956. 8 boxes

A lyric poet, Sara Teasdale was born in St. Louis to Mary Elizabeth Willard and J.W. Teasdale, owner of a wholesale dry goods firm. She was educated at Mrs. Ellen Dean Lockwood's school and at Hosmer Hall. In 1904, she formed a group called the Potters with friends who were also aspiring artists and writers. They produced a hand-illustrated and handwritten monthly magazine called *The Potter's Wheel*. Teasdale's poems were first published in the *Wheel*. She gained prominence as a writer with the assistance of publisher William Marion Reedy who printed a number of her early works in *Reedy's Mirror*. Her published books of poetry include *Sonnets to Duse and Other Poems* (1907), *Rivers to the Sea* (1915), *Love Songs, Flame and Shadow* (1920), and *Stars Tonight* (1930). Sara Teasdale was plagued by ill health her entire life. Illness caused her to return from Europe in 1932 where she had been researching a book on Christina Rossetti. She divorced her husband, Ernst Filsinger, that same year. In 1933, she committed suicide.

Correspondence of Sara Teasdale relating to her work, the Potters, and her business and personal life. Includes letters from Williamina Parrish, Margaret Conklin, Hazel Lukas, Vine Colby, and Max Putzel; photographs; clippings; books of poetry; and drafts of her poems. Also includes correspondence of Teasdale to her husband Ernst Filsinger and his family, and papers of Filsinger himself. In part copies.

Finding aid available.

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

A1606

Television collection, 1957-1963. 1 box (approximately 50 items)

Collection concerns television industry in St. Louis. Contains printed materials regarding television stations in St. Louis; newsletters and discussion sheets of "Metroplex—A Collaboration of Washington University Civic Education Center and [KETC]"; and script and program of St. Louis Emmy Awards, June 7, 1986.

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

A1607

Telva, Marion (1898-1962).

Correspondence, 1905-1932. 2 boxes

Born Marion Elsa Taucke in St. Louis, Marion Telva moved to New York City at the age of 20, where she became a star at the Metropolitan Opera. In 1930, she married Elmer Ray Jones, president of the Wells Fargo Company. She died October 23, 1962, in Connecticut.

Collection consists primarily of the letters of Mrs. Elsa Taucke in St. Louis to her daughter Marion Telva in New York City. Many of these letters include newspaper clippings from St. Louis papers regarding the local singing community and local society news. Collection also contains some other family correspondence.

Cite as: Marion Telva Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2554

Ten-Fifteen Washington Corporation (St. Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1944-1957. 1 volume

Ten-Fifteen Washington Corporation was incorporated April 6, 1944. The company was located at 1015 Washington Avenue in St. Louis.

The record book consists primarily of minutes of meetings of directors and stockholders. Also includes the stockholders subscription list, certificate of incorporation, and other records of the company. This bound volume has been disbound.

Cite as: Ten-Fifteen Washington Corporation Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1608

Terminal Railroad Association of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1864-1953. 14 boxes; 26 volumes; 1 oversize folder

The Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis was incorporated in 1889 under the laws of the state of Missouri. Its charter was amended in 1944 so as to make its corporate existence perpetual. Dr. William Taussig, president of the St. Louis Illinois Bridge and Tunnel Company, proposed the formation of the company composed of the important railroads entering and leaving St. Louis to coordinate activities of the rail lines. The association would take over properties and facilities in St. Louis and operate them under joint ownership. Taussig was elected the association's first president in 1890 and held that position until 1896. The first item on their agenda was the building of a suitable union station. The corporate structure of the terminal system was quite complex consisting of the terminal and 21 subsidiaries. As a result of a corporate simplification program begun

in 1952, the number of subsidiary companies, as of August 1, 1960, was reduced to five. These companies are the following: Terminal Realty Company; St. Louis Merchants Bridge Terminal Railway Company; St. Louis Bridge Company; Tunnel Railroad of St. Louis; and the Wiggins Ferry Company. The terminal is a fully integrated railway company with its own personnel. Its principal functions are the intermediate handling of traffic overheading the St. Louis–East St. Louis Gateway, the terminal switching of line haul traffic which originates or terminates in the St. Louis–East St. Louis Switching District, and the operation of St. Louis Union Station. The terminal's activities also include the operation of Eads Bridge (owned by the St. Louis Bridge Company) and the Merchants Bridge (owned by the St. Louis Merchants Bridge Terminal Railway Company).

Collection of minutes, correspondence, deeds, stock certificates, stock ledgers, annual reports, and account books for the following companies: Illinois and St. Louis Bridge Company (records, 1867-1879; deeds, minutes, 1867-1868; stockholders minutes, 1868-1879; journal, 1872-1874; ledgers, 1867-1876; and reports of engineers regarding construction of Eads Bridge, 1868-1873); Illinois and St. Louis Bridge Company and St. Louis Tunnel Railroad Company (annual reports, 1875, 1877-1878); St. Louis and Illinois Bridge Company (minutes, 1864-1868; minutes of the Construction Committee, 1869-1870, and Executive Committee, 1869-1873); St. Louis Bridge Company (correspondence, much of it with J.P. Morgan and Company regarding stock purchase, 1908-1912; papers relating to creation of the company, 1878-1894; account books, 1879-1881; stock ledgers: first preferred, 1880-1908, and second preferred, 1883-1911; and stock certificates, 1880-1886); St. Louis Bridge Company and Tunnel Railroad of St. Louis (minutes of annual meetings, 1913-1944; stockholders list, 1879-1945; proxies, 1880-1944; records and correspondence, 1878-1949; and annual reports, 1879-1888); St. Louis Merchants Terminal Railroad Company (deeds, 1890-1892); St. Louis Tunnel Railroad Company (record book No. 2, deeds, minutes of stockholders meetings, 1877-1878; paper relating to organization of Tunnel Railroad Company of St. Louis as a result of foreclosure and sale of property of St. Louis Tunnel Railroad Company, 1878-1879); Terminal Railroad Association (minutes, 1889; records and correspondence, 1873-1912; corporate history, no date; journal vouchers, 1891; statement of rents and receipts, 1890-1891, 1911-1912; monthly income statements, 1928-1929, 1931; Union Station statement, 1919-1920, 1927; and track agreements, 1873-1901); Union Depot Company (minutes of proceedings of governing board for erecting a union depot, 1874-1889, and minutes of Directors and Executive Committee meetings, 1874-1953); and the Wiggins Ferry Company (early deeds and records, 1865-1902, 1932; stock certificate books, 1884-1897; and trustee receipt books, 1886-1903). Also includes material for the East St. Louis and Carondelet Railways, 1872-1894; East St. Louis Connecting Railway Company, 1883-1891; East St. Louis Elevator Warehouse Company, 1867; Lorenzo Realty Company (journal vouchers, 1918-1920); Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, 1865; Pennsylvania Company (proxies, 1883-1885); St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute Railroad Company, 1860s; St. Louis Merchants Bridge Terminal Railway Company, 1890s; and Union Railway and Transit Company, 1875-1889.

Cite as: Terminal Railroad Association of Saint Louis Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1609**Terry, Robert James.****Papers, 1885-1966.** 20 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Robert James Terry (born 1867 or 1871, died 1966) attended Smith Academy, Cornell University, Missouri Medical College and received his B.A. degree from Washington University. He became a professor at Washington University in 1903 and retired in 1941 to Weston, Massachusetts. He founded the St. Louis Chapter of the Audubon Society and was one of the founders of the St. Louis Country Day School, a president of the St. Louis Academy of Science, and a member of the St. Louis Town and Gown Society. A park/playground located at Eads and Compton Streets in St. Louis was named after him. Terry was married to Grace Speck, 1897; their family consisted of three children, Celeste (Mrs. Howard M. Forbes), Dr. Robert J. Terry, and Charles S. Terry.

Collection contains both personal and professional correspondence and various committee reports on anatomical issues. Includes information concerning the Naturalist Club (St. Louis) and the St. Louis Audubon Society; genealogy information; an account book of Ashworth and Hudson [?]; photographs of his friends and family; postcards from around the world; textbooks concerning Germany [1918]; and reports of the anatomical society committee for the revision of anatomical nomenclature. An addition to the collection consists of family correspondence including genealogy of the Terry and related families; also correspondence regarding the St. Louis Town and Gown Society, and the administration of Country Day School.

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

A1611**Tesson, Elmire P.****Collection, 1757-1861.** 3 folders (approximately 75 items)

Collection of correspondence, deeds pertaining to Walter Wilkinson and the War of 1812. Also includes correspondence from family and friends in Washington, D.C., regarding political ideas.

Cite as: Elmire P. Tesson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1610**Tesson family.****Papers, 1797-1910.** 3 boxes

Family of Michel Tesson des Ravines, who came to the United States from Santo Domingo in 1808. They became connected with the family of Thomas Forsyth in 1862, when Edward M. Tesson married Laura Forsyth, the daughter of Thomas' son Robert. Thomas Forsyth was born in Detroit in 1771, and died in St. Louis in 1883. He lived in Peoria until the outbreak of the War of 1812 when he moved his family to St. Louis. He served as Indian sub-agent for the Indians at Peoria, and in 1819 was appointed full agent for the Sauk and Foxes. He retired in 1830 to live as a St. Louis business man.

This collection consists of papers of the related families of Michel Tesson des Ravines and of Thomas Forsyth. The bulk of the collection dates from 1810 to 1828 and consists of Thomas Forsyth's correspondence, papers relating to his activities as an Indian agent and his properties in Peoria, Illinois, Indian trade permits, and Forsyth's accounts at the U.S. fur trade factory at Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin. In addition, it contains papers of

the Michel Tesson des Ravines family relating to the revolution in Santo Domingo and to family properties confiscated by the Haitian government after the revolution. Other papers include deeds of the St. Ferdinand, Missouri, area; papers related to recruiting by Capt. Walter Wilkinson in the War of 1812; Thomas Forsyth account books (1806-1815) with the Peoria Indians; receipts; a personal account of an unidentified woman, 1865-1868; genealogical materials; and miscellany.

Some French.

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

A2396

Teutenberg, F.W.

Circular, circa 1879. 1 item

Circular of F.W. Teutenberg's, 1816 Franklin Avenue, [St. Louis, Missouri], titled "Something New for Bakers and Confectioners" states that "Bakers and Confectioners would do well to provide themselves with a New Patent Egg Beater or a Sponge Cake Machine. . . ." Circular includes illustration of egg beater. Also notes, "Repairing and new ones made by N. Engels, 2616 South Seventh St."

Cite as: F.W. Teutenberg Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1612

Texas collection, 1822-1934. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Items pertaining to the annexation of Texas with typescripts; 15 typescript copies of letters of Sam Houston, 1829-1860, regarding Texas and Mexico.

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

A1613

Thayer, Amos Madden (1841-1905).

Papers, 1865-1876. 2 volumes

Amos Madden Thayer was born October 10, 1841, in Chautauqua County, New York. Soon after his graduation from college in 1862, he was commissioned 2nd lieutenant of Company D, 112th New York Infantry. He later transferred to the United States Signal Corps, where he served as 1st lieutenant until the close of the war. Following the war he moved to St. Louis, where he passed the bar and later spent several years as a judge. He died April 24, 1905, in St. Louis.

Contains Thayer's diary, dated March 29-May 12, 1865, which includes brief accounts of movements and military operations during the Appomattox Campaign; account of march from Burneville, Virginia, to Washington, D.C.; and final messages that Thayer sent and received, which passed between Generals Meade and Humphreys on April 9, 1865, during the Battle of Sailor's Creek. Also includes letterbook of correspondence from Thayer's law practice in Saint Louis, 1866-1876.

Cite as: Amos Madden Thayer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1624

Theater programs collection. 102 boxes; 10 volumes

Collection of theater programs, playbills, handbills, and clippings regarding St. Louis theaters; also includes the Ernst C. Krohn collection of programs for the St. Louis concert

seasons, 1923-1957, and material regarding the Wabash Club, hotels, flower shows, sports, horse shows, dog shows and church programs. Theater programs from various St. Louis organizations and schools are arranged in alphabetical files in portions of the collection. The bulk of the collection, however, remains insufficiently processed.

Finding aid available.

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

A1625

Theatrical collection, 1823-1979. 2 boxes; 1 volume

This collection consists of assorted materials, acquired from a variety of sources, that relate to theaters, theatrical companies, actors and other theatrical personalities, and drama, mostly in St. Louis. These items are housed together because of their common subject matter. Items of interest include a bound index or ledger of unidentified theatrical accounts, notes, theater companies and house, performers, and productions, possibly kept by a theatrical booking agent or a theater company, and organized alphabetically and by season dating from 1879 to 1895; records and information regarding the St. Louis Theatre, St. Louis Dramatic Varieties Association, McCullough Dramatic Club, the Apollo Club, and the St. Louis Theatrical Brotherhood; a catalogue of plays belonging to Ludlow and Smith of the Mobile, St. Louis, New Orleans, and Cincinnati Theatres, no date; Players' Memorial subscription books, 1890; four Zoe Akins plays; assorted programs; and correspondence and material relating to Jenny Lind, Matilda Heron, Edwin Forrest, Albert Todd, John W. Norton, Sol Smith Russell, Noah Ludlow, and Jessie Foster.

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

A1626

Thias, Edward J.

Architectural Specifications. 1 box

Ten bound volumes of job specifications and project manuals for projects by Thias.
Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Edward J. Thias Architectural Specifications, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Third Ward Union Guards (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1861 Aug 15-Sept 20. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

A1629

Thomas, Augustus (Gus) (1857-1934).

Papers, 1853-1934. 3 folders (approximately 30 items)

St. Louis playwright.

The body of the collection consist of newsclippings regarding his career, both politically and artistically. Includes a partial manuscript titled "The Big Rise."

Cite as: Augustus (Gus) Thomas Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1630

**Thomas, Charles Allen (circa 1900-).
Papers, 1951; 1960; 1966-1968.** 3 boxes

Born in Kentucky, Thomas graduated from Transylvania College and Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1924. He then went to work for General Motors Research Corporation as a research chemist where he contributed to the invention of tetraethyl for ethyl gasoline. In 1926, with Dr. Carroll A. Hochwalt, he organized the Thomas and Hochwalt Laboratories at Dayton, to specialize in industrial research. Monsanto acquired the concern in 1936 and Thomas became central research director for Monsanto. In 1946, he was elected to Monsanto's board of directors; he was elected executive vice president in 1947 and chairman of the executive committee in 1949; became president of the company in 1951 and chairman of the board in 1960. Thomas was project director at the atomic energy laboratories operated by Monsanto at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, during World War II, where he had charge of the final purification and metallurgy of plutonium.

Selection of personal correspondence, 1966-1968, arranged alphabetically by each year. Correspondence for these years include information on Transylvania College (Thomas served on the Board of Curators) and the St. Louis Stars Soccer Club (Thomas served as a director). Also includes congratulatory mail received on the occasion of his appointment as president of Monsanto (1951) and as chairman of the board (1960).
Cite as: Charles Allen Thomas Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1628

**Thomas James and Co. (Harrisonville, Illinois).
Account books, 1820-1821.** 2 volumes

Daybook and ledger of dry goods store.

Cite as: Thomas James and Co. Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1631

Thompson Family.

Papers, 1888-1900. 3 folders (approximately 50 items)

Collection of programs for Mary Institute, Smith Academy of Washington University; dedication of the Beaumont memorial tablet on Mackinac Island; personal letters of Nellie Lurtz, while attending Smith Academy.

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

A1632

Thompson, M. Jeff.

Thompson-Pillow-Polk Papers, 1861-1862. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Gideon J. Pillow was stationed at New Madrid; Leonidas Polk was stationed at Memphis, Tennessee.

Papers include typescript copies of correspondence between Major General Gideon J. Pillow, Major General Leonidas Polk, and Brigadier General M. Jeff Thompson and others during the Civil War.

Cite as: Thompson-Pillow-Polk Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2087

**Through the Eyes of a Child Oral History Project.
Transcripts, 1998-1999.** 8 boxes

The Through the Eyes of a Child Oral History Project was part of the Missouri Historical Society's African-American history project on growing up black in St. Louis. In 1998 and 1999, researchers conducted interviews with people who grew up in four diverse communities—the Ville, Carr Square, Kinloch, and the south end of East St. Louis—from 1940 through the 1980s. These neighborhoods had an African-American population over 70% and the residents who were interviewed represented a diverse cross-section socially and geographically. Portions of the interviews were used in an exhibition, which opened at the Missouri Historical Society in 2003.

This collection consists of the transcripts of the interviews conducted for the oral history project. The transcripts are divided into the four different neighborhoods and then arranged alphabetically by the last name of the interviewee within each neighborhood. The papers include a summary and context report, an index of topics discussed, and transcripts for each individual. In some instances, there is additional material as provided by the interviewee. Each person provides biographical information, residential history, work history, and a discussion of the community in which he or she lived, focusing on his or her life between the ages of 7 and 12. The collection also includes a folder of background information on the project, neighborhood histories and project brochures. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Through the Eyes of a Child Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1634

Tiffany, Dexter P. (1846-1921).

Collection, 1808-1902. 78 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Dexter P. Tiffany, Sr. (1846-1921) was born in St. Louis to P. Dexter and Hannah Kerr Tiffany. After being raised in St. Louis and Worcester, Massachusetts, Tiffany attended Harvard Law School. He graduated in 1870 and passed the Missouri bar in 1871. In 1870 he married Annie Shepley, daughter of General George Shepley and granddaughter of Supreme Court Justice Ether Shepley. They had two sons, Dexter P. Tiffany, Jr., and George Shepley Tiffany. Dexter P. Tiffany, Sr., was a member of the law firm Finkelburg & Rassieur (later Rassieur & Tiffany) at 200 Market Street in St. Louis. He was also partners with his brother John Kerr Tiffany in the Tiffany Real Estate Company. During Dexter P. Tiffany's career, he was associated with Judge Jacob Klein of the circuit court in the management of the Knox estate and other matters. According to Tiffany's obituary dated April 28, 1921, he "held a high government position in Washington D.C. during the recent war." Tiffany retired early from the practice of law in 1917 and died in Boston at Philips Hospital in 1921.

The collection consists of various records of the St. Louis County Court, 1808-1902; the city of Carondelet, 1825-1870; and the Washington County Court, 1813-1830. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Dexter P. Tiffany Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1633

Tiffany Family.

Papers, 1779-1967 (bulk 1838-1861). 15 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Family of Pardon Dexter Tiffany, who was born to Dexter and Polly Wood Tiffany in Medway, Massachusetts, on November 18, 1812. He graduated from Brown University in 1834, and studied law at Harvard. Tiffany came to St. Louis in about 1838 to practice law and invest in real estate. Within four years, however, he had returned his family to Worcester, Massachusetts, although he continued to return to St. Louis from time to time to conduct business. Tiffany married Hannah Kerr (1822-1893) on March 29, 1841. Always in poor mental and physical health, Tiffany committed suicide February 14, 1861.

The collection includes the personal and business papers of Pardon Dexter Tiffany and his wife, Hannah Kerr Tiffany, their sons, John Kerr Tiffany and Dexter Pardon Tiffany, and Dexter's wife, Annie Shepley Tiffany. Includes correspondence between George S. Tiffany, Pardon Dexter Tiffany's grandson, and George's wife, Marie Therese Scanlon Tiffany. Also includes papers of allied families are included in the collection: Christy, Church, Jarrot, St. Gem-Beauvais, Scanlon, and Shepley. Of particular note is the correspondence of Pardon Dexter Tiffany with his wife, Hannah Kerr Tiffany, during their courtship and during the long business-related separations that characterized their marriage, and his journals written to Hannah during his trip along the Oregon and California Trails to San Francisco in 1849 and on a trip to New Orleans in 1853. Other correspondence includes letters from his mother, Polly Wood, and from his children. Notable business correspondents include John C. Fremont, William Carr Lane, and Joseph Story. Pardon Dexter Tiffany's papers also include household receipts documenting their upper-class, mid-nineteenth century family life; deeds, leases, receipts, etc. related to Tiffany's land holdings in St. Louis; and estate papers. This material includes a volume of plats and valuations of Tiffany land holdings (labeled L.K. Tiffany on the spine), 1865-1874. Also of note are the papers of Dexter Pardon Tiffany, which include correspondence from his wife Annie Shepley, records of the family homes in St. Louis and Islesboro, Maine, and other real estate activities in St. Louis. The collection includes a few records of Dexter Tiffany, Jr., relating to his career in the U.S. Navy, and correspondence between cotton broker George S. Tiffany and his wife, Marie Therese Scanlon Tiffany, from 1903 to 1932, describing St. Louis social events and family business. Records of the allied families include some correspondence and some estate records of Samuel Cartmill Christy and his brother Andrew Christy, Jr.; papers of politician and Judge Ether Shepley of Maine; and material related to George Shepley's tenure as military governor of Louisiana during the Civil War (1862-1864), which includes correspondence with Abraham Lincoln, Edwin Stanton, and William Seward. Some German.

Finding aid available.

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

A2331

Tilton & Sanders

Letter to Mr. E.D. Morgan, 1841 Apr 10. 1 item

Letter signed Tilton & Sanders, Boonville, Missouri, to Mr. E.D. Morgan [merchant, New York?]. Asks Morgan to send them coffee, allspice, and mackerel, and to consign them to Charles Doan, New Orleans.

Cite as: Tilton & Sanders Letter to Mr. E.D. Morgan, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2487

Title Insurance Corporation of St. Louis.

Circular announcement, 1950 Aug 21. 1 item

Announcement signed by McCune Gill, president, Title Insurance Corporation of St. Louis, is titled "Place of County Foreclosures." "In view of the fact that the place where Trustees' Sales in Foreclosure of Deeds of Trust will be held in the future will be the Northern Front Door of the new County Court House, it is recommended that deeds of trust for County property hereafter prepared on old forms should be changed to read Northern Front Door instead of Most Northern East Front Door and that future printing of deeds of trust be similarly changed. . . ."

Cite as: Title Insurance Corporation of St. Louis Circular Announcement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1635

Todd, Albert (1813-1885).

Papers, 1820-1889. 9 folders (approximately 300 items)

Albert Todd was a lawyer in Missouri. He was elected to the lower house of the Missouri legislature in 1854.

Papers consist primarily of changes of titles and examinations of titles to properties in St. Louis and St. Louis County.

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

A1636

Todd, David (1786-1859).

Papers, 1816-1905. 1 box (approximately 275 items)

Attorney, father-in-law of St. Louisan Edward Craft Breck.

Papers consist of deeds and land transactions in Missouri involving David Todd; and letterpress copies of correspondence and bank drafts from Edward Craft Breck of St. Louis regarding the settlement of debts and the sale and disposition of lands in Atchison County, Missouri, of James W. Breck, Daniel Breck, and himself, 1867-1869.

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

A1637

Todd, Sheryl, collector.

Genealogical files of the Joy and Todd families, 1879-1880. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

Photocopied correspondence and letterhead of the St. Louis Beef Canning Company, plus original certificate issued by the American Institute to the St. Louis Beef Canning Company, November 1879. Additional materials include an extract from "Hudson, Joy and Jameson, In Their Own Words, 1610-1984" (work in progress), compiled by Sheryl Todd, and Joy and Todd family genealogical material, also compiled by Sheryl Todd.

Cite as: Sheryl Todd Genealogical Files of the Joy and Todd families, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1638**Toensfeldt, Lois Meier (circa 1888-1977).****Scrapbook, 1899-1931.** 1 box

Lois Meier Toensfeldt (circa 1888-1977) graduated in 1906 from Mary Institute and then attended Washington University. On August 25, 1917, she married Ralf Toensfeldt, who was head of the electrical engineering section of the St. Louis Department of Public Utilities. They had one daughter Mrs. Montgomery Osborne. Lois Meier was the daughter of Henry Meier, Jr., and granddaughter of Henry Meier, president of Franklin Bank in 1900.

Scrapbook from Lois Meier Toensfeldt's year as a student at Mary Institute and her involvement with the alumnae association. Includes commencement and wedding announcements of Meier and many of her friends; theater, symphony, and dance programs; newspaper articles relating to Mary Institute; correspondence from family and friends; calling cards.

Cite as: Lois Meier Toensfeldt Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1639**Tompkins, William.****Papers, no date.** 1 folder (1 loose leaf notebook, approximately 100 pages)

Typed genealogy of Tompkins-Benoist family.

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

A1640**Tomson, Henry (1787-1862).****Papers, no date.** 2 boxes

Henry Tomson was a poet, teacher, and farmer from Cole County, Missouri.

Papers contain manuscript poems of political and spiritual nature written by Henry Tomson; family history; and a wooden box that was constructed in 1892 by family members to hold poetry manuscripts.

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

A1641**Tony's (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Award certificates and publicity, 1957-1992.** 1 flat storage box

St. Louis restaurant, founded 1948, owned and operated by Vince Bommarito.

Cite as: Tony's Award Certificates and Publicity, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1830**Toombs, Robert W. (1923-1995).****Memory Books, 1919-1998.**

Robert W. Toombs, son of William and Florence Toombs, was born November 4, 1923, in St. Louis County. He enlisted in the United States Army Air Corps in October 1942 and served as a waist gunner aboard a B-17 bomber stationed in Italy during World War II. Upon his discharge from the service in October 1945, he returned to his home in

Jennings. He married Marcella G. Toombs. Robert's father, William Toombs, was trained as a pilot in World War I, and received his pilot's license from the French military.

The collection consists of two memory books that document the military service of Robert W. Toombs and William Toombs. The books also contain genealogical information on the Toombs family, including photographs. Also includes an April 1995 copy of *American History* magazine featuring World War II-era photographs taken by Robert W. Toombs during air raids over Germany.

Cite as: Robert W. Toombs Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2544

Tower Family.

Papers, 1914-1926. 1 folder; 1 oversize item

George F. Tower, Jr., was born December 23, 1861, in St. Louis, Missouri. On October 15, 1885, he married Miss Carrie Kehlor (1862-1936) in St. Louis. George F. Tower, Jr., was the president of the Tower Nut Products Company. He died July 26, 1924, in Clarksville, Missouri. For many years the couple resided at 27 Vandeventer Place, a fashionable private street in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence and receipts of George F. Tower, Jr., and his wife regarding work done on their home at 27 Vandeventer Place in St. Louis, Missouri.

Finding aid available.

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

A1642

Towles, Ephraim Ewing (-1934).

Papers, 1910-1928. 11 boxes

Ephraim E. Towles was vice-president of the American States Utilities Co. of Chicago, and an engineer with the Missouri Public Service Commission until 1929.

The bulk of the collection contains state of Missouri Public Service Commission reports regarding public utilities, rates, property, appraisals, unit costs, etc., 1910-1920. Includes waterworks, electricity, gas, etc. Records belonged to Ephraim E. Towles, arranged alphabetically by name of utility or company. The collection also contains some original sketches by Towles from his college days, and a manuscript school and sketch book, apparently from biology class.

Cite as: Ephraim Ewing Towles Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1643

Townsend, James Arthur, Dr.

Genealogical notes. 2 boxes

Genealogical notes on Townsend and related families.

Cite as: James Arthur Townsend Genealogical Notes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1644

Townsend, Marguerite Sappington.

Family papers, 1849-1955. 2 boxes

Marguerite Sappington Townsend was the daughter of Wallace Sappington and Annie Sutton Sappington and the wife of Ralph F. Townsend.

Contains correspondence relating to the Sutton (Sutton) and Sappington families including John L. Sutton, 1849-1850, and Mrs. W.L. Sappington, 1884-1905. Also includes diaries, 1908-1914, and correspondence, 1913-1955, of Marguerite Sappington Townsend.

Cite as: Marguerite Sappington Townsend Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1645

Transportation collection, 1704; 1833-2001. 1 box

This collection consists of materials acquired from a variety of sources that relate mostly to land transportation in St. Louis and Missouri. These items are housed together because of their common subject matter. The collection contains passes, tickets, timetables, maps, schedules, transfers, correspondence, printed matter, and histories of the Pony Express, horse and wagon transportation, railroads, streetcars, buses, automobiles and bicycles. Most but not all materials relate to St. Louis. Items of special interest include: rules and regulations book for conductors and drivers of Cass Avenue and Fair Grounds Railway Co, 1885; annual report of St. Louis, O'Fallon and Lebanon Electric Railroad Company, 1904; and constitution and by-laws of East St. Louis and Suburban Railway, filed 1923.

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

A1646

Travilla, James C., Jr.

Patents, 1926-1982. 1 box

List and copies of patents of James C. Travilla. Commentary by F. Travers Burgess, patent counsel, General Steel Industries. The patents mainly deal with railroad vehicles. Mostly photocopies.

Cite as: James C. Travilla, Jr., Patents, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1647

Treat, Samuel, Judge (1815-1902).

Papers, 1815-1889. 2 boxes; 1 volume

St. Louis journalist, lawyer, jurist, and educator; graduate of Harvard in 1837; came to St. Louis in 1841; started career in law, was newspaper editor of the *St. Louis Union* until 1849; became judge of court of common pleas in 1853. He sat in the Dred Scott case. Was one of the incorporators of Washington University (1853) and one of original directors, cooperating with Henry Hitchcock to organize the university's law school. He died August 31, 1902, in Rochester, New York.

This collection consists of Judge Samuel Treat's recollection of his boyhood and college days, covering 1815-1851; it includes extensive material from his years as a student at Harvard, including themes, lectures, class songs, and diplomas; oration delivered before the alumni association of Washington University, February 25, 1868; discourse delivered at the inauguration of the "St. Louis Law School, Being the Law Department of Washington University," October 16, 1867; manuscript reminiscences

about Treat's career, written circa 1864, includes some newspaper clippings; and correspondence relating to national politics. Correspondents include D.R. Atchison, Edward Bates, James Buchanan, John C. Calhoun, Lew Cass, Judge J. Catron, Edward T. Channing, Coleridge, Alfred Conkling, J.J. Crittenden, Caleb Cushing, David Davis, John F. Dillon, Stephen A. Douglas, Edward Everett, C.C. Felton, T. Fiske, J.W. Forney, John C. Fremont, Hamilton R. Gamble, James S. Green, R.C. Grier, E.A. Hitchcock, R.M. Johnson, Henry Lee, Abraham Lincoln, Henry W. Longfellow, Judge J. Lowell, Sam F. Miller, H.B. Payne, John S. Phelps, Benjamin Pierce, Frank Pierce, Horatio Seymour, Leonard Swett, R.B. Taney, M.R. Wait, E. Washburn, E.B. Washburn, Robert C. Winthrop, Levi Woodbury, and D.L. Yulee. Subjects include Thomas Hart Benton, the Civil War, Mrs. Elizabeth A.R. Linn, Dred Scott, railroads, and slavery. In part copies. Cite as: Samuel Treat Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1648

Tredway Family.

Papers, 1803-1944. 7 folders; 1 oversize folder

William W. Tredway resided in upstate New York in the 1820s and 1830s and moved to Eagle, Wisconsin, in the early 1840s. It appears that his son was Dwight Tredway, who was born August 19, 1843, in Eagle, Wisconsin. Dwight was a student at the University of Wisconsin in 1862, when he enlisted in the 23rd Wisconsin Infantry. He rose to the rank of regimental quartermaster, and in November 1864 was commissioned captain and assistant quartermaster of the U.S. Volunteers. He was mustered out at St. Louis in 1866. After the war he engaged in the grocery business with Greeley & Gale, which later became Greeley-Burnham Grocery Company. In 1871 he married Miss Emma Greeley, daughter of Carlos S. Greeley. He was the founder of a military company known as the Tredway Rifles. Dwight Tredway died March 19, 1912, in St. Louis.

The collection contains several loose papers and a scrapbook of the Tredway and Greeley families, which include several military and professional papers of William W. Tredway while he resided in New York and Wisconsin in the 1820s and 1830s; several documents relating to Jefferson Davis that appear to have been taken from Davis' home by Dwight Tredway during the Civil War; several Confederate letters captured by Tredway; papers of Charles S. Greeley, many of which relate to his work with the Western Sanitary Commission during the Civil War; and 255 cyanotypes of a hunting trip taken by Carlos G. Tredway and others in Colorado in 1899.

Finding aid available.

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

A1649

Trefny, William (-1914).

Scrapbook, 1868-1905. 1 volume (350 pages)

Came to St. Louis from Austria, circa 1855; apprenticed at J.F. Wiggins and Co. (1868); tailor by profession with his own business at 702 Olive Street (1890). Married Elizabeth Witovec.

Scrapbook of newspaper clippings, theater programs, and memorabilia pasted onto pages of an unidentified accounts ledger. Mostly in reference to St. Louis, many of the theater programs are from outside St. Louis. Of note is a special permit issued by the mayor's

office in St. Louis (November 2, 1868) allowing Trefny, then a minor, to break the 6 p.m. curfew.

Cite as: William Trefny Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1650

Treutler Family.

Papers, 1850-1901. 1 box (approximately 200 items)

Adolph Rudolph Treutler was born in 1832 near Dresden, Germany. He came to America in 1851 after being apprenticed as a druggist. He settled in Hillsboro, Missouri, and opened a drug store. He later settled in St. Louis and opened a drug store near Biddle Street.

Correspondence of Albin Rudolph Treutler, of his wife and sons, and of his wife's brother George Frederick Renner. Mainly in German script, a few items in English pertaining to efforts to locate Renner, a Civil War veteran, and later a quartz miner in Montana.

German.

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

Trombon collection

See Sawyer, Samuel.

A2362

Trotter, James.

Deed to Charles G. Merrell, 1842 June 22. 1 item

Deed of sale of real estate from James Trotter, sheriff of Carroll County, Missouri, to Charles G. Merrell of Carroll County. John Shipton and Moses Harris are mentioned in the document.

Cite as: James Trotter Deed to Charles G. Merrell, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1651

Trudeau family collection, [1745]-1927. 4 folders (10 items)

Contains correspondence about collection and the Trudeau family; photostatic copy of Jean Baptiste Trudeau's description of Upper Missouri, 1794, in French.

Some French.

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

A1652

Truman, Harry S.

Papers, 1939-1973. 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

President of the United States from Independence, Missouri.

Congratulatory telegrams, invitations to inauguration, 1945, letters to the Missouri Historical Society regarding acquiring Truman material, material regarding the Truman library in Independence.

Cite as: Harry S. Truman Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1796**Tucker, Blanche Louise Oden (1896-1966).****Collection, 1919-1982.** 1 folder

Blanche Louise Oden Tucker was born in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1896, and married George W. Tucker in 1920. She founded the Tucker Business Institute and Service Company, which later became known as the Tucker Business College. She died June 27, 1966.

Papers contain photocopies of newspaper clippings and other items from the scrapbook of Blanche Louise Oden Tucker, mostly relating to Tucker Business College and to the Tucker family. (Several photographs were transferred to the Photographs and Prints Department. Tucker College scarf transferred to Collections Department.)

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Blanche Louise Oden Tucker Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1653**Tuckerman, Gustavus (1856-1934).****Papers, 1915-1923.** 2 folders (approximately 150 items)

Gustavus Tuckerman was the first rector of St. Stephen's Church, located at 6th and Rutger, St. Louis. He served there 25 years and then resigned. He was the secretary of the City Club for 19 years.

Correspondence to Tuckerman as secretary of the City Club of St. Louis regarding fulfillment of speaking engagements at the club.

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

A1654**Tunstall Family.****Papers, 1817-1907 (bulk 1836-1857).** 1 folder

Marion Tunstall married John Latimer on October 26, 1847, in St. Louis.

Papers primarily contain correspondence between members of the Tunstall families of St. Charles, Florissant, and Carrollton, Illinois, mainly concerning family matters, but also education, religion and farming. Much of the correspondence is written to Marion Tunstall Latimer.

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

A1655**Turley Family.****Papers, 1831-1865.** 3 folders (approximately 200 items)

Papers include deeds of Jesse B. Turley, letters of Simon Turley to Jesse giving accounts of business in Santa Fe, correspondence with DeWitt C. Peters regarding publication of a biography of and correspondence regarding estate of Jesse B. Turley; information regarding family, mostly typed.

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

A1657**Turner, Charles. Scrapbooks, 1886-1918.** 8 boxes

Collection was formerly known as the Saint Louis African-American Newsclippings Collection.

Collection contains newsclippings, political flyers and handbills, business cards, photographs of schools, businesses, etc. pertaining to African-Americans in St. Louis and across the nation. Major topics documented include street life, the Market Street black business district, black schools and cultural events, and politics.

Cite as: Charles Turner Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1656

Turner Family.

Papers, 1843-1871. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Correspondence of the Dobbins and Turner families of Carroll and Ray Counties, and some in Western territories, with discussions of Civil War, California, and settling in the West.

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

A1658

Turner, Henry Smith, Major (1811-1881).

Papers, 1846-1881; 1934. 3 folders (approximately 50 items)

Henry S. Turner was born April 1, 1811, in Virginia. In 1834, he graduated from West Point. In 1837, he was appointed aide-de-camp to Gen. Henry Atkinson, serving until 1839. Then he was sent by the War Department to the cavalry school at Saumur, France, to study cavalry tactics and prepare a manual of instructions for that arm of the service in the United States Army. Returning two years later, he married Ms. Julia M. Hunt of St. Louis. He was promoted to the rank of captain of the First Dragoons in 1846 and then became a part of Gen. Kearny's staff. He was breveted major for gallant and meritorious conduct at the battle of San Pasqual. Major Turner was an essential witness at the trial by court-martial of Col. Fremont. In July 1848 he resigned his commission and devoted himself thereafter to civil pursuits. In 1852, he embarked in the banking business. A branch bank was opened in San Francisco and Maj. Turner took personal charge. In 1857, he returned to his farm in St. Louis County and was elected to the House of Representatives of the state in 1858. He died December 16, 1881, at his home in St. Louis.

Papers include three typed copies of diary, June 30-December 4, 1846, of journey from Ft. Leavenworth to California; letter of Henry to wife Julia in St. Louis describing life in California; memoriam, December 16, 1881, typed and original.

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

A1659

Tuttle, Daniel S. (1837-1923).

Papers, 1863-1921. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Daniel S. Tuttle was educated at Columbia University and General Theological Seminary. At the age of 30 he was made bishop of Utah, Montana and Idaho. He became head of the Missouri Diocese in 1886 and at the time of his death he was presiding bishop of the Episcopal church in the U.S., and the oldest American bishop in point of service, in the world. He married Harriet Foote, September 12, 1865.

Letters of Daniel S. Tuttle from Morris, New York; Montana; and St. Louis, concerning his work in the priesthood of the Episcopal church.
Cite as: Daniel S. Tuttle Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2405

Tuttle, Perley & Smith.

Advertisements, circa 1854-1857. 2 items

Printed advertisement states, "Tuttle, Perley & Smith, manufacturers of silk & straw bonnets; importers and wholesale dealers in ribbons, silk millinery, flowers, trimmings, lace goods, embroideries, &c., 77 Main St., St. Louis. Frank Leslie's Ladies' Gazette will be found in our Sales Room as soon as issued—Also, the choicest goods therein illustrated." Members of the firm included E.G. Tuttle, R.G. Perley and H.W. Smith. Also includes printed advertisement of Humphrey, Perley & Co., "manufacturers of straw bonnets and importers of silks, ribbons, dress and cloak trimmings, laces, embroideries, crapes, flowers, and millinery goods generally, No. 77, Main Street, St. Louis, Mo." Cite as: Tuttle, Perley & Smith Advertisements, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Twain Monument Commission

See Mark Twain Monument Commission.

Twenty-first National Encampment. 1887.

(Saint Louis: Register, 1887.) 1 volume

Transferred to Grand Army of the Republic Collection.

A1661***U.S.S. Tennessee.*****Journal, 1875 May 1-Nov 6.** 1 volume

The *U.S.S. Tennessee* was put in commission on May 1, 1875, in New York Harbor. It was the flagship of the Asiatic Station.

This journal, kept by M.G. Reynolds, was the log book of the *U.S.S. Tennessee* under the command of Captain W.W. Low. It covers the cruise of the ship from its commissioning in New York Harbor (May 1, 1875) through its departure and eventual arrival in Shanghai, China, by way of Gibraltar, Palermo, Port Said, the Suez Canal, Aden, Bombay, Colombo, Palo Penang, Singapore, Manila, and Amoy.

Cite as: *U.S.S. Tennessee* Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1662**Ufer Family.****Papers, 1903-1930.** 7 folders

The Ufer family lived at 1818 South 13th Street in Lemay, Missouri.

Correspondence from Ufer family and friends; bills regarding upkeep of Ufer residence, which was located at 1818 South 13th Street, in St. Louis. Names mentioned include Minnie Ufer, Elise Ufer, Mary Ufer, Olga Seipp, Antonia Lee, and Selina Redmond, all of St. Louis; and Julia Mertz, of Los Angeles, California.

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

A1663**Ulman, Chase.****Certificates, 1871-1904.** 1 oversize folder (8 items)

Presentation of portrait of ex-Mayor Peter G. Camden to the city council of St. Louis, January 31, 1871; certificate issued to Chase Ulman for having completed the eighth grade and having passed the required examination for high school admission, June 17, 1892; certificate of admission to St. Louis High School, June 17, 1892; certificate from Benton College of Law, June 14, 1900; license issued to Chase Ulman to practice law in the state of Missouri, June 23, 1900; license to practice law in Porto Rico, October 10, 1904.

Cite as: Chase Ulman Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1664**Union Electric Company.****Papers, 1907-1957.** 1 box

Correspondence to Union Electric Company regarding estimates, bids, and invoices on construction and manufacturing supplies and services necessary for the construction of power plants, warehouses, and various electrical stations. Many local and national firms represented.

Cite as: Union Electric Company Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1665**Union Literary Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).****History, 1872.** 1 volume

The Union Literary Association was a men's literary and debating society.

The history is a manuscript titled "Statistics of the Union Literary Association from February 9, 1862, to February 9, 1872," compiled by O.A. Wall, M.D., and president of the U.L.A. It includes a history of the organization by Wall read on the 10th anniversary of its founding (February 9, 1872); officers during its first ten years; list of active members; data on meetings; lists of debates held; constitution and by-laws, with amendments' act of incorporation; and list of annual exhibition programs.

Cite as: Union Literary Association History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1836

Unitarian Church Time Capsule.

Collection, 1837-1880. 4 folders; 9 volumes

In 1834, a group of St. Louis residents from New England and the East invited the Reverend William Greenleaf Eliot to come to St. Louis to be the minister for a new church. In response, Reverend Eliot moved to St. Louis and established the First Congregationalist Church. A church was built at the corner of Fourth and Pine Streets in St. Louis. The building was dedicated on October 29, 1837. A second church was built at Olive and Ninth Streets in 1850. In 1854, the name of the church was changed to the Church of the Messiah. A new church building bearing that name was designed by Peabody and Stearns of Boston and built at Locust and Garrison Streets in St. Louis. A new edifice was added to the Church of the Messiah building and dedicated on February 1, 1880.

The collection consists of items recovered from two time capsules that were placed in the corner stones of the two Unitarian churches in 1850 and 1880. The collection includes instructional pamphlets on Unitarian beliefs, prayer books and hymnals, documents that chronicle the founding of the First Congregationalist Church of St. Louis, circulars of speeches that outline the debate over slavery and the admission of California as a state in 1850, and copies of the *Official Manual of Missouri* for 1879 and the *American Almanac for 1880*.

Cite as: Unitarian Church Time Capsule Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2486

United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners.

Note to Otto Rhodes, 1930 Dec 1. 1 item

Typescript letter signed Frank Duffy, United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners, Indianapolis, to Otto Rhodes, Local Union No. 73, 3606 Cozens Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Note states, "In replying to yours of November 28th I wish to advise that if possible you should arrange to be at the General Office Thursday morning, December 4th, in order that an audit of your membership may be made."

Cite as: United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners Note to Otto Rhodes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2556

United Clothing Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Account payment card, circa 1950s-1960s. 1 item

The United Clothing Co. was located at 4517-4529 Easton Ave. in St. Louis, Missouri. The card also mentions the Mr. Sam Big Four Clothing & Furniture Co. Cite as: United Clothing Co. Account Payment Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2505

United Daughters of the Confederacy–Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Invitation, 1968 Jan 19. 3 items

Invitation to “The Generals Birthday Dinner” honoring Robert E. Lee, Daniel M. Frost, Stonewall Jackson, Joseph Shelby, Mathew F. Maury, and Sterling Price, sponsored by Confederate Dames Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, and Sterling Price Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans. Includes reply card and envelope addressed to Mrs. Don Stanley Schomburg, 52 Brookmill Lane, Chesterfield, Missouri. Cite as: United Daughters of the Confederacy–Sons of Union Veterans Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2515

United Railways Company of St. Louis, Midland Line.

Special commutation ticket booklet, no date. 1 item

Booklet sold to Irene McElhinney. The tickets in the booklet are good for one fare (either way) between the St. Louis city limits and the St. Louis and Colorado Railroad Co. tracks.

Cite as: United Railways Company of St. Louis, Midland Line, Special Commutation Ticket Booklet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

United States. Army. Army of the Southwest.

Reports on the Battle of Pea Ridge, 1862-1864. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection (see Samuel R. Curtis record book).

A1669

United States. Army. Corps of Topographical Engineers.

Stephen H. Long record books, 1843-1862. 9 volumes

The Corps of Topographical Engineers was created during the War of 1812 to plot military positions and collect data in the field with the army. Later its function was expanded to include western surveys. In 1818, the corps was made a bureau under the jurisdiction of the Corps of Engineers, and in 1838 it was made coequal with other divisions of the army. The corps was de-established in March 1863. Stephen Harriman Long (1784-1864) was born in Hopkinton, New Hampshire, the second child and eldest son of the thirteen surviving children of Lucy Harriman and Moses Long, a farmer, cooper, and Revolutionary War soldier. The younger Long graduated from Dartmouth in 1809 at the age of 25 with a classical education. In 1814, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers. In 1816, he was then commissioned a brevet major with the Topographical Engineers. Long is best known for his "northern expeditions" to examine the portages of the Fox and Wisconsin Rivers (1817) and to examine the sources of the St. Peter's River in Minnesota (1823). He also explored the Upper Mississippi and

the Rocky Mountains. In 1827, he was named brevet lieutenant colonel and bureau chief with the Corps of Topographical Engineers, and then colonel in 1861. Long remained in this position until the corps was de-established in March 1863. Shortly thereafter he retired to Alton, Illinois, where he died in 1864 at the age of 79.

This collection consists of Stephen H. Long's nine record books made in his capacity as a bureau chief with the Corps of Topographical Engineers between 1843 and 1862. These volumes include orders and instructions, reports, correspondence, and accounts relating to the improvement of western rivers, the removal of obstructions from the mouth of the Mississippi River, and the construction of U.S. marine hospitals at Louisville and Paducah, Kentucky; Napoleon, Indiana [?]; and Natchez, Mississippi. The latest records also include brief reference to the early role of the Corps of Topographical Engineers in supporting the federal forces at the beginning of the Civil War. (Books from Stephen H. Long's personal library are in the Association Collection--Long, Stephen H., Missouri History Museum Library.)

Cite as: United States Army, Corps of Topographical Engineers, Stephen H. Long Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1667

United States Army Reserve. 406th Infantry.

Records, 1925-1937. 2 boxes

The 406th Infantry of the United States Army Reserve was headquartered at the Old Custom House in St. Louis. Circa 1927, it absorbed the 451st Infantry Reserve, which was under the command of Colonel Leroy K. Robbins. At which point the Arkansas officers of the 406th moved into the 409th, leaving the 406th an all-Missouri unit under the command of Col. Robbins.

This collection consists of the records of the 451st Infantry and the 406th Infantry, United States Army Reserve, under the command of Col. Robbins. They include memoranda and correspondence, rosters, and material on correspondence courses, summer camp and entertainment.

Cite as: 406th Infantry Records, United States Army Reserve, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2549

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri.

Confirmations of Lots in City of St. Louis, 1866-1882. 1 volume (approximately 280 pages)

In 1866, the U.S. Congress approved an act authorizing the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri to grant title to parcels of land in the city of St. Louis to those individuals having the best claim to these parcels of land.

This volume, titled "Confirmations of Lots in City of St. Louis under Act of Congress, June 12, 1866, and Index to All Confirmations in the Old Town of St. Louis," includes petitions of claimants to land in the city of St. Louis, 1866-1882, with accompanying plats of the property. Also includes an alphabetical name index, an index by block numbers, and an index by decree number.

Cite as: United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri Confirmations of Lots in City of St. Louis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

United States naval shipyard time book, 1864-1865. 1 volume
Transferred to Civil War Collection.

**United States. Navy. Mississippi Squadron.
Descriptive list of men aboard the *U.S.S. Ouachita*, 1862-1865.** 1 volume
Transferred to Civil War Collection (see *Ouachita, U.S.S.*, descriptive list of men
aboard).

A1671

United States. Pension Agency (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Letterbook, 1838-1858. 1 volume

Letters of St. Louis office of the U.S. Pension Agency regarding the administration of government pensions, especially military pensions.

Cite as: United States Pension Agency Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1672

University City Realty and Improvement Company (University City, Missouri).

Minute book, 1906-1907. 1 volume (48 leaves)

Holding company founded in December 1906 to acquire and develop property in University City and surrounding areas for residential use. Project was abandoned in April 1907 following Post Office Department investigation of fund-raising activities.

Minutes of board of managers' and stockholders' meetings. Includes preliminary agreement, draft of by-laws, and articles of incorporation.

Cite as: University City Realty and Improvement Company Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1071

University of Missouri Collection, 1848-1971. 5 folders (approximately 100 items)

Papers include reports to board of curators of executive board meetings, 1916-1919; D.R. Francis correspondence, 1916-1919; letterhead, 1857, with picture of Jesse Hall and part of campus.

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

A2566

Unland, Franz.

Marriage certificate, 1887 June 8. 1 item (oversize)

Decorated marriage certificate of St. Joseph's Church (St. Louis, Missouri) for the marriage of Franz Unland to Mary Trentmann.

Cite as: Franz Unland Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2502

Unsigned.

Letter to sister, 1858 Feb 1. 1 item

Unsigned, 3-page letter fragment dated St. Louis, February 1, 1858, addressed to his sister in England. Discusses family news. Mentions that their mother has married a pump maker named James Jack; Emily and Henry are in St. Louis; and his wife has been sick with smallpox.

Cite as: Unsigned Letter to Sister, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1673**Vachard Family.****Papers, 1787-1851.** 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

Business papers, receipts, accounts, etc. of Charles Vachard and various members of the Vachard family.

Some French.

Finding aid available.

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

A1675**Valle, Francois.****Papers, 1742-1846.** 4 boxes

The family of Francois Valle were early settlers in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri. Francois and his son and John Baptiste Valle were prominent and active men in the formation of the Upper Louisiana Territory, 1804, and in business ventures.

Collection consists of orders, mandates, other documents of territorial governors; army desertions, protection from the Indians; Upper Louisiana transfer; surrender of Ste. Genevieve to the United States; areas concerned include St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, New Madrid, New Orleans, Cape Girardeau, Missouri, Vincennes. Business of the Iron Mountain Railroad; iron mining in the Ste. Genevieve vicinity.

Some French and Spanish.

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

A1676**Valle, Jean Baptiste.****Estate record, 1849-1870.** 1 volume (310 pages)

Indexed ledger, including inventories and records of distribution of estate, Felix Valle, surviving executor, Ste. Genevieve, Missouri.

Cite as: Jean Baptiste Valle Estate Record, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1677**Valle, Jules F.****Collection, 1773-1918.** 11 folders (approximately 200 items); 2 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Jules F. Valle was the grandson of Ichabod Sargeant (1792-1848). Sargeant was born in Bath, New Hampshire; graduated from Dartmouth College with an M.D. in 1817; served as postmaster in Prairie du Rocher, Illinois (1821-1829); and settled in Ste. Genevieve and practiced medicine with Lewis F. Linn from 1829 until at least 1840.

Two notebooks of Ichabod Sargeant containing notes on diseases and their medical treatments, one from college years and early medical practice, 1816-1820, the second from Ste. Genevieve practice, 1829-1832. Minor collection contains papers including letters, deeds, concessions, inventories, etc. pertaining to Jules Valle and other family members. Valle and Bartlett family histories.

Cite as: Jules F. Valle Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1674**Valle Mining Company (Jefferson and Saint Francois Counties, Missouri).****Account books, 1834-1873 (bulk 1834-1856).** 2 volumes

Lead mining firm of Jules and Neree Valle.

Accounts and records, consisting of daybook (1834-1835) and record book that includes agreements made by Valle Mining Company, ledger entries, and records of lead shipments (1839-1841, 1851-1856, and 1873).

Cite as: Valle Mining Company Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1678**Van Antwerp and Noble (Alton, Illinois).****Account books, 1836-1838.** 5 volumes

Hardware business of John Van Antwerp.

Two sales journals, with ledger entries in the back of the second volume; daybook of merchandise purchased and notes due; and two ledgers.

Cite as: Van Antwerp and Noble Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1679**Van Ravenswaay, Charles (1911-1990).****Papers, 1817-1976.** 5 boxes

Charles van Ravenswaay was born August 10, 1911, in Boonville, Missouri, and began collecting Missouri River lore as a boy and remained a collector in a variety of fields throughout his life. He earned his bachelor's and master's degree at Washington University, served in the U.S. Navy for four years during World War II, and in 1946 joined the Missouri Historical Society as director. He was with the institution for 16 years. In 1962, he became president of Old Sturbridge Village in Sturbridge, Massachusetts, and was there until 1966 when he was appointed director of Winterthur Museum. He retired in 1976. He was editor or author of several books and articles on American horticulture, decorative arts, and material culture. His photograph collection of early Missouri and Illinois buildings was accepted by the Library of Congress as part of its Historic American Buildings collection.

Collection of manuscripts including agricultural notes from 1817, land grants, Civil War military passes, circulars and programs. Correspondents with many literary figures including Josephine Johnson, Kate L. Gregg, Emile R. Paillou, and Ward Dorrence; correspondence regarding the Works Progress Administration, 1939, the William Clark Society, Van Ravenswaay's book, *The Missouri Guidebook*, 1941, and the restoration of Fort Osage, 1941; additional correspondents include James Douglas (Jefferson City, judge, Supreme Court of Missouri), Ida Schaaf, John Francis McDermott regarding Missouri history, Claude Nagel, Harry Burke, Clarence Miller (Mercantile Library), Maud Howe Elliott (Newport, Rhode Island, writer), Mae Porter (Kansas City), Peter Hilty, and Robert Terry. Also includes correspondence regarding the restoration of the Hanley House in Clayton, Missouri, 1968-1970. (Van Ravenswaay was chief restoration consultant for the Hanley House project.)

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Charles van Ravenswaay Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1680

Vance Family.

Papers, 1771-1863; 1931. 1 box

This collection consists of genealogical material of the Hart, Vance, Thompson, and allied families. It also contains correspondence, mainly from Kentucky, telling of family life, travel, duel arrangements (1824), gardening, native flora. Also includes commissions, land grants, reminiscences, journal fragments, and a register of Negroes (1822-1848).

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

A1681

Vanmanen, Ellen L.

World War II flight training manuals, 1943-1945. 1 box

Collection consists of training manuals of Ellen L. Vanmanen, Evelyn G. Portlance, and Margaret M. Cook, who served in naval aviation and radio communications during World War II in the United States Marine Corps Women's Reserve (USMCWR).

Cite as: Ellen L. Vanmanen's World War II Flight Training Manuals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1682

Varney, Woolrych, and Pulis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Architectural Renderings, 1894-1895. 1 folder

Five watercolor renderings of St. Louis commercial and residential buildings set in street scenes done by architect and artist F. Humphry W. Woolrych.

Cite as: Varney, Woolrych, and Pulis (Saint Louis, Missouri) Architectural Renderings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1683

Vasquez Family.

Collection, 1774-1925. 1 box

Benito Vasquez, born in 1738 in Santiago de Compostela, Spain, arrived in St. Louis as a Spanish soldier in 1769, and married Julie Papin *dit* Baronet on November 27, 1774. Their marriage produced twelve children: Felicite, Julie, Benito, Francois Xavier (died in infancy), Antoine Francois *dit* Baronet, Joseph *dit* Pepe, Victoire, Marie Antoinette (died in infancy), Hypolite *dit* Guillory, Celeste, Catherine Eulalie, and Pierre Louis, who went by his middle name.

The Vasquez Family Collection (formerly known as the Vasquez Papers) includes documents relating to genealogy, correspondence, bills, receipts and deeds. Most are written in French; a few have been translated. Most are written to or concern Benito Vasquez (1779-1847), the fur trade, American Indian tribes, and well-known St. Louis families.

Finding aid available.

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

A1684**Vaughan, J. Terrell.****Collection, 1977-1985.** 2 boxes

Attorney, member of Armstrong, Teasdale, Kramer and Vaughan; member of board of directors, Missouri Historical Society.

Correspondence, press releases, printed material, and newsclippings regarding the Missouri Historical Society's 50th anniversary celebration of Lindbergh's flight and the renovation of the Lindbergh gallery, 1977; correspondence and memorabilia regarding the 1982 Lindbergh Awards Dinner held at the Missouri Historical Society, 1982; copies of the Lindbergh Fund Newsletters, 1979-1985.

Cite as: J. Terrell Vaughan Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1685**Veeder, Vera Giannini.****Autograph collection, 1800s-1900s.** 1 box; 1 volume

Vera Giannini Angert, widow of Eugene H. Angert (died May 2, 1929), married Dr. Borden S. Veeder, a member of the teaching staff of the Washington University Medical School. He was a nationally recognized authority on children's disease, and was editor of the *Journal of Pediatrics*, circa 1954. The collection of autographs was left to Mrs. Veeder by her mother, Molly Faust Giannini, daughter of Tony Faust. Veeder updated the collection between 1953-1957.

Several thousand autographs of writers, musicians, statesmen, actors, and celebrities collected over a period of two generations by Vera Giannini Veeder (Mrs. Bordon S. Veeder) and her mother, Mrs. A.D. Giannini (Molly Faust). Collection also includes a letter of Thomas Jefferson dated January 16, 1807; a letter from Henry Clay (1829) and Andrew Jackson (1843); and autographs of several twentieth-century presidents. Many of the autographs were solicited by Veeder and her mother.

Cite as: Vera Giannini Veeder Autograph Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1686**Veiled Prophet collection, 1878-1988.** 13 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 4 volumes

Articles, notes, printed material, and clippings regarding the Veiled Prophet balls and parades; notes on committee meetings and rules and regulations of the Veiled Prophet Organization, 1878-1899; notes and information regarding queens, attendants, maids and matrons, 1874-1921; list of souvenirs accompanying invitations, 1878-1973; list of gifts given in connection with the Veiled Prophet Ball, 1878-1956; operating procedures for the 1988 Veiled Prophet Fair; a series of scrapbooks that belonged to R. Fullerton, chairman of Veiled Prophet publicity, containing mostly newsclippings publicizing the Veiled Prophet Parade and Ball; and a collection of invitations, admission cards, programs, and dance cards from the Veiled Prophet Balls, 1878-present.

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

A1687**Verda, Dominic J.****Collection, 1970s-1980s.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Typescripts, newsclippings, and photographs relating to several St. Louis buildings in West County, especially Ladue. These include residences at 15 Pine Valley Drive, 16 Pine Valley Drive, and 2601 Warson Road, and the St. Louis Country Club. The collection also includes information on the Medical Lister Building at 4500 Olive. Also includes a set of specifications and architectural renderings of a proposed apartment development in West County, "The Fountains," by Wedemeyer, Cernik, and Corrubia, Inc., that was never built.

Cite as: Dominic J. Verda Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1688

Verdenal, Dominique F.

Journal, 1858-1861. 2 folders

Resident of San Francisco, California, who attended St. Louis University from November 11, 1858, until October 24, 1860.

Journal of Dominique F. Verdenal while he was a student at Saint Louis University, containing descriptions of travel to St. Louis from San Francisco via Panama and New York, discussion of his education and social life in St. Louis, commentary and observations on political matters including the presidential election of 1860, lists of expenses, books read, letters written, references to students who were sent home, and concluding with descriptions of his return to New York by way of Cincinnati and Washington, D.C., et al. Photocopy and transcript only.

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Cite as: Dominique F. Verdenal Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1689

Verein Deutscher Aerzte.

Minute book, 1893-1900. 1 volume

The Verein Deutscher Aerzte was a professional association of German-speaking physicians.

This record book contains the minutes of the association, with biographical information on Dr. A. Litton, a founding member inserted.

In German handwriting.

Cite as: Verein Deutscher Aerzte Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1690

Vest, George Graham (1830-1904).

Papers, 1870-1962. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

George Graham Vest was a judge advocate in General Sterling Price's Confederate forces in Missouri, 1862, and served in the House of Representatives of the Confederate Congress, 1862-1866. He was elected as a Democrat in the U.S. Senate, and served from 1879 to 1903. He retired and lived at Sweet Springs, Missouri, until his death on August 9, 1904.

Collection includes an excerpt from speech of Vest made at Warrensburg eulogizing dogs in 1870; correspondence on various issues and bills that concerned him during his

political career; and newspaper clippings and correspondence about the collection.
Cite as: George Graham Vest Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Veteran Volunteer Fireman's Historical Society (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1888-1919.

See Saint Louis Volunteer Firemen Collection.

A1691

Veterans of the Blue and Gray (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1896-1900. 3 volumes

The Veterans of the Blue and Gray was a short-lived St. Louis Civil War veterans' organization that sought to effectuate reconciliation between veterans of the Union and Confederate forces in the Civil War. It disbanded following the Spanish-American War because "the War between Spain and the United States accomplished all that this society set out to do."

These records consist of the unit minute book, containing orders, clippings, and printed matter; roster; and account book.

Cite as: Veterans of the Blue and Gray Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2285

Vie, Oliver.

Papers, 1913-1919. 1 folder

Oliver Vie was born January 28, 1887, in St. Louis, Missouri. After working for several years in a shoe factory, he enlisted in the army in October 1913, Company K, 26th Infantry. He served along the Mexican border before going with the first contingent to France in June 1917. He fought in the battles of Cantigny and Soissons and was wounded in action and died July 20, 1918.

The collection consists of correspondence of Oliver Vie, primarily to his sister, Grace Ashton, documenting his service in the army along the Mexican border and later in France during World War I. It also includes correspondence between his sister and officials regarding Vie's MIA status and death.

Finding aid available.

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

A1692

Vital statistics collection, 1764-1865; 1950. 1 folder (10 items)

Contains *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* clipping dated March 26, 195-, regarding birth certificates; page from a family Bible regarding births, deaths, 1764-1865; blank birth certificate forms; information from Bureau of Vital Statistics of Missouri, 1950.

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

A2154

Vlemmas Brothers Market Co.

Collection, 1904-1980. 4 folders

The collection consists of business papers of the Vlemmas Brothers Market (1914-

1987) that was located at 2 North Sarah Street in St. Louis and miscellaneous papers of the Vlemmas family including a christening certificate of Christos Vlemmas, St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church, St. Louis, 1920, and selective service record of Vlemmas, 1942. Cite as: Vlemmas Brothers Market Co. Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1693

Vollmar Brothers Construction Company.

Records, 1979-1980. 150 cubic feet

Company located at 711 North Grand, St. Louis.

Records contain files of jobs completed (such as Six Flags over Mid-America): estimates, drawings, expenses, hours worked, wages paid, vouchers, etc. The files are still in their original folders. Mostly unprocessed.

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

A1694

Vollmar, Joseph E., Jr.

World War II flight training manuals, 1943-1944. 1 box

Collection of World War II flight training manuals used by Joseph E. Vollmar, Jr., at Mountain Home air base replacement training field (Idaho), and the 398th bomb group, Rapid City, South Dakota.

Cite as: Joseph E. Vollmar, Jr., World War II Flight Training Manuals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2454

Volta Galvanizing Company, Limited (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania).

Circular, 1881. 1 item

Cite as: Volta Galvanizing Company, Limited, Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1695

Von Drehle Family.

Collection, 1905-1926. 1 box (approximately 15 items)

Collection contains items relating to the Von Drehle family of St. Louis including a student handbook and graduation announcements of Grover Cleveland High School; business cards; political election cards for D.B.F. Von Drehle, 1913, House of Delegates, 12th Ward; Von Drehle's subdivision (St. Louis) payment books (2 copies), 1919; autograph book; and unidentified photographs.

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

A1696

Von Phul and McGill (St. Louis, Missouri).

Receipt book, 1838-1844. 1 volume (204 leaves)

Firm of St. Louis commission merchants, Henry Von Phul and T. McGill.

Cite as: Von Phul and McGill Receipt Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

A1697

Von Phul Family.

Papers, 1769-1874; 1953-1954. 2 boxes

Family of Henry von Phul, merchant engaged in river and Indian trade, brought family to Lexington, Kentucky, and then to St. Louis; and of Maria von Phul, St. Louis watercolor artist.

Correspondence of family in Lancaster, Pennsylvania; Lexington, Kentucky; and St. Louis, namely, correspondence of Graf (Count) von Phul, Maria von Phul, and Sarah von Phul Mason. The collection also contains Graf von Phul's extracts from the first lecture of Sir Joshua Reynolds, delivered at the opening of the Royal Academy, January 2, 1769; and clippings kept by Maria von Phul.

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

A1698

Von Schrenk Family.

Papers, 1889-1953. 2 folders (approximately 70 items)

Dr. Herman Von Schrenk, 1873-1953. Noted botanist and timber engineer from St. Louis.

Various accounts, receipts of Herman Von Schrenk; correspondence, leaflets, etc., regarding Missouri Forestry Association; newsclippings regarding Herman Von Schrenk and information on family.

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

von Suttner, Bertha

See Suttner, Bertha, Bertha Felicie Sophie Kinsky, Freifrau von.

A2291

Vonland, George.

Journal Titled "My Days In France," 1918-1919. 1 volume

George O. Vonland was born in 1898 and lived in St. Louis, Missouri, before being sent to fight in Europe during World War I. During the war, he was stationed in France where he was involved in a battle at Hilsenfirst after which he was awarded the Croix de Guerre from the French government. Later, he was wounded at the Battle of the Argonne. After the war, he returned to St. Louis where he was employed as a chauffeur by the Wagoner Undertaking Company (3621 Olive Street). He also served as a captain in the 407th Infantry of the Reserve Corps. He and his wife, Gertrude, had two sons, Raymond and George, Jr. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for heroism in action at Hilsenfirst, France, at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, nearly 16 years after the end of the war. He died February 5, 1969.

Journal written by George O. Vonland, an American soldier stationed in France during World War I. He describes various battles he fought in and his impressions of France during the war. This book was copied in May 1920 from the original journal.

Cite as: George Vonland Journal Titled "My Days in France," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2435

VP Fair Foundation (St. Louis, Missouri).

Organizational chart, 1986. 1 item

Cite as: VP Fair Foundation Organizational Chart, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1699

Vukelich, Joseph and Rose (Terovich).

Papers, 1935-1950. 1 folder

“How to Become an American Citizen” booklet, by Marian Schibsby and Read Lewis (published by the Foreign Language Service, 1934); war ration cards and wallet; social security card; receipt for property at 2118 Wyoming Street, Saint Louis.

Cite as: Joseph and Rose (Terovich) Vukelich Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1700**Wade, Edward P.****Papers, 1836-1919; 1965.** 2 boxes

President of the Alton (Illinois) Bank.

Correspondence of Edward P. Wade, including family correspondence, with multiple references to Alton, Illinois; clippings; obituaries of Alton citizens; programs of Monticello and Shurtleff Colleges; rules and regulations of Alton Cemetery; and diaries. Cite as: Edward P. Wade Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1702**Wagner, C. Corwith.****Collection, 1821-1872.** 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Collector.

Collection of various bodies of letters; 14 letters, J.B. Camden and Co., 1837-1843, regarding business conditions with vivid descriptions of conditions in St. Louis regarding the closing of banks in Illinois and the heavy speculations in St. Louis city scrip; journal, 1843?, of a visit to Indian missions; various typed letters of people traveling West; letter of E. Wyman to Senator Walter, dated August 25, 1868, regarding appointments and salaries of teachers in St. Louis; 1957 catalogue of auction of Wagner U.S. Postal History Collection.

Cite as: C. Cowith Wagner Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1701**Wagner Electric Manufacturing Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).****Patent litigation papers, 1901-1908.** 8 boxes

The Wagner Electric Manufacturing Company was organized in St. Louis in August 1891, its plant located at 2017 Lucas Place. The company manufactured electrical machinery and devices, a specialty being made of alternating stationary power motors of all sizes.

Correspondence, briefs, decisions, and patents concerning litigation involving patent rights for transformers and electrical motors. Records involve litigation with the following companies: General Electric Company; Schuler Motor Company; Thomson-Houston Electric Company; Dayton Fan and Motor Company; Williams Valley Lights, Heat and Power Company; Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company; Montgomery Electric Power and Light Company; and Union Carbide. Collection is arranged alphabetically by name of case.

Cite as: Wagner Electric Manufacturing Company Patent Litigation Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1703**Wagner, H.R.****Collection, 1921-1927.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Association with the California Historical Society.

Typed correspondence with Ms. Stella Drumm of the Missouri Historical Society regarding various historical figures of interest to both parties and or societies.

Cite as: H.R. Wagner Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Wagoner, Henry H. Daily Diary, 1874.
See Journals and Diaries Collection, 1874.

A1704

Wahlert, Jennie (1883-1971).
Papers, 1879-1967. 3 boxes

St. Louis educator Jennie Wahlert was born into a family that boasted six generations of teachers. She was born in 1883, the daughter of Henry August Wahlert and Anzella Snodgrass Wahlert. She was educated at Harris Teachers College in St. Louis and earned a master's degree from Columbia University. She began her own career in education as a teacher at Irving School in St. Louis in 1905. After teaching also at Elliott and Wyman Schools she became primary supervisor in 1923 and principal of Jackson School in 1934. In 1943, she became professor of education at Harris Teachers' College, a post she held until her retirement in 1953, at the age of 70. Thereafter, she assumed the directorship of Washington University's nursery school and became an instructor in early childhood education at the school's University College. An advocate of state-supported kindergartens and a promoter of early childhood education, Miss Wahlert was active in the Association for Childhood Education, the Girl Scouts of America, the Missouri State Teachers' Association, the Nursery Foundation, the National Council of Primary Education, and the Nursery Education Council of St. Louis. She was also active in the Grace Hill Settlement House. She died in St. Louis in 1971 at the age of 88.

The Jennie Wahlert Papers consist of material that documents Wahlert's career as a St. Louis educator and advocate of early childhood and elementary education. The collection includes correspondence from St. Louis educator Thomas E. Spencer, 1906-1938; correspondence from Rachel Stix Michael, 1929-1936; pamphlets and articles on kindergarten education, 1923-1957; material regarding her 1931 trip to England as a guest of the English-Speaking Union; notes and programs for the 1938 observance of the centennial of the St. Louis public school system; material regarding the Progressive Education Conferences, St. Louis, 1940, 1941; correspondence and notes concerning Wahlert's visit to Germany to observe the German educational system and to acquaint Germans with American elementary education, 1951-1953; notes and speeches concerning Susan E. Blow; data relating to the Jane Addams Centennial, 1959-1963; and letters and notes on kindergarten education, particularly concerning the campaign for state-supported kindergartens in Missouri, 1963-1967. The collection also contains biographical sketches of several noted St. Louis educators; notes and minutes of meetings of the Grace Hill Settlement House, in which Jennie Wahlert was active, 1964-1968; a collection of awards, citations, and diplomas conferred on Wahlert throughout her life, including an honorary doctor of humane letters from Principia College of liberal arts, 1944; and biographical data and newsclippings concerning Wahlert. The collection also includes family material, namely an 1879-1882 autograph book of her mother, Annie Snodgrass (Anzella Snodgrass Wahlert); notes, sketches, photographs pertaining to inventions and the career of her father, Henry A. Wahlert, 1907-1908; and genealogical information and correspondence to Jennie Wahlert from her nephew Ernie [Ernst Henry Wahlert, Jr.], 1968-1969. Also includes the record book of the Humanity Club, a woman's philanthropic association concerned with the reform of public institutions,

primarily those that housed women and children, 1894-1911.

The collection is organized into three series. Series I contains Jennie Wahlert's papers and is subdivided into three subseries. Subseries A consists of biographical data; subseries B, the largest portion of the collection, contains material that documents her professional career; and subseries C includes Wahlert's awards, diplomas, honors, and commemorations. Series II consists of Wahlert family papers. Series III contains the record book of the Humanity Club.

Finding aid available.

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

A1705

Waldo, David.

Papers, 1828-1880. 4 folders; 1 volume (approximately 40 items)

Physician, trader, banker, and local official of Independence, Missouri.

Correspondence, journal (1852-1857), notes, and other papers, relating to emigration to California, Oregon, and other western states, trade with Santa Fe, daily farming and weather conditions and visitors from the West. Includes two manuscripts of Waldo's brother William Waldo, describing traders and western expenditures.

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

A1706

Walker, Benjamin.

Family papers, 1858; 1902. 1 volume; 1 folder (3 items)

Benjamin Walker was appointed major paymaster with the United States Army, 1839. He died May 28, 1858, in St. Louis.

Collection includes bound volume containing an inventory of the estate of Benjamin Walker, 1858; letter of Susan Blow to Elizabeth Walker, 1902, in which Susan Blow thanks the kindergarten class for flowers; undated genealogical family tree of the Walker family; photocopy listing the military history of Benjamin Walker from the adjutant general's office, May 9, 1935.

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

A1707

Wallbridge Elementary School (Saint Louis, Missouri) Saint Louis History Club.

Scrapbook, 1941. 1 volume

This scrapbook was assembled by students at the Wallbridge Elementary School in St. Louis, with the assistance of their teacher Areola Reinhardt in 1941. Titled "Saint Louis History Club," it consists mostly of clippings and memorabilia relating to St. Louis history.

Cite as: Wallbridge Elementary School Saint Louis History Club Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2560

Walsh Family.

Papers, 1889, 1965. 2 items (oversize)

Collection contains certificate of Edward Walsh, Jr., exempting him from jury duty

because he has served as an active member of the fire wardens of the city of St. Louis for seven years, January 12, 1889. The certificate includes an illustration of firemen trying to put out a fire. In the foreground of the illustration are images of the St. James Hotel and The Temple. The collection also contains a commission of Edward J. Walsh, Jr., as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners of the city of St. Louis, signed by Missouri governor Warren E. Hearnes, February 2, 1965.

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

A1708

Walsh, John K.

Papers, 1850-1890. 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

Lived in Carondelet.

Papers contain mementoes of family, including newsclippings, invitations, etc.

Cite as: John K. Walsh Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1709

Walsh, Julius Sylvester (1842-1923).

Family papers, 1778-1918. 1 box

Julius Sylvester Walsh was a prominent financier, promoter of Eads Bridge, and son of Isabelle DeMun Walsh.

This collection includes correspondence regarding the financial aspects of the Illinois and St. Louis Bridge Company; three memorials to Robert A.B. Walsh; correspondence regarding Ste. Genevieve–area lead mining; family correspondence; St. Louis land papers; surveys; Revolutionary War journal of Charles Thomas; material relating to the South Pass Jetty Company, New Orleans and St. Louis; material relating to the inauguration of Forest Park, 1876; and letter of Thomas Hart Benton, 1856.

Cite as: Julius Sylvester Walsh Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2366

Walsh-Yore Family.

Papers, 1825-1862. 5 folders, 1 oversize folder (10 items total)

Joseph W. Walsh died September 23, 1842, in St. Louis. His daughter, Margaret J. Walsh, married John E. Yore. John E. Yore (1831-1867) died July 1, 1867, in St. Louis. Margaret J. Yore died October 31, 1912, in St. Louis, at the age of 71.

The collection contains deeds and other land papers of the Walsh-Yore family of St. Louis, Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Walsh-Yore Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2345

Walther, George.

Papers, 1865-1883. 6 items

Papers contain the following six receipts: receipt of Francis Saler, bookseller, No. 39, 41, 43 Convent Street, between 3rd & 4th Sts., St. Louis, Mo., to George Walther, St. Thomas, Mo, September 30, 1865; receipt of the Eclipse Stove Works (Buck & Wright,

proprietors), 720 and 722 Main Street, St. Louis, to Geo. Walther, St. Thomas, September 24, 1868; receipt of Wm. Koenig & Co., 207 North 2nd Street, St. Louis, to Walther & Schell, St. Thomas, Mo., June 9, 1870; receipt of the Eclipse Stove Works (Buck & Wright, proprietors), 720 and 722 Main Street, St. Louis, to Walther & Schell, St. Thomas, Mo., April 19, 1871; receipt of James Beakey, 517 North Main Street, St. Louis, to Walther & Schell, St. Thomas, Mo., October 28, 1872; and receipt of Buck's Stove Company, 720 and 722 North Main Street, St. Louis, to Geo. Walther & Son, May 9, 1883, for merchandise shipped on the steamboat *Far West* from St. Louis to St. Thomas, Mo.

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

A1710

Waltuch, Hy A. (circa 1914-2001).

Papers, 1956-1980. 1 box; 11 volumes

Hy Waltuch served on the Citizens Committee for a New Clayton Charter in 1957 and was elected an alderman of Clayton, Missouri, in the same year. During his nine-year term as alderman, he served on the City Planning Commission of Clayton and served as mayor of Clayton from 1967 to 1971. He died February 22, 2001, in Clayton.

Papers include zoning ordinances of Clayton, 1958; annual reports of Clayton, 1962-1971; correspondence and minutes of Citizens Committee for New Clayton Charter, 1956-1957; Hanley House restoration materials; printed election materials and scrapbooks, 1958-1976.

Cite as: Hy A. Waltuch Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1711

Wangelin, Josie K.

Ledger, 1929-1942. 1 volume (141 pages)

Order and design book of St. Louis jeweler.

Cite as: Josie K. Wangelin Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1712

War of 1812 collection, [1807]-1973. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Contains mostly photostats of items pertaining to the War of 1812 with an emphasis on Missouri; contemporary items regarding the location of the burial of soldiers from the war and articles regarding the war.

Cite as: War of 1812 Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2815

Ware Family.

Papers, 1846-1886. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

William H. Ware was born in New Jersey circa 1818. As a young man, he worked in the South as a school teacher. In 1849 he traveled overland from Independence, Missouri, to California, settling in Santa Clara County. He died in October 1886 in California.

Papers contain the following documents: (1) Letter signed William H. Ware, Shelbyville, Shelby County, Kentucky, to sister Miss Hannah Swing, Sharpstown, Salem County, New Jersey, July 15, 1846 (original and typescript copy). Mentions his plans to

visit Texas, Mexico, and perhaps South America. (2) Letter signed William H. Ware, Fayette[e], Jefferson County, Mississippi, to his mother, Hannah Swing, Sharpstown, Salem County, New Jersey, February 21, 1848 (original and typescript copy). Mentions that he is studying law while continuing to work as a school teacher, and that he intends to settle in the West. Briefly describes Southern women, as compared to those of the north. (3) Letter signed John Swing, Gregory Mines, Rocky Mountains, to his mother, July 2, 1859 (original and typescript copy). Describes his overland trip from Leavenworth to the Rocky Mountains. Mentions seeing 2000 Comanche Indians; describes crossing a desert; mentions meeting Horace Greeley; describes travails of transporting a wagon load of goods across the mountains; briefly describes his grocery business, which is supplying the miners; and briefly describes establishment of Golden City. (4) Letter signed John Swing, Gregory Mines, Rocky Mountains, to Mrs. Hannah Swing, Sharpstown, Salem County, N.J., July 2, [1859?] (original and typescript copy). Describes his overland trip from Leavenworth to the Rocky Mountains. Mentions seeing 2000 Comanche Indians, thousands of buffalo, and hundreds of wolves; briefly describes crossing a desert; mentions meeting Horace Greeley; briefly describes establishing a grocery store that supplies the miners; and briefly describes establishment of Golden City. Content of this letter is similar to the content of previous letter, dated July 2, 1859. (5) Handwritten and typed transcript of the obituary of William H. Ware, taken from the *San Jose Mercury*, October 9, 1886. (6) Handwritten and typed transcript of a petition of public administrator J.G. Harris for letters of administration upon the estate of William H. Ware, [October 1886?]. Document mentions William H. Ware's brother Clement A. Ware of New Jersey as an heir.

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

A2437

Warr, Emma Louise.

Papers, 1882-1921. 4 items

Papers contain New York Hospital Training School for Nurses certificate of completion of course work and examination awarded to Emma Louise Warr, October 5, 1882; registered nurse certificate awarded to Emma L. Warr by the University of the State of New York, August 6, 1906; registered nurse certificate awarded to Emma L. Warr by the Missouri State Board for Examination and Registration of Nurses, October 3, 1913; and registered nurse license awarded to Emma L. Warr by the Missouri State Board of Nurse Examiners, September 20, 1921.

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

A1713

Warren County, Missouri.

Records, 1848-1863. 1 box (6 volumes).

Warren County was organized in 1833 out of the parent county of Montgomery.

The collection consists of two receipt books of the county collector for taxes paid in Davis District of Warren County in 1859, and in Charrette Township of Warren County in 1861; and four poll books for state and county elections from the years 1848, 1850, 1854, and 1863, from the Warren County Clerk's office.

Cite as: Warren County, Missouri, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

A1714

"Washington and Lafayette" Sculpture Collection, 1893; 1896. 1 folder

Collection consists primarily of the correspondence of Emile Karst, president of the Lafayette Club of St. Louis, to Adolphe Salmon, agent for Frederic Auguste Bartholdi, regarding Karst's efforts to bring Bartholdi's "Washington and Lafayette" sculpture to St. Louis. The sculpture was exhibited at the 1893 Chicago World's Fair.

Cite as: "Washington and Lafayette" Sculpture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1715

Washington County, Missouri.

Court records, 1788-1851. 4 microfilm reels; 18 boxes

Washington County records. Correspondence of Delassus Deluziere, Moses Austin, Francois Valle, Vital Beauvais, Joseph Hortiz, 1799. Letter of William Clark to the commissioners of the court house notifying them of the creation of Washington County from part of Ste. Genevieve County by act of the General Assembly, September 4, 1813; petitions for county roads, for alterations or removal of roads, plats of roads and county lines, and road reports; petitions for justices of the peace; commissioners bonds; records of the court of common pleas, John Brickey, clerk; sale of lots, summons, promissory notes, and petitions; court cases, 1818-1846; court cases, Nos. 1-120, 1-132, 1820s; indentures and bonds of free Negroes and mulattoes, 1845-1851. Two justice of the peace petitions were added to box under accession 80-0013

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card index.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Washington County, Missouri, Court Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1716

Washington County, Missouri. Benton Township.

Justice of the peace docket book, 1825-1829. 1 volume

This volume is the record of Justice of the Peace Henry Shurlds, and has his certificate of appointment inserted into the front of the volume (1825).

Cite as: Justice of the Peace Docket Book, Benton Township, Washington County, Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1717

Washington County, Missouri. Johnson Township.

Justice of the peace record book, 1843-1894. 1 volume

This volume contains the records of Justices of the Peace Jonas M. Anthony (1843-1858), Asa Roberts (1858-1859), and Simon O. Farrell (1858-1894).

Cite as: Justice of the Peace Record Book, Johnson Township, Washington County, Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1719**Washington, George.**

Collection, [1776]-1935. 4 folders; 1 oversize folder (approximately 30 items)

Collection contains originals and photostats of George Washington correspondence to various people regarding political happenings of the day, 1777-1791; various printed items (pamphlets, newsclippings) regarding Washington's career and personal life.

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

A1720**Washington, Hugh V.**

Papers, 1876; 1902; 1925. 1 folder (3 items); 1 oversize folder

Map of Hammond Spring, in Lindell Avenue area, St. Louis, May 1876; letter of Hugh Washington to Missouri Historical Society librarian Marjory Dawson, dated January 16, 1902, regarding Col. Samuel Hammonds' life and a portrait of him; correspondence and a copy of will of Hugh Washington, 1925.

Cite as: Hugh V. Washington Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1718

Washington University collection, 1870-1979. 7 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 roll storage box

Contains printed material (programs, invitations, newsclippings); some correspondence regarding Washington University; and preliminary ground plans for the Washington University campus, by Olmstead Brothers and Eliot, landscape architects, plans no. 1, 21, and 26, 1895-1899.

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

Waterhouse, Richard G., Journal, 1795-1799.

See Journals and Diaries Collection, 1795.

A1721**Waterhouse, Sylvester.**

Manuscript history of the founding of St. Louis, no date. 1 box

Manuscript of the founding of St. Louis for Scharf's history. Also includes letter of Sylvester Waterhouse to Amos A. Lawrence regarding need for assistance to arm and equip the loyal men of Missouri, June 22, 1861.

Cite as: Sylvester Waterhouse, Manuscript History of the Founding of St. Louis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Wathen, Ignatius

See Ignatius Wathen and Company.

A1722**Waugh, Alfred S. (-1856).**

"Desultory Wanderings in the Years 1845-1846" / typescript, circa 1850. 1 box

Alfred S. Waugh was an Irishman who studied at the Royal Dublin Society in 1827

where he learned to model in clay and worked in life classes. By 1833 he was in Baltimore, Maryland, and in 1844, he met John B. Tisdale who became his traveling companion. He arrived in St. Louis hoping to tour the West with Capt. Fremont; failing that, he settled in the Kansas City area until 1846, when traveled to Santa Fe. He then made St. Louis his home in 1848. He became known for his ability to produce sculptures and portraits, especially miniatures, and also lectured on art and wrote for the *Western Journal*. His eyesight failed him and he died a poor artist in St. Louis. No examples of his art have been found.

Volume, supposedly the first of three, of memoirs and recollections of travels in 1845-1846. Includes accounts of journeys to Mobile, New Orleans, St. Louis, Jefferson City, Demopolis, Alabama, Independence, Missouri, Lexington, Missouri, and Santa Fe; recorded on the right-sided pages probably around 1850. Letters dated 1849-1854 are written on the left-sided pages of the volume, and include a letter to possibly Jenny Lind in March 1851. Collection also includes typescript of memoir, edited by John Francis McDermott, and correspondence regarding its publication.

Cite as: Alfred S. Waugh, "Desultory Wanderings in the Years 1845-1846," typescript, circa 1850, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1838

Waugh, Ella, Mrs. (circa 1900-1984). Papers, 1930-1953 (bulk 1943-1953).

Ella Jens was born circa 1900. An artist and teacher, she attended the University of Missouri, the School of Fine Arts at Washington University, and graduated from the St. Louis School of Occupational Therapy. She studied sculpture at Cranbrook Academy near Detroit and at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts in Philadelphia. She married Charles L. Waugh circa 1941, but was widowed when her husband was killed January 26, 1944, in China, while serving as an intelligence officer in the U.S. Army. She later married Edward Boeschstein. She died April 15, 1984, in St. Louis.

The papers consist primarily of the correspondence between Ella Jens Waugh and her husband, Charles L. Waugh, while Charles was serving in the U.S. Army, mostly in China, during World War II. The collection also contains personal correspondence to Mrs. Waugh, including several letters from her friend Mrs. Edna Gellhorn. Other notable items include the will of Miss Ella Jens, dated 1931; several official military papers of Charles Waugh, dated 1942-1943; newspaper clippings regarding United States military operations in China and the Pacific during World War II; and World War II ration books and other rationing materials.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mrs. Ella Waugh Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1723

Wayne County, Missouri, collection, 1854-1871. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Court papers from Wayne County, Missouri; family correspondence of residents of Wayne County describing everyday life.

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

A1724**Webb, James Josiah (1818-1889).****Papers, 1839-1889.** 8 boxes; 21 volumes

James J. Webb was a Santa Fe trader; a partner with George P. Doan in firm of Webb and Doan (1845-1850); with William S. Messervy in the firm of Messervy and Webb (1850-1854); and with John M. Kingsbury in the firm of Webb and Kingsbury (1854-1861). After 1857, he lived in New Haven and then Hamden, Connecticut. He retired in 1861 to careers in politics and agriculture.

Collection includes records of the various Santa Fe trading firms of James J. Webb, and documents all aspects of the St. Louis to Santa Fe trade prior to, during, and in the period following the Mexican War. Also includes material relating to Webb's personal life, including his views on politics, health, and his capture and imprisonment in Chihuahua during the Mexican War. Materials include voluminous correspondence, receipts, and account books. Among the account books are six volumes of accounts of Webb and Doan from St. Louis and Santa Fe and points in between; a purchase journal, daybook, accounts journal, cashbook, ledger, and letterbook of Webb and Doan agent Henry Winslow, dated 1848-1850; two volumes of accounts of Messervy and Webb that include a daybook (1851) with entries of the successor firm of Webb and Kingsbury in rear (1845-1869) and a purchase journal of William S. Messervy of Boston (1851-1852), with trial balances of Webb and Kingsbury in rear (1855-1857); 11 record books of Webb and Kingsbury from New England and New York, and from St. Louis and Santa Fe; and two letterbooks of James J. Webb that include correspondence regarding Santa Fe trade, personal life, and politics (1857-1871). Also of major significance is a volume of Captain H.L. Dodge's Company of Volunteers stationed at Gemez (1848-1849) containing general orders and morning reports; and a manuscript and typescript memoir of James J. Webb written in 1889 that spans the years 1844-1847.

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

A1725**Weber, Johann Heinrich.****Papers, circa 1795-1865.** 1 box

Dr. Henry Behrens married Bertha Weber in St. Charles. She was the eldest daughter of Johann Heinrich Weber. Ida Weber married Major Warrens; Therese married Charles Balmer; others were Henry and Gottwald.

Collection consists of personal papers, namely official appointments, commissions, honors, etc. of Johann Heinrich Weber; letters of Henry W. Longfellow to J. Henry Weber regarding translations of Miles Standish and suggestions as to publisher (1859); original literary volumes of Weber's, including poetry, a drama, and a three-part volume that includes other dramatic works, travels, and an autobiography up to 1834; notebook of Bertha Weber titled "Collectanea"; a chorale book of German songs; a copybook of works of favorite German authors; and a family tree of the Weber and related families. Mostly German handscript.

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

A1726**Weber, Nettie O.**

Papers, 1891-1909. 1 box; 5 volumes

Lived on a farm near Pevely, Missouri.

Diaries with daily descriptions of life on a farm; also includes snapshots of members of the family and newspaper clippings possibly collected by Ms. Weber. One volume has written in it, "Temperance Roll Book of the Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor of Pevely, Mo." This volume includes several short essays on Christian ethical issues. Preservation copies of the diaries are available.

Cite as: Nettie O. Weber Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2497

Wedepohl, A.

Letter to George F. Jeckel, 1904 Feb 25. 1 item

Typescript letter of H. Wedepohl and family to George F. Jeckel, Alton, Illinois, briefly discusses Jeckel's business account with Wedepohl. Letter is written on stationery of Hermann Wedepohl, blacksmith, wagonmaker, and dealer in agricultural implements, Berger, Missouri.

Cite as: A. Wedepohl Letter to George F. Jeckel, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1727

Wegener, Wilbur.

Collection, 1954-1974 (bulk 1954-1961). approximately 100 items

Wilbur Wegener is a St. Louis photographer. He joined the organizations ONE, Incorporated, in 1956 and the Mattachine Society, Inc., in February 1961.

The collection consists of membership and related materials regarding the organizations ONE, Incorporated, and the Mattachine Society, Inc., and their publications. (See the Missouri History Museum Library collections for the publications of ONE, Incorporated, and The Mattachine Society, Inc.)

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

A1728

Weick Brothers Undertaking Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1911-1956. 5 boxes

Weick Brothers Undertaking Company, 2201 South Grand.

Records of the Clem. Weick Undertaker Funeral Company (1911-1920) and the Weick Bros. Undertaking Company (1920-1950); records including bad debts, 1927-1956; and funeral bulletins, arranged alphabetically by name of deceased, which include vital statistics of deceased, date of death and burial, and place of burial; also information for obituary (some have newspaper clippings attached) and information of financial aspects of funeral. Indexes to the nine volumes of records and funeral bulletins are in the Vertical File. Index by Viola Vogler published in the *St. Louis Genealogical Society Quarterly*, Volume VII, No. 4 (December 1974), pages 79-82; Vol. VIII, No. 1 (March 1975), pages 17-22; Volume VIII, No. 2 (June 1975), pages 35-42; and Volume VIII, No. 3 (September 1975), pages 69-72.

Cite as: Weick Brothers Undertaking Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1729**Weisert, John.****Papers, 1896-1945.** 2 boxes

Tobacco manufacturer.

Personal and business records of John Weisert of John Weisert Tobacco Company, St. Louis. Includes papers regarding Weisert's city taxes; federal income tax returns, circa 1922-1930s; deeds of property; receipts for state, school and city taxes, 1887-1897; correspondence regarding real estate transactions; and special tax bill receipts, 1905-1924.

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

A1730**Wellmeyer Family.****Papers, 1880-1925.** 3 folders; 1 volume

Adolph G. Wellmeyer was president of the A.G. Wellmeyer Drug Company from 1881 until about 1915. He was also involved with several wrecking companies and Wellmeyer Realty and Investment Company.

The collection consists primarily of Adolph G. Wellmeyer family receipts, and includes an account book of the Mound City Building and Wrecking Co., St. Louis. (See the Missouri Historical Society Photographs and Prints Department for graphic materials.)

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

A2364**Wells Family.****Papers, 1847-1883.** 1 folder

Brothers Joseph B. Wells (1806-1858), Dr. John C. Wells (died 1857), and Carty Wells (1805-1860) came to St. Charles County, Missouri, from Kentucky in 1827. Joseph B. Wells practiced law in Warren County and St. Louis, before moving to San Francisco in 1851. He died December 31, 1858, in Troy, Missouri. Dr. John C. Wells married Kitty Custer, and practiced medicine at Troy until his death in 1857.

Collection includes correspondence, legal papers, and other documents of the Wells family.

Finding aid available.

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

A1731**Wells, Rolla (1856-1944).****Papers, circa 1870-1901.** 1 volume, 1 folder

Rolla Wells was born in St. Louis to millionaire promoter of St. Louis street transit system, Erastus Wells. He received his education at Washington University and Princeton University. In 1878 he married Jennie Howard Parker and joined his father's business, becoming superintendent of the Olive and Market horse car line. In 1894, he organized the American Steel Foundry Co. and became the first president. Wells served as mayor of St. Louis from 1901 until 1909, during which time he was responsible for road

improvements and a new water system in preparation for the 1904 World's Fair. He also was instrumental in acquiring 16 playgrounds for the city. In 1912 he became treasurer for the Democratic National Committee and was appointed governor of the Federal Reserve District in St. Louis by Woodrow Wilson in 1914. Wells is buried at Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, Missouri.

The scrapbook contains mostly ticket stubs for local street railways, newsclippings concerning the narrow gauge street railways, and railroad timetables for St. Louis and other railroads in the United States, dated 1870s. Also includes a certificate of election as mayor presented to Wells in 1901.

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

A1732

Wendell Willkie presidential campaign newsclipping collection, 1940. 1 box

Approximately 200 newsclippings and assorted memorabilia regarding the Willkie presidential campaign.

Cite as: Wendell Willkie Presidential Campaign Newsclipping Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1733

Wesley House.

Records, 1937. 1 box (22 pages)

Typescript Wesley House annual report (1937) titled "12 Months of Fun, Fellowship, Friendliness During 1937 at Wesley House, St. Louis, 5420 Lillian Ave." (22 pages); returned to Fannie Cook Papers (Box 29, Folder 37).

A1734

Western travel collection, [1662]-1968. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

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 accounts of travel in the nineteenth-century American West, but also includes material relating to western travel in the eighteenth and twentieth centuries. The collection includes correspondence, newspaper clippings, and journals and diaries. Many items are typescript copies, rather than original documents. The collection is arranged chronologically.

Finding aid available.

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

A1735

***Westliche Post* Publication Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).**

Account books, 1910-1927. 4 volumes

Collection contains account book of branches, *Westliche Post* and *Anzeiger*, dated 1910-1918; account book of dealers, *Westliche Post*, dated 1918-1927; and ledgers number 3 and 5, dated 1921 to 1923 and 1925 to 1927, of the *Westliche Post* listing subscriber, address, edition and dates paid.

Cite as: *Westliche Post* Publication Company Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2356**Westminster Dancing Academy (St. Louis, Mo.).****Pamphlet, circa 1920s.** 1 item

The cover of this 8-page pamphlet reads, "Westminster Dancing Academy, 3806 Olive Street, St. Louis." The title page refers to the academy as "Prof. W.T. Clark's Dancing Academy, Westminster Hall." The pamphlet includes a portrait photograph of Prof. W.T. Clark [William T. Clark]; interior views of the reception hall, dance hall, and office; and an advertisement of Miss Letitia Palmar Cirode, teacher of physical culture, ball room and fancy dances.

Cite as: Westminster Dancing Academy pamphlet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1736**Weydemeyer, Joseph P.****Papers, 1861-1865.** 1 box

A native of Germany, Joseph Weydemeyer was commissioned lieutenant colonel of the 2nd Missouri Light Artillery (Union) in November 1861. He was discharged in September 1863 and reentered the service as colonel of the 41st Missouri Infantry in September 1864. He died August 20, 1866, in St. Louis.

Papers contain order book, dated June to October 1862; letterbook, dated July to October 1862; and miscellaneous papers of Colonel Joseph Weydemeyer while stationed at military posts in Salem and Houston, Missouri. Includes information about scouting expeditions and engagements with rebel troops, mostly involving the 2nd Missouri Light Artillery, the 3rd Missouri Cavalry, and the 99th Illinois Infantry. Order book contains post orders, general orders, and special orders. Letterbook contains correspondence mostly with Colonel Henry Almstedt, Colonel John M. Glover, and Lieutenant Colonel Walter C. Gantt. Includes accounts of actions against Coleman's band of rebels; a hand-drawn map of an engagement along the Big Piney River (page 15); correspondence regarding a mutiny at the post; and mentions of the post surgeon, Dr. Noble Barron. Papers also include a list of those who have filed their oaths of allegiance in the St. Louis County clerk's office, December 16, 1861; and two muster rolls of Company C, 41st Missouri Infantry, dated April 30 and July 11, 1865.

Some letters in German.

Cite as: Joseph P. Weydemeyer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1737**Whelpley, Henry Milton, Dr. (1861-1926).****Collection, 1826-1929.** 2 boxes; 2 volumes

Dr. Henry Milton Whelpley was born in Battle Creek, Michigan. He was an 1883 graduate of St. Louis College of Pharmacy who became a practicing pharmacist and associate editor of the *St. Louis Druggist* in 1884 (later the *Meyer Brothers Druggist*). In 1892, Whelpley married Laura Eugenia Spannagel. He held the position of professor at both the St. Louis College of Pharmacy and at Washington University (St. Louis). He was a winner of the 6th Remington Medal for outstanding achievement in the pharmaceutical profession. He had an interest in archaeology and owned a significant

collection of Indian artifacts. Dr. Whelpley died in 1926 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Collection includes material relating to street repairs in St. Louis (1827); the anthropological interests of Dr. Whelpley; his pharmaceutical practice and special appointments; his World War I letters; his death in 1926; and to the disposal of his Indian artifacts. Also includes two scrapbooks relating to Whelpley's business and personal life. Volume 1 includes business cards, newspaper clippings, programs, personal and business correspondence. Volume 2 contains correspondence regarding Whelpley's wedding; a certificate with the signatures of the Chicago Veteran Druggist Association, of which Whelpley was an associate member; and a program of the 49th Annual Meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association held in St. Louis in 1901 at the Southern Hotel. Cite as: Dr. Henry Milton Whelpley Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1738

Wherry, John Greene.

"Wherry Family History, 1700-1900" / manuscript, circa 1900. 1 volume (75 pages).

Manuscript history of the Wherry family in the United States, 1700-1900, compiled by John Green Wherry of Elyria, Ohio. This volume is a photocopy, the original remains in the possession of the donor.

Cite as: John Green Wherry, "Wherry Family History, 1700-1900," manuscript, circa 1900, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2411

Whitaker & Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

Bond issue, 1911 Jan 30. 1 item

Issue of first mortgage sinking fund 5% gold bonds in the Pierce Building (Income Leasehold Company).

Cite as: Whitaker & Company Bond Issue, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1739

White Buffalo Mining Company (East St. Louis, Illinois).

Records, 1872-1889. 3 volumes

Collection consists of the records of prospecting, mining, smelting, and trading company. It includes a minute book, containing the articles of incorporation and by-laws (1872-1889), and two notebooks containing expenses and records of stockholders (1888-1889).

Cite as: White Buffalo Mining Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1740

White, Thomas.

Reminiscences, 1864-1882. 1 volume (230 pages)

Thomas White was born in Winchendon Spring, Massachusetts. As a youth he worked as a store clerk in different cities, peddled medicine, and then worked as a detective.

Typescript reminiscences of colorful experiences in Memphis and Nashville, Tennessee; Cairo, Illinois; western Kentucky; Missouri; and Colorado.
Cite as: Thomas White Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1741

Whitehill, John (1794-1871).

Receipt book, 1845-1869. 1 volume (140 pages)

St. Louis building contractor and lumber dealer.

Receipts for purchases of building materials and services, with 1866 autobiography in middle pages of volume.

Cite as: John Whitehill Receipt Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1742

Whitford, William T., Family.

Whitford-Post family papers, 1855-1869; 1906. 1 box

Erastus Post was born in October 1818 in Vermont. He moved to Missouri in 1821 with his parents. The family settled in the area known as the Bonhomme Bottoms, now known as Chesterfield. Erastus Post was married three times. His first wife was Mary Elizabeth Long, his second wife was Orissa Whitford, and his third wife was a younger sister of Orissa, Ardelia Whitford. Erastus Post died January 1, 1882, and is buried in Fee Fee Cemetery.

Collection contains 62 pieces of personal correspondence to Erastus and Ardelia Post from family members and friends. The largest portion of the correspondence is from female members of the William T. Whitford family to Ardelia Post. The correspondence discusses the health and welfare of family members, births, deaths, education, marriages, farming and other day-to-day activities. Some of the correspondence contains mentions of the Civil War.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Whitford-Post Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1743

Whitman Family.

Papers, 1855-1960. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Walt Whitman, one of the United States' most celebrated poets, was born May 31, 1819, in West Hills, Huntington, Long Island, New York. He published his most famous work, *Leaves of Grass*, in 1855. He suffered a paralytic stroke in 1873, and soon thereafter went to live with his brother George in Camden, New Jersey, where he died March 26, 1892. Walt's brother Thomas Jefferson Whitman (1833-1890) married Martha E. Mitchell (1836-1873) in 1859, and came to St. Louis in 1867. Their children were Mannahatta Whitman (1860-1886) and Jessie Louisa Whitman (1863-1957). He served as water commissioner of the city of St. Louis for many years, and died November 25, 1890. Another brother George Washington Whitman served in the 51st New York Infantry during the Civil War. He married Louise Orr Haslam (1842-1892) in 1871 and settled in Camden, where he died in 1901.

The collection consists primarily of Whitman family correspondence, including 17 letters and notes written by Walt Whitman, which were published in Edwin Haviland

Miller, "New Letters of Walt Whitman," *Bulletin of the Missouri Historical Society*, Volume XVI, Number 2, January 1960. The collection is arranged chronologically. Finding aid available.

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

A1744

Wicker, Cyrus French.

Collection, 1864-1872. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Correspondence between the Wicker family, some in St. Louis, regarding family matters and also about the North Missouri Railroad, allied line, etc.

Cite as: Cyrus French Wicker Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2150

Wild's Palace of Poison (Lemay, St. Louis County, Missouri).

Mock death certificate of Howard Burton, 1960 Nov 19. 1 item

Cite as: Wild's Palace of Poison Mock Death Certificate of Howard Burton, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1745

Wilkins, Roy (1901-1981).

Collection, 1965-1981. 3 folders (10 items)

Roy Wilkins was born in St. Louis in 1901. When his mother died in 1905, he was sent to St. Paul with his brother and sister, and was raised by his aunt and uncle. He attended the University of Minnesota, working as the night editor of the school paper as well as writing for a local black weekly. After graduation, he moved to Kansas City to work for the *Kansas City Call*. His outspoken campaigns against the continuing humiliation of Jim Crow brought him to the attention of Walter White, then the director of the NAACP, who offered him a position with the national office of that organization. Wilkins moved to New York in 1931 and later became the executive director of the NAACP. Wilkins was a pragmatist who advocated progressive change through legal action. He participated or led in the achievement of every major civil rights advance, working for the integration of the army, helping to plan and organize the historic march on Washington, and pushing presidents from Roosevelt to Carter to implement civil rights legislation. Wilkins died September 8, 1981. On that day, President Ronald Reagan declared that all flags on public buildings and grounds be lowered to half-staff in honor of Mr. Wilkins.

Collection includes photo reproduction of Wilkins receiving various awards, Wilkins marching in a peace rally, no date; list of Roy Wilkins memorials; two applications and pamphlet information on the Roy Wilkins scholarship from St. Louis University; two issues of *The Crisis*, December 1980 and November 1981; photographs of Wilkins, 1965; commemorative medal from NAACP.

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

A1746

Wilkinson, James (1757-1825).

Collection, 1788-1932. 8 folders (approximately 50 items)

Commander and chief of the U.S. Army and one of the commissioners of the United States when the Louisiana Purchase was transferred.

Correspondence of Wilkinson regarding political matters in Kentucky and bordering states and the Louisiana Territory; some photostats and typescripts; correspondence regarding the collection.

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

A2342

William Y. Patch vs. R.A. Johnson & Co.

Depositions for plaintiff, 1851. 1 item (18 pages)

The case of William & Patch, plaintiff, vs. R.A. Johnson & Co., defendants, in the Fourth District Court of New Orleans, Louisiana, related to a dispute over a sale of corn of Russell & Bennett of St. Louis to R.A. Johnson & Co.

Includes depositions of the following men, taken at the office of St. Louis County justice of the peace Mann Butler: Samuel Cranwill (bookkeeper for W.S. Gillman), Charles Hodgman (clerk on the steamer *Iowa*), Robert M. Funkhouser, George Pegram, Ferdinand L. Garesche (clerk fo Russell & Bennett), and William Edwards (member of the firm of E.J. Gay & Co.). The following men and firms are mentioned in the depositions: D.W. Matthews & Co. of St. Louis, W.S. Gillman (or W.S. Gilman) of St. Louis, J.A. Eager & Co. of New Orleans, and B.J. Gilman (or B.I. Gilman). Also includes list of interrogatories and cross interrogatories to be asked of the plaintiff's witnesses.

Cite as: William Y. Patch vs. R.A. Johnson & Co. Depositions for Plaintiff, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2368

Williams & Tittmann.

Papers, 1874-1875. 3 items

Henry W. Williams and Edward W. Tittmann were business partners as attorneys and examiners of titles to real estate in St. Louis, under the firm name Williams & Tittmann. The firm was dissolved by mutual consent on October 25, 1875.

Collection contains three items: (1) a memorandum of agreement between Edward T. Farish, James L. Buskett, Edward W. Tittmann, and Henry W. Williams, November 18, 1875, relating to the transfer of property in St. Louis. Includes attached agreement between the same four men, August 3, 1874, which also mentions William T. Booth and his wife, Mary T. Booth. (2) Chain of title compiled by Williams & Tittmann for property in St. Louis city block 1409, October 24, 1874. The property was owned by Henry B. Graham. (3) Envelope labeled, "G.A. Koerner et al. vs. Bernard Slevin."

Cite as: Williams & Tittmann Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1747

Williams, Eleazer.

Collection, 1686-1908. 2 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 oversize folder; 4 volumes

Episcopalian missionary to American Indians, and a proposed claimant to French throne as son of Marie Antoinette.

Collection includes minutes of a town meeting, Watertown, Massachusetts, 1636-1722; account of what befell Stephen Williams in his captivity, 1705 (67 manuscript

pages); 1800-1808 journal of Nathaniel Ely, 1800-1808 (191 pages); Eleazor Williams copy of Maj. Guilford Dudley Young's report of the British attack on St. Regis, October 24, 1812.

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

A1748

Williams, George Howard (1872-1963).

Papers, 1911-1944. 25 boxes

George H. Williams was elected to two terms on the St. Louis circuit court in 1906-1910, and in 1910 was a co-founder of the law firm of Bryan, Williams and Cave. In 1924, Williams, a Republican, was appointed by Governor Sam Baker to fill the unexpired U.S. Senate term of Republican Selden Spencer, who died in office. He ran for election to a full senate term in 1926, but was defeated by Democrat Harry Hawes. After retiring in 1942, he moved to a farm at Matson, Missouri, and in 1950 moved to Sarasota, Florida. He is buried in California, Missouri, his birthplace.

Business diaries (1911-1914; 1917), business and political correspondence, personal correspondence and financial documents.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George Howard Williams Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1749

Williams, Henry W. (1816-1892).

Collection, 1835-1906. 2 boxes; 8 volumes

Born in 1816 in Williamsburg, Massachusetts, Williams moved to St. Louis in 1844, where he worked as a lawyer, specializing in the examination of land titles. During the Civil War he joined the Confederate forces under General Sterling Price and served as acting assistant quartermaster general of Missouri. After the war he continued his law practice and worked as the recorder of voters for the city of St. Louis. Throughout his life he collected manuscripts, newspapers, and magazines regarding history, religion, literature, etc. He died September 27, 1892, in St. Louis.

Collection consists of papers both belonging to, and collected by, Henry W. Williams, including his correspondence and scrapbooks, various items from the Civil War, and papers regarding steamboats and financial markets. Williams' library was acquired in 1890 by August H. Gehner, who passed it on to his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mesker, from whom it was donated to the Missouri Historical Society in 1952. The collection was formerly known as the Frank Mesker Collection.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Henry W. Williams Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1750

Williams, Wilbert P.

“The Wabash—Kingshighway to Maple: Now Metrolink” / by Wilbert P. Williams, manuscript, 1996. 1 item

Manuscript includes a recollection and description of the grade change of the Wabash Railroad between Union and Lindell, and Maple (Skinker), from 1927-1941. Includes detailed discussion of affected infrastructure; construction and plans; and federal, state,

and city legislation battles. Contains copies of related newspaper and magazine articles, and selected engineering plans. Also includes version of manuscript which was published in *The Gateway Railletter*, August 1994.

Cite as: Wilbert P. Williams, "The Wabash—Kingshighway to Maple: Now Metrolink," manuscript, 1996, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1751

Williams-Creighton Family.

Papers, 1831-1891. 11 boxes

Jesse Lynch Williams was born May 6, 1807, in Stokes County, North Carolina, and moved with his family to Richmond, Indiana, in 1820. On November 15, 1830, he married Susan Creighton, daughter of United States Congressman William Creighton, of Chillicothe, Ohio. They had three sons: Edward, Meade, and Henry. Jesse Williams worked as an engineer on canals and railroads mainly in Ohio and Indiana, serving as chief engineer on the Wabash and Erie Canal, and the Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad. In 1864, Abraham Lincoln appointed him as a government director for the Union Pacific Railroad, a position he held until 1869. He also worked closely with the Presbyterian Church, and helped found the First Presbyterian Church in Fort Wayne, Indiana. He died October 9, 1886, in Fort Wayne.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence between various members of the Williams and Creighton families and their friends that document the activities of the family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Williams-Creighton Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1752

Williamson, Irving Alexander, Sr. (1908-1991).

Papers 1952-1963. 2 boxes

Irving Williamson was born April 10, 1908, in Berwind, West Virginia, the son of Thomas and Bessie Kane Williamson. He graduated from the Ohio State University School of Journalism in 1933, and worked for newspapers in Ohio, Indiana and Texas before moving to St. Louis in 1941. He had a long, distinguished career as a journalist in St. Louis, and was extremely active in church, community and civic affairs. He died August 25, 1991.

Collection includes newsclippings, news releases, and other printed matter regarding the 1963 "March on Washington" for jobs and freedom; two publications, dated 1952 and 1963, regarding Harris Teachers' College; St. Louis Public Schools' publication titled "Desegregation of the St. Louis Public Schools" (September 1956); transcripts of public hearings before the Board of Education, City of St. Louis, April 2 and 8, 1963; transcripts of meetings of the Citizens' Advisory Committee to the Board of Education, City of St. Louis, April-May 1963; report titled "School District Organization in St. Louis County, Missouri" (June 1962); and other papers regarding the desegregation of the St. Louis Public Schools.

Cite as: Irving Alexander Williamson, Sr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1753**Willis Family.**

Papers, 1840-1865. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

William B. Willis came to St. Louis in 1864. He went into business with Geo. H. Wiley and Co. in 1865; 1866-1868 he was of the firm Willis and Yeager. He had his own company, William B. Willis and Co., 1868-1874, and then the firm became William B. Willis and Son. The company lasted until 1877.

Spratt family correspondence, Galena, Illinois, 1853, 1864-1865; series of letters of W.B. Willis, St. Louis, to wife, Ellen Spratt Willis, in Galena, with discussion of Civil War, family and friends.

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

A1799**Willis, Ruth Lightner (-1994).**

Papers, 1940-1952. 3 manuscript boxes

St. Louisan Ruth Lightner Willis was the daughter of Bruce and Anna Lightner. In the winter of 1944 she married Staff Sergeant Ralph Willis, who was stationed at Jefferson Barracks in St. Louis. Ralph was later stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky; Pine Camp, New York; Fort Dix, New Jersey; and Camp Bowie, Texas, with the 754th Tank Battalion. Ralph was shipped to Australia in March 1941, and returned to the United States in late 1943 or early 1944. In November 1944 he transferred to the 59th Armed Infantry and in January 1945 was ordered to France, where he saw action. Ralph and Ruth Willis had two children: Ralph, Jr., and Sharon. The letters suggest that the couple had marital difficulties, and they may have later divorced. Ruth died December 17, 1994, in St. Louis.

Collection contains 274 letters of Ralph Willis to his girlfriend and future wife, Ruth Lightner, while he served in the U.S. Army during World War II and in postwar years. Collection also contains a total of 62 wartime letters of the following U.S. servicemen to Ruth Lightner: Edward Nachtweih, Harry Bratton, Ray Bainter, Donald Cork, John Labbanez, James McCormick, William Karpechi, Henry Rasbenau, Joe Sedletzec, and Charles Woselik.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ruth Lightner Willis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Willkie, Wendell

See Wendell Willkie presidential campaign newsclipping collection.

A1754

Wills collection, 1793-1874. 4 folders (approximately 150 items)

Collection of various wills by mainly St. Louisans or Missourians. The collection is arranged alphabetically.

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

A1755

Wilson, Frank L. and Lizzie Shepherd.

Papers, 1863-1884. 3 boxes

Frank Lafayette Wilson was born April 6, 1848, in Lincoln County, Missouri. He worked as a civil engineer in the 1870s and 1880s for several railroads, including the St. Louis and Hannibal Railroad, the Chicago and Alton Railroad, and the Springfield and Memphis Railway. He served as postmaster of Bowling Green from 1889 to 1893 and was appointed to this position a second time in 1897. For many years he was one of the leading representatives of the Republican party in Pike County. On January 24, 1877, he married Elizabeth (Lizzie) Shepherd. They had no children.

Collection consists primarily of the correspondence of Frank L. and Lizzie Shepherd Wilson. Collection also contains correspondence from family and friends, and correspondence to Frank Wilson relating to his work on the railroad.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frank L. and Lizzie Shepherd Wilson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2399

Wilson, G.W.

Notice, 1900 March. 1 item

Printed notice of G.W. Wilson, commissioner, Treasury Department, Office of Internal Revenue, Washington, D.C., titled "Important notice to dealers in, and persons who empty, packages of distilled spirits, fermented liquors, tobacco, snuff, cigars, oleomargarine, and filled cheese; and to all special-tax payers."

Cite as: G.W. Wilson Notice, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1756

Wilson, William F.

Papers, 1801-1850. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

William F. Wilson lived in Georgetown, Kentucky.

Collection includes notes, bills, receipts of William D. Wilson. Three small diaries of Wilson giving accounts of small trips to the east.

Cite as: William F. Wilson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1757

Wilt, Christian (1789-1819).

Papers, 1811-1815. 2 volumes

Born in Philadelphia, son of Abraham and Rachel Wilt. Came to St. Louis in June 1811 and opened a store on the southwest corner of Main and Locust with his brother Andrew Wilt, under sponsorship of their uncle Joseph Hertzog of Philadelphia. He became a director of the Bank of St. Louis, and owned a mill and a distillery on the Cahokia Creek in Illinois. Married Ann Kirkwood, 1815; had a son George, who died in 1823.

One volume of original letters and typescripts from Christian Wilt mostly to Joseph Hertzog and his brother in Philadelphia concerning business transactions, with mention of local and national matters. Second volume is a bound manuscript and letters written by Joseph Hertzog, mostly from Philadelphia to Christian Wilt in St. Louis. The letters not only reflect trade conditions of the time, but tell much local news.

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

A1758

Wimar, Carl (1828-1862).

Papers, 1852-1941. 3 folders (approximately 200 items)

Carl Wimar was born in Germany. At the age of 15 he moved to St. Louis where he made friends with the Indians who traded furs there. Through these friendships Wimar decided to devote his life to painting and sketching the American Indian. He became a pupil of Leon de Pomarede, a St. Louis fresco painter. From 1852 to 1856, he studied art at the Academy in Dusseldorf. His goal was to learn to document the American Indian in pictures as Audubon had American wildlife. Since few Indians remained in St. Louis when he returned from Dusseldorf, Wimar made trips West to sketch and photograph them. The information he collected on these trips became source material for his later paintings. Wimar had a passionate interest in buffaloes. He sketched and painted them roaming free and being hunted by the Indians. His canvas, "The Buffalo Hunt," completed for the opening of the Western Academy of Art in St. Louis in 1860, was a great success and today is considered a masterpiece. In 1861, Henry Blow, president of the Western Academy of Art, commissioned a painting of the same subject for his home. This "Single Buffalo" pastel, also of 1861, may have been a preliminary study for another painting owned by Blow, "Indians Hunting Buffalo." Wimar was at the peak of his career in 1861 when he was commissioned to paint the dome of the St. Louis courthouse. This project was never realized. Carl Wimar died of consumption in 1862, leaving his few sketchbooks and paintings as documents of American Indian life and the buffalo that soon vanished from America's West.

Papers contain a body of letters from Wimar to his parents in Germany; the rest of the collection includes newsclippings, correspondence with the Missouri Historical Society in regard to Wimar; also correspondence and information regarding Wimar paintings, "Buffalo Hunt."

German.

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

A2334

Winchell, B.L., Mr. & Mrs.

Farewell Dinner Souvenir Book, 1898 Nov 26. 1 item

Souvenir book for the farewell dinner to Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Winchell held at the Mercantile Club, St. Louis, November 26, 1898. Includes the menu for the dinner and the signatures of those in attendance. The name "Miss Pauline Bremerman" is printed on the book's cover.

Cite as: Mr. & Mrs. B.L. Winchell Farewell Dinner Souvenir Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2526

Windermere Hotel (St. Louis, Missouri).

Brochure, circa 1910s. 1 item

Brochure includes exterior and interior views of the Windermere Hotel, located at Delmar and Clara Ave. in St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Windermere Hotel Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2049

Winkelmeyer Family.

Papers, 1840-1914. 1 folder (28 items)

Born in Germany in 1824, Christiana Stifel immigrated to Wheeling, West Virginia, in 1840, and in 1847 moved to St. Louis. She married Julius Winkelmeyer, founder of the Winkelmeyer Brewery. Julius Winkelmeyer died January 23, 1867, in St. Louis; Mrs. Winkelmeyer died in 1912 in St. Louis.

Collection contains business papers of Mrs. Christiana Winkelmeyer and her son Christopher Winkelmeyer, several of which relate to land holdings in St. Louis; several receipts and letterheads of St. Louis businesses; and deed of sale of two slaves between Jacob R. Stine, Thomas B. Hudson, and Joseph Stine, dated St. Louis, November 26, 1840.

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

A1759

Winn Family.

Papers, 1799-1862. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Many papers concern the sale of slaves to various people; contract between Charles Thomas, U.S. army assistant quartermaster, and William Shay of St. Francis County, Arkansas, to build a road from Memphis, Tennessee, to Little Rock, Arkansas, 1827-1833; some family correspondence.

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

A1812

Winston, Katherine Whittemore.

Papers, 1818-1827. 1 volume

Diary of an early unidentified Winston family member who took seven Native Americans to Great Britain for the purpose of public exhibition. Second half of the book contains merchants credit accounts of various individuals.

Cite as: Katherine Whittemore Winston Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1760

Wischmeyer, Kenneth.

Architecture Collection. 2 boxes

Photographs and three glass negatives of renderings by Wischmeyer, clippings, promotional booklets for Wischmeyer Architects.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Kenneth Wischmeyer Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1761

Wislizenus, Adolph.

Genealogy, 1940. 1 folder; 1 volume

Contains genealogy of Wislizenus family.
Cite as: Adolph Wislizenus Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2528

Wittmann, Max A.

Papers, 1918-1920. 2 folders

Max A. Wittmann served as secretary of Cosmos Lodge No. 282, A.F. & A.M. (Ancient Free & Accepted Masons), in St. Louis. He died February 2, 1965.

Collection consists primarily of receipts and correspondence relating to Cosmos Lodge No. 282.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Max A. Wittmann Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis

A2418

Wm. R. Warner & Co.

Advertisement, no date. 1 item

Wm. R. Warner & Co., manufacturing pharmacutists, had laboratories in Philadelphia and St. Louis.

This four-page advertisement promotes lithia tablets, bromo soda, tono sumbul cordial, liquid pancreasepsine, sodium phosphate, and pill cascara cathartic.

Cite as: Wm. R. Warner & Co. Advertisement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1762

Wodicka, Arthur W.

Business records, 1937-1981. 3 folders

Arthur Wodicka was a St. Louis engraver.

Collection consists of various records of the engraving business of Arthur Wodicka, including three account books. The first of these books lists monthly income for 1952, and also includes earlier sketches of engravings. The second book lists monthly income and expenses for 1967 to 1969. The third book lists monthly income and expenses for 1970 to 1977. Collection also contains a book of engraving formulas, business receipts, business cards, engraving sketches and a certificate of the Wodicka coat of arms.

Cite as: Arthur W. Wodicka Business Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense. Missouri Division (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1917-1919.

See Council of National Defense. Woman's Committee, Missouri Division Records, 1917-1919.

A1763

"Women for City Living."

Scrapbooks, 1969-1982. 1 box; 1 oversize box

Women for City Living was organized in the summer of 1969 when Delphine

McClellan, along with Virginia Feinberg and Anna Busch, began to explore what other American women were doing about crime. McClellan, a lifelong resident of St. Louis' Central West End, decided to take a stand when robberies, burglaries, arson and sexual assaults in the West End prompted many residents to abandon the area. The group soon had 600 members, both black and white, and first focused its efforts on the enforcement of building codes, and tracking down absentee landlords to ensure that owners kept up their buildings. Women for City Living worked to close down houses of prostitution and to help families buy homes in the city. In 1970, at the request of Mayor Alfonso J. Cervantes, McClellan and Women for City Living developed the Women's Crusade Against Crime, a city-wide effort to combat crime in numerous neighborhoods, including Walnut Park, Compton Heights, and The Hill. The Women's Crusade took on drug dealers, tracked down stolen goods, and advocated job training in the state correctional system. For her work as president of Women for City Living and co-chair of the Women's Crusade, Delphine McClellan received the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat's* 1970 Woman of Achievement Award and a number of additional awards and citations.

The collection consists of two scrapbooks (dissembled) that contain newsclippings, newsletters and brochures regarding Women for City Living and associated organizations; a notebook (dissembled) titled, "A Crusade Starter Kit," containing brochures, pamphlets, bumper stickers and information sheets on how to combat crime; issues of "Crusade Courier," the official newsletter of the Women's Crusade Against Crime.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: "Women for City Living" Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1764

Women's Advertising Club of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1938-1972; 1979. 2 boxes

The Women's Advertising Club of St. Louis, an association of women working in advertising and publicity, affiliated with the Advertising Federation of America, was founded in 1916. In 1935, they began a tradition for which they became noted: the annual Gridiron Dinner. At first it coincided with that of the Men's Advertising Club, but later they changed the date. The dinner was for women only and skits were performed lampooning politics, advertising, fashions, current events, and people in the news in all walks of life. Mayor Darst of St Louis paid the club an honor in 1952 by proclaiming the Women's Advertising Club Gridiron Week. The group donated proceeds of the dinners to charities and funded scholarships for women to the journalism school of the University of Missouri. They also gave a course, "Careers in Advertising," to high school students. This collection contains scripts of the annual Gridiron Dinner, 1938-1952, 1954-1957; 1979; text of radio interview, March 20, 1954; newsclippings; invitations; publicity; and programs relating to the club, 1971-1972.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Women's Advertising Club of Saint Louis Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2530

**Women's Association of the Missouri Historical Society (St. Louis, Missouri).
Tour Guides, 1960-1972.** 12 folders

The collection includes typescript tour guides of weekend tours of several locations in or near St. Louis. These guides include the itinerary and notes regarding the sites to be visited on the tour. The tours include Hermann, Missouri; Audrain and Callaway Counties, Missouri; St. Charles County, Missouri; Kimmswick and Ste. Genevieve, Missouri; St. Clair County, Illinois, Belleview and Arcadia Valleys, Missouri; Franklin County, Missouri; Jefferson City, Missouri; Elsah, Illinois; Pike County, Missouri; Alton, Illinois; and St. Louis (fragment).

Cite as: Women's Association of the Missouri Historical Society Tour Guides, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2395

Wood & Huston Bank (Marshall, Missouri).

Circular, 1960 June 15. 1 item

Circular includes financial statement of resources and liabilities; lists of officers and directors; and a list of deposits from selected years between 1925 and 1959.

Cite as: Wood & Huston Bank Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1948

Wood, Charles.

Deed, 1855 Jan 9. 1 item

Deed of sale of land of Charles Wood in Lakeland, Suffolk County, New York, to Frederick Sebastian of St. Louis, recorded in the Suffolk County clerk's office, January 9, 1855.

Cite as: Charles Wood Deed, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1765

Wood, Charles Hiram, Mrs.

Papers, 1764-1964. 19 folders (approximately 100 items)

Pearl L. Wood was born circa 1890. She married Charles Hiram Wood and they were the parents of two daughters and one son. Mrs. Wood was a Webster Groves Club woman and a member of the Webster Groves Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She helped others in that organization trace their family lineage. One of the ladies she helped was Mrs. Mattie Belle Watson Kettering.

The collection contains papers of Mrs. Charles Hiram Wood, circa 1904-1963, which include genealogy, speeches and statements, printed matter and lists. Collection also contains papers of Mrs. Mattie Belle Watson Kettering, 1868-[1957], which include genealogy, correspondence, legal documents, financial documents, speeches and statements, printed material and lists.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mrs. Charles Hiram Wood Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1766

Wood, William M. (1817-1862).

Family Papers, 1837-1850. 1 folder

William M. Wood was born April 1, 1817, in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, the son of Ingham and Catherine Wood. He married Theresa Alvarez on December 3, 1839, in St. Louis. He died May 20, 1862, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Papers consist primarily of the correspondence of William M. Wood to his wife, Theresa, in St. Louis. William Wood's letters dated 1844 to 1849 were written from various eastern cities while he was traveling as a merchant. Letters dated 1850 were written from Panama, New Grenada, and San Francisco. Letters contain information regarding family matters and Wood's business affairs. Letters sent from San Francisco contain mentions of numerous St. Louisans who had traveled to California. Papers also include a will and indenture of Ingham Wood and photocopies of family Bible records with genealogical information on the Wood and Alvarez families.

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

A2319

Woodman, H.T.

Letter to friend Daniel Rohrer, 1852 June 11. 1 item

In this letter signed H.T. Woodman, St. Louis, to Daniel Rohrer (or Roher), McKees Half Falls, Union County, Pennsylvania, Woodman tells his friend about his recent experiences. He states in part, "I have seen quite a number of changes since last I wrote you from Louisville Ky. I have been in all kind of business since I left Glen Dowell from a Boy to a Boss Carpenter. Stood one year in a Drug Store have been Clerk on the river and lastly but not the least have mounted the rostrum in an auction House . . ." He also mentions his previous residence (within the past four years) at Glen Dowell, and that he wrote to Dr. Dilworth of Glen Dowell.

Cite as: H.T. Woodman Letter to Friend Daniel Rohrer, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1767

Woodruff Family.

Collection, 1850-1957. 1 box (75 items)

Frederick C. Woodruff was born in 1838 in Granby, Massachusetts. He served in the Civil War in an Ohio unit, and soon after the war moved to St. Louis, where he worked for many years as a school principal. He died in 1906. His wife was Mary Humphrey (Newton) Woodruff (1839-1891). His son Frederick Eno Woodruff was born April 26, 1872, in Ferguson, St. Louis County, Missouri, and became an ophthalmologist. He died December 28, 1962, in St. Louis.

The collection contains one item that is clearly from the Woodruff family, namely, the bound school notebook of F.C. Woodruff. However, the remainder of the collection is a disparate assortment of documents that cannot be readily associated with the Woodruff family. Other surnames that appear in the collection more than once are Fauntleroy, Schrage, and Uhlich. The bulk of the collection relates to St. Louis and includes receipts, newspaper clippings, calling cards, business cards, printed programs and invitations, mostly relating to events at St. Louis-area schools and churches, and advertising material for St. Louis-area businesses. Several items in the collection relate to art.

Finding aid available.

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

A1769

Woods, Christy and Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

Ledgers, 1841-1869. 2 volumes

Wholesale dry goods firm of William T. Christy, Robert K. Woods, Andrew Woods, James Woods, and William T. Gentry.

Ledgers of real estate investments of St. Louis wholesale dry goods firm.

Cite as: Woods, Christy and Company Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1768

Woods Family.

Woods-Holman family papers, 1808-1905; 1946. 4 folders (approximately 300 items)

Patterns for weaving; undated book of instructions for dyeing materials; receipts of William Holman family of Washington County, Missouri; some personal family and business correspondence and William Woods.

Cite as: Woods-Holman Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1770

Wooldridge, Samuel (1819-1902).

Journal, 1857-1860. 1 volume

Samuel Wooldridge was a farmer and furniture dealer in Boonville, Missouri.

Journal contains business records (1857-1876) that include a list of fruit trees received, wood bought, hire of workers, and products sold. The rear of the volume contains a boarding house or hotel register (1856-1860).

Cite as: Samuel Wooldridge Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Woolrych, F. Humphrey W.

See: Varney, Woolrych, and Pulis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

A1771

World War I collection, 1915-1970. 11 boxes; 1 oversize folder

The collection consists of materials related to military and civilian participation in World War I by individuals and by groups from St. Louis and Missouri. The collection is arranged into nine series: Units, Veterans' Associations and Auxiliaries, Data on Men in Service, Individuals, Certificates/Commendations, Civilian War Work Organizations, Printed Matter, Newsclippings, and Miscellany. The collection includes information on several U.S. Army, American Expeditionary Force, and Missouri National Guard units; printed materials and some correspondence from groups such as the American Legion, and the U.S. Marine Corps Club; rosters of men from St. Louis who served in the war, correspondence and literature concerning the erection of memorials, and awards to servicemen; personal letters, diaries, and accounts of events by the men who served in World War I; awards such as those presented to Red Cross participants and notifications of promotion to servicemen; information relating to the American Red Cross, the Four Minute Men, Liberty Loans, the Missouri Hospitality Committee, the Y.M.C.A., and to

many other organizations working on the home front; and assorted invitations, programs, and ephemera related to the war.

Finding aid available.

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

A1772

World War II collection, 1941-1945. 2 boxes (approximately 200 items)

Collection includes various kinds of ration books; printed pamphlets of World War II U.S. propaganda material; discharges, passes, etc., items of official nature; series of patriotic envelopes, 1942-; broadside titled "Enemies Ears are Listening," circa 1942; 1943-1945, U.S. Marine Corps dispatches (typed) on Missourians in action in the South Pacific, publicity releases on Missourians stationed at Marine bases; documents relating to Excellence in War Production award (Amertorp Corporation), 1942-1944; form letter of Steuben Society of America-St. Louis Relief Committee, 1946-1947, regarding relief for the peoples of Germany, Austria and Hungary.

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

A1773

Worley, Frank E., Mrs.

Collection, 1860-1890. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Collector.

Collection of letters to Laura Davis from various Civil War generals regarding sending her locks of their hair; several letters of Clara Barton to Ms. Davis; two \$100 Confederate bills.

Cite as: Mrs. Frank E. Worley Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Worth, Patience

See Curran, Pearl Pollard, 1883-1937

A2382

Worthington Life Stock Company (Kimmswick, Missouri).

Meeting minutes, 1906 July 25. 1 item (7 pages)

Minutes of the first meeting of the Worthington Life Stock Company includes the articles of association, transcription of the state of Missouri's certificate of incorporation, and the by-laws.

Cite as: Worthington Life Stock Company Meeting Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Wright City, Missouri, collection, 1869; 1932.

Items transferred to Alphabetical Files—Krome, Virginia (typed history); Alphabetical Files—Wright City, Missouri (photostat of plat); Alphabetical Files—Wright, Henry Cleggett, Dr. (photostats of photographs of the Wrights)

A1774

Wright, Ruth.

***The Juggernaut*, 1930-1932.** 1 oversize folder

Manuscript newspaper, includes material on the Lindbergh kidnapping case.
Cite as: Ruth Wright, *The Juggernaut*, manuscript newspaper, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2488

Wrought Iron Range Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

Memorandum of agreement with John Rice, 1881 July 11. 1 item

Memorandum of agreement relates to a Home Comfort Range sold by the Wrought Iron Range Company to John Rice.

Cite as: Wrought Iron Range Company Memorandum of Agreement with John Rice, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1775

Wuerpel, Edmund H.

Papers, 1862-1939. 3 folders (approximately 80 items)

Artist and dentist.

Papers consist of correspondence, programs relating to Dr. Wuerpel's art work and his dental business.

Cite as: Edmund H. Wuerpel Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1776

Wurdack, Hugo (1872-1963).

Papers, 1893-1908. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

In 1888, Hugo Wurdack established the first street lighting plant in St. Louis. He later was president of the old Light and Development Co., which was sold to the parent organization of Union Electric Company in 1923. For a time he was president of a stoker manufacturing firm and then he joined the Automatic Firing Corp. He served on the St. Louis school board from 1942 to 1944. In 1961, he donated a large tract of land in Crawford County to the University of Missouri for an agricultural and natural resources research experimentation station. He lived at 5501 Lindell.

Papers consist of correspondence concerning electrical operation and machinery. Also sketches, charts of electrical systems, specifications reports.

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

A1777

Wyan, Jacob.

Daybook, 1819-1822. 1 volume (317 pages)

General merchandiser in Boonville, Missouri.

Sales record from December 14, 1819, to July 2, 1822.

Cite as: Jacob Wyan Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1778

Wyckoff Family.

Papers, 1857-1911 (bulk 1862-1864). 1 box

George W. Wyckoff was born March 4, 1838, in Illinois, and served as a captain in the 18th Missouri Infantry (Union) during the Civil War. He married Josephine Stanton

of Marion County, Iowa, circa 1862-1863. Following the war he served as a representative of Appanoose County in the Iowa general assembly. Wyckoff remained in Appanoose County until his death there August 28, 1925.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence between George Wyckoff and his wife, Josephine Stanton Wyckoff, in Cincinnati, Iowa. Letters of George Wyckoff include accounts of the affairs of the 18th Missouri Infantry, while serving mostly in Missouri; the vicinity of Corinth, Mississippi; northern Alabama; and Georgia. Collection also includes correspondence of family and friends, including the following Union soldiers: letter of Milton Canby, 1st M.S.M. Cavalry, dated Mussle Fork Bridge, Missouri, April 10, 1861[1862], which briefly describes activities of the regiment; three letters of Cornelius A. Stanton, 3rd Iowa Cavalry, including letter dated Helena, Arkansas, October 19, 1862, which contains account of recent scouting expedition near Helena; letter of J[ohn] P. Robertson, 26th Indiana Infantry, dated Springfield, Missouri, November 26, 1862, which briefly describes affairs of the regiment; two letters of "Thomas," 51st Indiana Infantry, which include accounts of the affairs of the regiment; two letters of "Harry," 36th Iowa Infantry, which mention affairs of the regiment; letter of J[ames] H. Billups, 10th Missouri Cavalry, dated Gravelly Springs, Alabama, February 18, 1865, which includes printed General Order No. 11, dated Warrensburg, Missouri, November 3, 1864, congratulating the troops on their recent success; letter of C[harles] K. Holbrook, 3rd Iowa Cavalry, dated Keokuk, Iowa, September 15, [1861?], which briefly describes affairs of the regiment; letter of T.B. Robertson, 51st Indiana Infantry; letter of P[eter] R. Dolman, 18th Missouri Infantry; two letters of Enoch Mathews, 18th Missouri Infantry; and letter of Union soldier J.J. Rice. Several letters are written on illustrated stationery.

Finding aid available.

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

A1779

Wyman, Elizabeth F. Hadley.

Family letters, 1839-1849. 1 folder (5 items)

Elizabeth Francis Hadley Wyman was born December 5, 1819, in Boston, Massachusetts. In 1839, she married Edward Wyman in Boston. She died November 18, 1858, in St. Louis.

Includes school essay titled "Ambition," 1839; letter of Susan to Hannah, December 3, 1844; letter of Henry and Elizabeth Wyman to Nehemiah Wyman, II, March 4, 1849; letter of Elizabeth Wyman describing the St. Louis cholera epidemic, July 6, 1849; undated letter of Rebecca Purkitt to Elizabeth Wyman; and Wyman genealogical data. Cite as: Elizabeth F. Hadley Wyman Family Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2891

Wyss, Gottlieb.

Papers, 1884-1888. 2 items

Illustrated marriage certificate of Gottlieb Wyss and Katharina Naumann, St. Louis, February 8, 1884, and citizenship certificate of Gottlieb Wyss granted by the St. Louis Circuit Court, October 9, 1888.

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

A2537

Xander Family

Scrapbook, circa 1940. 1 folder

Collection contains unbound pages from a scrapbook that consists of clippings and ephemera related to family trips to Havana, Cuba, and New Mexico; articles relating to St. Louis history and individuals; the telephone industry; and St. Louis dancer Marie Peterson.

Cite as: Xander Family Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2507**Y.W.C.A.–Letmar Club (St. Louis, Missouri).****Circular, [1920?] Mar 22-27.** 1 item

Circular promotes the St. Louis Housing Campaign: “She was just a young girl. She came to St. Louis for work; she had money to pay a reasonable price for a room; and there wasn’t a room in St. Louis for her, so she rode all night on a trolley car. 134,000 Employed girls in St. Louis; 27,000 of these girls do not live at home; 496 is the total number of beds in St. Louis for employed girls; 26,504 girls need accommodations. The Y.W.C.A.–Letmar Club are conducting a housing campaign for this acute need. . . . She might have been your little girl; won’t you help us take care of her?”

Cite as: Y.W.C.A.–Letmar Club Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1780**Yates, Robert S.****Genealogical Collection, circa 1770s-1995.** 5 boxes

Includes photocopies of newspaper clippings, correspondence, and various records relating to the Radford, Somerville, and Yates families of Virginia, collected by Robert Yates, along with his genealogical notes. Also includes information on the lines of William Clark and the Kennerly family. John Radford married Harriet Kennerly, who later became the second wife of William Clark.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Robert S. Yates Genealogical Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1781**Yealy Family.****Papers, 1846-1873.** 1 box

The collection consists of correspondence, deeds, tax receipts, letterheads, bills, church records of pew records, etc. pertaining to the Yealy and Bleifuss family of Ste. Genevieve. Also includes a letterbook of Augustin Kennerly, with the Seneca Subagency, Clark's Prairie, 1831-1833. At end of this letterbook are records of the Bleifuss store, Ste. Genevieve, Missouri.

Finding aid available

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

A1782**Yerger, Joseph.****Ledger, 1880-1881.** 1 volume (480 pages)

Business records of an Antonia, Missouri, general merchandiser.

Cite as: Joseph Yerger Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2900**Yore, James H., Capt. (1843-1916).****Papers, 1867-1916.** 3 items

James H. Yore was a well-known steamboat captain who died May 7, 1916, at his residence, 5571 Cabanne Ave., St. Louis, Missouri.

Papers include letter signed James H. Yore, on board steamer *St. Johns*, to his friend Carrie, April 30, 1867, which describes his steamboat journey on the Missouri River (original letter and typed transcription). Also includes a photocopy of James H. Yore's newspaper obituary.

Cite as: Capt. James H. Yore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1783

Yost, P.D., Dr. (-1883).

Ledgers, 1874-1883. 2 volumes

Records of the medical practice of a St. Louis physician.

Cite as: Dr. P.D. Yost Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1784

Yosti, Emilien.

Ledger, 1798-1843. 1 volume (280 pages)

Sporadic business and personal accounts of St. Louisian.

Some entries in French.

Cite as: Emilien Yosti Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1789

Young, Elizabeth Nulsen.

Diaries, 1917-1976. 2 boxes

Elizabeth Nulsen was born July 1, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Nulsen in St. Louis, Missouri. As a young woman, Elizabeth attended Vassar College and Washington University in St. Louis. She married W. Ridgely Young of the Maritz & Young architecture firm on June 15, 1921, and the two resided in St. Louis together. They had two children, Elizabeth "Betsy" Young (born in 1922) and Helon Anne Young (born in 1925). The couple divorced on May 6, 1929, and Elizabeth was given custody of her daughters. She then took them to tour Europe for quite some time, living in Paris for a while. They returned to the United States in mid-July 1932 and stayed in Ohio for a short time before heading back to St. Louis by late September 1932. Elizabeth moved again in April 1934 to raise her girls in the suburbs of New York, near New Rochelle. On November 11, 1939 she married her second husband, Clifflen [CFF] but divorced him on April 10, 1942, and moved back to St. Louis in September. Elizabeth's oldest daughter, Betsy, married Paul Youngblood on June 14, 1944, and had two children: Helon Anne "Bun" Youngblood (born January 19, 1947) and Jim "Jr." Youngblood (born July 22, 1948). Elizabeth's first husband, W. Ridgely Young, died December 2, 1948, of liver problems. Betsy divorced her husband on May 20, 1949, and was institutionalized in St. Vincent's Hospital and Macmillan Hospital in St. Louis from April 1950 to June 1953 for her mental health. Elizabeth served as the main caregiver for Bun and Jim while Betsy was hospitalized, and continued to help care for them after Betsy returned home. From June to September 1956, Elizabeth traveled to Europe and recorded her travels in her 1956 travel diary. Her third grandchild was born to Helon on October 16, 1956, and was named Laura Anne. Elizabeth spent much of her life traveling, visiting with friends and family, gardening, playing bridge, and attending lectures. She moved to Friendship Village Retirement Community in St. Louis in September 1975 and died July 5, 1992, in

St. Louis.

The collection contains 14 diaries written by Elizabeth Nulsen Young. The diaries cover the years 1917 to 1976 and briefly list her day-to-day activities. Each diary includes five years, with the exception of one travel diary of a trip to Europe in 1956 and the last diary (1976), which only contains one calendar year.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Elizabeth Nulsen Young Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1785

Young Family.

Papers, 1870-1930. 2 boxes

The Young family lived in Greene and Christian Counties, Missouri. D.M. Young was the secretary/recorder for the Greene County schools. The collection consists of Greene and Christian County school records, 1870-1896, including annual school meeting minutes, teacher contracts, board of directors minutes; attendance records of Green Ridge School, 1871-1902; unidentified account book, 1903-1904; records of Green Ridge Missionary Baptist Church of Christ, 1881-1885; Women's Progressive Farmers Association of Missouri Annual Bulletin, 1927-1928, 1928-1929; records of Greene Ridge Women's Progressive Farmers Association, 1928-1930; report card of Aileen Young, 1915-1916; outline of the official course of study from the state superintendent of Missouri public schools, 1899.

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

A2314

Young, J.P., Mrs.

Papers, 1910-1921. 2 items

Collection contains two receipts of the St. Philomena's Technical School, Union and Cabanne Avenues, St. Louis, Mo., to Mrs. J.P. Young, 3127 St. Vincent Ave., for the making of dresses, skirts, and gowns.

Cite as: Mrs. J.P. Young Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1790

Young, James P.

Bankbooks, 1868-1876. 3 volumes

James P. Young was a St. Louis commission merchant, in partnership with Wilson C. Baker in Baker Young and Company prior to 1871. The collection contains a bankbook of the State Savings Association, St. Louis, in account with Baker, Young and Co. (1868-1871); a bankbook of State Savings Association in account with J.P. Young (1871-1874); and a bankbook of Bank of Commerce, St. Louis, in account with J.P. Young (1874-1876).

Cite as: James P. Young Bankbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1786

Young Men's Christian Association. Central Wesleyan College Chapter (Warrenton, Missouri).

Record book, 1916-1926. 1 volume

Record book contains minutes of the cabinet of the Central Wesleyan College Chapter of the Y.M.C.A. in Warrenton, Missouri, and membership rosters and speakers' lists.

Cite as: Record Book of the Central Wesleyan College Chapter, YMCA, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1787

Young Men's Methodist Union (St. Louis, Missouri).

Cashbook, 1859-1875. 1 volume (120 pages)

Record of dues paid and expenses, with some loose documents inserted into the front of the volume.

Cite as: Young Men's Methodist Union Cashbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2533

Young, Richard M.

Letter, circa 1847-1849. 1 item

Unsigned, incomplete letter addressed to Richard M. Young, commissioner of the General Land Office, regarding confirmation of a land claim in the Missouri Territory. Letter mentions Gregory Sarpy, John Baptiste Lamarche, Renard, and Lecomte [Lecompte].

Cite as: Richard M. Young Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1788

Young Women's Christian Association of Saint Louis. Board of Trustees.

Minutes, 1912-1916. 1 volume

The Y.W.C.A. in St. Louis began as an auxiliary of the Women's Christian Association, and organized to provide rooms and classes in a safe "Christian" atmosphere for young women working in St. Louis.

Cite as: Y.W.C.A. of St. Louis Board of Trustees Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1791

Youngs, John F. (1837-1902).

Letters, 1860-1865. 1 box

John F. Youngs was born in Ogle County, Illinois, and raised on a farm. He had three brothers (George, Ogden, and Thomas) and four sisters (Jane, Lydia, Mary, and Ruth). He worked in a law office in Ogle County before moving to Winchester, Kansas, to teach school shortly before the Civil War. Born to a strongly abolitionist and staunchly pro-Union family, Youngs enlisted in the 5th Kansas Cavalry as a private and was shortly thereafter promoted to lieutenant and assigned to Company E. A few months later he became a captain in command of Company E and remained in that capacity for the duration of his enlistment. Nothing is known of his activities after the Civil War. He never married. He was living in the Pacific Branch, National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers in Los Angeles, California, when he died of a cerebral hemorrhage in 1902.

Collection consists primarily of the letters of John F. Youngs to his family, mostly dated Missouri and Helena and Pine Bluff, Arkansas, regarding the affairs of the 5th Kansas Cavalry in southwest Missouri until June 1862, and then in Arkansas. Includes brief accounts of action at Dry Wood, Missouri, 2 September 1861, and the Battle of Helena, 4 July 1863. (Some of the letters are on illustrated stationery.) Collection contains annotated typescript of Youngs' letters. Collection also contains photocopies of the pension papers of John Youngs and William Devine and the compiled service record of John Youngs from the National Archives; undated address of Ruth Youngs, recounting her experiences as a nurse at a hospital in Quincy, Illinois, during the war; and letter of William Devine to Thomas Youngs, dated Camp Nevin, Kentucky, which briefly describes the train journey of the 34th Illinois Infantry from Illinois to Kentucky. Cite as: John F. Youngs Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2251

Yscaite Nation.

Certificate, 1780. 1 oversize folder

Collection consists of a certificate signed by Francisco Cruzat presented to the Native American Yscaite Nation designating them as members of the Order of the Falcon. The location of the tribe is listed as "De Los Salus del Lago." The document is illuminated and mentions Don Bernardo de Galvez as a representative of the Spanish government. Includes typescript translation.

Cite as: Yscaite Nation Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1792**Ziegler family.****Papers, 1713; 1806; 1828-1853.** 1 box; 22 volumes

Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, family of Mathew (Matheus, Mathias) Ziegler, who was a tobacco manufacturer in partnership with Jean Baptiste Valle from 1827 to 1833, and then with John Ziegler in the firm of Ziegler and Co.; also of Sebastian Ziegler, who operated a billiard parlor in Ste. Genevieve in the late 1830s, and who later entered into business with John Ziegler in the firm of S. Ziegler, commission and forwarding merchants in Ste. Genevieve in the 1840s and 1850s.

Papers include the business records of Mathew, John, and Sebastian Ziegler. They consist of accounts, 1828-1851; receipts for merchandise received, 1849-1853; eight ledgers, journals, and order books of Valle and Ziegler, and the successor firm of Ziegler and Co., tobacco manufacturers in Ste. Genevieve, 1827-1839; a journals of food and liquor sales at Sebastian Ziegler's Ste. Genevieve billiard parlor, 1837-1839; ten record books of S. Ziegler, commission and forwarding merchants in Ste. Genevieve that include steamboat loadings, cashbooks, ledgers, journals, and warehouse and freight accounts, 1846-1856; a journal of pig metal and other ores received from the American Iron Mountain Co. by John Ziegler, commission merchant in Ste. Genevieve, 1853-1856; and two account books of an unidentified Little Rock, Missouri, commission merchant, presumably one of the Zieglers, 1856-1858. In addition, there are more personal materials that include a certificate granting Johann Georg Ziegler the right to bear arms, Burghausen, Palatinate (Germany), September, 12, 1713; an inventory of the property of the Widow Moro (Moreau), June 7, 1806; and a third-year Latin composition book of C.F. Ziegler, no date.

Valle and Ziegler record books: Some German handscript. Composition book: Latin.

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

A1793**Ziercher, Herbert W. (1902-1988).****Ledger, 1928-1930.** 1 volume

Herbert Ziercher was born December 17, 1902, in University City, Missouri. He graduated from the Benton College of Law in 1927, and the following year began his practice in Clayton. From 1930 to 1932, he served as the first assistant prosecuting attorney for St. Louis County, and in 1947 he was the president of the St. Louis County Bar Association. He died June 11, 1988.

The ledger contains accounts with clients for the early years of Herbert Ziercher's law practice in Clayton.

Cite as: Herbert W. Ziercher Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1794**Zimmer, Dollie L.****Collection, circa 1874-1986 (bulk 1960s-1980s).** 3 boxes

Collection consists of genealogies and maternal and paternal ancestral histories collected and compiled by Dollie L.; and two manuscripts by Zimmer: "Anna Barbara: One Woman of Her Time" and "The Zimmer Saga: French Market Area."

Cite as: Dollie L. Zimmer Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A2923

Zimmer, Henry.

Marriage Certificate, 1902 Apr 30. 1 item (oversize)

Marriage certificate of Henry Zimmer of St. Louis, Missouri, to Miss Katie Bucher of St. Louis, Missouri, April 30, 1902.

Cite as: Henry Zimmer Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1822

Zorn, Robert M. (1904-)

Papers, 1936-1973. 1 folder

Robert M. Zorn, D.D., received his degree from Concordia Seminary, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and St. Louis Seminary in 1928. He was born July 24, 1904, in Cleveland, Ohio, the son of Reverend Hans and Antoinette (Feldner) Zorn. Robert later studied at Columbia University before accepting a teaching position at Union Theological Seminary. He married Irmgard Fuerbringer in 1929. Zorn became district missionary and instructor at the Concordia Seminary, Nagercoil, India. Later he served as General Secretary of India Mission and co-editor of *Christhava Siddaantha Deepikai*.

The collection consists of correspondence, genealogical charts, a copy of *The Lutheran Witness* featuring a short biography of Robert M. Zorn, and a handwritten poem. English and German.

Cite as: Robert M. Zorn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.