# Guide to the Archival Collections at the Missouri History Museum

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:

Missouri History Museum Archives P.O. Box 11940 St. Louis, MO 63112-0040 314-746-4510 archives@mohistory.org

## A0002

# A.B. Schulte Plumbing Company.

# Account Book, 1935-1944. 1 volume

Account book of the A.B. Schulte Plumbing Company showing daily record of work performed from August 3, 1935, to May 8, 1944, including name and address of business/residence serviced, type of service, supplies used, cost, and record of payment. Cite as: A.B. Schulte Plumbing Company Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0001

# A. Harless and Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Receipt book, 1878-1879.** 1 volume (88 pages)

Volume consists of freight receipts of A. Harless and Company of St. Louis for drug shipments, in account with Adams Express Co. (St. Louis), dated December 20, 1878, to May 24, 1879.

Cite as: A. Harless and Company Receipt Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1847

# Abbott, Helen Ireland, Mrs.

Genealogy, 1931. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Certified copy of entries in family Bible dated 1931.

Cite as: Helen Ireland Abbott Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1848

Abeles, Nathan.

Papers, 1885. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Inventory and check regarding the estate of Nathan Abeles dated 1885.

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

## A0003

Abert Family.

Letters, 1835-1846. 2 folders

John Abert was made colonel of the Topographical Engineers, which he held until 1861. In 1832, he supervised the removal of some Ottawa and Shawnee Indians from Vandalia, Illinois. Abert's son James was a lieutenant who accompanied John Fremont on his 1845 expedition.

The letters consist of thirteen letters, eleven written by George W. Featherstonhaugh to Col. John J. Abert and two written by Thomas Fitzpatrick to Lt. James W. Abert. The letters relate to geological findings, land explorations, and dealings with Native Americans. The letters written by George W. Featherstonhaugh from various locales (such as Detroit, Green Bay, Prairie du Chien, North Carolina, and Quebec) for the most part detail his explorations; geological reports; descriptions of flora, fauna, and the people encountered; and difficulties with terrain and conditions. The letters written by Thomas Fitzpatrick from St. Louis detail his findings on Native American languages, political news, and gossip.

(Formerly known as the John J. Abert Papers.)

Finding aid available.

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

# A0004

# Abrams, Rochonne.

# "Meriwether Lewis," manuscript, circa 1996. 3 folders

Typescript of "Meriwether Lewis" by Rochonne Abrams with 12 chapters. Cite as: Rochonne Abrams "Meriwether Lewis" Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0005

# Accounts Collection, 1766-1941. 5 folders; 23 volumes

Collection consists of various accounts, mostly receipts and pages from account books from St. Louis firms. The collection also includes an unidentified ledger labeled "Oklahoma," which contains records of accounts with hardware, radiator companies, etc., 1904-1941; an undated index to Ledger #1, "St.L.M.L.I. Co."; and an unidentified account book of rent collections, 1904-1907.

Some French.

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

## A1849

# Ackerman Family.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society.

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

#### A0006

# **Ackerman, Richard (1842-1862).**

# Civil War Correspondence, 1861-1862. 1 box

Richard Ackerman, a resident of New Brunswick, New Jersey, enlisted with the 5th New York Infantry on April 1, 1861. He was wounded at the Second Battle of Bull Run on August 28, 1862, and spent several months at King Street Hospital in Alexandria, Virginia, before his death on December 19, 1862.

Letters of Richard Ackerman to his parents in New Brunswick, New Jersey, include accounts of the affairs of the regiment while serving in Virginia and Baltimore. Letter dated June 11, [1861], contains a description of the engagement at Big Bethel, Virginia. Letters also contain descriptions of marches and fighting during the Peninsular Campaign; and information on camp life and diet.

Cite as: Richard Ackerman Civil War Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0007

# Adams, David (1799-1874).

# **Papers, 1809-1869.** 2 boxes

David Adams was born December 31, 1799, in St. Louis. In 1815, he joined an expedition to Mexico with his brother and became involved in the Mexican Revolution. He returned to St. Louis in the 1820s and operated a saloon. In 1832, he joined Bonneville's expedition to the Rocky Mountains and later became involved in the fur trade with the American Fur Company. In 1841, he formed a partnership with John Sibille to trade with Indians on the Platte River. In 1849, he led an expedition to California in search of gold. He lived his last years on the island at the foot of Carroll Street (St. Louis) in poor health and poverty. He died December 31, 1874.

Collection contains correspondence to his wife while he was on his expeditions. Also

contains many receipts for the saloon and supplies from his expeditions. Diary dated August 21, 1844, to March 11, 1845. Five fragmentary diaries dated 1841, 1842, and 1844. The Adams diaries are published in: Charles E. Hanson, Jr., editor. *The David Adams Journals* (Chadron, Nebraska: The Museum of the Fur Trade, 1994).

Finding aid available.

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

#### A1851

**Adams Family.** 

Papers, 1952-1972, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Information on the Adams Family Association dated 1952 and a copy of the "Adams Addenda" newsletter dated 1972.

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

# A1850

Adams, Marian Phia.

**Genealogy, 1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marian Phia Adams, 329 Belt Ave., St. Louis, 1956.

Cite as: Marian Phia Adam Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1852

Adams, Maude.

**Autograph, 1901.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Autograph signature of Maude Adams, 1901.

Cite as: Maude Adams Autograph, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0008

Adams, Ula C.

**Papers 1875-1959.** 1 box

Collection consists primarily of receipts for household accounts of Ula C. Adams, who lived at 5810 Waterman in St. Louis. Also includes a diary written while she was a girl, dated January 19, 1893, to August 9, 1896; receipt of Mullen Ambulance Co., 5165 Delmar Blvd., that includes an image of two ambulances, circa 1932-1943; business card of Walter Rielau, hardwood floor contractor, 3843 Fillmore Ave. (formerly 3134 Gurney Avenue), circa 1928.

Cite as: Ula C. Adams Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1853

Adams, Washington.

Papers, 1871-1872. 2 folders (oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two certificates signed B. Gratz Brown, appointment as Missouri State Supreme Court Judge, 1871-1872.

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

#### A1854

Adams, William Howard.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: William Howard Adams Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1855

Addams, Jane.

**Autograph, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated autograph signature of Jane Addams.

Cite as: Jane Addams Autograph, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2495

Adelaide.

# Letter to Fred, 1911 Aug 23. 1 item

Letter signed Adelaide, St. Louis, Missouri, to Fred. Adelaide mentions that "Mama and Mamie have left California and we are expecting them home at almost any time"; thanks Fred for the picture he sent her; and mentions that she is tired of working but she "will stick to my job as long as it will stick to me." Letter is written on stationery of Atkins & Childs, state right owners, Buffalo Bill and Pawnee Bill Film Service, offices, Gem Theatre Building.

Cite as: Adelaide Letter to Fred, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0009

Adie Family.

Papers, 1839-1912. 4 folders; 1 oversize folder

Correspondence and estate papers of family including George L., S.N., Julia H., Lewis W., Samuel W., Frances E. and Mrs. Missouri A. Adie. Includes mostly indentures and deeds of trust from St. Louis County and Pattonville, Missouri.

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

#### A0010

# **Advertising Card Scrapbooks, no date.** 2 volumes

Scrapbooks contain advertising cards, cut-outs, and other material.

Cite as: Advertising Card Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2569

# **Advertising Cards Collection, 1941-1956.** 13 items

Collection contains the following advertising cards: General Elevator Engineering Co., 2329 Pine St., St. Louis, Mo., 1941 (4 copies); Jos. Ward Painting Co., 5037 Union Blvd., St. Louis, Mo., 1950-1951 (2 cards); International Shoe Company, St. Louis, Mo., 1953-1956 (3 cards); J.M. Ebeling, agent for the Northwestern Mutual Fire Association, 8032 Forsythe [8032 Forsyth], Clayton, Missouri, no date; St. Louis Tuckpointing Company, 4227 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Mo., no date; United House and Window Cleaning Co., St. Louis, Mo., no date; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., Merrell Division, 320 South Broadway and 4528 South Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., no date; The National Life and Accident Insurance Co. of Nashville, Tennessee, 705 Chestnut St., St. Louis, Mo., no date; and Baby Quaker Instant Strained Oatmeal, no date. Cite as: Advertising Cards Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0011

# Advertising Collection, 1859-1974. 5 folders; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains advertising cards, circulars, etc., for various St. Louis businesses. Cite as: Advertising Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0012

# **Aeronautics Collection, 1830-1979.** 1 box

Collection of correspondence, reports, printed material, and clippings pertaining to St. Louis aviation history. Includes papers relating to the Pioneer Aeroplane and Exhibition Company (1911); the St. Louis Aeronautic Corporation, formed to hold the international air races in St. Louis, October 1-2, 1923; ballooning; and the early history of Lambert St. Louis Flying Field. Indexed in the Archives Card Catalog.

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

## A1856

# Aff Family.

Genealogy, 1967, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dr. Helen Margaret Aff-Drum, 1412 Spoede Road, St. Louis County, Missouri, 1967; and an undated note signed Helen Aff-Drum.

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

# African-American Newsclippings Collection.

See Charles Turner Scrapbooks.

#### A1857

Agatstein, Isaac.

**Certificate**, **1892.** 1 item (oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Certificate from St. Louis High School Literary Society, 1892.

Cite as: Isaac Agatstein Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1858

Agee Family.

Genealogy, 1914. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typed letter from Mrs. P.C. Agee to the Missouri Historical Society explaining family history, 1914.

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

## A0013

# Agency Bank of the United States of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri). **Journal, 1836-1849.** 1 volume

In 1836, the charter of the Branch Bank of the United States with the federal government expired and a new charter was voted whereby the Agency Bank was rechartered by the state of Pennsylvania. In 1840, the new charter was suspended and on July 31, 1841, the bank was ordered closed by the United States government.

Journal, dated September 30, 1836, to November 8, 1849, contains the financial transactions of the Agency Bank of the United States of St. Louis, as maintained by Henry S. Coxe, agent. Although the bank was ordered closed on July 31, 1841, transactions continued until 1849. Cite as: Agency Bank of the United States of Saint Louis Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0014

# **Agricultural College Lands Plat Books, no date.** 2 volumes

Descriptions of land secured in Missouri, arranged by county, township, and range, with annotations as to nature of land and soil.

Cite as: Agricultural College Lands Plat Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3106

Ahrens, William L. (1917-1997).

Military Papers, 1941-1945. 1 folder

William L. Ahrens was inducted into the U.S. Army on February 24, 1941, at Jefferson Barracks. He served with the 138th Infantry for three years as an instrument observer in the Aleutian Islands. When he returned to the United States, Ahrens earned the rank of platoon sergeant responsible for training in military tactics and weapons at Fort McClellan. He earned the American Defense Service Medal, the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre Service Medal with one bronze star, and the Good Conduct Medal.

The collection is comprised of U.S. Army documents issued to William L. Ahrens arranged chronologically. The documents include an immunization register dated 1941 to 1944, a communication regarding high standard rating in Ahrens' regiment at Fort McClellan dated July 13, 1945, and discharge papers that include a summary of his military career and a Selective Service notice of classification showing his discharge status. Finding aid available.

Cite as: William L. Ahrens Military Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1614

# AIDS Foundation of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1990s. 1 box and 1 oversize folder

Materials from the annual fund-raising event of the organization, the pledge walk, "From All Walks of Life." Included are press releases, newsclippings, fact sheets and programs, posters from the event. Also includes the 1992 financial statement from The AIDS Foundation of St. Louis. The oversize collection contains posters from the 1992, 1993 pledge walk.

Cite as: AIDS Foundation of St. Louis Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1859

Aiken, Frank William.

Papers, 1936-1941, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains an article from the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* dated 1936, correspondence dated 1936-1941, family crests and an undated genealogy sheet.

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

# Aiken, James Henry, Mrs.

See Cunningham, Josepha.

# A0015

Akins, Zoe (1886-1958).

**Papers, 1911; 1958.** 2 folders

Zoe Akins was born in Humansville, Missouri, and moved to St. Louis where her father was postmaster and also a leader in the Republican party. She attended Hosmer Hall and then spent two years at Monticello Seminary in Godfrey, Illinois. At the age of 17, she played with the Odeon Stock Company of St. Louis. She then began writing articles for the St. Louis—based

*Mirror*. Later she left for New York where she became a well-known playwright. Her best-known plays are "The Greeks Had a Word for It," "The Furies," and "The Old Maid," for which she won the Pulitzer Prize in 1935. In 1932, she married Hugo Rumbold, a British artist and army captain. In her last years she wrote for motion pictures. She died October 29, 1958.

The collection consists of undated love letters written by William Marion Reedy to Zoe Akins. Also includes an undated play titled "The Wandering Fairies—A Shakespearian Masque for Children" by Zoe Akins, and a typed copy of "The Learned Lady," by Zoe Akins, 1911, from which Act I and portions of Act II are missing. Collection also includes a newspaper article from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* describing the letters.

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

## A1860

Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition (Seattle, Washington).

**Souvenir Program, 1909.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Souvenir official daily program, 1909.

Cite as: Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition Souvenir Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2144

Albers, Joseph.

**Papers, 1807-1947.** 1 folder; 1 volume

Joseph Albers immigrated to the United States around the turn of the twentieth century. He settled in St. Louis where he worked for a brewery. Joseph was married and had three children: Edna, Adele, and Joseph.

The collection consists of letters written by Sister Theobalda Albers, Denekamp, Holland, to her brother Joseph in St. Louis and Joseph's German prayer book.

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

## A1861

Albrecht Family.

Papers, 1883-1907. 1 folder (oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains marriage certificate of Elizabeth Mertz and Gottlieb Albrecht dated 1883, and handdrawn memoriam to Henry Albrecht, 1907.

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

## A2525

Albrecht, Gottlieb, Family.

Papers, 1871-1946. 3 folders; 1 oversize folder

Gottlieb Albrecht, the son of Samuel and Elizabeth Albrecht, was born January 16, 1855, in St. Louis County, Missouri. He died May 26, 1938, in Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County.

The collection consists primarily of deeds, title certificates, and related papers regarding Albrecht family property in U.S. surveys 415 and 1911 in Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County, Missouri. The collection also includes several promissory notes and papers relating to the estate of Samuel Albrecht.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2535

# Albrecht, William A. and Family.

Papers, 1889-1979. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

William Albert Albrecht, the son of Albert William and Louisa Bertha Beckman Albrecht, was born in St. Louis in 1909. He graduated from Western Military Academy in Alton, Illinois, and served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. In 1938, he became owner and president of W.E. Beckmann Co., a wholesale bakery and confectionary supply firm founded by his maternal grandfather, William Edward Beckmann. That company closed in 1973, and he was vice president of Schoellhorn Albrecht Machine Co., which manufactured machinery for inland waterways, until his retirement ten years later. He married Violet Mae Watkins in 1932; they had one son, Robert William Albrecht, born in 1946. Robert attended the Wright School in the Ladue School District until the fourth grade, and then attended St. Louis Country Day School, from which he graduated in 1964. William A. Albrecht died in Fenton, Missouri, in 1998 at the age of 88.

The collection consists of personal correspondence and papers of William A. Albrecht and some other members of his family, including his parents, grandparents, wife, and son. It also includes many of Robert William Albrecht's school records and other items related to his attendance at St. Louis County Day School, as well as documents related to his attendance at the Big Spring Ranch for Boys summer camp in Florissant, Colorado, as an adolescent. The collection also includes some military documents and photographs of William Albert Albrecht, as well as a few books and magazines.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: William A. Albrecht and Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1862

# Alcorn, James Floyd.

Genealogy, 1954. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Floyd Alcorn, 8108 Teasdale, University City, Mo., 1954.

Cite as: James Floyd Alcorn Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1863

Alcott, Louisa May.

**Letter, 1887.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed L.M. Alcott to Mrs. H.M. Starkloff, 6827 Michigan Ave., St. Louis, postmarked February 16, 1887, regarding a request to find Alcott's works translated into German.

Cite as: Louisa May Alcott Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0016

Alewel Family.

Papers, 1893-1966. 12 boxes; 1 volume; 2 oversize folders

Louis Emil Alewel was born September 16, 1878. He was educated at Bethany Parochial School and married Olivia Emily Elizabeth Beckman on October 25, 1911. Mr. Alewel entered the undertaking profession and operated an establishment on Franklin Avenue between Twentieth and Twenty-First Streets. He later became a salesman for the bakers and confectioners' supply company operated by his father-in-law, W.E. Beckmann. He published several songs and poems. He was involved in the St. Louis Relief Committee for Central Europe. He was a mason and a member of the Cornerstone Lodge, the Knights of Pythias, the

Liederkranz Club, the Carl Schurz Unit #28 of the Steuben Society of America, Cosmos Club and St. Louis House. He died February 9, 1955. Norma E. Alewel was his daughter.

The collection contains memorabilia mostly concerning Ms. Norma E. Alewel and her father Louis Emil Alewel, including tax receipts and various St. Louis brochures and blueprints of buildings owned by Olivia and Louis Alewel and designed by Julius E. Tarling. The collection includes many photographs of the Alewel family. Box 3 contains several brochures and pamphlets regarding the St. Louis Relief Committee for Central Europe. Box 4 contains a ledger for an upholstery business for Louis E. Alewel (1940). Many items in the collection relate to the rebuilding of Germany and the views of Germans on World War II. Box 7 includes a Shriners (Moolah) hat in a hat box. Box 8 includes records of the Carr Place Protection and Improvement Association. The collection also contains items concerning the Steuben Society and a scrapbook dated 1954-1957 with cards and letters of Lewis E. and Norma E. Alewel and letters from the Steuben Society of America regarding war efforts of Lewis E. Alewel, compiled by Norma E. Alewel.

Some items in German.

Finding aid available.

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

## A1864

Alexander, Charles and Nancy.

Papers, 1849-1982, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains photocopies of various types of documents regarding the genealogy of Charles and Nancy Alexander including newspaper articles, part of their marriage certificate, and lists of births, deaths, and marriages.

Cite as: Charles and Nancy Alexander Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1865

Alexander, Corbin.

Papers, 1854-1857. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two letters from Corbin Alexander, Jefferson City, to his wife, Lucy, dated 1854 and 1857. Cite as: Corbin Alexander Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1866

Alexander, Harry L.

**Invitation, 1952.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Wedding invitation of Harry Alexander's daughter Janet to Richard Palmer Wood, 1952. Cite as: Harry L. Alexander Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1867

Alexander, Joseph H.

**Diploma, 1847.** 1 folder (oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Joseph Alexander's diploma from St. Charles College, 1847.

Cite as: Joseph H. Alexander Diploma, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1868

Alexander, Lallee Baker.

**Genealogy**, **1954.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Lallee Baker

Alexander, 4530 McPherson, St. Louis, 1954.

Cite as: Lallee Baker Alexander Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2913

"All for Health Tuberculosis Ball Game."

**Circular, [1924] July 17.** 1 item

Circular titled "All for Health Tuberculosis Ball Game," promoting a Cardinals baseball game at Sportsmans Park. Verso of circular includes tips for good health.

Cite as: "All for Health Tuberculosis Ball Game" Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0017

Allan, David, Jr. (1842-1917).

Letters, 1862-1865. 27 folders

David Allan, Jr., was mustered into service in the 29th Missouri Infantry (Union) at St. Louis in September 1862. He rose from the rank of private to captain, and was mustered out at Washington, D.C., in June 1865. He died December 21, 1917, at the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers in Danville, Illinois.

Collection includes letters written from Cape Girardeau and Patterson, Missouri, dated October to December 1862, which briefly describe conditions in southeast Missouri; letters written from Woodville, Alabama, dated January to March 1864; letters written from near Atlanta, dated July to August 1864, including brief accounts of the battles of Atlanta and Ezra Chapel; and account of the Grand Review in Washington, D.C. (Some of the letters are photocopies.)

Finding aid available.

Cite as: David Allan, Jr. Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1869

Allen, Andrew H.

**Letter, 1894.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter from Allen to Fred I. Kingsbury regarding signature of Ben Stoddert, 1894. Cite as: Andrew H. Allen Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0018

Allen, Beverly (1800-).

**Estate records, 1846-1869.** 1 volume (151 pages)

Volume contains the records of the administration of the estate of Beverly Allen. Cite as: Beverly Allen Estate Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1870

Allen, Claxton E.

Papers, 1938-1960. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains wedding invitation of Allen's daughter, Lydia Ann, to Isaac Long, dated 1938, and biographical time line for Allen, dated 1960.

Cite as: Claxton E. Allen Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0019

Allen, D.C. (1835-1920).

# **Collection, 1907-1919, 1938.** 2 folders

D.C. Allen was born November 1, 1835, in Clay County, Missouri, and graduated from William Jewell College in 1855. He was the principal of the preparatory course at the Masonic College at Lexington, Missouri, and also practiced law in Liberty, Missouri. In 1861, he became the circuit attorney for the fifth judicial circuit. In 1864, he married Emily E. Settle. He was the first general attorney for the Kansas City and Cameron Railroad Company. From 1870 to 1881, he served as a trustee of William Jewell College and also was a curator of the University of Missouri. He died in February 1920.

Collection consists primarily of letters to the Missouri Historical Society concerning various types of historical research and also concerning a talk he gave at the society. Also contains letters to Walter B. Douglas.

Cite as: D.C. Allen Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1871

# Allen, Edward E.

**Papers, 1933, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Correspondence regarding donation to the Missouri Historical Society, 1933, and copies of undated clippings regarding Edward E. Allen.

Cite as: Edward E. Allen Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1872

# Allen Family.

Papers, 1907-1955. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains letter from John M. Woodson to Mary Louise Dalton regarding the Allen family, dated 1907, and letter to Mary Louise Dalton, dated 1955, which includes genealogical data sheet and copy of commission of Charles Allen as colonel.

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

# A1873

# Allen, George W.

Certificate, 1876. 1 folder (oversize, AMD) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Certificate from International Exhibition, Philadelphia, archaeological collections, 1876. Cite as: George W. Allen Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1874

# Allen, Hugh, Judge.

**Biography**, 1937. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Handwritten copy of Allen's biography, transcribed by his grandson Hugh Allen Orr in 1937 from the original written by Dr. Clayton Keith in 1875.

Cite as: Judge Hugh Allen Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1875

# Allen, John.

Papers, 1909. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains handwritten copies of documents regarding John Allen including a biographical sketch, notice of a public sale, and a land title. The copies are dated 1909.

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

## A0020

Allen, Nathan D. (1819-1903).

**Diary, 1834-1888.** 1 volume (100 pages)

Nathan D. Allen was born May 15, 1819, at Watkins Glen, New York, and came to St. Louis in 1837, eventually settling in Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri, where he died May 9, 1903.

The diary of Nathan D. Allen contains material on life in Webster Groves, with accounts of the 1849 cholera epidemic and the Civil War in St. Louis, and mentions meeting Abraham Lincoln and Henry Shaw. (Additional information on Allen family was added later by donor.) Cite as: Nathan D. Allen Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1876

Allen, Thomas.

**Genealogy, 1913-1950.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence, primarily from George W.H. Allen, regarding genealogy of Thomas Allen's family, 1913-1950.

Cite as: Thomas Allen Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1877

Allen, W.T.

Papers, 1854-1902 (bulk 1882-1902). 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

W.T. and Mary E. Allen were residents of Brownfield, Gasconade Township, Laclede County, Missouri.

The collection consists of correspondence, accounts, and tax receipts, mostly from Laclede County, Missouri, 1854-1902.

Cite as: W.T. Allen Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0021

Allen-Rodgers Family.

Papers, 1858-1924 (bulk 1871-1889). 2 boxes; 2 oversize boxes; 14 volumes

Thomas Allen (1813-1882) worked as a lawyer and newspaper publisher in New York City and Washington, D.C. In 1842, he moved to St. Louis, where he married Ann Russell. He became president of several railroads, including the Iron Mountain Railroad, and served in the Missouri Senate (1850-1854). Thomas Rodgers (1835-1916) served in the 140th Pennsylvania Infantry during the Civil War, eventually earning the rank of lieutenant colonel. Following the war he came to St. Louis, where he worked as an insurance agent and a deputy clerk in the circuit clerk's office. Rodgers also served as assistant adjutant general in the Department of Missouri, Grand Army of the Republic.

Collection contains correspondence and business papers of Thomas Allen and his family, as well as correspondence and Grand Army of the Republic papers of Thomas Rodgers. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Allen-Rodgers Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1878

Alleyne Family.

Papers, 1837-1942 (bulk 1837-1879). 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence, genealogical information, and items regarding Jeremiah Smith Boris Alleyne, 1837-1942.

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

# A1879

Allison Family.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typed copy of genealogical information from family Bible, no date.

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

## A1880

Allison, Mamie E., Mrs.

Funeral Notice, 1896. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Funeral notice of Mrs. Mamie E. Allison, who died October 17, 1896, at her home in Oran. Cite as: Mamie E. Allison Funeral Notice, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1881

Allison, Nathaniel.

Papers, 1915-1919, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Nathaniel Allison was born in Webster, Missouri, in 1876. He was the son of James W. and Addie Schultz Allison. Nathaniel briefly attended West Point before transferring to Harvard in 1894 where he studied medicine. He taught medicine at Washington University Medical School before volunteering to serve as a doctor for the American Ambulance Hospital in France during World War I. When the Americans entered the war he was commissioned a captain and served at the Washington University Base Hospital No. 21 in Rouen, France. He worked to standardize hospital practices in the army. After the war he worked at Walter Reed Hospital and received the Distinguished Service Award for his service to the United States. Nathaniel married Marion Aldrich of Chicago, Illinois, in 1909. He died in St. Louis in 1932.

The collection contains five letters, dated 1915-1919, from Allison to his family while serving in Europe during World War I and a copy of a printed biographical sketch reprinted from the *New England Journal of Medicine*, 1932.

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

#### A1882

Allison, Roberdean.

Autograph, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Front cover of book bearing signature and bookplate of Allison.

Cite as: Roberdean Allison Autograph, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0022

Almstedt, Henry ( -1884).

Papers, 1846-1939. 2 folders

A native of Germany, Henry Almstedt served as colonel of the 1st United States Reserve Corps (3 months) from May to August 1861. In November 1861 he was appointed colonel of the 2nd Missouri Light Artillery. He resigned this command in August 1863, and was later appointed to the staff of the Unites States paymaster. He died November 21, 1884, in Fenton, St. Louis County.

Collection contains commission and appointments of Henry Almstedt and papers relating to the service of the 1st United States Reserve Corps (3 months) and the 2nd Missouri Light Artillery. Includes letter of William R. Martin to Captain T. Rohe, dated Martinsburgh, Missouri,

July 29, 1861, regarding the discovery of the bodies of Benjamin Sharp and Lieutenant Jager; two letters of Joseph Weydemeyer to Almstedt, dated October 3, 1862, and to General Schofield, dated June 3, 1863, regarding his resignation; brief report of the fortifications at St. Louis, dated January 20, 1863; and Almstedt's journal with brief notes of the Powder River Indian Expedition in 1865. Also includes military commissions of Almstedt, dated 1846; and Bellefontaine Cemetery papers.

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

## A0023

# Aloe Company Building Time Capsule.

Collection, 1937-1940. 2 boxes; 2 oversize folders

The A.S. Aloe medical instruments company headquarters building at 1831 Olive Street was constructed in 1940. When the building was demolished for a parking lot 56 years later, a time capsule was recovered from the building's cornerstone. The metal capsule, packed with rolls of medical wrapping was opened on October 10, 1996. It contained over two dozen items, including a letter written by company president Howard F. Baer in September 1940, numerous company brochures and catalogs, photographs, coins, and a selection of current periodicals. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Aloe Company Building Time Capsule Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1883

# Aloe Family.

# Collection, 1922-1923, no date. 1 folder

Louis Patrick Aloe was born in St. Louis in 1867. He was the son of Scottish immigrant Albert S. Aloe who founded an optical goods manufacturing business in St. Louis in 1862. Louis graduated from Washington University and took command of his father's business upon Albert's death in 1893. Louis became active in civic affairs and Republican politics. He was elected to the St. Louis Board of Alderman and served as acting mayor of St. Louis during the absence of Mayor Henry Kiel during World War I. He was defeated as a candidate for mayor in 1924. Louis married Edith Rosenblatt in 1887. They had four children.

The collection contains a newsclipping with a picture of Louis P. Aloe dated 1922, a letter regarding Aloe dated 1923, two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society, and an undated typed sheet with information on Louis P. Aloe, who resided at 36 Kingsbury Place. Cite as: Aloe Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0024

# Aloe Memorial Plaza.

# Scrapbooks, 1929-1940. 2 volumes

Two volumes of scrapbooks titled "A History of Aloe Memorial Plaza, 1929-1940," containing typescript correspondence, newsclippings, and photographs relating to Aloe Memorial Plaza and Milles Fountain in St. Louis.

Cite as: Aloe Memorial Plaza Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2276

# **Alphabetical files.** 46 boxes; 2 oversize folders

This collection consists primarily of a series of vertical files usually containing a small number of items of genealogical or historical interest relating to individuals, families, businesses,

or organizations.

Collection is arranged alphabetically and is indexed in the archives card catalog. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Alphabetical Files, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2403

# Alsup, Hulda Elizabeth Heard. Reminiscences, 1949-1952. 1 item

Hulda Elizabeth Heard was born July 7, 1882, on a homestead farm in Webster County, Missouri. She married Shelt Alsup on August 25, 1900. Their children were Cecil (born January 13, 1903), Ethel (born April 19, 1905), and Delbert (born 1907). In 1908, they moved to the state of Washington, settling near Pullman. In 1910, they took up a homestead near Galata, Montana. They moved to Shelby, Montana, in 1915, where they spent the next 15 years. They next moved to Holy Family Mission, where they resided for a couple of years before returning to Shelby. In 1932, they moved to the vicinity of Spangle, Washington, returning to Montana 18 months later. Shelt Alsup died December 20, 1935.

The 12-page typescript reminiscences of Hulda Elizabeth Heard Alsup, written between 1949 and 1952, include accounts of growing up on a homestead farm in Webster County, Missouri; attending school; doing chores on the farm; and homesteading in Washington and Montana with her husband. The reminiscences also include brief note of her sister Luetta P. Heard, who copied Hulda's life story for her. Mentions neighbors "Old Nailer" (page 5) and Jim Hammons (or Hammonds) (page 6); aunt Lizzie Lemons (page 7); Luetta Paul (page 8), who married Hulda's brother Jerry; Miss Hales (page 8), a teacher in Galata, Montana; John Cameron (page 8), a friend of Shelt Alsup in Montana; Mr. Zalanka (page 9), a neighbor in Montana; Minnie Wildgun (page 10), an Indian girl who helped Hulda at the Holy Family Mission; and Mr. Shackleton (page 11), who rented Hulda a farm near Shelby, Montana. Cite as: Hulda Elizabeth Heard Alsup Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1884

Alter, James O.

Certificate, 1889. 1 folder (oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Certificate of membership in Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Historical Society, 1889. Cite as: James O. Alter Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0025

Alton, Illinois.

**Collection, 1831-1968.** 1 box; 4 volumes

Collection contains records relating to Alton, Illinois, including the following: correspondence of Edward Bliss and his father, Elijah Bliss, dated February 11, 1833, to September 26, 1834; legal correspondence of William Martin, attorney, dated October 27, 1839, to March 10, 1854; Drury, Hayner and Co. correspondence (Nelson and Hayner 1865-1868); Jackel, Kuhn correspondence 1865-1870; letter of John J. Hogan to Rev. James Ryan dated April 11, 1888; notes on Col. Stephen H. Long family and Chouteau family; Alton Catholic Cemetery, 1912-1953; Programs—Independence Day at Portage des Sioux—1927; letter of Norma Lemp to Ruth Ferris dated November 5, 1965; and centennial of St. Joseph Hospital, 1965. Also contains three volumes of account books from unidentified general store(s), 1831-1832, 1838-1840, and 1860-1861; and an unidentified volume of contract labor accounts for carpentry and masonry,

1843-1868.

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

#### A1885

# Alton Lake (Alton, Illinois).

**Collection, 1935.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

In 1935, an effort was made to name the portion of the Mississippi River widened at Alton, Illinois, by the construction of a dam and lock system Lake Sylvester in honor of local artist Frederick Oakes Sylvester. The effort was dismissed due to the federal policy of designating river locks and dams numerically.

The collection contains letters written by local citizens suggesting names for the lake and correspondence between Major General E.M. Markham, Corps of Engineers, to Senator Bennett Champ Clark regarding the Corps' naming policies, 1935.

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

## A1886

Alvord, Clarence.

Papers, 1905-1935. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Professor Clarence Alvord (1868-1928) taught American history at the University of Illinois from 1913 to 1920 when he left to join the faculty at the University of Minnesota. He was the principal founder and managing editor of *The Mississippi Valley Historical Review* and general editor of the *Illinois Historical Collections*. In 1917 he completed *The Mississippi Valley in British Politics* and wrote the second volume of *The Centennial History of Illinois*. Alvord married Idress Head in 1913. Head had served as librarian and collections curator for the Missouri Historical Society from 1907 to 1913.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence of Idress Head Alvord with staff of the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1905-1935, letters by Clarence Alvord concerning his archival research, and a notice of Clarence Alvord's death, dated 1928.

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

#### A0026

**Amate Plantation.** 

**Records**, **1895-1955**. 3 folders

The Mexican Coffee Trading and Planting Co. of New York was incorporated December 5, 1895, with its headquarters in St. Louis. The purpose of the company was to sell on commission and export coffee, woods, fruit and other agricultural products from Mexico to the United States and other countries. The company owned a coffee and rubber plantation, Amate Plantation, in Mexico. The plantation and all its belongings were bought by Samuel M. Kennard and Frank M. Estes of St. Louis, June 1, 1904.

The papers of the plantation include the corporation papers of the Mexican Coffee Trading and Planting Co. of New York, the Missouri certificate of incorporation, deeds, memoranda, receipts and correspondence. Also includes papers after the plantation was sold to Kennard and Estes.

Cite as: Amate Plantation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1888

Amberg, Richard Hiller.

Papers, 1959, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence and papers of Richard Amberg regarding the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* Guild Strike Committee, dated 1959. Also includes a biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Richard Hiller Amberg, 7 Edgewood Road, Ladue, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Richard Hiller Amberg Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Ambler, Edwin P.

See Edwin P. Ambler (Saint Louis, Missouri).

## A1889

# Ambler, Jean Frances Peck.

**Genealogy, 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Jean Frances Peck Ambler, 525 East Argonne Drive, Kirkwood, Mo., 1955.

Cite as: Jean Ambler Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2553

# American Bar Association.

**Ticket, 1949 Sept 5.** 1 item

Ticket of the American Bar Association to event at the Opera House, Kiel Auditorium (St. Louis, Missouri) featuring General Dwight D. Eisenhower as speaker.

Cite as: American Bar Association Ticket, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1890

**American Camping Association.** 

Records, 1989-1990. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains two annual reports of the American Camping Association, 1989-1990.

Cite as: American Camping Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0027

# American Car and Foundry (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1940-1970.** 9 boxes

American Car and Foundry was formed in 1899 by the union of 13 companies, two of them being the Missouri Car and Foundry Company of St. Louis and the St. Charles Car Company of St. Charles, Missouri. Twenty-eight companies in all were subsequently acquired; some were modernized and some were dismantled. William K. Bixby served as the first president of the company from 1899 to 1901. Plants were located at Berwick, Pennsylvania; Buffalo; Huntington, West Virginia; Milton, Pennsylvania; St. Louis and St. Charles, Missouri.

Collection contains manual concerning the construction of railroad cars; photographs of different types of railroad cars and parts of the cars; and descriptions of the plants located at St. Louis, St. Charles and Berwick.

Cite as: American Car and Foundry Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0028

# American Expeditionary Force. 35th Division. 138th Infantry. Company E. Roster, 1919. 1 volume

Company E of the 138th Infantry was part of the 35th Division, American Expeditionary Force, which served in France during World War I. The 138th Infantry was formed by the

merger of the St. Louis—based 1st and 5th Regiments of Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. The 138th combined with other Missouri and Kansas units to form the 35th Division of the A.E.F. After the war, the unit reverted to state service. The name 138th Infantry was ultimately retained in memory of World War I service.

Cite as: Roster of Company E, 138th Infantry, 35th Division, American Expeditionary Force, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0029

# American Expeditionary Force. 35th Division. 138th Infantry. Company I. Records, 1917-1976. 1 box

Company I of the 138th Infantry was part of the 35th Division, American Expeditionary Force, which served in France during World War I. The 138th Infantry was formed by the merger of the St. Louis—based 1st and 5th Regiments of Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. The 138th combined with other Missouri and Kansas units to form the 35th Division of the A.E.F. After the war, the unit reverted to state service. The name 138th Infantry was ultimately retained in memory of World War I service. The men of Company I were all from the St. Louis area, and were commanded by Captain A.R. Skinker (buried 1921). After the war, the veterans of wartime service formed the Company I Reunion Association, which remained active into the 1970s.

This collection consists of papers related to the active duty of Company I, 138th Infantry, A.E.F., among which are a company history, press clippings, and a manuscript titled "The Diary of a Doughboy"; records of the Company I reunion association; and materials related to the funeral of Captain A.R. Skinker.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Records of Company I, 138th Infantry, 35th Division, American Expeditionary Force, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0030

# American Express Company.

**Daybook**, **1860-1862**. 1 volume (477 pages)

Daybook, dated December 20, 1860, to September 10, 1862, is a journal of bank drafts sent and received by an American Express Company office for collection. The office may have been located in St. Louis. This volume was later used as a scrapbook by William L. Galloway, causing accounts at the beginning of the volume (pages 1-196) to be obscured by clippings.

Cite as: American Express Company Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2907

# **American Freedom Train.**

# Ticket Stubs, 1976 Apr 8. 3 items

Three ticket stubs for a trip aboard the American Freedom Train at the foot of the Arch, St. Louis, Missouri, April 8, 1976.

Cite as: American Freedom Train Ticket Stubs, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0031

# American Institute of Architects, St. Louis Chapter.

# Historic Buildings Survey, 1976. 6 microfilm reels

The Historic Buildings Committee of the St. Louis Chapter of the American Institute of Architects and the Missouri Heritage Trust microfilmed the plans of many of the city's most

prominent buildings. The six reels of film are indexed by both name of building and by name of architect. The Missouri History Museum does not own the original drawings.

Index cards and microfilm reels are available at the archives reference desk.

Cite as: American Institute of Architects, St. Louis Chapter, Historic Buildings Survey, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1797

# American Institute of Architects, St. Louis Chapter.

# **Records, 1893-circa 1991.** 1 box

Architects in St. Louis formed a local chapter of the American Institute of Architects (AIA) in 1884. However, the charter for the St. Louis Chapter is dated December 5, 1891. The group held meetings and collected dues on a monthly basis. The meetings provided a forum in which St. Louis architects were able to discuss mutual professional interests such as bringing prominent visitors to the city and directing the manner of professional practices by drafting resolutions for consideration by state and local government. The chapter, popularly known as AIA-St. Louis, continues its activities in the present to promote and support the architecture profession. (For more information see Carolyn Hewes Toft et al., *The Way We Came: A Century of the AIA in St. Louis*. St. Louis, Missouri: Patrice Press.)

The records are arranged in alphabetical order by type of document and/or topic. The records are primarily comprised of the chapter's meeting minutes (1898-1919), but also include meeting announcements (1906-1909), membership lists (circa 1894-1923), financial reports (1901-1908), and resolutions and correspondence from the chapter's World's Fair Committee (1900-1901). Finding aid available.

Cite as: American Institute of Architects, St. Louis Chapter, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# American Lyceum, Saint Louis Branch.

See Saint Louis Branch of the American Lyceum.

### A2242

## American National Red Cross.

# Sweater knitting instructions, 1942 Aug. 1 item

Printed document titled "Man's 'V' Neck Sweater Sleeveless: U.S. Army, Air Corps, and Marine Corps" contains knitting instructions for making the sweater.

Cite as: American National Red Cross Sweater Knitting Instructions, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1615

# American Woman's Council of Justice (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Publications, 1924-1927. 1 folder

Political organization of Missouri women concerned with legislative matters, generally opposed to increasing the role of the federal government in traditionally state matters. Headquarters were located in St. Louis. Emilie M. Sweeney was president in the mid-1920s.

Collection consists of printed matter relating largely to the organization's position on legislative matters. Collection includes booklet titled "Do Bolshevists Use Our Women's Clubs," circa 1924; constitutional ballot guide, booklet regarding the federalizing of education, 1926; fliers opposing nuisance tax, the anti-evolution bill, and federal child labor amendment, 1927; card advocating the repeal of prohibition, voter registration flier, membership promotion, no

date.

Cite as: American Woman's Council of Justice (Saint Louis, Missouri) Publications, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2326

## Ames, John.

# Letter to Charles Sibley, 1843 Nov 7. 1 item

Letter signed John Ames, Fayette, Howard County, Missouri, to Charles Sibley, Montalona, McHenry County, Illinois (addendum to letter is dated November 8). Ames, who has recently arrived in Missouri, states that he is teaching near Fayette. He briefly describes the land and people, and mentions his salary and the price of land.

Cite as: John Ames Letter to Charles Sibley, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1891

# Ames, Marie Benson.

Papers, 1922-1923. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Marie Benson Ames was an active suffragette in the effort to secure the right to vote for women in Missouri between 1900 and 1920. After the passage of the 19th Amendment, she continued to lobby and organize for various laws relating to equal representation. She was an officer of the Missouri League of Women Voters and traveled throughout the state speaking for women's rights. She resided at 5401 Cabanne Ave., St. Louis.

The collection contains correspondence and bulletins regarding Marie Benson Ames's work in Missouri politics, 1922-1923.

Cite as: Marie Benson Ames Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0032

# **Amoureux Family.**

# **Amoureux-Bolduc Papers, 1754-1899; 1932; 1951-1961.** 2 boxes; 2 volumes

Michel Amoureux (circa 1748-1832), a prominent merchant of L'Orient, France, came to America in 1793, and eventually settled in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, where his old home still remains. Louis Bolduc was a wealthy merchant and landowner of Ste. Genevieve. He died in 1815.

The collection consists of correspondence, bills, receipts, accounts and other documents of the related Amoureux, Bolduc and Langlois families of Ste. Genevieve; surveys by Antoine Soulard of property of Francois Moreau and Pierre Delassus De Luzieres; letters of William G. Cox to his family regarding service with the Exeter Union Guards (1860-1862); documents concerning the lead mining interests of Louis Bolduc; information pertaining to restoration of the Bolduc House in 1961; copy of an inventory of the Bolduc House; and a transcript of an interview with Miss Zoe Bolduc, May 1956. This collection also includes a ledger of unidentified merchandise accounts from Ste. Genevieve, 1811-1814, with a 1932 guest register, possibly from the Bolduc House, at the center of the volume; and a daybook of the C.C. Bolduc general store in Ste. Genevieve, 1859-1862.

Some French with some translations.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Amoureux-Bolduc Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0033

Amson, Arthur ( -1875).

# **Papers, 1872-1875.** 1 folder (55 items)

Arthur Amson was from either St. Louis or Cincinnati and was sent to Heidelberg and Leipzig, Germany, to study philosophy. His father, Arthur Amson, was the assistant librarian at the St. Louis Public School Library. Arthur died June 8, 1875, while attending school in Germany.

Collection contains letters written to his parents describing his experiences while studying in Germany; two letters from Arthur E. Little, Amson's best friend, describing Arthur's death and the arrangements made; and two letters from Thomas Davidson, one dealing with him accompanying Arthur to Germany, and one expressing sympathy to the parents. German.

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

## A1892

Anders, Leslie (Ray).

**Genealogy**, **1965.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains biographical data and family history forms for the Missouri Historical Society, 1965.

Cite as: Leslie Ray Anders Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1893

Anderson, Frances Mary, Mrs.

Genealogy, 1954. 1 folder

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Frances Mary Anderson, 14 North Kingshighway, St. Louis, 1954.

Cite as: Frances Anderson Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0034

Anderson House (Lexington, Missouri).

Architectural Drawings, circa 1940. 1 folder

Drawings of the Anderson House at the Civil War Battle of Lexington State Park by Waddington-Coombs and Association for the Historic American Buildings Survey. The blueline drawings include a cover sheet with a map, floor plans, elevations, and assorted details and sections.

Cite as: Anderson House (Lexington, Missouri) Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1894

Anderson, James.

Papers, 1941-1946. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence between James Anderson and Marjory Douglas at the Missouri Historical Society regarding items in the collection, 1941-1945. Also includes invitation to wedding of Anderson's daughter, 1946.

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

#### A1895

Anderson, John B.

**Papers, 1820.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains two documents regarding land in Alabama purchased by John B. Anderson, 1820.

One document is signed by President James Monroe.

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

#### A2310

Anderson, Missouri B.

Teacher's Certificate, 1887 Jan 3. 1 item

Public Schools of Missouri third grade teacher's certificate authorizing Missouri B. Anderson to teach in the public schools of Pike County.

Cite as: Missouri B. Anderson Teacher's Certificate, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis

# A1896

Anderson, Oliver John.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Oliver John Anderson Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1897

Anderson, Roscoe.

**Biography**, **1951.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typed biographical sketch of prominent St. Louis attorney Roscoe Anderson, 1951.

Cite as: Roscoe Anderson Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1898

Anderson, Russella Easton.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Russella Easton Anderson Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0035

Andrews, James.

Papers, 1875-1894. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Col. James Andrews, together with James B. Eads, established the Eads Concession Company in 1875. One of their largest projects together was a proposal to build a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, Mexico, circa 1881.

The collection includes correspondence between Andrews and Eads, 1880-1886; printed addresses of James B. Eads, circa 1880; printed newspaper and journal accounts of construction of various bridges and ship railways, circa 1884-1885; printed maps and drawings of ship railways and jetties; material pertaining to the proposed construction of a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, circa 1881; certificate of incorporation of the Eads Concession Co. by James B. Eads, James Andrews, etc. in 1875; incorporation papers and by-laws of the Atlantic and Pacific Ship Railway Construction Company, 1888.

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

# A3154

Andrzejewski, Vincent.

Papers, 1985-2019. 1 box.

Vincent (Vince) Andrzejewski began bowling in high school and joined LBGT-oriented leagues in 1981. He became active with the International Gay Bowling Organization (IGBO) in

the early 1980s. Vince was an early member of the Show Me St. Louis Classic Invitational Bowling Tournament (the Classic) and held several committee positions from 1985 to 2019, including executive director in 1991. The Classic began in 1983 and ran continually for thirty-six years on the Labor Day holiday weekend in St. Louis through 2019 (the event was canceled in 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic).

The papers include materials related to the Show Me St. Louis Classic Invitational Bowling Tournament and conference materials from "Making the Leap," hosted by the Brown School of Social Work at Washington University. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic and date from 1985 to 2019. The bulk of the materials date from 1989 to 2007. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Vincent Andrzejewski Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1899

Angelrodt, Ernst Carl.

Papers, 1851-1878. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Ernst Carl von Angelrodt was born in Mulhausen, Germany, in 1799. He married Elisa Westhoff in 1823. He served as the Baden Consul to St. Louis and was later appointed Consul General of the Grand Duchy of Baden by the German Emperor William I in 1848. He died in June 1869 in Germany.

The collection contains letters [German] of Ernst Carl von Angelrodt, U.S. consul at Karlsruhe, Germany, to his son-in-law Robert Barth, consul and acting consul general, St. Louis, dated 1851-1878. Also contains undated family genealogy.

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

#### A0036

Angert, Eugene H. (1877-1929).

Papers, 1910-1931. 2 boxes

Eugene Angert was born October 21, 1877, in St. Charles, Missouri. He received an A.B. from St. Louis University in 1896 and his LL. B. from Harvard in 1899. He practiced law in St. Louis (1900) and in 1912 he became a member of the law firm James, Hacker, Sullivan and Angert. He married Miss Vera Giannini of St. Louis in 1912. He also was the director of the First National Bank, the Securities Investment and the American National Assurance Company. In 1928, he organized the St. Louis Horticulture Society. He died in May 1929 from poisoning which followed removal of a hair from his nose.

Contains mostly correspondence concerning Angert's speech titled "The Law Is Not a Jealous Mistress," and acknowledgments of copies of his address about a trip with members of the American Bar Association to London in 1925. Also contains newsclippings concerning his death. An addition to these papers consists of typed letters sent to Eugene H. Angert, Jr., thanking him for forwarding copies of his father's memorial, 1930-1931.

Cite as: Eugene H. Angert Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2474

Anheuser-Busch, Inc.

Circular letter to employees, 1979 May 25. 1 item

Typescript circular letter signed August A. Busch, III, Anheuser-Busch, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri, to all St. Louis employees: "Some confusion seems to have arisen concerning Busch Beer in the St. Louis Area. You may have heard conversation or read in the newspapers that the product is to be reformulated . . . and that the price to consumer will increase. I would like to

clear up the situation by stating that there will be <u>no change</u> in the <u>taste of Busch in these</u> markets. . . . "

Cite as: Anheuser-Busch, Inc., Circular Letter to Employees, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A 2434

Anheuser-Busch, Inc. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Plat plan, 1979 May. 2 items

Plat plan of Anheuser-Busch, Inc., prepared by the Revenue Department of the city of St. Louis, and index to property plat.

Cite as: Anheusher-Busch, Inc., Plat Plan, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1900

Anishanslin, E.

**Building Permit, 1894.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Building permit issued to E. Anishanslin [Emil Anishanslin] to erect a building in St. Louis city block 4384 at 3921 Snead Ave., which later became 3921 North Euclid Ave.

Cite as: E. Anishanslin Building Permit, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0037

**Annan Family.** 

**Collection, circa 1894-1957.** 1 box

Memorabilia of the Annan family (Edward H. Annan and Roger P. Annan) and the firm of Annan, Burg & Co., commission merchants (grain). Includes material relating to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition of 1904 and to the St. Louis Merchants Exchange.

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

## A1901

Anschuetz, Otto.

Papers, 1885-1925. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Otto Anschuetz was born in Bad Liebenstein, Thuringen, Germany, in 1865. In 1883, Anschuetz immigrated to America and settled in St. Louis. He became a respected music teacher and composer. He was chiefly associated with the Toensfeldt Institute, a private academy located in South St. Louis. Anschuetz's compositions brought him international recognition and his music was performed by bands at the 1904 World's Fair. Among his more popular published compositions were *The Little Flatterer* (1885) and *Exposition: Grand March* (1885).

The collection contains concert programs for Der Deutsche Tag, 1906, and Benton Park, 1925. Also includes an invitation to the wedding of Anna Brenneke to Otto Anschuetz at the Brenneke residence, 2607 Gravois Ave., St. Louis, September 15, 1885; an undated obituary of Otto Anschuetz; and two undated photographs. *Photocopies only*.

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

# A1902

Anthony, Susan B.

**Collection, 1884; no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains letter from Susan B. Anthony to the postmaster of Leadville, Ohio, regarding a lost package, 1884, and an undated printed circular titled "Stand by the Republican Party." Cite as: Susan B. Anthony Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0038

Anton, Philip Gottlieb.

Manuscript Music Collection, no date. 6 boxes; 1 folder

Cite as: Philip Gottlieb Anton Manuscript Music Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1616

Apollo Club of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Collection, 1893-1927.** 5 boxes, 9 volumes

The Apollo Club of St. Louis was organized in 1893 on the heels of the St. Louis Glee Club, which had disbanded that year. A men's club of vocal performers that also sponsored concerts, its purpose was "to promote music and musical culture." Incorporated in 1903, its early officers were Charles Wiggins, W.K. Stanard, Thomas J. Wright, George C. Carrie, Joseph A. Buse, and John A. Rohan. Charles Galloway served as its musical director from the 1902-1903 season until the end. The Apollo Club disbanded in 1930.

The collection includes the programs, canceled checks, scrapbooks, bank statements, meeting minutes, ticket sale log books, membership dues listings and business receipts for services rendered to the club. The scrapbooks contain information gathered by the Apollo Club about their organization, including newsclippings and programs about the group. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Apollo Club of St. Louis Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1903

**Applegate Family.** 

**Collection, 1917-1957.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence regarding the genealogy of the Applegate family and two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Bennett James Applegate, 8146 Cornell Ave., University City, Mo. Letter dated November 5, 1923, from F.E. Applegate to Nettie Beauregard, Missouri Historical Society, briefly discusses experiences of the Applegate family on the Oregon Trail.

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

# A0039

Applegate, Lisbon.

**Ledger, 1845-1854.** 1 volume

Ledger of personal accounts of Lisbon Applegate of Keytesville, Missouri, dated August 8, 1845, to May 30, 1854.

Cite as: Lisbon Applegate Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1904

Arcambal, Louis Francois.

**Certificates**, **1838-1847.** 1 folder (1 item oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains illustrated certificates of First Communion and Confirmation, 1838, and passport, 1847.

Cite as: Louis François Arcambal Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1905

# Arceneaux, Ruth.

**Genealogy, 1967.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains family history and biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society, 1967.

Cite as: Ruth Arceneaux Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0040

Archaeological Institute of America. Saint Louis Society (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1906-1951. 2 boxes

Minute books, 1906-1983; dues ledger, 1924-1951; notices; fliers; programs; printed matter; clippings; etc.

Cite as: Records of the Saint Louis Society, Archaeological Institute of America, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0041

# **Archaeology Collection, 1817-1936; 1965-1966.** 1 box

Collection of correspondence, articles, and speeches given at the Missouri Historical Society, and clippings pertaining to various archaeological interests; Cahokia Mound builders; archaeological exploration in Missouri (1906); the Indian Piasa bird on a bluff near Alton, Illinois; account by General J.H. Simpson, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A., of his discovery of Aztec ruins in New Mexico in 1849; and the pre-historic relic, the Zemi (a San Domingo idol), presented to the society by Albert Warren Kelsey in 1878. Material also includes correspondence of archaeologist Dr. W.K. Moorehead (1867-1939) who explored the Cahokia Mounds in 1921-1922.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0042

## **Archambault Family.**

# Archambault-Humphries Family Papers, 1864-1994. 4 folders

Alfred A. Archambault was born in Canada. In the early 1850s he and his brother Auguste Pierre Archambault established a trading post on the Sweetwater River in Wyoming. Alfred Archambault served in Company A, 8th Iowa Infantry, in the Civil War. He died August 15, 1879, in Oakland, California. His granddaughter Marie Augusta Archambault married Horace Galvin Humphries, the son of Benjamin Humphries.

Collection comprises photocopies of genealogical material regarding the Archambault and Humphries families, including newsclippings, correspondence, Civil War records of Alfred A. Archambault, and the 1920 journal of Benjamin Humphries.

Cite as: Archambault-Humphries Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2995

# Archdiocese of St. Louis, Missouri.

# Ticket to Papal Mass, 1999 Jan 27. 1 item

Ticket to papal mass held at the Trans World Dome at America's Center, St. Louis, January 27, 1999.

Cite as: Archdiocese of St. Louis, Missouri, Ticket to Papal Mass, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1906

Archer, Sharon.

Papers, 1959-1972. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Sharon Lee Archer grew up in Riverview, St. Louis County, Missouri, during the 1950s and 1960s.

The collection contains programs and ephemera from various St. Louis entertainment venues including Gaslight Square and the Chase Park Plaza. Also includes anti–Vietnam War literature, exhibit program and literature relating to St. Louis artist Joachim, a program from the Washington University commencement, 1963, and an IBM punch-card machine instruction manual and punch card.

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

## A0043

Architectural Design Associates (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, circa 1970-circa 1988.

Plans, renderings, and files for this St. Louis firm. Projects include Northwest Plaza Shopping Center, Riverbend Apartments, Moog Industries, and Wehrenberg Theaters. Cite as: Architectural Design Associates (Saint Louis, Missouri) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0044

**Architectural Drawings.** 

Collection, no date. 2 folders

Individual sheets of drawings with no identification that were most likely drawn in the nineteenth century. The sheets lack all forms of identification: names of architect or project, and date.

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

## A0045

# **Architecture collection, 1872-1968.** 1 box

Collection consists of building plans, blueprints for St. Louis homes; information of the American Institute of Architects; bids from different firms for houses or buildings to be built in St. Louis; a program for a class in architecture at Washington University (1960); and a speech given by A.J.H. Richardson titled "Notarial Documentary Sources on French Colonial Buildings in North America."

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

## A0046

Archives of the Indies (Seville, Spain).

Collection, 1766-1792. 10 boxes, 63 rolls of microfilm.

The Archivo General de Indias (Archives of the Indies) housed in Seville, Spain, consists of documents from Spanish colonies. The section of the records represented here encompasses the Papeles Procedentes de Cuba, the records from the American colonies. Spanish officials ordered the records relating to the Louisiana Territory transferred from New Orleans to Cuba in 1804 upon the transfer of the territory. The records were subsequently sent to Seville in 1888. For more information on the colonial records, Spanish methods of record keeping, and a catalog to the Papeles Procedentes de Cuba see Roscoe R. Hill, compiler, *Descriptive Catalogue of the Documents Relating to the History of the United States in the Papeles Procedentes de Cuba* 

Deposited in the Archivo General de Indias at Seville (Washington D.C.: Carnegie Institute of Washington, 1916).

The microfilm consists of various *legajos* (bundles), or groups of records, from the Papeles Procedentes de Cuba. The reels contain a list of documents that are on each roll. The microfilm was used for an National Endowment for the Humanities project, "Archaeology of the Saline Creek Valley, Missouri," in 1988. Anna Price was hired for the project to translate, summarize, and enter into a database information about the documents pertaining to Missouri. Printouts of Ms. Price's translations and summaries comprise Boxes 9-10 of this collection.

Prof. Roscoe R. Hull studied the records in Seville and while there made 2989 photostats of the documents pertaining to the development of the Louisiana Territory including dispatches of the governors of Louisiana to the captain general in Cuba, 1766-1792. Each photostat is numbered but the system used was apparently only for inventorying purposes. The numbers do not correspond to the description of record groups that Prof. Hull provides in his book. Calendar of documents housed with the "Papers from Spain." (*not located*, *Dec. 2001*) Inventory for microfilm reels and *legajos* available.

Cite as: Archives of the Indies (Seville, Spain) Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1907

# **Arkansas Territorial Capitol Restoration.**

Collection, 1943-1957; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains brochures and other documents regarding the Arkansas Territorial Capitol Restoration.

Cite as: Arkansas Territorial Capitol Restoration Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3139

# Arleth Family.

# **Papers, 1869-1940 (bulk 1869-1881).** 1 box

Frederick "Fritz" Arleth Jr., the son of Frederick and Louisa Arleth, was born October 19, 1835, in Prussia and married Christina Barbara Hieber, a native of Wurtemburg, on May 24, 1860, in Cincinnati, Ohio. In the late 1860s, he moved to St. Louis where his parents had opened a distillery, and his family soon joined him there. Frederick Arleth died February 25, 1872, in St. Louis at age 36. He was buried in Cincinnati. Christina Arleth returned to Cincinnati, where she died February 26, 1917. Christina's sister Minnie (or Mina) Hieber was born May 20, 1854, in Wurtemburg and died November 6, 1930, in Cincinnati.

Collection consists primarily of Arleth family correspondence, mostly letters of Frederick "Fritz" Arleth Jr. to his wife, Christina, and letters of Minnie (Mina) Hieber to her sister Mrs. Christina Arleth. (These letters are in German with English translations.) The collection also includes receipts, promissory notes, statements, and accounts mostly of Christopher F. Arleth while in St. Louis.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Arleth Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society.

#### A0047

# Armbruster, Max.

**Papers, 1911-1967.** 1 box (approximately 250 items)

Collection includes personal and business papers in connection with Max Armbruster's retail

business, the Rex Coffee and Tea Co., located at 3726 Gravois in St. Louis. Also includes correspondence in connection with the National Tea and Coffee Merchants Association, 1930; the undated constitution of the St. Louis Retail Tea and Coffee Merchants Association; receipts for the city of St. Louis; state and school taxes for Max and Lydia Armbruster; and two notebooks of bakery recipes.

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

# A1908

# Armbruster, Walter Andre.

**Genealogy**, **1964.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains family history and biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Walter Andre Armbruster, 19 Hillard Road, Glendale, Mo., 1964.

Cite as: Walter Andre Armbruster Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1909

# Armistead Family.

Genealogy, 1916. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains letter from Mrs. John Beatty to Stella Drumm with genealogical information on the Armistead family and a typed copy of births, marriages, and deaths from the family Bible, 1916. Cite as: Armistead Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0048

# **Arms and armaments collection, 1857.** 1 folder

Contains two documents: U.S. Powder Magazine account, dated October 1, 1857, and check roll for work done in the U.S. Powder Magazine near Jefferson Barracks, dated November 1857. Cite as: Arms and Armaments Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1910

# Armstrong, D.H.

**Letter, 1891.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Brief letter from D.H. Armstrong to Lawrence F. Bower regarding request for Armstrong's autograph, 1891.

Cite as: D.H. Armstrong Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1911

# Armstrong, Harris.

**Genealogy**, 1953. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains family history and biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Harris Armstrong, 200 South Sappington Road, Kirkwood, Mo., 1953.

Cite as: Harris Armstrong Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0049

# Army and Navy Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# **Register, 1914-1916.** 1 volume

The Army and Navy Club was located at 3621 Washington Avenue, St. Louis. It was a social club for the veterans of the Spanish-American War.

Cite as: Army and Navy Club Register, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0050

# **Army Collection, 1694-1939.** 2 boxes; 3 volumes

Collection of correspondence, order books, reports, manuals and clippings, most of which pertain to army activity on the frontier. Among the correspondents are General Henry Atkinson, John C. Calhoun, Lewis Cass, William Clark, Stephen Watts Kearny, James Kennerly, Henry Leavenworth, Edgar M. Ledyard, Sterling Price, Robert Simpson, Colonel Josiah Snelling, and Daniel Webster. Subjects discussed include misconduct of soldiers, medical problems, Indian relations (Sioux, Sussitongs, Winnebagoes, Choctaw, and Pawnee) and military sites (Forts Prairie du Chien, St. Anthony, Belle Fontaine [Bellefontaine], Leavenworth, Gibson, Atkinson, Armstrong, and the St. Louis Arsenal). Collection also includes a 1694 account of military operations in Flanders against the Prince of Orange; two books (French translations from the original German) of the King of Prussia's Military Instructions for his Generals (1761); order book of the 22nd Regiment of Infantry with headquarters at Sackett's Harbor (1813-1815) includes court martial cases, abstracts of morning reports, detail rosters, and rosters (137 pages); and the order book and record of court martials of the 6th Regiment of Infantry with headquarters at Fort Atkinson (1826). Collection also includes an unidentified record book, of unknown provenance, that contains printed and manuscript orders, guidelines, procedures, etc., issued by the United States Army pay office, paymaster general's office, commissary general, comptroller's office, and adjutant inspector's office, in relation to the provisioning of the United States "Peace Establishment," in the years before, during, and after the War of 1812 (notation on spine of record book reads, "Colonel Andrews[?] Military Papers"). Various items in the volume include schedules of compensation allowed to troops in the U.S. Army, lists of clothing allowed each soldier, regulations, rations, warrants for military bounty lands, extracts of correspondence, extracts of congressional acts, and general orders.

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A1912

# Arnhold, Frank Edwin.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated biographical data sheet for Missouri Historical Society filled out by Frank Edwin Arnhold, 4040 Wyoming, St. Louis.

Cite as: Frank Edwin Arnhold Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1913

# Arnold, George W.

**Papers**, **1866-1900**. 1 folder; 10 items oversize [formerly Alphabetical File]

George W. Arnold was born in Scott County, Missouri, on July 24, 1844. After studying law, he became involved in Scott County Republican politics. He served as ex-officio county recorder and circuit clerk (1866-1878) and was elected to the office of sheriff and collector (1866-1878). In 1883 Arnold moved to Springfield, Missouri. He remained active in Republican politics and held executive positions on the Greene County Republican Central Committee. He became a deputy county recorder and later deputy circuit clerk. In 1903 he became criminal clerk of the Greene County Criminal Court, a position he held until his death in 1905. George married Louisa Arnold (1844-1929).

The collection contains commissions and appointments of George W. Arnold for various political offices. Also includes correspondence and other papers regarding the Republican party

in Greene County and state-wide campaigns.

Cite as: George W. Arnold Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0051

Arnold, Nason H.

Papers, 1908-1941. 3 folders

Nason H. Arnold was chief pilot at Collegiate Balloon School in Rockville, Connecticut. He participated in balloon races in Europe and provided the army with information on balloon flying during World War I.

Collection contains correspondence regarding balloon flying and his records and reports of his pupils at Collegiate Balloon School.

Cite as: Nason H. Arnold Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0052

Arnold Family.

**Papers**, **1849-1919**. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

George W. Arnold was born July 24, 1844, in Scott County, Missouri. After studying law, he became involved in Scott County Republican politics. He held the offices of sheriff, collector, county recorder, and circuit clerk. In 1883 he moved to Springfield, Missouri, where he served as deputy county recorder and later deputy circuit clerk. In 1903 he became criminal clerk of the Greene County Criminal Court, a position he held until his death in 1905. He married Louisa Buissart (1844-1929). Anthony L. Arnold (1868-1959) was the son of George W. and Louisa Arnold.

Collection contains tax receipts, deeds, and the will of Charles Buchmiller (1823-1883), stepfather of Mrs. Louisa Arnold; four letters of Edward Spahr, St. Louis, to Francis T. Mills, 1873-1874; 15 photographs taken in Oregon County, Missouri, circa 1915; 27 postcards sent to Miss Mary Hodnett and Mrs. L.A. Arnold; and other Arnold family papers and photographs. Finding aid available.

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

#### A0053

Arpe, W.G.

**Papers, 1833-1950.** 3 folders

Mr. Arpe was at one time supervisor of the Missouri Furnace Co. of St. Louis.

Includes correspondence and a newsclipping from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, dated October 26, 1958, concerning the St. Louis Manual Training School.

Cite as: W.G. Arpe Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0054

Arrow Rock, Missouri.

**Collection, 1842-1932.** 1 box

In the beginning and middle of the nineteenth century, Arrow Rock was a popular stopping off place for travelers going west.

Collection contains correspondence concerning the Arrow Rock Tavern, including correspondence of Charles van Ravenswaay concerning the preservation of the tavern, and various other historic spots in Arrow Rock. Also includes minutes from the Arrow Rock Academy, articles of association for the Arrow Rock Social Club, and a ledger book of Jesse McMahon of Arrow Rock.

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

# A0055

Arrowhead Garden Club (Lake Ozark, Missouri).

**Scrapbook**, **1954-1955**. 1 volume

Local garden club organized in August 1949; affiliated with the Federated Garden Clubs of Missouri in June 1950.

Scrapbook contains photographs, newsclippings, club and convention brochures of the Arrowhead Garden Club, 1954-1955.

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

## A0056

# **Art and artists collection, 1807-1991.** 2 boxes

Collection of material relating to Missouri artists (or those having a close connection to Missouri). Includes correspondence, biographical sketches, invitations, circulars, programs, and catalogues of local artist exhibitions; scripts for several "Art in St. Louis" radio programs (1947); typescript copy of "Rough Draughts for Notes to Indian Sketches" by Alfred J. Miller (1837); and newsclippings. Material includes correspondence/biographical data for the following: Thomas Hart Benton (illustrated letters); George Caleb Bingham; Karl Bodmer; Artemesia Drefs; Manuel Joachim de Franca; Matthew Hastings; Magda Heuermann (1858-1962); Harriet Hosmer; William Henry Jackson; George Markham; Joseph R. Meeker; Frank G. Meinhart (1874-1947); Alfred J. Miller; Ferdinand von Miller; Thomas S. Noble (1835-1907); Frank Nuderscher; Frederic Remington (illustrated letters); Peter Rindisbacher; Paulus Roetter; Carl Wimar; and others.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Art and Artists Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1916

Arthur, James.

**Certificate**, **1873.** 1 item (oversize) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Appointment as commissioner to the International Exposition at Vienna, Austria, 1873. Cite as: James Arthur Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2261

Asel, William E.

**Papers, 1955-1983.** 1 folder

William E. Asel was the president of Trans-Mo Airlines in the 1960s and 1970s.

Collection consists of photocopies of newspaper and magazine articles, correspondence, and other papers regarding Trans-Mo Airlines and Jefferson City Memorial Airport. The collection also includes several Trans-Mo baggage tags and timetables, and papers regarding the Cessna 402 airplane.

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

#### A0057

Ashby, Daniel (1791-1879).

**Collection, 1794-1941.** 1 box

Daniel Ashby was born in 1791 in Virginia, but lived his childhood in Mercer County,

Kentucky. He was a major in the War of 1812. In 1815, he married Cassandra Leeper and became the acting sheriff in Hopkins County, Kentucky. In 1818, he moved to Chariton County, Missouri, where he farmed and became a member of the first county court. In 1828, he was elected a member of the House of Representatives and in 1834, 1836, and 1838 he served in the Missouri Senate. He died October 11, 1879, and was buried on the old Hiram Craig farm near Forest Green in Chariton County, in the private cemetery of his fourth wife, Idress.

Collection includes a memoir written by Daniel Ashby concerning his life, typed copy of the manuscript, and letters concerning the publishing of the manuscript by the Missouri Historical Society in 1941.

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

## A1917

Ashby Family.

**Papers, 1862-1960.** 5 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence regarding various topics including: letter from Erskine T. Dunham, dated 1862, regarding his Civil War service; letter from J.F. Pomeroy to Miss Ashby, dated 1884, which describes the National Democratic Convention; and two letters between Miss Jessie Ashby and the staff of the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1960, regarding her family and a possible donation. Also includes an essay written by Joseph L. Ashby on the history of Kentucky.

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

## A1918

Ashcroft, John.

Collection, 1995-1999. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains typed letter from John Ashcroft, response to constituent regarding the U.S. Senate impeachment hearings of President Bill Clinton, 1998, and two Christmas cards with photo of Ashcroft family on front, 1995 and 1999.

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

#### A0058

Ashley, Grace.

Scrapbook, 1936-1947. 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Grace Ashley was also known by her married name, Mrs. Harry S. Papin, Jr. She was a St. Louis dress designer, model, saleswoman and manufacturer, known for her original shirt stud dress registered as the "Grace Ashley Jewelstud Frock."

Scrapbook contains clippings, photographs, and dress advertisements from numerous newspapers.

Cite as: Grace Ashley Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0059

Ashley, William Henry (1778-1838).

Collection, 1811-1975. 1 box; 2 oversize folders; 1 microfilm reel

William H. Ashley was born in Powhatan County, Virginia, in 1778. He came to Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, in 1803 and engaged in the manufacture of gunpowder. In 1819, he moved to St. Louis and established himself in the real estate business. He served as lieutenant governor from 1820 to 1824 and was defeated for the governorship in 1824. By this time he was also a brigadier general in the state militia. For several years he was engaged in the fur trade business

with Andrew Henry, the Sublette brothers, Robert Campbell, James Bridger, and Thomas Fitzpatrick. He organized several expeditions into the Green River country, dealing exclusively with white trappers and hunters along the eastern base of the Rocky Mountains. He withdrew from the Rocky Mountain Fur Company in 1826 after making his fortune. In 1831, Ashley was elected to Congress to fill the unexpired term of Spencer Pettis and was reelected in 1832 and 1834. In 1836, he ran unsuccessfully for governor against Lilburn W. Boggs. He died of pneumonia on March 26, 1838, and was buried on the family farm on the Lamine River in Cooper County, Missouri. He had no children and was survived by his fourth wife, Elizabeth Moss Wilcox. No records survive of his first marriage. His second wife, Mary Able, died November 7, 1821. Eliza Christy, his third wife, died June 12, 1830.

The papers relate to Ashley's interest in the fur trade, the manufacture of gunpowder, and mining; improvement in navigation on the Mississippi River in the vicinity of St. Louis; land speculation and real estate in St. Louis; politics; Indian trade; and the West. Correspondents include James P. Beckwourth, James Bridger, Robert Campbell, Thomas Fitzpatrick, David E. Jackson, Etienne Provost, Jedediah S. Smith, William L. Sublette, and Samuel Tulloch. The papers also include Ashley's diary dated March 25-June 27, 1825 (his trip to the Great Salt Lake) (diary is published in Dale L. Morgan, editor, *The West of William H. Ashley* [Old West Publishing Co., 1964], pages 104-117), and the diary of Harrison G. Rogers regarding the expedition to the Pacific coast with Jedediah S. Smith (entries from August 15, 1826-January 27, 1827; May 10, 1828-July 1828).

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: William Henry Ashley Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0060

Ashley-Cabell Family.

**Papers, 1843-1861.** 4 folders

Elizabeth Moss Ashley was a well-known socialite with property in St. Louis. She was married to a Mr. Wilcox who was a senator in the Missouri legislature. She was also married to Gen William H. Ashley, and after his death she married John J. Crittenden, the seventh governor of Kentucky. Mr. Edward Carrington Cabell (1816-1896) was an established lawyer in St. Louis. Mr. Edward Cabell married Miss Anna Maria Wilcox, the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Wilcox Ashley Crittenden.

The papers relate mainly to the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley. A great deal of the letters of Mrs. Ashley and Mr. Cabell are written to James T. Sweringen. Of particular interest are the letters dealing with the freedom and selling of Mrs. Ashley's slave James.

Cite as: Ashley-Cabell Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2391

Ashoff, Elizabeth, Mrs.

# Receipt of Bromschwig & Husmann, 1899 May 11. 1 item

Receipt of Bromschwig & Husmann, livery and boarding stable, undertakers of funerals and embalmers, St. Louis, to Mrs. Elizabeth Ashoff, for casket, hearse, embalming, etc. for her grandmother who died May 9.

Cite as: Mrs. Elizabeth Ashoff Receipt of Bromschwig & Husmann, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0061

# Associazione di Letteratura Italo-Suizzero (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1868-1880; 1889.** 2 volumes

Cashbook and minute book of an Italian-Swiss reading club in St. Louis.

In Italian.

Cite as: Associazione di Letteratura Italo-Suizzero Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0062

Astor, John Jacob (1763-1848).

**Collection, 1810-1933.** 4 folders

John Jacob Astor was born in Waldorf, Germany, in 1763. He came to the United States in 1784 and opened a musical instrument shop in New York City in 1786. He became involved in the fur trade, including the American Fur Company, and also the mercantile trade with China. He earned most of his fortune from real estate dealings in Manhattan. He died in 1848.

The letters are mostly photostats and typed transcripts from originals at the Harvard Business School. There are only two original documents in the collection. A large percentage of the letters are addressed to Charles Gratiot and deal with the fur trade. Also includes clippings regarding the Astor Collection and information concerning John Day, companion of Ramsey Crooks, Astorian.

Cite as: John Jacob Astor Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0063

# Astorians collection, 1803-1937. 2 folders

Contains correspondence and clippings concerning Robert Stuart, Russell Farnham, Donald McKenzie, Benjamin Jones, and John Jacob Astor.

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

## A3156

**Astroth Family.** 

**Papers, 1888-1956.** 1 box; 2 oversize folders

Frank Henry Astroth (1858-1945) was born in St. Louis to Frederich and Marie E. Astroth. In 1888, he married Emma Wilhelmine Bolte (1864-1897), daughter of Fred (ca. 1830-1874) and Anna A. Bolte (1824-1888). The couple had five children: Anna Wilhelmina (1889-1976), Julia A. (1891-), Frank Bolte (1893-1956), Helen Fredericka (1894-1976), and Alfred Milton (1896-1975). Emma Bolte Astroth's father, Frederick Bolte, started the Union Stove Emporium in 1856, selling stoves, tinware, and house furnishing goods. Helen F. Astroth married Rudolph H. Hetlage (1885-1953) and had one son, George Astroth Hetlage (1929-2000), who married June C. Doyle (1929-2001).

The papers contain various certificates, diplomas, and ephemera relating to three generations of the Frank Henry Astroth family dating from 1888 to 1956. Also included are letters written by Frank Bolte Astroth while serving in the U.S. Infantry from 1917 to 1919 during World War I. The papers are arranged alphabetically by individual name.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Astroth Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A1919

Atchison, David R.

Collection, 1852-1853. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

David Rice Atchison was born August 11, 1807, in Frogtown, Kentucky. He was the son of William and Catherine Allen Atchison. He was educated at Transylvania University and studied law. He moved west to Liberty, Missouri, and gained some fame while assisting the Mormons in their attempt to resettle Clay County. Atchison was elected to the Missouri General Assembly then served as the first judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit in 1841. He was appointed to fill the term of deceased U.S. Senator Lewis F. Linn in 1843. He rose to become the president pro tempore of the U.S. Senate and served as acting vice president of the United States after the death of William R. King, vice president under Franklin Pierce. Fiercely pro-slavery, Atchison fought to expand slavery into Kansas and organized groups of Missourians to cross the border into Kansas in order to influence the territorial elections in the late 1850s. Atchison sided with Missouri's exiled secessionist government and fled to Texas with the state's Confederate leaders at the beginning of the Civil War. He returned to Missouri in 1867 and died on his farm in Clinton County in 1886.

The collection contains a letter of David R. Atchison and others recommending John Miller as a midshipman, 1852, and a letter from Milton R. Singleton, Savannah, [Missouri], to Atchison, November 4, 1853, introducing Captain Napoleon B. Giddings. Also includes article titled "A Forgotten Man" from *The Collector*, March 1953, with information about Atchison and a picture of a letter from Atchison to the president, 1853.

Cite as: David R. Atchison Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1920

Ater, William Washington.

Papers, 1904. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains two letters from Emma J. Ater with biographical information on her husband, William Washington Ater, 1904. One letter is addressed from 3961 Delmar Blvd. Cite as: William Washington Ater Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1921

Atkins, Smith D.

Papers, 1853-1860. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains letters from Smith D. Atkins to his friend John L. Bittinger regarding business and politics, 1853-1860.

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

## A1922

Atkinson, Arthur Kimmins.

**Collection, 1953-1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Arthur Kimmins Atkinson, 8 Hortense Place and 4399 McPherson Ave., St. Louis. Also includes attachments and correspondence with the Missouri Historical Society staff, 1953-1955. Cite as: Arthur K. Atkinson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1923

Atkinson, Chilton.

**Correspondence**, **1942-1943.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence of Chilton Atkinson with various members of the Missouri Historical Society staff, 1942-1943. Also includes blank letterhead of Millam Concrete Fence Post Company with Atkinson listed as secretary.

Cite as: Chilton Atkinson Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0064

Atkinson, Henry.

**Papers, 1825-1866.** 3 folders; 1 volume

The United States government sent a military expedition up the Missouri River from St. Louis to the mouth of the Yellowstone River in 1825. The purpose of the expedition was to make treaties with all adjacent tribes, with the goal of protecting and stimulating the fur trade of the northwest. General Henry Atkinson, representing the military, and Major Benjamin O'Fallon the Indian Department, were appointed the commissioners by the president to carry out the treaty-making program. The journey up the Missouri River was completed without serious accident. On August 17 they arrived at the mouth of the Yellowstone where they established a temporary post called Camp Barbour. The expedition had been successfully carried out without the loss of men or boat. Treaties were completed with all the Indian tribes with whom they came in contact and the purposes of the expedition were achieved.

Papers include the original journal, a photocopy of the original journal, and correspondence relating to the journal. The authorship of the journal is a matter of conjecture. That Atkinson or O'Fallon did not write it is indicated by the fact that it refers to them by name, and the author of the journal refers to himself in the first person, and, while writing a formal journal, occasionally adds a few words giving his personal opinion of the events related. The journal is very carefully done and the details of the movement of the troops, mileage, and other data are given. Cite as: Henry Atkinson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0065

**Atwood, Eliza L. Cowan (1835-1895). Diaries, 1862-1863; [1954].** 4 folders

Eliza L. Cowan was born April 7, 1835, in Shelbyville, Tennessee, to John Wilson Cowan and Jane Eakin. On February 21, 1860, she married Legrand Atwood, who served in the Civil War as captain and surgeon in the 1st Regiment of Rifles, Missouri State Guard. They had six children. Later in life, Eliza Cowan Atwood moved to St. Louis, where she died January 11, 1895.

The collection consists primarily of three diaries (259 pages) by Eliza Cowan Atwood dated January 1, 1862, to January 31, 1863. Written in Shelbyville from the perspective of a Confederate sympathizer, the diaries describe her everyday life, her hobbies of sewing, reading aloud to friends and family, teaching music, and visiting friends. They also describe civilian life during the Civil War in Tennessee, including news received of battles and the progression of the war; and accounts of soldiers passing through or occupying Shelbyville en route to and from Nashville, many of whom stopped at the Atwood house to be fed or housed. Of particular note is a description of General William J. Hardee who stopped at Atwood's home in March 1862, and a physical description of General Adam R. Johnson. Atwood's diaries contain little information on her husband and no mention of her children. The collection also contains a genealogical chart made by George B. Atwood in 1954, and an undated volume (approximately 165 pages) of genealogical notes on the Atwood and allied families by Helen S. Atwood.

Cite as: Eliza L. Cowan Atwood Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1924

Aubuchon-Creely-Tebeau Family.
Collection, 1850-1937. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Photocopies of Aubuchon-Creely-Tebeau family records, deeds, and genealogical information.

Cite as: Aubuchon-Creely-Tebeau Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0066

**Audubon, John James (1785-1851).** 

**Collection, 1826-1921.** 1 box; 1 volume

John James Audubon, christened Jean Jacques Fougere Rabin, was born April 26, 1785, in Les Cayes, San Domingo, to Jean Audubon, a French naval officer, and his mistress, a Mademoiselle Rabin, who died soon after his birth. He grew up in France with his stepmother, Anne Moynet Audubon, but was sent to America by his father in 1803 to manage the plantation and lead mines he had invested in near Morristown, Pennsylvania. Audubon adopted the more American sounding name, John James, on his arrival. In 1807, he embarked on a series of unsuccessful business ventures in Kentucky with Ferdinand Rozier. Financially ruined at age 35, he turned to painting as a profession. His best-known work, *The Birds of America*, was first published in London in 1838. When he returned from England in 1839 he began work on *The Viviparous Quadrupeds of North America*. Poor eyesight forced him to give up painting in 1846, and after several years of deteriorating health, he died of a stroke on January 27, 1851.

The papers include correspondence, study notes, a scrapbook of Auduboniana compiled by Maria R. Audubon, daughter of John Woodhouse Audubon, biographical material, and other papers. Correspondents include John James Abert, John Bachman, Spencer F. Baird, Charles L. Bonaparte, George T. Fox, Ethan A. Greenwood, Richard Harlan, Edward Harris, William MacGillivray, Samuel George Morton, Robert Treat Paine, George F. Parkman, Prideaux John Selby, William Swainson, John K. Townsend, Nathaniel A. Vigors, William Yarrell, and members of Audubon's family.

Finding aid available.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: John James Audubon Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0067

Auer, Jacob.

**Journal, 1887-1888.** 1 volume

Journal dated June 30, 1887, to September 11, 1888, contains accounts of steamboat shipments from Auer's Landing, Illinois. It also includes recipes and hints; drawings and arithmetic problems added later.

Cite as: Jacob Auer Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0068

Augustus Jones and Sons (Potosi, Missouri).

**Ledger, 1841-1848.** 1 volume (129 leaves)

Ledger dated December 6, 1841, to January 27, 1848, containing the records of Augustus Jones and Sons, blacksmiths in Potosi, Missouri.

Cite as: Augustus Jones and Sons Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1925

Austin, Moses.

Papers, 1813; 1923-1950. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Moses Austin was born October 4, 1761, in Durham, Connecticut. He was the son of Elias and Eunice Phelps Austin. Moses began his business career as a dry goods merchant. He established several dry goods businesses throughout the East but became involved in the lead industry while living in Richmond, Virginia. There he established Moses Austin and Company. He secured lead mines in Virginia but required more lead for his business. In 1796, he traveled to Missouri to investigate lead mines in the hills south and west of Ste. Genevieve. He obtained a Spanish land grant and established the first Anglo-American settlement at Mine a Breton near present-day Potosi, Washington County. In 1808, he founded Herculaneum, Missouri, on the Mississippi River as a shipping port for his lead mining operations. He died in 1820 while attempting to establish a colony of Americans in Spanish Texas. Moses married Mary "Maria" Brown in 1785. They had five children.

The collection consists of a court order issued to the justice of the peace ordering him to issue process against Edward Johnson on behalf of Moses Austin & Company, a land sales document titled "Amount of Sale of Moses Austin Property, November 22, 1819," correspondence regarding the Austin family and Moses Austin's gravesite, and a family history of the Austin family.

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

#### A0069

#### Authors collection, 1915-1970. 1 folder

Collection contains biographical information contained in pamphlets, papers, etc. on several St. Louis authors.

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

#### A0070

# **Autograph book collection, 1810-1913.** 6 boxes

Collection of 36 autograph albums, most of them from the twentieth century.

Some German and French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0071

## Avery, Edward M.

# Account books, 1846-1855. 2 volumes

Account books dated January 2, 1846, to December 31, 1855, contain records of the personal expenses of St. Louis teacher Edward M. Avery.

Cite as: Edward M. Avery Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1926

# Avery, O.B., Jr.

# **Genealogy, 1968.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains letter from the Missouri Historical Society to Mr. O.B. Avery, Jr., January 23, 1968, and biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Helen Gilart Avery, 102 Frontenac Forest.

Cite as: O.B. Avery Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2413

## Axelrod, J.

# Advertisement for grand opening, [1910s?] Nov 6. 1 item

Advertisement for grand opening of clothing store at 4564 Easton Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri: "A complete stock of Ladies' Skirts, Dry Goods, Gingham House and Street Dresses, Smocks, Bungalow Aprons, Etc. . . ."

Cite as: J. Axelrod Advertisement for Grand Opening, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1927

Ayotte, Diane Boucher.

**Manuscript, circa 1982.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains one copy of Diane Boucher Ayotte's manuscript titled "Food for the Soul: The Ladies' Friday Musical Club of St. Louis, 1882-1982."

Cite as: Diane Boucher Ayotte Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1928

**Ayres Family.** 

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical fact sheet for the Ayres family.

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

# A1949

Azbe, Victor J. (1891-1969).

Papers, 1923-1969. 4 folders [formerly Alphabetical File]

Victor J. Azbe was born in Laibach, Yugoslavia, in 1891. In 1907, he immigrated to the United States, and taught himself mechanical engineering. After working for Anheuser-Busch for many years, he founded Azbe Company in 1941. The company specialized in lime manufacturing, and Azbe became a successful businessman and industry consultant. He was an active outdoor sportsman and aviation enthusiast. He published manuscripts on the hunting of big horn sheep and promotional material for the Goodyear Rubber Company's dirigible program. Through his involvement with the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Azbe founded the Spirit of St. Louis Aeronautical Medal to recognize those individuals who contributed to the advancement of aviation and served as the committee's chairman. He died while on a consulting trip to Calcutta, India, in July 1969. Azbe married Coyla Laubender of Sherodsville, Ohio, in December 1914.

The collection consists of correspondence, manuscripts, pamphlets, calling cards, newsclippings, and miscellaneous items. Photographs from the collection have been transferred to the Missouri Historical Society Photographs and Prints Department. The collection contains five manuscripts written by Azbe: "The Year of Action in Lime—1960," "Game Hunting among Big Horn Crags of Idaho," "The Big-horn Ram and Its Value as a Sportsman's Trophy," "The Christening Flight of the Defender," and "Flying off the Handle." The correspondence is primarily associated with Azbe's interest in aviation and the Spirit of St. Louis awards. The news clippings feature stories on Azbe's 1932 and 1933 kayak trips down the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers, his big game hunting, and a biographical piece published in the May 28, 1935, edition of the *St. Louis Star-Times*.

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

#### A0072

## Babcock, W.R.

**Scrapbook**, **1859-1860**. 1 volume (200 pages)

This scrapbook contains newsclippings, letters, and personal notes about Missouri militia companies prior to the Civil War, 1859-1860, assembled by W.R. Babcock. Also includes a three-page autobiographical essay by Babcock and a letter transmitting the volume to Joseph Boyce, February 3, 1898. The clippings are pasted over an unidentified ledger.

Cite as: W.R. Babcock Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1929

# Baber, Hiram H. (1795-1873).

**Papers, 1870.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains an autobiographical sketch of Hiram H. Baber who served as a member of the Missouri state constitutional convention in 1820 and was later elected to the Missouri General Assembly. He served as a deputy U.S. marshal and was elected sheriff of St. Charles County in 1820. In 1837, Governor Lilburn Boggs appointed Baber auditor of public accounts. Baber remained in this office until 1852.

Cite as: Hiram H. Baber Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1930

# Babka, Joseph Emanuel.

**Genealogy**, **1960.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Joseph Emanuel Babka, 23 Ann Ave., Valley Park, Mo., July 26, 1960.

Cite as: Joseph Emanuel Babka Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1931

# Back, Douglas.

**Papers, 1990.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains program for performance by St. Louis guitarist Douglas Back at Alabama State University's Tullibody Recital Hall, 1990, and biographical information pertaining to African-American classical guitarist Justin Holland (1819-1887).

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

## Bacon and Brothers (Boonville, Missouri).

See R.B. Bacon and Brothers (Boonville, Missouri).

#### A1932

## **Bacon Family.**

**Genealogy, 1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information pertaining to the Bacon family, a memorial booklet for Caroline S. Brown, and biographies of various members of the family.

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

#### A2540

# **Bader Family.**

Papers, 1877-1922. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Ernest F.L. Bader (or Ernst F.L. Bader) was born April 24, 1853, in Germany. He emigrated

to the United States in 1884, and operated a saloon in St. Louis in the early 1900s. He died November 10, 1910, in St. Louis.

The collection includes advertising circulars, circular letters, price lists, and brochures, many of which relate to the dry cleaning business; advertisements and letters promoting dry cleaning correspondence courses; ten issues of "Widder's Practical Dyer" (1920-1921), published by the Widder Dye & Chemical Co., Inc., Brooklyn, New York; letters to Ernst Bader offering jobs and business opportunities in reply to an advertisement he placed in a dry cleaning trade magazine; papers regarding courses in hypnotism, magic, phrenology, and psychology; papers relating to dog shows and dog breeding; papers relating to the Plymouth Rock Squab Company of Boston, Massachusetts; and family papers.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0073

**Badger Family.** 

**Papers, 1852-1950.** 2 folders

Collection contains material of the St. Louis—based Badger family, including letters of Capt. Alexander Badger, Sr. and Jr.; newsclippings; bonds; steamboat memoranda; a pilot certificate issued to William H. Cable in 1852; envelopes of Wells Fargo and Overland Mail; cards of steamboat *Magnolia* and a timetable of St. Louis railroads and steamships; material concerning the Badger, Cable and Cayton families; two Missouri defense bonds issued in 186-; and several letters of Alexander Badger, circa 1860, written from Fort Vancouver, Western Territory, and various places in the west, which describe everyday happenings.

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

## A1934

Baer, Sidney R., Jr.

Papers, 1929-1968. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Sidney R. Baer, Jr., was born in St. Louis in 1918. He was the son of Sidney R. Baer, Sr., a founder of the Stix, Baer, and Fuller department stores. Throughout his life, Sidney, Jr., worked as a businessman and consultant in St. Louis, New York City, and Boston. He died in Connecticut in August 2002. He is buried in New Mt. Sinai Cemetery in St. Louis.

Contains correspondence between members of the Baer family and friends including letters from "Bootsy" Baer to June from his summer camp in Maine and letters to June from Nana. The letters discuss summer camp activities, European travels, a trip to New York City (no date), and family news. Also contains autograph from actor Eddie Cantor to Sidney, Jr.

Cite as: Sidney Baer, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0074

Baggerman, William, F.

**Papers, circa 1940-1991.** 4 boxes

A native of St. Louis, Mr. Baggerman attended Washington University and Edinburgh University. He started Modern Management Co., a real estate management firm, in 1936, and later was employed with Sycamore Investors, Inc., a shopping center development company. He served on the St. Charles County Commission and the St. Charles County Republican Committee.

Papers include a collection of personal correspondence, mementoes, a travel diary, newsclippings, published brochures of various places of interest. Also includes information

regarding his various real estate holdings; photographs of family, places visited, and slides of the interiors of his apartment holdings; broadside titled "Femme Osage Township Republican Rally, Mt. Pleasant Wine Cellar, Augusta, Missouri, Oct. 10," no year; hand-produced poster, "W.C."; phonograph titled "Recorded Message from your Man in Service" from Capt. Wm. Baggerman to Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Baggerman, 1943 (phonograph produced courtesy of Pepsi-Cola Company); newspaper editions of national and local importance; campaign poster for Baggerman, no year. Also includes photograph of family home at 4238 Russell Ave. (Box 2, Folder 2).

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

#### A1933

Bagnell, William.

**Papers, 1926-1939.** 5 items

Collection includes photocopy of newspaper obituaries of William Bagnell, 12 Westmoreland Place, St. Louis, who died in March 1926, and papers relating to the genealogy of William Bagnell's wife, Sally Adams Bagnell.

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

#### A0075

Bailey, Howard, Mrs.

Papers, 1783-1792, 1861-1862, 1894-1898, 1904-1906, 1921-1935. 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder Louise Salmon was born on September 9, 1879, in Clinton, Missouri, to Harvey Wallis Salmon and Mary Katherine Kimbrough. She married Howard Bailey (1861-1934) in Clinton on June 7, 1905. Mrs. Bailey had a lifelong interest in genealogy and was active in many hereditary organizations such as the Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames of America, and United Daughters of 1812. She died in Los Angeles, California, on March 20, 1949.

The collection consists mostly of genealogical data collected by Mrs. Howard Bailey and information relating to hereditary organizations she joined. Genealogical information on the following surnames is included: Adams, Bacon, Bailey, Barclay/Baxley, Barton, Bassett, Butler, Chilcutt, Clark, Cole, Cooper, Cosby, Ellis, Gilliland, Higginson, Kimbrough, Marshall, Martin, Merritt, Pierce, Ragsdale, Roscoe/Roscow, Salmon, Spiller, Taylor, Tipton, Walker, Wear/Weir, Wheaton, Williams, Wills, and Young. Also included is some correspondence with the League of Women Voters, information on Confederates and the War of 1812, the Hanover County Record Book (1783-1792), and some family correspondence. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mrs. Howard Bailey Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1935

## Bain, Robert Edward Mather.

Papers, 1879-1926. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection contains correspondence and a contract with the Missouri Historical Society, 1891, to display a bronze portrait of George Bain within the collections of the society. Also includes a letter on the stationery of the St. Louis Zouaves that features an illustration of the zouaves uniform.

Cite as: Robert Edward Mather Bain Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1937

Baird Family.

# Papers, 1887-1902; no date. 1 folder

Contains biography of the life of James Baird (1767- ), a genealogical fact sheet of the family of Edward Everett Baird, and a death announcement for Spencer Fullerton Baird issued by the Smithsonian Institution.

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

## A1936

# Baird, Hugh and Marguerite Perry.

Genealogy, 1956. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Societ filled out by Hugh Baird and Marguerite Perry Baird, 4 Picardy Lane, Clayton, Mo.

Cite as: Hugh and Marguerite Perry Baird Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1938

Bakeless, John (1920-1978).

Papers, 1951-1956. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Author and historian John Bakeless wrote numerous biographies of notable Americans and books on American history. He edited *The Journals of Lewis and Clark* and authored books on Daniel Boone, George Rogers Clark, and espionage in the Civil War and American Revolutionary War. He was born in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, in 1920. He received his bachelor's degree from Williams College and doctoral degree from Harvard. Bakeless taught journalism at New York University. He died in August 1978.

Collection consists of a postcard and letter from Bakeless to Charles van Ravenswaay and copy of transcript of a radio interview with Librarian of Congress Luther H. Evans, 1956. Cite as: John Bakeless Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2025

Baker, Henry Andrew.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Henry Andrew Baker Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1939

Baker, I.G. (1819-1904).

**Collection, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a typed biography of fur trader and entrepreneur I.G. Baker written by May Flanagan.

Cite as: I.G. Baker Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0076

Baker, Marigold Harman (1920-1996).

Research notes, 1967-1993. 8 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Research notes of Marigold Harman Baker for her master of arts thesis in anthropology, written at the University of Missouri–Columbia. Materials pertain primarily to land transfers in Missouri after the New Madrid earthquake of December 16, 1811. Collection includes correspondence; certificates and awards; transcripts; resumes; research papers; master's thesis; photocopies of Missouri plat maps; Missouri county maps; printed materials; newsclippings;

research notes and card files regarding landholders of southeastern Missouri and Algoa, Missouri.

Cite as: Marigold Harman Baker Research Notes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0077

Bakewell, Anderson, S.J. (1914- ). Scrapbooks, 1965-1985. 3 volumes

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Bakewell of St. Louis, Father Anderson Bakewell graduated from St. Louis University with a degree in geography and geology. One of his hobbies was mountain climbing and exploring.

The scrapbooks contain information regarding Father Bakewell's explorations, mountain climbs, and his religious career. The contents of the scrapbooks are mostly photocopies with some original photographs.

Cite as: Anderson Bakewell Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0078

Bakewell, Edward L., Jr.

Business scrapbooks, 1935-1992. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Business scrapbooks compiled by Edward L. Bakewell, Jr., documenting the history of Edward L. Bakewell Real Estate and the Bakewell Corporation. Includes newsclippings, promotional material, correspondence, and other papers.

Cite as: Edward L. Bakewell, Jr., Business Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1940

Bakewell Family.

**Papers**, **1885-1970**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The papers consist of memorial cards of members of the Bakewell family, wedding invitations, and correspondence of U.S. Representative Claude I. Bakewell of St. Louis. Cite as: Bakewell Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0079

**Bakewell, Paul, Jr. (1889- ). Papers, 1915; 1928-1964.** 3 boxes; 1 volume

Paul Bakewell, Jr., was born in St. Louis, the son of Paul and Nina Bakewell. He attended St. Louis University and the St. Louis University School of Law. He was admitted to the bar in 1910, and was associated with the law firm of Bakewell, Bakewell and Cramer. He married Mary Fullerton in 1909. He was a member of the United States War Trade Board in 1917-1918 and in 1922 he organized the Governmental Research Institute in St. Louis. He was its chairman until 1935. He was a director in the Atchison Water Company, Phillipsburg Coal and Land Company, and the Maffitt Realty Company. He served on the directorate of the Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of St. Louis and the Boys Club of St. Louis and is a former director of the United Charities of St. Louis, the Social Planning Council and the Municipal Nurses Board. He was a member of the Calvary Cemetery Association, the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, the Noonday Club, and the St. Louis County Round Table. He was the author of *Past and Present Facts About Money in the United States*, published in 1938.

The collection contains correspondence and subject files. The subject files consist of information regarding the Fullerton Building; labor relations with the Committee for Industrial

Organization, 1937; St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, 1942-1944; Community Council, Social Planning Committee, 1936-1938; St. Louis and St. Louis County Borough Plan, 1962; and United Charities, 1935-1946. Also includes a manuscript digest of legal terms kept by Paul Bakewell, Jr., 1915, and cashbook #7 from his law practice, 1941-1944.

Cite as: Paul Bakewell, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1950

Baldwin, Carl R.

**Genealogy, 1977.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical fact sheet pertaining to the Baldwin family.

Cite as: Carl R. Baldwin Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1941

Baldwin, Clara Estella.

Papers, 1958; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection consists of genealogical information for the John Baldwin family and correspondence between Clara Baldwin and Charles van Ravenswaay.

Cite as: Clara Estella Baldwin Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1951

Baldwin, Elias.

**Biography, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains bound manuscript of "Olive Township Reminiscences" by Francis D. Warner, New Carlisle, Indiana, which includes reminiscences regarding the life of Elias Baldwin. Cite as: Elias Baldwin Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2301

**Baldwin Family.** 

Papers, 1845-2004. 1 folder

Samuel Baldwin was born October 27, 1788, in Frederick County, Maryland. He married Elizabeth Stoneburner, who was born March 23, 1809. Samuel and Elizabeth migrated to Virginia, Pennsylvania, and finally to Illinois about 1835. They settled in Pleasant Mound, Bond County, Illinois. Samuel died February 8, 1863, and Elizabeth died October 18, 1873. Both were buried in Maxey Cemetery near Pleasant Mound. They were the parents of William Thomas Baldwin. William Thomas Baldwin was born August 15, 1832, in Maryland or Virginia. He married Ivy Bounds, a daughter of Thomas and Madeline Bounds. They lived in Pleasant Mound, Illinois. She was born March 26, 1833, in Ohio. William died November 25, 1908, and was buried at Noffsinger Cemetery, Pleasant Mound. Ivy died September 10, 1873, and was buried in Maxey Cemetery.

The collection consists primarily of family letters, photographs, and documents of William Thomas Baldwin, Samuel Baldwin, and Thomas Bounds. The documents pertain mostly to family affairs.

Finding aid available.

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

# A1942

Baldwin, Lewis Warrington. (1875- ). Genealogy, 1945. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical fact sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Lewis Warrington Baldwin, 23 Westmoreland Place; resume of Lewis Warrington Baldwin; and correspondence between Baldwin and the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Lewis W. Baldwin Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1943

Baldwin, Margaret Eloise.

**Genealogy**, **1959.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Margaret Eloise Baldwin, 60 Calverton Park Lane, Ferguson, Mo., which includes genealogical information pertaining to the Robert James Baldwin and Roy Burlington families.

Cite as: Margaret Eloise Baldwin Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1944

Baldwin, Roger Nash (1884-1981).

**Collection, 1919-1967.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Roger Nash Baldwin was a civil libertarian and social activist. After graduating from Harvard University, he became a sociology professor at Washington University in 1906. In 1910, he became secretary of the Civic League of St. Louis, a reform group organized to address issues of municipal government. He and other reformers founded the Civil Liberties Union, which was reorganized in 1920 as the American Civil Liberties Union.

The collection contains correspondence and news clippings. The bulk of the correspondence comprises letters from Baldwin to St. Louis civic activist John H. Gundlach, 3615 North Broadway. Includes a letter of Baldwin written from the Essex County Penitentiary, Caldwell, New Jersey, May 26, 1919; items relating to Baldwin's involvement in the 1922 Kuzbas Russian Colony Committee affair; a letter from Baldwin to Jack Muraskin, May 31, 1967, explaining his role in St. Louis municipal reform; and a postcard to Neil Basen of the University of Iowa regarding the files of the Civic League of St. Louis.

Cite as: Roger Nash Baldwin Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1946

**Ball Family.** 

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information pertaining to the Ball family of Virginia.

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

## A1952

**Ballard, James F. (1851-).** 

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical fact sheet for James F. Ballard and family.

Cite as: James F. Ballard Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0080

Ballentine General Store (Boonville, Missouri).

Sales journal, 1859. 1 volume (100 pages)

The Ballentine general store was a general merchandise business in Boonville, Missouri. Journal is dated August 13 to December 3, 1859.

Cite as: Ballentine General Store Sales Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1953

Balmer, Charles.

**Biography, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains notebook of family genealogical information and reminiscences written by Lillie Balmer Unger.

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

#### A1947

**Balz Family.** 

**Baptismal Certificates**, **1870**; **1875**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains two baptismal certificates for George Leonhard Balz, 1870, and Theresia Balz, 1875.

Cite as: Balz Family Baptismal Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1954

Bancroft, George (1800-1891).

**Letter, 1852.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Historian George Bancroft was the author of the noted *History of the United States*. He served as U.S. ambassador to Great Britain under President James K. Polk and minister to Prussia and other German states beginning in 1867.

Contains one letter from George Bancroft to George P. Putman, 1852, regarding a daguerreotype.

Cite as: George Bancroft Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1955

Bandle, Donald Francis (1920-).

**Genealogy**, **1967.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Donald Francis Bandle, 3801 January, St. Louis.

Cite as: Donald Francis Bandle Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1957

**Banister Family.** 

**Collection**, **1882-1902**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains a couple of notes sent to Edward Banister, 918 Warren St., St. Louis, and one letter from Ed to Fatty describing his vacation experience at Eureka Springs, Arkansas, 1885. Cite as: Bannister Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3049

Bank of St. Louis (Saint Louis, Mo.).

Note Collection, 1817-1941. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

The legislature of the Missouri Territory authorized the formation of the Bank of St. Louis in 1813 under a petition brought by Auguste Chouteau. The bank opened for business in 1816 and met stiff banking competition; it did not survive the Panic of 1819.

The collection consists of one 1817 bank note drawn on the Bank of St. Louis, the research notes and a 1930 letter of Eric P. Newman, and an October 5, 1941, newspaper article from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* about the note, "The Oldest Known Picture of St. Louis." The ten dollar

bank note drawn on the Bank of St. Louis is No. 182. The "partial view of St. Louis" image lies in the upper center portion of the note and is the earliest view of St. Louis, showing the village in 1814.

The Missouri Historical Society asks researchers to assist in the preservation of the 1817 bank note by using the photograph of the note. Permission to view the original bank note must be obtained from a member of the archives staff.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Bank of St. Louis Note Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2346

## Bankers Club of St. Louis.

# Program for party honoring Otto H. Kahn, 1926 Oct 27.

The program includes an engraved portrait of Otto H. Kahn; the menu; names of attendees; engraved illustration of a portion of downtown St. Louis, showing the St. Louis Memorial Plaza Auditorium; and information relating to the proposed Memorial Plaza.

Cite as: Bankers Club of St. Louis Program for Party Honoring Otto H. Kahn, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1956

# Bankhead, John W. (1811-1897).

Collection, 1820-1825; 1897; no date. 1 folder; 1 volume [formerly Alphabetical File] John W. Bankhead was the oldest great grandchild of President Thomas Jefferson. He was born at Monticello in December 1811. He was the son of Charles L. Bankhead and Ann Cary Randolph. Ann Randolph was the daughter of Martha Jefferson. John was educated at the University of Virginia. He married Elizabeth Christian of Kent County, Virginia, in November 1832. Bankhead moved west to Pike County, Missouri, in 1842 and became a farmer. He died there in 1897.

The collection consists of a transcript of John Bankhead's obituary, genealogical information on the Bankhead and Clark families, and the diary of Ann Cary Bankhead, 1820-1825. Cite as: John W. Bankhead Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0081

# Banking and currency collection, 1776-1976. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Contains checks, promissory notes, and receipts, chiefly of Missouri banks; bankbooks and financial statements; Confederate States bills; currency issued by colleges during the Civil War; and cashier checks used by the National Bank of Commerce, St. Louis, during the Panic of 1907. (Includes some photocopies.)

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Banking and Currency Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1958

# Bannon, James T. (1947- ).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James T. Bannon, 4619 McCausland, St. Louis.

Cite as: James T. Bannon Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0082

# Baptiste Tent and Awning Company (St. Louis, Missouri). Account Books, 1893-1897; 1947-1949. 12 volumes

The Baptiste Tent and Awning Company of St. Louis was the successor firm to Alex. Baptiste and Son Tent and Awning Company, a partnership of Alexander and George Baptiste. George Baptiste was president of the earlier partnership during the years 1898-1938.

This collection of account books contains six volumes, consisting of a cashbook, an order book, and four daybooks, of records of Alex. Baptiste and Son Tent and Awning Company, 1893-1897. It also contains six volumes, consisting of five checkbooks in account with Boatmen's National Bank, 1947-1949, and an undated price book, of Baptiste Tent and Awning Company.

Cite as: Baptiste Tent and Awning Company Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1959

# Baradat Family.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogy charts of the Baradat family and hand-drawn map for locations of the family's chateaus in France.

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

## A1960

Barclay, Julia.

**Papers, 1904.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The papers consist of correspondence, 1904 World's Fair passes, and loose pages of Julia Barclay's Vassar College scrapbook. All the items date from 1904 and relate to Barclay's senior year at Hosmer Hall and her admission to Vassar College. Includes a letter from Reverend Robert Holland expressing regret that he cannot attend her high school graduation and also mentions the 1904 World's Fair.

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

#### A0083

Barclay, Shepard (1847-1925).

Papers, 1844-1925. 6 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Shepard Barclay, lawyer and judge in Missouri, was born November 3, 1847. He was the grandson of Elihu H. Shepard, a prominent citizen of St. Louis who was one of the founders of the Missouri Historical Society in 1866. Shepard graduated from St. Louis University in 1867 and received his law degree from the University of Virginia in 1869. He studied in Europe from 1869 to 1872, returning to St. Louis in 1872 to begin his law practice. In 1873, he married Kate Anderson. That same year he formed a law partnership with William C. Marshall, which continued until 1882 when Barclay was elected circuit judge in St. Louis. In 1877, he helped organize the local military force in St. Louis, which became the Third Regiment of the National Guard of Missouri. Judge Barclay was elected judge of the Supreme Court of Missouri in 1888 and chosen chief justice by his associates in 1897. He resigned this office in 1898 to practice law with John E. McKeighan and Millard F. Watts. Before going on the bench, Judge Barclay served for several years as secretary of the Missouri Historical Society. He died November 17, 1925.

The collection contains correspondence, diaries, memoranda, and biographical material. Among the papers are letters to his wife dated 1891, and Missouri Bar Association papers dated 1918-1921. Also includes the diary of Elihu Shepard, his maternal grandfather, which includes

reminiscences of his childhood in the East; the War of 1812; wanderings during the year of the cholera epidemic in St. Louis in 1849; his experience during the Mexican War; incidents and war losses resulting from the Civil War; and the queensware factory in Kaolin, Missouri. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A1961

Bard, Elizabeth Marie (1892-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elizabeth Marie Bard, 3615 Utah Place, St. Louis.

Cite as: Elizabeth Marie Bard, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1962

Barker, Paul Shirmer (1895-).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information of the Barker family and biographical data for Paul Shirmer Barker.

Cite as: Paul Shirmer Barker Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Barnard Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

See George D. Barnard Company.

#### A1963

Barnard, George (1814-1890).

Collection, 1890-1914; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

George Barnard was born in Albany, New York, in 1814. He was the son of Joseph Barnard and Tirzeh Stebbens. After briefly working in Philadelphia, he came to St. Louis in 1835. Unable to find work in the city, he accepted a job in Hannibal, Missouri. He worked as a store clerk until 1837, when he found a job as a clerk on the steamboat *Envoy*. He later partnered with his brother-in-law Thomas Fithian to buy the steamboat *St. Peters*. The two operated several steamboats on the southern Mississippi River route until approximately 1854. He then moved to Pike County, Missouri, and settled on a farm. He died in Louisiana, Missouri, in 1890.

The collection contains an original handwritten manuscript and typed transcript of a biographical sketch of the life of George Barnard and two letters from friends of Barnard to an unknown recipient regarding Barnard's life.

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

# A1964

# Barnard, Henry C.

Papers, 1862-1900; no date. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection contains two quarterly returns of clothing, camp, and garrison equipage for Captain Henry Barnard's Company B, 10<sup>th</sup> E.M.M., dated June 30, 1864; an invoice for clothing, arms, and equipment for the 10<sup>th</sup> E.M.M., dated St. Louis, May 16, 1864; a receipt for ordnance and quartermaster stores for the 10<sup>th</sup> E.M.M., dated St. Louis, June 2, 1864; certified statement of Barnard regarding his military service, dated St. Louis, August 10, 1865; muster-in roll of Captain Barnard's Company B, St. Louis County Regiment, E.M.M., dated September 9, 1862; muster roll of Captain Barnard's Company B, 10<sup>th</sup> E.M.M., dated September 14, 1863; muster

roll of Captain Barnard's Company B, 10<sup>th</sup> E.M.M., dated September 29, 1862; and two general orders activating and relieving from service regiments of the Enrolled Missouri Militia, dated St. Louis, June and July 1863. The collection also includes a notebook containing the names of soldiers and their units from the War of 1812 plus miscellaneous information, an invitation to attend the Return Ball of the Empire Base Ball Club, 1864, and ephemera.

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

#### A0084

Barnes, John B.

**Papers, 1825-1948.** 2 folders

John B. Barnes served on the staff at Kemper Military School in Boonville, Missouri. Collection of notes and manuscripts of early Missouri history, principally written by Col. Barnes; photostat of the land grant to Hannah Cole dated October 1, 1825; papers concerning Hannah Cole, New Franklin and Boonslick country; and David Barton, judge of the First Circuit Court held in Howard County and Boonville.

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

#### A0085

Barnes, Robert Augustus (1808-1892).

Papers, 1784-1923 (bulk 1820-1914). 9 boxes, 10 oversize folders

Collection consists of personal, business, financial, and family papers of Robert A. Barnes, who was a grocer, commission merchant, bank president, stockholder, property owner, and philanthropist. Includes correspondence, bills, receipts, legal papers, property and income tax documents, insurance policies, personal and business accounts, and papers relating to the Barnes estate and the estate of John W. Reel, of which Barnes was the administrator. Also includes numerous bills of lading and shipping papers associated with Barnes' grocery and commission merchant business, as well as papers regarding the Bank of the State of Missouri, St. Louis Railroad Company, Belcher's Sugar Refining Company, and other local companies in which Barnes either held executive positions or was a stockholder. Related family papers include those of Barnes' brother William Barnes, or of the Chenie family, who were relatives by marriage. Also includes papers from the estate of John W. Reel.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Robert A. Barnes Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2284

# Barnes-Jewish Schools of Nursing.

**Collection, 1902-2006.** 43 boxes

Barnes Hospital opened its doors in 1914, twenty-two years after the death of Robert Barnes, the visionary for whom it was named. He wished to build a hospital that would provide quality care for all. In 1955, the hospital began its three-year nursing program. In 1989, the Barnes Hospital School of Nursing switched to a four-year bachelor's degree and was re-named the Barnes College of Nursing. The Jewish Hospital opened in 1902 with a pledge to assist people of all creeds and nationalities. It was there that the wave of new immigrants came to receive healthcare in St. Louis. The Training School for Nurses also opened in 1902, with its first class graduating in 1905. In 1993, the three-year diploma program was replaced with a degree program, and the school was re-named the Jewish Hospital College of Nursing and Allied Health. Barnes Hospital and Jewish Hospital merged in 1996.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence, memoranda, meeting minutes and agendas, and publications.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Barnes-Jewish Schools of Nursing Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1965

**Barnett Family.** 

Collection, 1841; 1955. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains information regarding the Barnett family of Platte County, Missouri. Cite as: Barnett Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1966

Barnett, George I. (1815-1898).

Papers, 1844; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

George Ingram Barnett was the "Dean of Architects" of nineteenth-century St. Louis. He was born in Nottingham, England and immigrated to St. Louis in 1839. He is most notable for his design of the Grand Avenue Water Tower, St. Vincent De Paul Church in LaSalle Park, and the Henry Shaw country home at Shaw's Garden. Barnett's sons George and Thomas and son-in-law John Haynes continued the family tradition of architecture by forming the architectural firm of Barnett, Haynes, and Barnett.

Contains two letters from A. Barnett of Nottingham, Great Britain, to George and Ann Barnett of St. Louis.

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

# A1967

Barnhill, F.C.

**Collection, 1938.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains correspondence and information from Barnhill to Charles van Ravenswaay regarding buildings at Arrow Rock, Missouri.

Cite as: F.C. Barnhill Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1968

Barnhurst Family.

Papers, 1836-1927. 3 folders [formerly Alphabetical File]

Joseph Barnhurst (1735-1851) and his wife, Priscilla Underhill (1750-), emigrated from England to Dublin, Ireland, and then finally to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The couple had twelve children. William Barnhurst (1819-1850) was the oldest. The eldest daughter, Elizabeth Barnhurst, married Thomas Tweedale and remained in Philadelphia. Washington Barnhurst (1830-1862) became a Baptist minister. He served as minister of the Third Baptist Church of St. Louis from 1856 to 1860.

The collection consists of Elizabeth Barnhurst's memory book, two copies of Elizabeth Barnhurst Tweedale's will, property abstracts for lots in St. Louis, sketches of the Barnhurst family coat of arms, and biographical sketches of various members of the Flournoy family of Prince Edward County, Virginia.

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

## A1969

# Barnidge-Kuenz.

Wedding Invitation, 1968. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains wedding invitation for wedding of Mary Helen Barnidge to Frank Xavier Kuenz, II, of St. Louis.

Cite as: Barnidge-Kuenz Wedding Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1970

## Barnum, P.T.

Grand National Baby Show Circular, 1855. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains one circular for Barnum's American Museum with note from P.T. Barnum to Uncle pertaining to the first Barnum Grand National Baby Show, 1855.

Cite as: P.T. Barnum Grand National Baby Show Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1971

# Barroll, Elizabeth Ann (1922- ).

**Genealogy**, **1973.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elizabeth Ann Barroll, 27 Graeser Acres, St. Louis County, Mo. Includes information on the ancestry of her father, Homer R. Patterson.

Cite as: Elizabeth Ann Barroll Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3052

# Barron, John K. (1894-1958)

**Collection, 1919.** 1 folder (2 items)

John K. Barron served with Battery D, 128<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery in France in World War I. He returned to the U.S. on the transport ship *Vedic* in April 1919. His father, William Sanford Barron (1873-1939) was a contractor residing in Clayton, Missouri.

The collection is comprised of two items. There is a postcard sent to William S. Barron by a Mrs. Richmond and a letter written to William by his son, John, after his arrival from France at Camp Devens, Massachusetts. John described his journey home and the reception the troops received in Boston.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: John K. Barron Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1972

## Barron, John Richmond (1928-).

**Genealogy**, **1966.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Richmond Barron, 1 Colonial Hills Parkway, Creve Coeur, Mo.

Cite as: John Richmond Barron Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0086

# Barry, J. Neilson (1871-196?).

# **Papers, 1937-1960.** 1 box

J. Neilson Barry was educated at the Theological Seminary of Virginia and the General Theological Seminary in New York City. He was ordained an Episcopal minister and was an Episcopal priest of the Diocese of Washington, D.C., for many years. He served fifteen years as

a missionary at Palouse and Spokane, Washington, and Baker, Oklahoma. In 1940, he donated to the Missouri Historical Society the tracings of his study-plats used in analyzing the Lewis and Clark map of 1814.

The collection includes maps of the Wyoming and Idaho districts, compiled by Barry from the map attributed to Samuel Lewis, published in the journals of Lewis and Clark in 1814. The maps also include data from maps of John Colter and other members of the Lewis and Clark Expedition as well as from maps used by fur traders and members of the Astorian expedition. The papers also include correspondence of Barry with the Missouri Historical Society concerning his maps.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A1973

## Barth, Elenora.

Scrapbook, 1928. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains a scrapbook dedicated to Charles Lindbergh titled "Lucky Lindy," created by Elenora Barth while she was attending grade 6 at Pestalozzi School. The book contains news clippings and some text by Barth.

Cite as: Elenora Barth Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0087

# Bartholdt, Richard (1855-1932).

Papers, 1855-1937. 4 boxes; 3 volumes; 2 oversize folders

Richard Bartholdt was born November 2, 1855, in Schleiz, Germany. He came to the United States at the age of 16 and worked as a printer in New York and Philadelphia. He came to St. Louis in 1875 and worked as a printer for the *Courier* and the *Anzeiger*, which were both German newspapers. He became a naturalized citizen of the United States and returned to Germany to study law. He returned to St. Louis in 1884 and took charge of the St. Louis Tribune. He married Miss Cecille Niedner, who was the daughter of Moritz Niedner, a prominent newspaper publisher from St. Louis and one of the founders of the Associated Press. Mrs. Cecille Bartholdt died in 1924. Mr. Bartholdt was elected to Congress in 1892 and served eleven consecutive terms until 1915. He is remembered for making the first speech ever heard in Congress against prohibition. He also worked for the appropriation that made the Louisiana Purchase Exposition possible, improvement of the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers, liberal immigration laws, and the rebuilding of Jefferson Barracks. In 1899, he attended the first Hague Peace Conference and then attended the conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union at Christiania, Norway. In 1903, he invited the group to meet at the World's Fair in St. Louis in 1904. (The Inter-Parliamentary Union was designed as an organization of representatives of the peoples of nations.) The University of Jena in Germany conferred the title of "honorary citizen" on Mr. Bartholdt. He was also president of the St. Louis Board of Education from 1890 to 1892. He resided at 4066 Flora Place, and died there on March 29, 1932, of pneumonia.

The papers contain both personal and professional correspondence. Also includes a certificate stating that Bartholdt is a representative of Congress from the state of Missouri, 1892 and 1894; correspondence in relation to the Meritz Niedner case (Mr. Niedner had a contract with the state of Missouri to publish a daily journal. He died before the contract was completed and his heirs were suing the state for the remaining portion of the contract); typescript copies of various speeches given by Bartholdt; correspondence in relation to his book, *From Steerage to Congress*; clippings regarding Germany after World War I; charter titled "An Act to Incorporate

the Carl Schurz Memorial Foundation," April 16, 1930; memorandum stating the principles and policies of the Missouri Association Against Prohibition, dated January 12, 1930; letters of sympathy regarding the death of Bartholdt and receipts and bills from local St. Louis businesses and services to Ms. Eugenia Niedner, 1932; typescript copy of From Steerage to Congress, no date; bound manuscript titled "Project einer Hochdruck-Maschine Entworfen von Theodor Krauss" (16 pages); bound volume titled Inter-Parliamentary Union—Official Report of the Fourteenth Conference held in the Royal Gallery of the House of Lords, London July 23 to 25, 1906 (303 pages); bound volume titled "Festmahl Zu Ehren der Herres Richard Bartholdt und C.B. Wolffram," October 25, 1911 (17 pages); letters and memorandums regarding the rebuilding of Germany and the unfairness of the Versailles Treaty to Germany, 1932; correspondence with the Steuben Society of America. Genealogical information regarding the Bartholdt family and his ancestors. Three bound scrapbooks: Bartholdt family travel, immigration and naturalization documents, 1852-1926; congratulatory correspondence on occasion of 70th birthday, 1925; and reviews, articles and correspondence regarding From Steerage to Congress, 1931. One unbound scrapbook; congratulatory correspondence on occasion of 75th birthday, 1930.

German.

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

#### A1974

# **Bartholomew Family.**

Genealogy, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Harland Bartholomew, 5547 Chamberlain Ave., St. Louis.

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

**Bartlett, Aurelius T. (1831-1918). Collection, 1860-1896.** 1 box

Merged with Bartlett Family Papers, May 2010.

#### A1975

**Bartlett Family.** 

**Papers, 1860-1957.** 1 box

Aurelius T. Bartlett was born December 4, 1831, in Maine. He came to Illinois at the age of 20, settling in Jersey County. In the Civil War he served as a surgeon in the 3rd Missouri State Militia Cavalry from April 1862 to February 1863 and with the 33rd Missouri Infantry (Union) from April 1863 to the close of the war. He died July 22, 1918, in Jacksonville, Illinois. One of his children was Dr. Willard Bartlett (1868-1950), who settled in St. Louis, Missouri.

The collection contains an 1860 diary to the Pikes Peak gold rush region; memoirs of Aurelius T. Bartlett, dated March 20, 1890, describing his Civil War service; official papers relating to Bartlett's Civil War service; and other Bartlett family papers. Finding aid available.

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

#### A0089

Barton, David (1783-1837).

**Papers, 1811-1836.** 1 box

David Barton was born December 14, 1783, in Tennessee and received his education at

Greenville College (Academy) in Tennessee. He took a job after graduation in the law office of Judge Anderson, where he received the bulk of his law training. In 1809, he and his brothers moved to Missouri and settled in St. Charles. David Barton taught school for a while and proceeded to join the army and fight in the War of 1812. After the war he moved to St. Louis and began practicing law. He became the attorney general for the Territory of Missouri in 1813 and later was elected to the St. Louis Circuit Bench. In 1820, he was chosen as the first president of the first Constitutional Convention. He has been identified as writing the constitution that was adopted by that body. He was affiliated with the Whig party and was chosen as the first U.S. senator from Missouri. He never married. After leaving the Senate he returned to Boonville, Missouri, and took the position of circuit judge. He was declared insane by the county court at Boonville shortly before his death September 22, 1837. During his lifetime he was often called "Little Red" and after his death he has been called "Missouri's Forgotten Senator." It is believed by many that his political career was overshadowed by Thomas Hart Benton.

Collection contains letters from Barton mostly concerning political matters; political documents, clippings and genealogy notes; and typescript data on Barton and speeches given before the Missouri Historical Society by James Jones October 14, 1920, and also by Charles van Ravenswaay.

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

#### A1976

Bascom, Joseph Dayton (1849-).

Genealogy, 1954; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information regarding the Bascom family and letter of Mrs. Charles E. Bascom, 52 Portland Place, St. Louis, to Charles van Ravenswaay, June 5, 1954. Cite as: Joseph Dayton Bascom Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A1977

Bascome, Western Radford.

Papers, 1929. 1 folder

Collection contains undated family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Western Radford Bascome of New York City; typescript memorial sketch of Ellen Kearny Bascome (1843-1912) (6 pages); and correspondence of Western Radford Bascome and the Missouri Historical Society, 1929.

Cite as: Western Radford Bascome Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0090

Baseball and Sports Collection, 1867-2002. 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains information regarding early baseball clubs in St. Louis and numerous programs of athletic contests including rowing, running, and walking contests. Also includes clippings, stock certificates in St. Louis baseball clubs, correspondence regarding the St. Louis Cardinals, and souvenirs of the Cardinals, including bumper stickers. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Baseball and Sports Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1978

Baskett, James Newton (1849-1925).

Papers, 1903-1906; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

James Newton Baskett moved with his family to Callaway County, Missouri, from Kentucky

in 1856. He was educated at the University of Missouri. He began his career as a civil servant in Audrain County but later became involved in civil engineering. Poor health forced him to enter another profession and he began a writing career. Baskett wrote primarily on topics of natural history and published several natural history books including *The Story of the Birds*. His works included some fiction. Baskett died in Mexico, Missouri, in 1925. He was married to Jeannie Gordon Morrison. They had two sons.

Contains genealogical information on the Baskett family, a biographical sketch of James Newton Baskett, and correspondence between Baskett and the Missouri Historical Society. Cite as: James Newton Baskett Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2122

Baskett, William B.

**Letter, 1845 Dec 6.** 1 item

Letter of William B. Baskett, Jefferson City, Missouri, to cousin Miss E. Baskett, Callaway County, Missouri.

Cite as: William B. Baskett Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1979

Bassett, Robert and Shirley.

**Genealogy**, **1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Maurice Bassett and Shirley Martin Bassett, 429 Edgewood, Clayton, Mo.

Cite as: Robert and Shirley Bassett Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0091

Bassford, Homer (1870- ).

**Papers, 1891-1934.** 1 box

Homer Bassford was born in Mexico, Missouri, in 1870 and was educated at public schools and at the Barker Academy. He married Etta Overman Chase in 1892. He started his career in journalism with R.M. White of the *Mexico Ledger* and in 1889 he became the Sunday editor and subsequently the city editor of the *Kansas City Times*. He moved to St. Louis in 1893 and took the job of music and dramatic critic at the *St. Louis Republic*.

Collection contains letters to Bassford from distinguished theatrical and political persons concerning business related items.

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

## A1980

**Batdorf Family.** 

Genealogy, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information on the Batdorf families of Ohio, Illinois, and St. Louis. Cite as: Batdorf Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1981

Bates, Charles R.

**Biography**, **1951.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains brief autobiographical sketch of Charles R. Bates written for the Missouri Historical Society's biographical files, written on the stationery of the Transmission Supply Company, 5575-5577-5579 Manchester Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Cite as: Charles R. Bates Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3107

Bates, Edward (1793-1869).

Civil War Letter, 1863 July 19. 1 folder

Edward Bates moved to Missouri in 1814 to study law. He served as Missouri's first attorney general, and later served in the Missouri state legislature and in the United States House of Representatives. In March 1861, he was appointed attorney general of the United States and served in this capacity until his resignation in November 1864. He died March 25, 1869, in St. Louis.

The collection contains one autograph letter signed by Edward Bates to his private secretary, Edmund Clarence Stedman, in Washington D.C. dated July 19, 1863. Bates was in St. Louis and at their country house visiting family. He wrote about the state of affairs in the St. Louis area, where the war had taken its toll on personal relationships: "Our society is shivered into splinters—all the active rebels are one, & many of them are dead; but their families and friends are still here, discontented & sulky. . . ." Bates goes on to explain that "the general tone is however hopeful throughout—now that the river is open, trade will revive, tranquility be ere long restored."

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edward Bates Civil War Letter, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0092

**Bates Family.** 

Papers, 1754-1973. 13 boxes; 22 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Frederick Bates (1777-1825) was the son of Quaker parents from Belmont, Goochland County, Virginia. In 1797, he moved to Detroit, where he engaged in mercantile pursuits and served for a time as postmaster. He was appointed receiver of public monies for land October 13, 1804. President Jefferson appointed Bates judge over the Territory of Michigan on March 3, 1805. In 1806, he moved to St. Louis where he became recorder of land titles for the Louisiana Territory. President James Madison appointed him secretary of the Louisiana Territory January 10, 1811, during the administration of General James Wilkinson. In 1824, he was elected governor of Missouri but died in office August 4, 1825. He married Nancy Ball, daughter of Colonel John S. Ball of St. Louis County, in 1819. They resided at Thornhill, the Bates homestead, in Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County. Onward Bates (1850-1936) was born February 24, 1850, in St. Charles County, Missouri. He spent his boyhood years in St. Louis and on the farm in St. Charles County. At the age of 15 he entered the Fulton Iron Works as an apprentice. A few years later, he attracted the attention of Charles Shaler Smith, a distinguished engineer in the field of designing and building bridges. Smith hired Bates to work on a bridge he was building over the Missouri River at St. Charles. After two years as a student at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, New York, Bates was hired to work on the Eads Bridge. In the following decades, Bates worked on and supervised numerous bridge building projects in the United States, as well as a three-year stint in Australia. He served as president of the American Society of Civil Engineers. In 1892, he married Virginia Castleman Breckinridge, daughter of Judge Samuel M. Breckinridge. Onward Bates died in 1936 in Augusta, Georgia.

The papers include family correspondence, letter books, legal papers, and business and political correspondence of Edward and Frederick Bates and of other members of the family, including Barton, Onward, and Tarleton Bates. The collection contains material on family history, political affairs of the colonies, the French and Indian War (1796), land matters, Indian

relations, the Civil War and reconstruction years, and several letter books and papers of Onward Bates concerning bridge construction. Also includes are minutes of the recorder of land titles, 1812-1814; lists of civil and militia appointments in the territory, 1810-1811; abstracts of provision for the Missouri militia, 1813-1816; claims to lead mines in Missouri; and correspondence with Governor William Clark seeking commissions, military promotions, and petitions for appointments of justice of the peace. Collection also includes letter books of Frederick Bates, among which is one volume of photostats of letters written during his tenure as postmaster in Detroit (1789-1809); and two original volumes of letters, with two volumes of photostatic copies, written while he was postmaster in Detroit and in Goochland, Virginia (1807-1812). These letters relate to business and government. A photostat letterbook of Tarleton Bates, written from Pittsburgh, to brother Frederick Bates, discusses social and family issues (1795-1805). Also includes several journals and diaries of Edward Bates, among which is a journal of his law studies (1847), two diaries (1847 and 1846-1852) in which he comments extensively on St. Louis politics, and three photostat journals (1859-1866) in which he comments on national and local politics prior to and during the Civil War. Includes a letterpress letterbook of Onward Bates, inspector of bridges and trestles in Pittsburgh, relating to business matters (1875-1876). Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog. See also Thomas Maitland Marshall, editor, *The Life and Papers of Frederick Bates*, in the Missouri History Museum Library for a published version of many of Frederick Bates' letters.

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

#### A0093

Bates, William Maffitt.

Manuscript, [1932]. 1 volume

Manuscript of St. Louis lawyer William Maffitt Bates comprises a typescript compilation of facts concerning Madame Chouteau's marriage and children.

Cite as: William Maffitt Bates Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1982

Batterson, Leonard A.

**Genealogy, 1969.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Sue Evans Batterson (65 Fair Oaks, St. Louis County, Mo.), wife of Leonard A. Batterson.

Cite as: Leonard A. Batterson Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0094

Battle and Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1819; 1861; 1883-1889. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Battle and Company was a pharmaceutical company in St. Louis that was started in 1875 by the brothers Jesse M. and Cullen A. Battle.

Collection contains nine folders of testimonials from satisfied customers concerning products. Also includes receipts, invoices, correspondence concerning business matters, and St. Louis surveys.

Cite as: Battle and Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1983

Battles, Lucretia.

# **Letter, 1852.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains a letter from Lucretia Battles of Michigan City, Indiana, to her cousin. The letter discusses Battles' health and requests locks of hair for making keepsakes.

Cite as: Lucretia Battles Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2951

**Bauer Brothers.** 

# Promotial Calendar, 1889. 1 item

Promotional calendar of Bauer Brothers, bankers and brokers, 205 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, St. Louis. Cite as: Bauer Brothers Promotional Calendar, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1984

Bauer, Elizabeth Clark (1897-).

Papers, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Helen Elizabeth Clark Bauer was a native of St. Louis. In 1904, when Bauer was six years old, she attended the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair numerous times. Bauer's father operated the Materne Manufacturing Company exhibit at the fair.

The collection consists of a nine page, handwritten reminiscence of the 1904 World's Fair that describes events and details of the Fair. Also a genealogical data sheet for the Stephen Francis Bauer family.

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

#### A1985

Baugh Family.

**Genealogy**, **1932-1933**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical data and correspondence relating to the Baugh family. Cite as: Baugh Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0095

Bauman, Edwin J.

Papers, 1898-1959. 2 boxes

Architectural papers of Edwin J. Bauman of Maguolo & Quick, Architects, Engineers, including specifications for the Park Plaza Hotel, St. Louis; specifications for hospitals in Indiana, Ohio, Arkansas, and Missouri, including the Cardinal Glennon Memorial Hospital and an addition to the Alexian Brothers Hospital; standard details for hospitals including the size of units and relative location of equipment recommended for the Cardinal Glennon Memorial Hospital by Neergaard and Craig, hospital consultants, 1940s; printed material regarding hospital and progressive patient care; ledger of Joseph Killes, 1898; templates, stencils; and the New School Algebra Book, 1898.

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

## A1986

Baumann, L.

Passport, 1832-1839. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of L. Baumann's "Wanderbuch" or German passport.

Cite as: L. Baumann Passport, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1988

## **Baumgarten Family.**

Papers, 1902-1945. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of the memorial record for Gustav Heinrich Ernst Baumgarten (1837-1910), noted St. Louis physician (printed by the Academy of Science of St. Louis). Also includes announcement of Mrs. Laura Speck regarding the marriage of her daughter Louise Knapp to Dr. Walter Baumgarten, September 20, 1902 ("at home after November fifteenth 4310a Maryland Avenue"); announcement of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Baumgarten regarding the marriage of their daughter Laura to Carroll St. John Mastin, May 19, 1945, Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis; and announcement of Mrs. Martin D. Hardin regarding the marriage of her daughter Julia Hardin Foote to Walter Baumgarten, Jr., April 24, 1943, Stamford Connecticut.

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

#### A1989

Baumgartner, James A.

**Biography, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains a biographical sketch of James A. Baumgartner, nineteenth-century St. Louis businessman and public servant.

Cite as: James A. Baumgartner Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1987

Baumgartner, Rudolph, Jr. (1840-).

Papers, 1863-1914. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Rudolph Baumgartner, Jr., was a native of Aurgau, Switzerland, and later immigrated to the United States. In 1861, Baumgartner enlisted in the Gasconade County Battalion, Missouri Home Guard. He served as a private and was discharged on February 1, 1863, at Benton Barracks.

The papers consist of Baumgartner's commission, pension certificate, and naturalization papers.

Cite as: Rudolph Baumgartner, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0096

Baumhoff, George W. (1856-1941).

**Papers, 1900-1950.** 5 boxes

George W. Baumhoff was the general manager of the St. Louis Transit Company. He bought land near Valley Park, St. Louis County, circa 1902, and his family moved to a house on the property in 1911. He bought an additional 300 acres a few years later. The tract of about 450 acres was called Treecourt Farm, a fairly literal translation of the name Baumhoff in English. When drilling for oil in 1930, Baumhoff came upon an artesian well of cold sulphur water where he built a pool. After his death on April 21, 1941, his family began disposing of the property.

Legal, business, and personal papers relating to property owned by George W. Baumhoff and family between Big Bend Road and the Meramec River in St. Louis County. The files document the record of title to the land and the way it was sold in more than 30 parcels by the family after the death of George W. Baumhoff in 1941.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George W. Baumhoff Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1990

## Baumrind, Nikki.

**Collection, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of an eight-page manuscript written by an elementary school student identified only as Ralph. The manuscript is titled "A Double Life: The Biographical Sketch of Mrs. X" and describes the life of an anonymous African-American housekeeper, circa 1950. Cite as: Nikki Baumrind Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0097

Baxter Family.

Genealogy. 1 box

Genealogical notes on Baxter family in the United States.

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

#### A1991

Baxter, Greenberry.

Genealogy, 1923. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information pertaining to the family of Greenberry Baxter (1803-1857).

Cite as: Greenberry Baxter Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0098

Bayard, George Dashiell (1835-1862).

**Papers, 1856-1860.** 1 box

George D. Bayard was born in 1835. He graduated from West Point in 1856 and lived for a time in St. Louis. He rose to the rank of brigadier general of volunteers, and was killed at the Battle of Fredricksburg in December 1862.

Collection contains letters written to his family covering army life at Forts Leavenworth, Riley, Kearney and Jefferson Barracks. Letters also discuss conflicts with Indians, his injury and recovery in a St. Louis hospital resulting from an encounter with an Indian, and social life in St. Louis.

Cite as: George Dashiell Bayard Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1992

Bayard, Thomas F. (1828-1898).

**Letter, 1898.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Thomas F. Bayard served as U.S. senator from Delaware (1869-1887) and in the Grover Cleveland administration, first as secretary of state and then as U.S. ambassador to Great Britain.

The collection consists of a letter signed Thomas Francis Bayard to an unknown recipient expressing thanks.

Cite as: Thomas F. Bayard Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1993

Bayha Family.

**Genealogy, circa 1905.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of family record of birth and death entries for members of the Bayha family of St. Louis.

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

## A1994

# Beach-Stott-Haden Family.

Genealogy, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of genealogical information pertaining to the Beach, Stott, and Haden families of Missouri.

Cite as: Beach-Stott-Haden Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1995

## Bean, Edwin J.

Letter, 1960. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed Edwin J. Bean, 120 Cornelia Ave., St. Louis, Mo., to Charles van Ravenswaay, Missouri Historical Society, October 18, 1960. Includes autobiographical notes.

Cite as: Edwin J. Bean Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1914

#### Bean, Garrett.

Collection, 1879; 1953. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of genealogical notes on the family of Garrett Bean of Warsaw, Illinois, and a manuscript written by Bean describing his early life in Pike County, Missouri, and Warsaw, Illinois.

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

#### A0099

## Bean, L.M.

## Missouri Mounds Research Notes, ca. 1905-1908. 1 box; 3 volumes

Louis Houck hired Lewis Bean and D.L. Hoffman to locate every mound and settlement of the "mound-builders" in Missouri for Houck's *History of Missouri*, published in 1908. Their survey took two years.

Topography and location by counties of Missouri mounds, compiled by L.M. Bean, Jackson, Missouri.

Cite as: L.M. Bean Missouri Mounds Research Notes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2952

## Beasley Family.

# Papers, 1923-1927. 3 items

Collection contains program for Christmas dinner of the Ninth Airship Company, Scott Field, Belleville, Illinois, 1923, which includes a menu and a roster of officers and enlisted men; Domain of Neptunus Rex illustrated certificate awarded to Seaman First Class Mayo Beasley, July 6, 1925, honoring his crossing of the equator; and United States Navy honorable discharge certificate awarded to Seaman First Class Mayo Beasley, January 7, 1927.

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

## A1996

# Beasley, Ronald Storey.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ronald Storey Beasley, 101 North Warson, St. Louis County, Mo. Beasley was a teacher at Mary Institute, St.

Louis County.

Cite as: Ronald Storey Beasley Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1997

Beath Family.

**Genealogy, 1957-1959.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of genealogical information relating to the Beath family.

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

## A1998

Beatty, Erkuries (1759-1823).

Diary, 1787. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The diary consists of a typed transcript of Beatty's original diary and a brief biographical sketch of Erkuries Beatty. Beatty served as paymaster of the Western Army during its campaigns against the Indians of Kentucky and the Old Northwest. The diary describes early Kentucky settlements and incidents between Native Americans and settlers. Both items were published in 1877 in the *Magazine of American History*.

Cite as: Erkuries Beatty Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1999

Beaugenou, Nicholas.

Genealogy, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information pertaining to Nicholas Beaugenou, Sr. and Jr. Cite as: Nicholas Beaugenou Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2000

Beaulieu, Angelique Chauvin.

Biography, circa 1929. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a typed manuscript biography of Angelique Chauvin Beaulieu by Adeline Palmier Wagoner and a postcard announcing a memorial service for Wagoner, 1929. Cite as: Angelique Chauvin Beaulieu Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0100

Beaumont, William, Dr. (1785-1853).

Papers, 1802-1964. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Dr. William Beaumont was born November 21, 1785, in Lebanon, Connecticut. He was a physician in the United States Army and gained fame from his experiments regarding the digestive system, which he conducted on Alexis St. Martin. He became known as one of the first American physiologists with the publishing of his book, *Experiments and Observations on the Gastric Juice and the Physiology of Digestion*, in 1833. In 1835, he was transferred to Jefferson Barracks and later set up private practice in St. Louis. He was a charter member of the St. Louis Medical Society and was chosen professor of surgery at the first St. Louis University Medical College. He died April 25, 1853, in St. Louis.

The collection contains letters of Dr. Beaumont, which were transcribed by Mrs. Max Myer from the collection of letters at Washington University. They pertain to Dr. Beaumont's military and medical career, personal life, business matters and associates. Interesting description of the St. Martin experiments. Beaumont family genealogical chart, no date.

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

## A0101

Beauregard, Antoinette Harney (1868-1940), collector.

Beauregard Family Papers, 1779-1940 (bulk 1915-1940). 2 boxes; 3 volumes

Marie Antoinette (Nettie) Harney Beauregard, was born October 7, 1868, the daughter of John Mullanphy Harney (son of General William S. Harney) and Mary Kimball Harney. She was educated at the Ursuline Convent in Vannes, France, and also at private schools in Paris and the Loretto Convent in Florissant, Missouri. On December 5, 1898, she married Henry Toutant Beauregard (son of General Pierre Gustave Toutant Beauregard). In 1912, Mrs. Beauregard joined the staff of the Missouri Historical Society as a translator of St. Louis and Missouri documents written in French. A year later she was appointed archivist and curator, a position she held until her death in 1940. Pierre Gustave Toutant Beauregard was born May 28, 1818, in St. Bernard Parish, Louisiana. A graduate of West Point, circa 1838, he was a United States Army engineer and participated in the Mexican War under General Winfield Scott. Beauregard was the Confederate commanding officer who directed the attack on Fort Sumter, and distinguished himself in the battles of Manassas, Charleston, and Petersburg. He played an important part in the development of the nation's railroad system, serving as president of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroads (later part of the Illinois Central System).

The papers include correspondence, notes, memoranda, clippings, reminiscences (1847-1848) of Pierre G.T. Beauregard on the Mexican War under General Scott; and three volumes of his, consisting of an inscribed copy of an original manuscript recollection, with supporting correspondence, titled "Reminiscences of an Engineer Officer, during the Campaign in Mexico, under Major General Winfield Scott in 1847-1848, New Orleans, Dec. 17, 1852"; a manuscript copy of Civil War battle reports written to Gen. S. Cooper following the battles of Bull Run, Shiloh, and Manassas, 1861-1862; and a letterpress letterbook, 1884-1889. Also includes genealogical material collected by Nettie H. Beauregard on the Beauregard, Chouteau, Clemens, Frost, Hamill, Harney, Hunt, Jennings, Kimball, Mullanphy, and Soulard families of St. Louis. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A2323

Beauvais, F.A.

Business Card, circa 1860s-1880s. 1 item

Business card of F.A. Beauvais, manufacturer of jewelry & silverware, 48 2nd St., St. Louis. Cite as: F.A. Beauvais Business Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2001

Beauvais Family.

**Genealogy Manuscript, circa 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a 40-page manuscript titled "The Beauvais Family in the 17th and 18th Centuries" by Clarice Cecilia Townsend Clark. The manuscript is incomplete and includes only the introduction and Chapters 6 through 9.

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

## A2002

Beck Family.

**Genealogy, 1992.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical chart for the ancestors of Vincent G. Beck, 1980 Marshall Road, Kirkwood, Missouri.

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

#### A2361

Beck Realty Development Company (St. Louis, Mo.).

Circular Card Advertising the North-Pointe Addition, 1921 May 24. 1 item

Circular card sent out by C.W. Beck of the Beck Realty Development Company includes photographs of five homes in the new addition.

Cite as: Beck Realty Development Company Circular Card Advertising the North-Pointe Addition, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1840

Becker, F.

Membership certificate in the Merchants Exchange Mutual Benevolent Society, no date. 1 item

Cite as: F. Becker Membership Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2003

Becker Family.

Genealogy, 1957. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Arthur William John Becker and Margaret Heath Becker, 5638 Kingsbury Ave., St. Louis. Includes genealogical information on the Becker and Heath families.

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

#### A2004

Beckham, J.C.W. (1869-1940).

Autograph, 1902. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of an autograph of J.C.W. Beckham, governor of Kentucky (1900-1907), signed on Kentucky Executive Department letterhead with seal.

Cite as: J.C.W. Beckham Autograph, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2005

Beckman, William E. (1854- ).

Collection, no date. 1 folder

William E. Beckman was born January 13, 1854. He founded the W.E. Beckman Confectionary and Supply Company in 1882 in St. Louis. He was a charter member of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce and the Mercantile Library.

The collection contains a letter written in German, biographical information on Beckman, a sympathy card from Beckman Confectionary to unknown, a letter of sympathy, and a political poem parody of the Lord's Prayer satirizing the Depression-era policies of Herbert Hoover. Cite as: William E. Beckman Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0102

Beckwith Family.

**Beckwith-Hunter-Medley Genealogy, 1954.** 1 volume (320 pages)

Typescript genealogy with photographs recording family history from the seventeenth to the

twentieth centuries. It was compiled by Mary Medley Hunter (Mrs. Stephen B.), and traces the Beckwith, Hunter, and Medley families from England to settlement in the Missouri towns of New Madrid, Cape Girardeau, Mexico, and Sikeston.

Cite as: Beckwith-Hunter-Medley Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2006

Beckwith, Minerva Elton (1805-).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains a genealogical chart of the descendants of Minerva Elton Beckwith.

Cite as: Minerva Elton Beckwith Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2007

Bedal, William (1880-1966).

Papers, 1918-1953. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

William Bedal was born in Santa Rosa, Coahuila, Mexico, in November 1880. He was the son of Dr. Sylvester Bedal and Adelheid Wuerpel. Upon Sylvester's death in 1887, Adelheid enrolled in medical school and received her M.D. from Women's Medical College in Philadelphia. She practiced medicine in St. Louis for over fifty years. William received a law degree from Harvard University in 1905 and held positions in several St. Louis law firms. He retired from law in 1946 and became president and later chairman of the board of the Industrial Lumber Company of Elizabeth, Louisiana.

The collection consists of correspondence, award certificates, membership certificates, and genealogical information pertaining to William Bedal and his mother, Dr. Adelheid Charlotte Bedal. The collection includes two letters written by Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis to Bedal and a typed draft copy of a letter Bedal wrote to Senator Harry Truman, 1942, regarding a temporary suspension of the forty-hour work week for the purpose of boosting war-time production. Includes Truman's reply; a service certificates recognizing Adelheid's service in the Volunteer Medical Service Corps; and a Golden Anniversary Award presented to her by the St. Louis Medical Society.

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

## A2008

Beeson, Hiram.

Notebook, 1825. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a mathematics notebook used by Hiram Beeson during his school years.

Cite as: Hiram Beeson Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2009

Begeman and Helmers.

**Collection, 1893-1895.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of receipts from the Begeman and Helmers Company of Hermann, Missouri.

Cite as: Begeman and Helmers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2010

Behrens Family.

**Genealogy, 1947.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of one letter from Leda Kuebelkampf-Behrens providing genealogical information regarding the Behrens family.

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

#### A0103

Behymer, Francis Albert (1870-1956).

**Papers, 1882-1956.** 9 boxes

Mr. Behymer was born in Miamiville, Ohio, in 1870. He quit school at the age of 12 and in 1888 joined the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* as a proofreader. Four years later he moved to the news staff as a suburban correspondent, assigned to Belleville, Illinois. In 1900, he was assigned to the main office and began a chain of bright stories of rural life under his familiar "F.A. Behymer" byline that lasted half a century. His beat was rural Missouri, Illinois, and Arkansas. His stories were generally the homey tales of the little people. He served for a time as assistant Sunday editor at the *Post-Dispatch*, but he disliked desk jobs and moved back to reportorial work. Mr. Behymer retired from the *Post-Dispatch* and taught journalism classes at the University College of Washington University in 1952. He was the author of *Rider of the Night*.

Personal papers include record of first employment at the *Post-Dispatch*; correspondence; clippings; and drafts of speeches. Correspondence with Pearl Daniel regarding her writings about the depression in Montana (1930-1937); correspondence with columnist John G. Neihardt (1930s); correspondence and clippings regarding the academic freedom issue at McKendree College, Lebanon, Illinois (1948-1949); correspondence with Elizabeth Pilant and Richard Pilant on the subject of folklore, 1950-1952 (Elizabeth Pilant was executive secretary of the National Conference of American Folklore for Youth.); correspondence with Sid and Arlene Hitchings about life in the Ozarks, 1950-1953; notes from the writing class he taught at University College of Washington University, fall 1952; correspondence regarding St. Louis newspaper guild strike and Pulitzer's statement in regard to strike (1937-1942); literary manuscript titled "Doc Dudley's Deception," which concerns a woman doctor posing as a man; correspondence on Joseph Pulitzer's 60th birthday party, March 21,1945; account books, 1901-1917; correspondence regarding MacMurray College (Jacksonville, Illinois) where Behymer received a honorary degree of master of journalism, March 1946; correspondence regarding the Methodist Federation for Social Action; correspondence regarding publication of short stories in *Reader's Digest*; correspondence regarding his feature stories: grazing, strip mining, planting forests; rough draft of speeches; biographical sketch, 1946.

Cite as: Francis Albert Behymer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2011

Beilharz-Fuller Family.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information pertaining to the Beilharz and Fuller families. Cite as: Beilharz-Fuller Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2012

Beimes-Schloemann Family.

**Papers, 1931-1985.** 1 folder

Collection contains (1) Two issues of *North-West Civic News* (Vol. III, No. 8, August 25, 1931; Vol. III, No. 11, November 23, 1931), published by the North-West St. Louis Improvement Association, which covers a district bounded roughly by Union Blvd., Bircher Blvd., Newstead Ave., and Easton Ave.; (2) four pages that appear to be from an issue of *North-*

West Civic News, [1930], which include an editorial, map of the improvement association's district, and notes about district residents; (3) three pages of stationery of The North West Saint Louis Improvement Association, 4225 Euclid Avenue; (4) four-page typescript history of the Schloemann family written by E.W. Beimes in 1977; (5) typescript letter signed Edmund William Beimes, Honolulu, Hawaii, to the Missouri Historical Society, February 8, 1985, which describes the work of the North-West St. Louis Improvement Association that his father, William Henry Beimes, helped to organize circa 1906-1910; and (6) undated Missouri Historical Society family history form filled out by Edmund William Beimes, which includes data on his ancestry.

Cite as: Beimes-Schloemann Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2013

Beiser Family.

**Genealogy, 1969.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Cynthia Beattie Beiser, 609 Rue Montand, St. Louis County, Mo.

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

#### A0104

Belcher, Nathan (1813- ).

**Papers, 1834-1885.** 1 box

Charles and William H. Belcher founded the Belcher Sugar and Refining Co. in St. Louis around 1845. The plant was located at Lewis and O'Fallon Streets. The refining company was sold to W.L. Scott in 1872. Their brother Nathan Belcher became a member of the Connecticut Congress and Senate and in 1853 he became a member of the U.S. Congress.

Papers consist of one folder of genealogical information on the Belcher family and eleven folders of letters written to Nathan Belcher from his brothers and sisters across the United States. The letters of William H. and Charles Belcher (1842-1872) deal with the operation of the sugar refining company and contain their comments on other events in St. Louis such as the great fire of 1849 and the cholera epidemic.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2014

Belin Family.

**Genealogy, 1950.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains genealogical information pertaining to Ann Belin and the Belin family. Cite as: Belin Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2015

Bell, James W.

Collection, 1863; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains marriage license of James W. Bell and Jane Major, a biographical sketch of James W. Bell, and a family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Grace Major Bell, 5045 Westminster, St. Louis.

Cite as: James W. Bell Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2016

# Bell, Joseph Hardy.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Joseph Hardy Bell, 2216 Colfax Drive, Greendale, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Joseph Hardy Bell Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2436

# Bell, Margaret J.

**Papers, 1903-1921.** 4 items

Papers contain Board of Education of the City of St. Louis certificate of scholarship awarded to Margaret Bell, "who has satisfactorily completed the Eight District School Grades, and is therefore qualified for admission to the High School," January 23, 1903; registered nurse certificate awarded to Margaret J. Bell by the Missouri State Board for Examination and Registration of Nurses, July 15, 1919; registered nurse certificate awarded to Margaret J. Bell by the Missouri State Board of Nurse Examiners, September 20, 1921; and undated state board examination grade report of Miss Margaret J. Bell, issued by the Missouri State Board for the Examination and Registration of Nurses.

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

#### A2017

## Bell, Nicholas M.

**Collection**, **1931-1949**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Nicholas M. Bell was born in Lincoln County, Missouri, in 1842. His parents moved to St. Louis in 1860. As a candidate for the Missouri General Assembly in 1870, Bell defeated Joseph Pulitzer to become Democratic state representative in St. Louis. He served two terms but remained politically active. Bell served as a secretary and a delegate at ten Democratic national conventions. In 1855, he was appointed superintendent of foreign mails by President Grover Cleveland and remained in this post until 1889. In 1888, Bell married Maggie Peper, daughter of prominent St. Louis tobacco merchant and manufacturer Christian Peper. He resided for many years at 4442 West Pine Blvd.

The collection consists of two printed biographical sketches of Bell, a genealogy of Christian Peper's family including obituaries of Christian Peper, and probate papers filed by the Missouri Historical Society against Bell's estate.

Cite as: Nicholas W. Bell Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2018

Bell, Ovid Hall.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1958.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Ovid Hall Bell Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0105

Bellairs, Kenneth G.

**Papers, 1892-1942.** 1 box

Kenneth Bellairs was born in India where his father was a British Army officer. The family moved to St. Louis when he was a boy. He received the nickname "Jock" by attending to the horses at the St. Louis Fairgrounds. He worked for the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* and the *Post*, but from 1893 until his death he was the police reporter for the *St. Louis Star-Times*.

Collection contains correspondence and newsclippings concerning police matters; mementoes of the Maxwell-Preller murder case which shocked St. Louis in the 1880s; copies of reports and stories of police cases; a series of clippings and letters concerning Missouri governor Joseph W. Folk (1904-1908), a longtime friend of Bellairs. Finding aid available.

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

#### A2347

## **Bellefontaine Farms.**

## Photograph Album, circa 1920s-1940s. 1 item

Title page of photograph album reads, "History and Views of Bellefontaine Farms, the Juvenile Court Corrective Parental Institution of the City of St. Louis." The album contains 25 captioned photographs of Bellefontaine Farms, many of which show buildings on the grounds. The album also contains a 1-page typescript history of "the Bellefontaine Farms, Site of the New St. Louis Industrial School," and a 3-page copy of the U.S. War Department record of Fort Bellefontaine, which relates the history of the fort in the early 1800s.

Cite as: Bellefontaine Farms Photograph Album, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0106

## Below, Frank H.

Family papers, 1896-1942. 2 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Frank H. Below was an accountant in Chicago; a member of the Missouri Home Guard, 1st Regiment Infantry; and assistant treasurer of Simmons Hardware Company.

Collection contains family correspondence including letters of Frank and Nellie Below, 1924-1926 (Nellie's letters describing trip to Europe); letters of Louis and Dorcus Wolf, 1922-1942; correspondence of Augustus Hager Bryant, 1924-1938; business correspondence regarding the Simmons Hardware Company, circa 1895-1923; Frank Below's garden/farm journal, 1896, with clippings regarding gardening; and photographs and family memorabilia. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frank H. Below Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2019

## Belt, Henry B.

Biography, 1866. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains an autobiographical sketch of Henry B. Belt.

Cite as: Henry B. Belt Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2020

## Belt, William H.

**Collection**, **1882-1960**. 2 folders [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains three handwritten reminiscences of St. Louis in the late nineteenth century, an 1882 dance card for a dance held at the Laclede Hotel by the Shaw Club, a 1900 program for a mass meeting in St. Louis to generate aid for widows, orphans, and dependents of British soldiers engaged in the Boer War, a 1905 graduation exercises program for St. Louis Central High School, an invitation to the opening ceremonies of the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair, a circular announcing an address by Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, to be delivered on Armistice Day, 1927, and ephemera.

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

## A2024

## Belz, Dorothy Pershall.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 sheet [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dorothy Pershall Belz, 53 Portland Place, St. Louis.

Cite as: Dorothy Pershall Belz Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0107

Bemis Family.

**Papers, 1831-1931.** 1 box; 2 volumes

The Bemis family was a prominent St. Louis family who were proprietors of the Bemis Bag Company. The company was started in 1858 by Judson M. Bemis (1833-1921) and had factories throughout the United States.

Collection includes several genealogical scrapbooks, among which is Judson A. Bemis' compilation of the Bemis family genealogy, tracing the family to the early 1600s; Stephen A. Bemis' scrapbook (1865-1919), which includes material on Bemis Bag Company; an unbound volume of the related Anderson and Kennedy family genealogy; and an unbound volume of Bemis family memorabilia (1891-1918). The collection also contains correspondence, invitations, clippings, and advertising matter on the Bemis Bag Company. Cite as: Bemis Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0108

## Bench and Bar Collection, 1820-1949. 1 folder

Collection contains signatures of attorney generals of Missouri, 1820-1941; document stating obligation of members of the St. Louis Bar to elevate the tone and dignity of the bar, 1900; circular letter addressed to the Democratic lawyers of St. Louis, dated July 1, 1916, recommending that the Bar Association should cooperate with central committees of several parties to obtain nominations of men of approved standing at the bar from judicial positions; program honoring Ely Smith, March 7, 1949; printed copy of Eugene Angert's "The Law is Not a Jealous Mistress"; and a list of the members of consolidated courts.

Cite as: Bench and Bar Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2021

## Bender, Averam Burton.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Averam Burton Bender, 6319 Clemens Ave., University City, Mo.

Cite as: Averam Burton Bender Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2330

## Benedict, A.E.

## Letter to Mr. J.C. Bailey, 1845 July 1. 1 item

Letter signed A.E. Benedict, Fayette, Howard County, Missouri, to Mr. J.C. Bailey [Auditor General, Detroit, Michigan?]. Encloses \$5 and asks Bailey to send him property tax receipts for 1844.

Cite as: A.E. Benedict Letter to Mr. J.C. Bailey, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0109

Bennett Mercantile Company (Salem, Missouri).

**Ledger, 1902.** 1 volume (600 pages)

Indexed ledger of accounts of a general store in Salem, Missouri, dated May 1 to September 17, 1902.

Cite as: Bennett Mercantile Company Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2023

Bennett, Tom W.

**Genealogical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Tom W. Bennett Genealogical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0110

Benoist Family.

## **Benoist-Charleville family papers, 1793-1949.** 1 box; 1 volume

Francois Marie Benoist came to St. Louis from Canada in 1790. He was engaged in the fur and Indian trades. In 1802 he partnered with Manuel Lisa to form Manuel Lisa-Benoit & Company. He married Catherine Sanguinet in 1798. Among their seven children was Louis Benoist who opened the Benoist Bank in 1832. Benoist became a successful banker with branches in St. Louis and New Orleans. Joseph Chauvin Charleville settled in Kaskaskia around 1770. When he died in 1787, his widow Francoise Brazeau Charleville moved her children to St. Louis where the family became established thereafter.

Collection includes a volume of handwritten abstracts of land deeds of Louis A. Benoist and Theodore Benoist in present-day south St. Louis. These land deeds, which include Spanish grants and surveys, are dated 1793-1892. Additional material on the Benoist family includes commissions of the king of France to Antoine Gabriel Francois Benoist for his military service in Canada; a certified copy of his military record from 1735 through 1759; and 31 photostat manuscripts pertaining to the Benoist family, including a family tree and documents pertaining to Antoine Gabriel Francois Benoist. The material concerning the Charleville family includes various deeds of sale; marriage contracts; a document of the first divorce in Missouri; and wills, etc.

Some French.

Finding aid available

Cite as: Benoist-Charleville Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2565

Bensinger Family.

Papers, 1916-1928. 1 folder

Papers include eight St. Louis Public Schools report cards of Muriel Bensinger, 1924-1928; St. Louis Public Schools report card of Albert Bensinger, July 1927; and three dance cards for dances at Columbia Hall (one is dated March 10, 1916; two are undated).

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

## A0111

Bent Family.

# Bent-St. Vrain family papers, 1796-1926. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

Silas Bent was born in 1768. He married Martha Kerr. He was appointed surveyor general of the St. Louis District in 1806 and was one of the supreme court judges of the territory until 1821. He was the clerk of the county court until he died in 1827. Charles and William Bent and Ceran St. Vrain developed a fur trading business named Bent, St. Vrain and Company in 1839. The business was organized to develop a fur trade with the Indians of the Southwest and to market American merchandise in New Mexico. Charles Bent assumed the responsibility for arranging credit for the firm in St. Louis and for purchasing and transporting the trade goods to New Mexico. St. Vrain, who by the mid 1820s had become well established in New Mexico, and who later became a Mexican citizen, was responsible for marketing the merchandise. William Bent did not become an active partner until after Bent's Fort was built in Colorado.

Collection contains genealogical information on the Bent family and some information on the St. Vrain family. Also includes information concerning the Bent-St. Vrain Company and the founding of Bent's Fort in Colorado. Also includes some original manuscripts from John Bent and Ceran St. Vrain.

Cite as: Bent-St. Vrain Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0112

Bent, Silas (1882-1945). Papers, 1908-1945. 4 boxes

Silas Bent (1882-1945), journalist, author, and lecturer, began newspaper work in 1900 in Louisville, Kentucky, on the *Louisville Herald*. After three years he moved to St. Louis and joined the staff of the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* as reporter and assistant editor. He was appointed assistant professor of theory and practice of journalism at the University of Missouri School of Journalism when the school was opened in 1908, but resigned that position in February 1909 to return to the *Post-Dispatch*. Later, he did publicity work in Chicago and then spent 13 years in New York City. As a freelance writer he contributed articles to the *New York Times*, the *World*, and the *Herald-Tribune*, and to such magazines as *Century, Scribner's, The Nation*, the *Atlantic Monthly*, the *North American Review, The Independent, Current History, Collier's*, and the *Yale Review*. Bent is the author of *Ballyhoo* (1927), a critical survey of newspaper practices; *Strange Bedfellows* (1929), a book on contemporary political leaders; a biography of Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, and *Buchanan of the Press* (Vanguard Press, 1932), a novel about a reporter's career with St. Louis as the scene. He is buried at Bowling Green, Kentucky.

The papers include Bent's correspondence regarding his work with publishers, magazines, and organizations. Correspondents include Bernard M. Baruch, Charles Beard, Edward Bernays, T.B. Constain, Andrew W. Mellon, Adolph Ochs, Joseph Pulitzer, William Marion Reedy, Elmer Rice, and Alfred E. Smith. The collection also includes his work in the investigation and publishing of facts in the Sacco-Vanzetti case, prohibition, and other public questions of the period, 1925-1940.

See archives card index.

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

## A0113

Bentley, Jane M.

## **Research notes, 1969-1983 (bulk 1969-1977).** 1 box

Collection includes research notes, correspondence, several scrapbooks, etc., concerning Bentley's genealogical research on her great grandfather Salmon Giddings. Also includes the undated literary notebook of Frederick Salmon Giddings and several notebooks compiled by

Bentley regarding the history of Bonhomme Presbyterian Church, in Chesterfield, Missouri, and Giddings' relationship to the church. Jane Bentley left this collection with Bonhomme Presbyterian Church to do with as they saw fit.

Cite as: Jane M. Bentley Research Notes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0114

## Benton School.

Scrapbook, 1993-2003. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Select photocopies of data from photograph albums assembled by James McEwen documenting the history of Benton School in St. Louis. Also includes two original year books and an original program. (Original scrapbooks are held at the St. Louis Public School Archives.) Cite as: Benton School Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0115

## **Benton, Thomas Hart (1782-1858).**

# **Papers, 1790-1958.** 2 boxes

Thomas Hart Benton was born March 14, 1782, near Hillsborough, North Carolina. He was the son of Colonel Jesse Benton and Ann Gooch Benton. The family moved to Tennessee after the death of Col. Benton and settled an area of wilderness 25 miles from Nashville. Thomas attended the University of North Carolina but did not complete his studies before the family moved westward. Later, Thomas studied law under St. George Tucker, joined the U.S. Army in 1810, and became closely associated with Tennessee Supreme Court Justice Andrew Jackson. He was admitted to the Tennessee Bar in 1811. Benton was elected to the Tennessee legislature, but when the War of 1812 was declared he was appointed aide-de-camp to General Andrew Jackson. A dispute between Jackson and Benton's brother Jesse and William Carroll eventually involved Thomas and the subsequent disagreements resulted in several years of estrangement between Benton and Jackson. In 1815, Benton moved to St. Louis and started the Missouri Inquirer but also continued to practice law. In large part because of his avid support of Missouri statehood, Benton was elected as one of the two first senators from Missouri in 1820 and served in that office for the next thirty years, 1821-1851. Benton was a strong Democrat and staunch supporter of President Andrew Jackson. He chose to retire from the U.S. Senate in 1850, but was elected to the U.S. House in 1852. Benton ran for governor of Missouri in 1856, but was defeated in a three-way race. He retired from politics and dedicated the remainder of his life to writing about his career in politics. Benton died in Washington, D.C., on April 10, 1858. He is buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis. Elizabeth McDowell Benton, whom Thomas married in 1821, died in 1854. Jesse Benton was the second son of Colonel Jesse and Ann Gooch Benton. He was born in 1783 in North Carolina. Jesse married Mary Childress of Tennessee in 1808. He died in Tennessee in September 1843. Samuel Benton was born in 1785, the third son of Colonel Jesse and Ann Gooch Benton. Samuel married Mary Hunter. He resided in Nachitoches, Louisiana. Jesse Benton Fremont was the daughter of Thomas Hart Benton and the wife of John C. Fremont. She was born May 31, 1824, at Cherry Grove, the Benton's estate in Rockbridge County, Virginia. Jesse married John C. Fremont in 1841. She died December 27, 1902, in Los Angeles, California.

The collection consists of political correspondence, family letters, family papers, newspaper articles, circulars, photographs, and genealogy and research notes. The collection contains original documents, typescripts, and photostats. The material in Box 1 relates primarily to Benton's career in the newspaper business in St. Louis and the beginning of his political career. Among the items are letters relating to Benton's involvement in the Barton-Hempstead duel and

Benton's duel with Charles Lucas, fought in St. Louis in 1817. Folder 2 contains articles from the Missouri Intelligencer and Boonslick Advertiser concerning Benton's politics, 1821-1828. Folder 3 contains Benton's letters to friends and family regarding his marriage to Elizabeth McDowell in 1821. Folder 4 contains an original copy of a counter petition circulated on Benton's behalf by citizens of Missouri in response to an earlier petition citing Benton's unworthiness to hold office. Folder 5 contains articles written by Benton regarding the annexation of Texas. Folder 7 contains a facsimile of the Expunging Resolution of 1837, Benton's successful attempt to remove the censure placed on Andrew Jackson by the U.S. Senate in 1834. The collection contains letters from Benton to Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay, General John Preston, Reverend Finis Ewing, Father De Smet, Missouri Governor Daniel Dunklin and others regarding Missouri politics, Democratic politics, Jacksonian issues, the Bank of the United States, the salt tax, and John C. Fremont's expedition to the West. Box 2 contains a bound copy of the letter written by Benton declining a chance to run as vice-president under Martin Van Buren. The collection contains numerous family letters written by Thomas, his brothers Jesse and Samuel, his mother Ann, and various nephews, as well as, Benton's daughter Jesse Ann Benton Fremont. The letters contain information about family slaves, the emigration of Samuel and his family to the Sabine River region of Texas, Jesse Benton, Jr.'s studies at Marion College, and other family business.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas Hart Benton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2568

## Bentrup-Priebe-Yaeger Family.

**Papers**, **1893-1934**. 4 items (oversize)

Collection contains baptismal certificate of Gustav Karl Eduard Priebe, son of August Priebe and Emma Jaddatz Priebe, St. Louis, Missouri, February 26, 1893 (in German); confirmation certificate of August Karl Eduard Priebe, St. Louis, Missouri, March 24, 1907 (in German); Holy Communion certificate of Viola Ursula Yaeger, St. Louis, Missouri, May 23, 1921; and marriage certificate of Edwin H. Bentrup and Miss Viola Yaeger, St. Louis, Missouri, December 22, 1934. Cite as: Bentrup-Priebe-Yaeger Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1915

# Bergan, Heinrietta.

Papers, 1894. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Contains one letter (in German) to Heinrietta Bergan of Jefferson City, Missouri, regarding an order placed with the firm of Dr. E. Albert & Company of Munich, Germany. German.

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

## A0116

# Berger, Field, Torno & Hurley (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Architectural Drawings, 1962-1976. 68 tube boxes; 1 box

Approximately 100 projects, primarily commercial, some residential, in the St. Louis metropolitan area. Includes many original drawings and conceptual drawings but there are no job files. Firm names include Charles T. Berger Architects, Inc., Berger-Landrum Architects, Inc.; Berger-Landrum-Field Architects & Planners, Inc; William D. Peckham; Cannon, Herman & Field, Inc.; William A. Field - Norman R. Stoecker Architects; Mauran, Russell & Crowell; and

Albert B. Groves.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Berger, Field, Torno & Hurley (Saint Louis, Missouri) Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2547

# Bergfeld, Ruth.

# Certificate, 1916 Feb 29. 1 item

Certificate states that Ruth Bergfeld has contributed to the fund raised by the school children of St. Louis for the purchase of an elephant for the Zoological Garden in Forest Park, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Ruth Bergfeld Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2026

## Berghoefer, Henry C.

**Collection, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of biographical information relating to Henry C. Berghoefer, a brief history of the Henry C. Berghoefer house at the corner of Shenandoah and Indiana in St. Louis, miscellaneous notes on smallpox and yellow fever deaths in St. Louis in 1872 and 1878, information regarding the steamboats *Grand Republic, Cherokee, and City of Providence*, and list of names written on stationery of the Supervisor of City Lighting, City of St. Louis.

Cite as: Henry C. Berghoefer Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3085

Bergmann, John (1883-1972) and Marie (1891-1968).

Family Collection, 1905-ca.1995. 2 boxes, 3 oversize folders

In 1901, John (Johann) Bergmann (1883-1972) immigrated to America from Schirradorf, Bavaria, Germany. He became a naturalized citizen in 1906 and on 29 April 1911, he married Marie Happel (Maria/Mary, 1891-1968). They settled in Franklin County and had nine children who lived to adulthood: William (Bill) George (1911-1984), Otto (Otts) John (1915-1996), Rose (Rosie, Bud) Marie Stupperich (1918-2000), Helen Marie Dorothea (1920-1947), Henry Andrew (1922-1943), Emil Andrew (1927-2009), Elsie (Elly) Marie Lucido (1929-1983), Charles (Charlie) William (1931-2002), and Eugene (Gene) Otto (1933-2017).

The collection contains various documents, correspondence, a scrapbook, and newspaper clippings relating to John and Marie Bergmann, seven of their nine children, and two of John Bergmann's nieces. The files are arranged alphabetically by name of family member (natural order) and date from 1905 to circa 1995. The bulk of the documents date from 1931 to 1956. Finding aid available.

Cite as: John and Marie Bergmann Family Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2467

Bergmann's Art Exhibition and Automatic City.

Broadside, no date. 1 item

The broadside promotes the exhibition at 13 South Broadway, between Market and Walnut Streets, St. Louis, Missouri. Broadside states in part, "Bergmann's greatest of all works of art the \$30,000 Automatic City! A triumph of genius! All automatic works of ancient or modern times eclipsed! The life of a poor German cabinet maker devoted to science! 17 years constant labor

and study spent to complete this the most elaborate mechanical work in the world! The city is actually alive with throngs of busy automatic workmen, all doing their work as natural as life." The Automatic City was created by Joseph Bergmann. R. Berger, manager.

Cite as: Bergmann's Art Exhibition and Automatic City Broadside, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2027

## Berkeley, Merrill Duane.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Merrill Duane Berkeley, 9145 Saddlebrook Drive, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Merrill Duane Berkeley Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0117

# Bernays, Thekla (1855-1913).

# **Papers, 1870-1931.** 2 boxes

Author and lecturer Thekla Bernays, daughter of Dr. George J. and Minni Bertrand Bernays, was born at Highland, Illinois, in 1855. Her brother was the noted St. Louis surgeon, Dr. Augustus Charles Bernays (1854-1907). Both were educated at McKendree College (Lebanon, Illinois) and Heidelberg University in Germany. Dr. Bernays was professor of anatomy in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of St. Louis and later was professor of anatomy and surgical pathology in the Marion-Sims College of Medicine. Thekla Bernays was at one time foreign correspondent of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* and contributed frequently to *Reedy's Mirror*, the *Westliche Post*, the *Criterion*, and other publications. She was a member of a literary group active in St. Louis in the 1890s and early 1900s, which included such noted people as Zoe Akins, Sara Teasdale, and William Marion Reedy. After her brother's death in 1907, she began the task of preparing his memoirs, which were published under the title *Augustus Charles Bernays: A Memoir* in 1912. Miss Bernays died January 30, 1931, in New York, and was buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis.

The papers include family letters and documents, clippings, scrapbooks, and correspondence of Thekla Bernays with literary figures in St. Louis, including Zoe Akins, George S. Johns, Orrick Johns, William Marion Reedy, and Sara Teasdale. Also includes correspondence with other notable American literary figures including Gertrude Atherton, Albert Bloch, Daniel Frohman, Frank Harris, Mitchell Kennerly, and George O'Neil. Scrapbooks contain clippings of Bernays' articles that appeared in newspapers and periodicals, as well as those referring to her brother's memoirs. Additional manuscripts in the collection include "The Judgement of Solomon—A Drama in Four Acts and an Interlude" by E. Torge (translation from the German by Thekla Bernays, 1914), and typescript titled "On the Light Reeds," poems by George O'Neil, with an introduction by Zoe Akins.

Some German.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A2028

Bernet, Milton.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Milton Bernet Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2029

Bernhard, Anton.

Papers, 1876-1914. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of promissory notes, titles, deeds, and a water license issued to Anton Bernhard, 1914.

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

#### A2030

Bernhardt, Sarah (1844-1923).

Autograph, 1918. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of two subscriber's receipts for World War I war bonds signed by French actress Sarah Bernhardt (one original signature, one carbon copy) in 1918.

Cite as: Sarah Bernhardt Autograph, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1452

Bernoudy, William Adair (1910-1988).

**Collection, 1939-1986.** 26 boxes

Primarily residential, some commercial and institutional projects, including job files, office files, personal material, and scattered sketches. The drawings are held at Washington University Libraries, Department of Special Collections and University Archives. Firm names represented include Bernoudy, Mutrux & Bauer and Bernoudy Associates.

Collection currently closed to all research.

Cite as: William Adair Bernoudy Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0118

Berrell, George B. (1849-1933).

**Journals, 1871-1883.** 10 volumes; 4 folders

George B. Berrell, an actor and theatrical stage manager, was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He was named stage manager for DeBar's Opera House in St. Louis in 1876, and named acting manager in 1878, shortly after Ben DeBar's death in 1877. He was thereafter engaged with a variety of theatrical groups in and out of St. Louis, including the Grand Opera House (after 1882) and the Olympic Theatre in St. Louis.

The bulk of the collection consists of nine journals, kept by Berrell, that recount his adventures in theater and in life from 1871 until 1883. Among the varied entries are discussions of his theatrical career as a prompter with the Academy of Music in Chicago (1874), with DeBar's Opera House in St. Louis (from 1876), with the Acme Dramatic Company, a touring stock show (summer 1882), and with the Grand Opera House and Olympic Theater in St. Louis (1882-1883). Entries also discuss Berrell's numerous fishing trips (with one journal devoted extensively to his "Piscatorial Summer of 1878"); travels in New York and elsewhere; his thoughts on a celebrated murder of a St. Louis lawyer by a *Post-Dispatch* editor; and comments on Ben DeBar's estate. Also includes an undated volume titled "Annals of the Drama," which consists of notes about eighteenth-century British actress Sarah Siddons.

Cite as: George B. Berrell Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2031

Berry, George (1880-1960).

**Collection, 1960.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection consists of a biographical sketch of George Berry who was closely associated with

the automobile industry in St. Louis during the first half of the twentieth century. Cite as: George Berry Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2034

Berry, John. (1849-1931).

**Collection, 1962-1971; no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Captain John Berry, known as the dean of American aeronauts, was an early pioneer of hot air ballooning. He experimented with ballooning since age 14 and later began to design and build hot air balloons for competitive racing. Berry became associated with Thomas Benoist, a pioneer of St. Louis aviation, and formed the Berry Aerial Navigation Company with several other partners. He designed one of the first prototype helicopters.

The collection consists of biographical information on John Berry and newspaper clippings relating to Berry compiled by A.J. Rebstock, Sr.

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

## A2032

Berry, William (1755-1839).

**Revolutionary War Record, 1918.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

U.S. Department of the Interior Revolutionary War record outlining the military service of William Berry, a soldier of the Revolutionary War. Sent to Mrs. Iona B. Wilson, 5547 Waterman Ave., St. Louis, in reply to her request.

Cite as: William Berry Revolutionary War Record, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2033

**Berry, William (1813- ).** 

Letter, 1866. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of one letter written by William Berry to Elihu Shepherd, August 1, 1866. The letter provides biographical information on Berry.

Cite as: William Berry Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2035

Berryman Family.

Genealogy, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of genealogical notes pertaining to the Berryman family.

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

## A0119

Berthold, Bartholomew (1780-1831).

Berthold family papers, 1785-1954. 1 box; 4 volumes

Bartholomew Berthold (1780-1831) was a Tyrolese by birth, and baptized Bartholomew Berthold de Mocenigo, December 31, 1780. He came to the United States June 17, 1798, and took out his naturalization papers in Philadelphia, at which time he dropped the name "de Mocenigo." He lived in Baltimore until 1809 when he came to St. Louis and established a dry goods and grocery business with Rene Paul. On January 10, 1811, Berthold married Pelagie Chouteau (1790-1875), daughter of Pierre Chouteau, Sr. The firm of Berthold and Paul dissolved June 6, 1812, and Berthold went into partnership with his brother-in-law Pierre Chouteau, Jr. The store opened May 1, 1813, under the firm name of Berthold & Chouteau. Later, John Pierre

Cabanne and Bernard Pratte joined Berthold and Chouteau and they became connected with John Jacob Astor as partners in trade under the name of the American Fur Company. The successful business made each partner wealthy. Berthold died April 20, 1831, leaving his wife and seven children.

The papers include genealogical data, deeds, receipts, marriage contracts, wills, and other papers of the family of Bartholomew Berthold and their descendants (Machlot, Peugnet, Sarpy, Gratiot). The collection also includes a checkbook of the firm of Berthold and Chouteau in account with the Bank of Missouri, in St. Louis (1820-1821); an arithmetic and account exercise book of James Montgomery dated 1804-1805; an autograph book of Eugenie Berthold dated circa 1902; and a record book containing poems and clippings of Martha J. Berthold, 1871-1912. Some manuscripts and the Eugenie Berthold autograph book in French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A2036

Bester, Carole Jean (1940-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1964. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Carole Jean Bester, 1136 North Geyer Road, Kirkwood, Mo.

Cite as: Carole Jean Bester Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2529

Bethlehem Township, Henry County, Missouri.

**Road Tax Book, 1876.** 1 item (15 pages)

The first page of this road tax book reads, "By direction of the Township board every citizen liable to road labor is to do two days work upon the road in their district. Whether his name appears upon this list or not the overseer will require each one to labor as above. This book to be returned to the township clerk at the end of the year." Most of the entries in this book include the taxpayer's name, number of acres, legal description of property, value, and amount of taxes. Names include Moses Hubbard, J.M. Woods, Francis Jones, Isaac Lines, George Wm. Hoops, Lewis Cox, Jno. H.B. Renfro, L.W. Newel, C.E. Cheatham, J.M. Bridges (estate), Jno. H. Brown, M.A. Brown, Irvin J. Lee, H.H. Stephenson, Alfred Reid, Solomon Davis, and John J. Hurst. Entries in an additional list include taxpayer's name, value, and amount of taxes. Names in this list include John H. Brown, M.A. Brown, C.E. Cheatham, Henderson Davis, John J. Herst (or Hurst), Sarah Herst (or Hurst), S.C. Herst (or Hurst), Mary Hoops, G.W. & W.M. Hoops, James W. Jones, C.W. Jones, Francis Jones, Isaac Lines, John W. Lisle, May M. Lee (guardian J.C. Rivers), John C. Lee, Irvin E. Lee (trustees A. Reid, J.W. Wright, L. Spence), L.W. Newel, Alfred Reid, John H.B. Renfro, James T. Rivies, and James A. Reid. The book also includes a note signed J.M. Woods, clerk of Bethlehem Township, certifying that the list of road taxes is a correct transcript; note regarding work on the road by C.W. Jones; and an account of C.W. Jones with Bethlehem Township.

Cite as: Bethlehem Township, Henry County, Missouri, Road Tax Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0120

Betts, Isaac (Ike) W.

Collection, 1854-1974. 2 volumes; 5 folders; 1 oversize folder

Isaac (Ike) Betts, came to St. Louis circa 1888. On April 9, 1888, he married Eulalie Gamache, daughter of a prominent French family of Carondelet (South St. Louis). They had three children. The family lived in St. Louis for several years where Betts was a boiler inspector in the United States Steamboat Inspection Service. In July 1914 they moved to Louisville, Kentucky, where he assumed the duty as the boiler inspector for the Louisville office of the Steamboat Inspection Service (U.S. Department of Commerce). Captain Betts was a collector of river lore, and compiled scrapbooks of clippings from magazines and newspapers on steamboat travel.

The collection contains two scrapbooks compiled by Isaac Betts: one scrapbook contains clippings from the *Waterways Journal* and newspapers relating to steamboats; the second scrapbook, titled "Historical and Descriptive Data of Steamboat Life," contains clippings from the *Waterways Journal* and newspapers relating to steamboats, steamboat men, and steamboat disasters. This latter scrapbook also contains numerous photographs and postcards of steamboats, and the front of the scrapbook contains handwritten notes on steamboat disasters from 1854 to 1856 and 1864 to 1871, compiled by Capt. Alfred Guthrie. The collection also includes correspondence, 1926-1938; manuscript titled "Same Old Ike in a Reminiscence Mood"; manuscript sheet music of a song titled "My Dear Old Ohio Home," by Ike W. Betts, dedicated to brother John T. Betts; certificates/licenses of Sidney W. Betts (son), dated September 24, 1919, August 11, 1925, and 1968; inspection certificates for the steamboats *Robert E. Lee* (1876), *J.M. White* (1878), and *U. & I.* (1899); Indiana Board of Pharmacy certificate granted to Floyd Parks (1907); enrollment certificate of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America granted to Isaac W. Betts (1908); and brochures regarding nuclear-powered ships.

Cite as: Isaac W. Betts Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2037

Beveridge, Thomas R. (1918-).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of genealogical data sheet pertaining to the Beveridge family.

Cite as: Thomas R. Beveridge Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2039

Bibbs, Cheryl Susheel.

Collection, 1989. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of publicity literature, pamphlets, and news clippings pertaining to the teaching and musical career of St. Louis-born opera singer Cheryl Susheel Bibbs.

Cite as: Cheryl Susheel Bibbs Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2038

Bibbs, Richard G.

**Collection, 1936.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Consists of two letters relating to the life of Captain Richard G. Bibbs.

Cite as: Richard G. Bibbs Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2040

Biedenstein, Marie Adele.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marie Adele

Biedenstein, 9115 Meadowbrook Lane, Overland, Mo.

Cite as: Marie Adele Biedenstein Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2041

Bienvenu, Nemours.

Letter, 1911. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection contains one letter from Nemours Bienvenu, New Orleans, to Walter Douglas, St. Louis, regarding Bienvenu's relatives in Illinois.

Cite as: Nemours Bienvenu Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2042

Biggs, David C.

**Biographical Fact Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: David C. Biggs Biographical Fact Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2043

Bill, Harry Satterlee, Mrs.

Papers, 1951. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of genealogical information on the Bill and McClanahan families of Missouri and Kentucky.

Cite as: Mrs. Harry Satterlee Bill Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2044

Billon, Charles.

Papers, 1941-1944. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The papers consist of correspondence and genealogical charts regarding the Stollenwerck family.

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

## A0121

Billon, Clara.

Journal, 1876-1896; 1908-1954. 2 folders; 1 volume

Clara Billon was a member of an old St. Louis family. Her parents were Louis C. and Clara Peterson Billon. She married Darwin Raymond Aldbridge May 27, 1891.

Collection contains a journal kept by Clara Billon to record reminiscences of members of the Billon family. Also includes are newsclippings, pictures, letters, and other memorabilia. In the book are notes signed by Auguste, Cerre and Henry Chouteau; a certificate (1852) of Louis C. Billon's membership in the St. Louis National Guards; genealogical notes and holograph reminiscences of Frederic L. Billon, Clara Billon, Charles B. Gratiot, Henry T. Gratiot, Eliza J. Dillon, Samuel A. Gaylord, and others. Also includes newsclippings concerning Billon family and items regarding the Billon family.

Cite as: Clara Billon Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0122

Billon, Frederick L. (1801-1895).

**Papers**, **1673-1877**; **1894.** 1 box; 3 volumes; 3 oversize folders

Historian Frederick L. Billon was born April 28, 1801, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and died October 20, 1895, in St. Louis. He came to St. Louis in the autumn of 1818, and soon

became prominently identified with local affairs. He was a member of the Board of Aldermen in 1828, and thereafter was twice appointed city comptroller. In 1853, he was appointed first auditor of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, and held that position until 1858, when he became secretary and treasurer of the company. He resigned the last-named position in 1863, and from that time until his death devoted himself to collecting historical matter pertaining to the early settlement of St. Louis and the Mississippi Valley. He was long regarded as an authority on matters of this character, and published *Annals of St. Louis in its Territorial Days*. He married Miss E.L. Generelly, who was a native of Philadelphia. He had four children: Louis (born 1835), Clara (born 1840), George (born 1839), and Ada (born 1854).

The papers include the diary kept by Billon on his travels from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to St. Louis in 1818; notes on outstanding citizens and events of St. Louis, from a village in the early territorial days to the latter part of the nineteenth century; two memoranda books containing Billon's original notes of early marriage, baptismal, and burial records; notes on the affair of Benito Vasquez and Joseph Motard; maps, plats, and additions of the town of St. Louis; early wills and documents, and material on the origin of St. Charles County, Missouri, the families of Vincennes, Indiana, and the transfer of Louisiana. Names of prominent citizens represented in the collection include William H. Ashley, Joseph Chauvin, the Chouteaus, Daniel P. Cook, Ninian Edwards, Charles Gratiot, Pierre Laclede Liguest, Peter Menard, Sr., Joseph M. Papin, Dr. Saugrain, and General James Wilkinson. Collection also includes Billon's record book of orders for his 1894 book *Territorial Annals of St. Louis in the American Days* and is notable for containing autographs of several prominent St. Louisans; and preservation copies of his memoranda and his *Territorial Annals of St. Louis in the American Days*.

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frederick L. Billon Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2045

Billups Family.

Papers, 1922-1947. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The papers consist of family records and memorials of the Reverend Louis Billups and family.

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

## A0123

Billy the Kid.

**Collection, 1949-1955.** 1 box

The collection contains correspondence and newsclippings of Mr. William V. Morrison, a St. Louis lawyer, who attempted to prove that Billy the Kid was not shot and killed by Pat Garrett and that Billy the Kid was disguising himself as a Mr. O.L. Roberts of El Paso.

Cite as: Billy the Kid Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2046

Bingham, George.

Letter, 1822 Sept 5. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed George Bingham to John Bingham, Rockingham County, Virginia, September 5, 1822, regarding property deeds and slaves.

Cite as: George Bingham Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2047

# Bingham, H.

**Letter**, **1821.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of one letter from H. Bingham, Sandwich Islands, to Thomas H. Gallaudet, Hartford, Connecticut, regarding missionary work in the islands and the use of gestures and signs by the local populations.

Cite as: H. Bingham Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2048

# Bingham, William Levering.

Letter, 1866 July 16. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed William L. Bingham, St. Louis, to Elihu Shepherd, July 16, 1866, detailing his memories of early Saint Louis.

Cite as: William Levering Bingham Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0124

## Binswanger, Augustus.

**Diary, 1868-1871.** 1 box

Photocopy of typescript of a diary of St. Louis attorney Augustus Binswanger, dated 1868-1870, and photocopy of original diary, 1871. Contains daily descriptions of life in St. Louis. Cite as: Augustus Binswanger Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2050

## Birch Family.

Papers, 1900-1946. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The papers consist of two letters written by James H. Birch of Plattsburg, Clinton County, Missouri, recounting events in his life including his service in the Civil War, 1900-1903; a biographical sketch of Gertrude Birch Essig, 1946; and a letter from Rebecca Birch to Charles van Ravenswaay, 1946.

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

## A2051

## Birchfield, Susan A.M.

Letter, 1865 Feb 21. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed Susan A.M. Birchfield, St. Louis, to her brother Dock Birchfield. Cite as: Susan A.M. Birchfield Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2052

## Bird, Marcus.

**Letter, 1842 Aug 2.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Fragment of letter signed Marcus Bird, Callaway County, Missouri, to unknown recipient regarding the 1842 elections in the county.

Cite as: Marcus Bird Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2053

Birdsall, Mary Ambrose Smith.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1957.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mary Ambrose Smith Birdsall, 38 Crestwood Drive, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Mary Ambrose Smith Birdsall Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2054

Birge, Edna Riddle.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edna Riddle Birge, 5475 Cabanne Ave., St. Louis.

Cite as: Edna Riddle Birge Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2055

Bishop, Harry.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Harry Bishop, 15 Devondale Drive, Frontenac, Mo.

Cite as: Harry Bishop Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0125

Bishop, Richard T.

**Ledger, 1873-1896.** 1 volume

Business accounts ledger of a St. Louis carpenter and blacksmith.

Cite as: Richard T. Bishop Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0127

Bissell, Daniel (1768 or 1769-1833).

Papers, 1770-1962. 2 boxes; 5 volumes; 6 oversize folders

A native of Windsor, Connecticut, Daniel Bissell served in the Revolutionary War as a fifer in the 8th Regiment. He joined the Regular Army as a sergeant at the close of the war and participated in battles on the western frontier. He married Deborah Seba of Middletown, Connecticut, in 1793; they had six children, one dying in infancy. He was in command at Fort Massac on the Ohio River at the time of the Louisiana Purchase, and was sent to the Missouri Territory where he was appointed military commander of the territory, now in the state of Missouri and Illinois. By government order, he built Fort Bellefontaine and for several years (1809-1813) was its commandant. While at Fort Bellefontaine he was appointed justice of the peace for St. Ferdinand Township by Frederick Bates. He served in the War of 1812 on the northern frontier under General James Wilkinson and General George Izard and was rewarded with the brevet of brigadier general following his outstanding conduct at the battle of Lyon's Creek, October 19, 1814. Bissell spent his last years of military service at southern posts and was mustered out of service in 1821 at Baton Rouge. Bissell spent the remaining years of his life attempting to prove that his discharge had been unjustified. After 1821 Bissell retired to his estate on Bellefontaine Road. In 1825, he served as chairman of the committee to make arrangements for General Lafayette's visit to St. Louis. He died of pneumonia at his home in December 1833. His wife died November 15, 1843.

The collection contains Lieutenant Bissell's General Order books, 1792-1795; letters from the United States War Department relating to the building of the cantonment of Bellefontaine;

the conspiracy of Aaron Burr; the War of 1812; the council meeting at Portage Des Sioux, June 24, 1815; and the evacuation of Fort Osage, Madison, and Fort St. Charles in New Orleans. The papers also include material regarding the set of charges and specifications against Brigadier General Bissell by Major General Andrew Jackson, and Bissell's defense (1816); correspondence and certificates relating to the New Madrid land claims; and newsclippings about the Bissell home.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2058

Bissell Family.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a four-page typed genealogical sketch of the Bissell family. Cite as: Bissell Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2056

Bissell, George R.

Letter, 1911. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by George R. Bissell, Dromore County, Ireland, to Idress Head, St. Louis, describing his recent trip to America and Canada.

Cite as: George R. Bissell Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0126

Bissell House (St. Louis County, Missouri).

Architectural Drawings, 1961. 1 folder

Drawings of the General Daniel Bissell House at Franklinville Farms by Frank R. Leslie for the St. Louis County Historic Buildings Commission as part of the Historic American Buildings Survey. The diazo copies include floor plans, elevation, and assorted interior and exterior details/sections.

Cite as: Bissell House (St. Louis County, Missouri) Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2057

Bissell, Lewis.

**Collection**, **1866-1920**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a letter written by Lewis Bissell to Elihu Shepard, July 20, 1866, regarding his experiences as a soldier in St. Louis and the West during the War of 1812, his acquaintance with William Clark and Meriwether Lewis, and his travels; transcription of obituary of Lewis Bissell taken from the *Missouri Republican*, November 27, 1868; information regarding a family that owned the Bissell House; and photographs of the Bissell House, circa 1920.

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

## A2059

Bissell, Richard (1913-1977).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Richard Bissell was an author/playwright.

The collection consists of one genealogical fact sheet for the Richard Bissell family of

Dubuque, Iowa. (Richard Bissell's personal papers are held at the University of Iowa Library, Iowa City.)

Cite as: Richard Bissell Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0128

Bissell, William Henry (1811-1860).

**Papers, 1824-1861.** 1 box

William Henry Bissell (1811-1860), attorney at Belleville, Illinois, served in the Mexican War, participating in the Battle of Buena Vista, February 1847. He was elected to the House of Representatives in 1848 and 1850, and gained a national reputation with his speech in the House on the slave question in 1850. In 1856, he was elected governor of Illinois but died ten months later before the expiration of his term.

The collection includes correspondence primarily from statesmen and politicians with reference to Bissell's service in the Black Hawk War and the Battle of Buena Vista in the Mexican War; the Wilmot Proviso; and Bissell's speech before the House of Representatives, February 21, 1850, on the slave question. Also includes the journal (December 14-24, 1853) of James Henry Carleton while he was stationed at the ruins of La Gran Quivira; journal was sent to Brevet Major W.A. Nichols

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A2060

Bissell's Point.

**History, circa 1920.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Photocopy of handwritten, three-page history of Bissell's Point in St. Louis County, Missouri, written on the stationery of Dr. E.F. Randall, 4426 North 14th St., St. Louis. Cite as: Bissell's Point History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2061

Bissonnet-Pascay-Pasquier-Primeau Family.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typed list of marriage dates, baptisms, and burials for members of the family. Cite as: Bissonnet-Pascay-Pasquier-Primeau Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2062

Bittinger, John L. (1833-).

Papers, 1874-1875. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

John Bittinger was part owner of the *St. Joseph* (Mo.) *Morning Herald*. He was active in Missouri Republican politics. In 1875, he was implicated in the Whiskey Ring corruption case.

The collection consists of citizenship papers issued by the state of Louisiana for John L. & Annie M. Bittinger; a commission appointing Bittinger to the Board of State Centennial Managers; and a pencil copy of a letter from state attorney H.B. Johnson to former Missouri governor W.P. Hall stating that there is no valid case against Bittinger connecting him with the Whiskey Ring.

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

## A0129

# Bixby, William Keeney (1857-1931).

Papers, 1700-1931. 33 boxes; 4 volumes; 2 oversize folder

William Keeney Bixby, businessman and financier, was born January 2, 1857, at Adrian, Michigan, son of Alonzo Foster and Emma Louisa Keeney Bixby. He was educated in public schools and graduated from Adrian High School in 1873. Following graduation, he worked as a baggage handler on the railroad in Texas, and was later brought to St. Louis by H.M. Hoxie, president of the Missouri Pacific. Bixby began his St. Louis career with the American Car and Foundry Company, of which he became president, subsequently acting as chairman of the board until his retirement in 1905. He was also a cofounder of the Lithosite Manufacturing Company of St. Louis, manufacturers of roofing tile and soil pipe. Bixby's social and civic interests were numerous, and following his retirement he continued to serve on the board of directors of several banks, utilities, and industries. He was an avid collector of autographs, manuscripts, and rare books, and was generous in presenting them to others. He served two terms as president of the Missouri Historical Society (1907-1913 and 1925-1930), and was instrumental in securing a permanent headquarters for the society in Forest Park. Bixby married Lillian Tuttle June 13, 1881, in San Antonio, Texas. They had six children: Sidney, William, Harold, Ralph, Emma, and Ruth. Bixby died October 29, 1931.

The collection includes Bixby's own papers together with the manuscripts collected by him. Bixby's correspondence relates to his business affairs, his purchases and sales of manuscripts, his philanthropic work, the many books that he published privately, his activities with the Red Cross, his world travels, and the many societies of which he was a member. Includes material on the St. Louis City Art Museum, the Sears Memorial at Mary Institute, Washington University, the Wixford controversy concerning credit for the method of purifying St. Louis city water, the Louisiana Purchase Exposition of 1904, the construction of the Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City, the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, and the Missouri Historical Society. Business record books include two minute books (1890-1900) and one ledger (1895-1899) of the Missouri Car and Foundry Company and the corporate record book of the Lithosite Manufacturing Company (1897-1899). Papers collected by Bixby include: a large autograph collection (European royalty and others); letters of Samuel Houston, Dorothy Jordan, Madame de Pompadour, and Zachary Taylor; material relating to Fort Chartres, Illinois (1730), Kaskaskia, Illinois (1753), Arkansas River fortifications (1751-1755), Andrew Jackson, and the Mexican War; and a missal bifolium from Florence, Italy (circa 1450-1470). Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0130

Black, Gurdon Gilmore (1880-1953).

**Papers, 1805-1950; no date.** 2 boxes; 2 volumes

Gurdon Gilmore Black, civil engineer and contractor, was born September 5, 1880, in St. Louis County. He was the grandson of a pioneering family to St. Louis, Samuel and Amanda (McCutchan) Black. Black attended Price School, Clayton Public School, St. Louis Manual Training School, and graduated from Washington University in 1901 with a B.S. in civil engineering. Following graduation, he worked as a civil engineer with the St. Louis Water Department. When war was declared in 1917, he resigned to enter the army and served in the 314th Engineer Regiment. When he returned from the war, he became engineer for the McCormack-Combs Construction Company, later becoming a member of the firm and its vice-president and treasurer. On December 6, 1924, Black married Mattie Lou Maddox, whose forebears had been pioneers and leaders in Callaway County, Missouri. In 1941, he joined the

Fruin-Colnon Contracting Company and the Fruco Construction Company. He died in 1953.

The bulk of the collection consists of biographical and genealogical material of Black and the related families of Ralph Clayton, McCutcheon, McKnight, Maddox, Grant Yates, and John Kennedy. The McKnight papers and accounts deal with the Spanish trade, 1836-1844. Other material includes stock certificates issued by Clayton, the Forest Park Railroad Company, and the North Missouri Railroad Company; plat of Kennedy land near St. Louis, diploma, tax receipts, and medical account book (1822-1825) containing record of illness of Frederick Bates, and papers of Dr. John D. Kennedy.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gurdon Gilmore Black Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2532

Blacklock, Jeannie Ethel.

# Biographical Data Sheet, 1966. 1 item

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Jeannie Ethel Blacklock, 7414 Carleton, University City, Mo.

Cite as: Jeannie Ethel Blacklock Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0131

Blackman family.

## Blackman-O'Neil scrapbooks, 1817-1960. 6 volumes

Joseph O'Neil was the founder of the O'Neil Lumber Company. Catherine was his third wife. Their son David O'Neil (1874-1947) married Barbara Blackman and had four children: David (1904-1908), George (1906-?), Horton (1907-?), and Barbara (1910-1980).

Collection consists of six scrapbooks: memoirs of George Blackman (Vol. 1, 276 pages, typescript), memorabilia of George Blackman and Carrie Horton Blackman (Vols. 2-3), scrapbook containing genealogy, cemetery photographs, and photocopies of family letters of Joseph O'Neil (1817-1893) and Catherine H. O'Neil (1842-1925), the Barbara O'Neil Scrapbook of Stage and Screen, 1930-1960 (Vol. 5), and The Suffrage Years of Barbara Blackman O'Neil, 1911-1919 (Vol. 6).

Cite as: Blackman-O'Neil Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2564

Blackmer & Post Pipe Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

## Desk blotter, no date.

Desk blotter of Blackmer & Post Pipe Co., manufacturers of sewer pipe, flue lining, wall coping and other clay products.

Cite as: Blackmer & Post Pipe Co. Desk Blotter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0132

Blackmer, Lucian Guy (1881-1961).

Papers, 1893-1956; 1962. 2 boxes

Lucian Guy Blackmer was born February 27, 1881, in St. Louis. He attended Webster Groves Public School, Central High School (1897-1899), and received a B.A. from Williams College in 1903. In 1907, he married Jane Cabell Wilkinson. He was a first lieutenant in the Missouri State Guard, and served in Company E of the Third Battalion, 1917-1919. Blackmer

worked for the Equitable Life Assurance Society before joining the firm founded by his father, Lucian R. Blackmer, with L.W. Post in 1877. He remained with the firm Blackmer & Post, sewer pipe manufacturer, for 41 years, and was president when it was sold to Laclede-Christy in 1952. Blackmer was also founder of the Security Mutual Bank and Trust Company and was on the board until his death. In 1936, he was appointed to the Administrative Board of Control of the City Art Museum of St. Louis and served 25 years, most of those years as its treasurer. An ardent art collector with a special interest in Chinese art objects, he was a member of the People's Art Center and the Artists' Guild. He died September 19, 1961.

The collection contains family genealogy and correspondence. The bulk of the papers comprise minutes of the administrative Board of Control of the City Art Museum of St. Louis on which Blackmer served from 1936-1961. The collection also includes minutes of the Ladue-Deer Creek Sanitary Sewer District, 1937-1939. An addition to the collection contains family correspondence, circa 1903-1924.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Lucian Guy Blackmer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2067

Blackwell, John Devincil (1867-1954).

Memorial Book, 1954. 1 volume [formerly Alphabetical File]

John Devincil Blackwell was born in Blackwell Station, Macon County, Missouri. He died at Fayette, Missouri, in 1954.

The collection consists of the memorial book signed by those who attended Blackwell's funeral in Fayette.

Cite as: John Devincil Blackwell Memorial Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2068

Blackwell, Thomas Edward (1898- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Thomas Edward Blackwell, 612 East Polo Drive, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Thomas Edward Blackwell Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2069

Blair, Albert (1840- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Albert Blair Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0133

Blair Family.

Frank and Montgomery Blair papers, 1817-1963. 2 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder Francis Preston Blair, Sr. (1791-1876) was a journalist and a political leader. His sons Francis Jr. (Frank) and Montgomery were also heavily involved in state and national politics. Francis, Jr., was born February 19, 1821, in Lexington, Kentucky. He graduated from Princeton in 1841 and later practiced law in St. Louis (1843). He was at one time the editor of the *Missouri Democrat*. From 1852 to 1856 he was a member of the Missouri legislature, and he was elected to Congress in 1857. He entered the army during the Civil War and was made brigadier general

and later major general. After the war he was the commissioner of the Pacific Railroad. He was elected to fill a vacancy in the U.S. Senate where he remained until 1873. He died July 8, 1875, in St. Louis. Montgomery Blair was born May 10, 1813, in Franklin County, Kentucky. He graduated from West Point in 1835 and fought in the Seminole War. He began to study law after the war and later practiced law in St. Louis in 1839. He was appointed the United States district attorney for Missouri, and in 1842 he was elected mayor of St. Louis. He moved to Maryland in 1852. In 1857, he acted as counsel for the plaintiff in the Dred Scott case. In 1861, he was appointed postmaster general of the United States by President Lincoln. He died July 23, 1883, in Silver Springs, Maryland.

Collection contains correspondence and clippings. Letters to and from Blair and his sons, Francis Preston Blair, Jr., and Montgomery Blair, concerning politics in Missouri, national politics, family and financial matters, the Civil War, military affairs and appointments. Collection also includes the Blair family Bible, printed in 1806, which was given to James Blair by his son-in-law.

Cite as: Frank and Montgomery Blair Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## Blair, Frank

See Frank Blair Monument Association.

## A2070

Blair, Frank Perrin (1884- ).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Frank Perrin Blair Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2071

Blair, James.

**Genealogy, 1903.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: James Blair Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2073

Blair, Nathan.

Papers, 1859-1860. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of two letters from Blair's cousins in Iowa discussing farming and family news.

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

## A2072

Blair, Vilray Papin (1871- ).

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Vilray Papin Blair Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2074

Blake, Jack A. (1931- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1969.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Jack A. Blake, 213 Glen Cove Drive, Chesterfield, Mo.

Cite as: Jack A. Blake Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0134

Blake, Lillie Devereux (1833-1913).

Papers, 1847-1986 (bulk 1847-1913). 10 boxes

Lillie Devereux Blake (1833-1913), writer, lecturer, reformer, and one of the pioneers in the cause of woman suffrage, was born in Raleigh, North Carolina. The family moved to New Haven, Connecticut, when Lillie was two years old, and she attended Miss Apthorp's School for Girls and later was tutored in college subjects by Yale professors. In 1855 she married Frank Geoffrey Quay Umsted, a Philadelphia lawyer. A few years later she published her first novel, Southwold. Her husband died in 1859, and she took up her literary work as a means of supporting herself and two children. During the first year of the Civil War, she was Washington correspondent of the New York *Evening Post*. In 1866 she married Grenfill Blake, a New York merchant. Her first active work in behalf of woman suffrage began in 1870. She arranged conventions, addressed committees of both houses of Congress and the legislature of several states, presided at public meetings, and made extensive lecture tours. One of her novels, Fettered For Life, was written during this period (1874) as a protest against the status of women in the community. She was president of the New York State Woman's Suffrage Association for 11 years, active in the National American Woman Suffrage Association, and in 1900 she founded the National Legislative League to obtain for women equality of legal, municipal, and industrial rights through action by the U.S. Congress and state legislatures. She championed measures that established matrons in police stations, women census takers, and women physicians in insane asylums admitting women patients. Her last book, A Dangerous Experiment, was published in 1892. She died December 30, 1913, in Englewood, New Jersey.

This collection consists largely of data used by Lillie Devereux Blake's daughter Katherine Devereux Blake to write her biography, *Champion of Women: The Life of Lillie Devereux Blake* (New York: Fleming H. Revell Company, 1943). Although the collection contains few of Lillie Devereux Blake's letters, it does include several, though not all, of her original journals and diaries, ranging from 1847 to 1903; a complete transcription of her diaries as prepared by her daughter; her unfinished autobiography; notes and texts of many of her public addresses; correspondence received; scrapbooks and printed matter relating to her involvement in the woman's suffrage campaign. The collection of correspondence received includes letters from Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Carrie Chapman Catt, and Matilda Joslyn Gage. Although the correspondence files relate largely to women's suffrage activities in New York, there is also material relating to women's suffrage activities nationwide, especially in connection with the National Legislative League that Blake founded to lobby for reform in the state legislatures. The collection also contains a small body of Civil War letters that Blake received from men in service with whom she was acquainted.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lillie Devereux Blake Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2075

Bland, P.E.

Letter, 1869 Oct 26. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed P.E. Bland, St. Louis, to a friend regarding a legal suit brought before the St. Louis County Court.

Cite as: P.E. Bland Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2076

Bland, Richard Parks (1835-1899).

## **Letter, 1878 Apr 10.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Richard Parks Bland was born in Kentucky. He moved to Missouri in 1855 but later left for the West. He returned to Missouri in 1865 where he eventually settled in Lebanon. In 1869, he was elected to Congress as a Democrat. He became an advocate of free silver coinage and sponsored the Bland-Allison Silver Purchase Act of 1878. His work as a silver advocate earned him the nickname "Silver Dick" Bland. He was a strong contender for the 1896 Democratic presidential nomination but lost to William Jennings Bryan. Although unsuccessful for reelection in 1894, he was reelected in 1897 and served until his death in 1899.

Letter signed R.P. Bland, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C., to F.W. Mathias, St. Louis, Mo., regarding the coinage of silver.

Cite as: Richard Parks Bland Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2077

## Blanke, Cyrus F.

# Biographical Data Sheets, no date. 2 items

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Cyrus Frederick Blanke.

Cite as: Cyrus F. Blanke Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2078

## Blankemeier, Phyllis Duncan.

Genealogy, no date. 1 item

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Phyllis Duncan Blankemeier, 10132 Meadowfield Lane, St. Louis County, Mo. Includes data on her grandfather Hans Elmer Blankemeier, who resided at 307 Central Place, Kirkwood, Mo., and her greatgrandfather Louis Frederick Blankemeier, 440 West Madison Ave., Kirkwood, Mo. Cite as: Phyllis Duncan Blankemeier Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2079

Blanken, John H. (1858-1929).

**Papers, 1891-1942.** 1 folder (31 items)

John Henry Blanken was born October 6, 1858, in Frohna, Perry County, Missouri. He married Emma Meister (1858-1941), and they had two daughters, Frieda and Emily (born 1891), and two sons, Anton (1890-April 9, 1899) and Otto (1885-February 10, 1907). On September 20, 1900, the family moved to Wentzville, Missouri, where John continued his work as a jeweler and optician. In the late 1920s, John and Emma moved to St. Louis to live with their daughter Emily. John died suddenly on November 20, 1929, at his home, 5871 Romaine Place, in St. Louis.

Collection consists of correspondence and other papers regarding the estates of Arno Meister and Martha Meister, Emma's siblings. The correspondence, primarily in German, is from Charles A. Weber, judge of the probate court of Perry County, Missouri, writing from Perryville, Missouri, and F.E. Goehring, administrator of the estates, writing from Frohna, Missouri. The collection also includes deeds for land in Wentzville, Missouri, a baptismal certificate for Emily Blanken, and John Blanken's obituary.

Some German.

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

## A2080

## Blanton, David E.

## **Letter, 1994.** 1 item

Typescript letter signed David E. Blanton, Sikeston, Missouri, to Ernest Allen, Jr., associate professor, University of Massachusetts at Amherst, February 28, 1994. Includes Blanton's first-hand account of the lynching of Cleo Wright in Sikeston in 1942.

Cite as: David E. Blanton Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2081

## Blattner, Jacob.

**Collection**, **1836-1987**. 5 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection consists of photocopies of documents relating to Jacob Blattner, including a marriage certificate of Jacob Blattner and Maria Kleiber, December 19, 1836; certificate of the Missouri adjutant-general's office, dated March 5, 1892, regarding the military service of Jacob Blattner in the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months) during the Civil War; undated application of J.F. Blattner for a permit to divert and appropriate the water of the state of Wyoming; and marriage certificate of Theodore H. Kleinschmidt and Mary M. Westerborg, Chouteau County, Montana, June 10, 1867. The original documents were donated to the Montana Historical Society.

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

## A0135

## Blattner, Jules M.

Papers, 1954-1986. 9 folders; 1 oversize folder

Jules M. Blattner graduated from Affton High School in 1958 and attended Washington University. He began performing in the St. Louis area around 1956 and was the founder of a rock-and-roll band, the *Teen Tones*. Blattner and his band played at nightspots and music festivals in the Midwest, and in 1968, they performed a four-month USO tour in the Far East. After his return to St. Louis, Blattner and his band continued to play locally, at such places as Gaslight Square's Butterscotch Lounge and the Casa Loma Ballroom.

Collection consists of personal papers and *Teen Tones* band memorabilia. Includes commencement announcements and programs of Affton Junior and Senior High Schools, 1954, 1958; correspondence of Jules Blattner, 1968; programs and promotional materials of the *Teen Tones*; newsclippings regarding Blattner family and the Teen Tones.

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

# Bleifuss and Company (Sainte Genevieve, Missouri).

See M. Bleifuss and Company.

## A0136

# Blennerhassett Family.

Papers, 1793. 3 folders

Harman Blennerhassett was born October 8, 1765, in England and was educated at Trinity College, Dublin. In 1796, he was ostracized by his family because of his marriage to his 17-year-old niece. They emigrated to America and bought an island on the Ohio River near Parkersburg, Virginia. He became associated with Aaron Burr and gave much of his wealth to help Burr achieve his scheme. In 1807, he was arrested and accused of treason. He and his wife left Ohio and moved to Mississippi where they failed as cotton planters and later moved to Canada. He died February 2, 1831, in Europe. His wife returned to America with one of her sons, Joseph

Lewis Blennerhassett, and with the help of Henry Clay, filed for damages against the United States government. She was unsuccessful in her claims and died in New York in 1842. Joseph Lewis Blennerhassett moved to Lincoln County, Missouri, where he practiced law.

The collection contains two letters that Mrs. Blennerhassett wrote to Henry Clay regarding her claim against the government. The balance of the material consist of journals and stories written by her friends, and many poems that Mrs. Blennerhassett composed. Also includes is a journal of Stephen Randol of his journey from Montreal to the United States, which he kept for Mrs. Blennerhassett.

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

## A2082

## **Blewett Family.**

# Genealogy, 1918, no date. 1 folder

Collection includes undated biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Scotto H. Blewett; undated typescript notes regarding Scott H. Blewett's membership in fraternities and Masonic lodges; and typescript article titled "The Blewett Family in St. Louis," October 1918 (4 pages).

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

#### A2083

## Bleyer, Adrien S.

## Collection, 1968. 1 item

Letter signed Mary Robertson to Mr. Brooks, June 1, 1968, which contains biographical information on her great-uncle Adrien S. Bleyer. Letter is written on the letterhead of Mrs. James Scott Robertson, 230 Rosemont Ave., Webster Groves, Mo. (The address is crossed out, and "336 Orchard Ave." is written in.)

Cite as: Adrien S. Bleyer Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0137

# Bliss, Malcolm Andrews, Dr. (1863-1934).

# Family Papers, 1865-1964 (bulk 1917-1934). 2 boxes

Dr. Malcolm Andrews Bliss was born July 2, 1863, in Warsaw, Illinois, the son of Uriah Wright Bliss and Amanda Andrews Bliss. Malcolm Bliss spent his youth in Kingston Terrace, Missouri. He graduated from the Missouri Dental School in 1884, and practiced dentistry for several years in Farmington, Missouri. He then returned to school, graduating from Chicago Medical College. He practiced medicine at Bonne Terre, Missouri, before moving to St. Louis in 1892. He was a nationally known specialist in mental and nervous diseases. In 1891, he married Clementine Carter in Farmington. They had two sons, Wyllys and Carter Bliss. Malcolm Bliss died September 4, 1934, at his summer home, "Blisshaven," near Manchester, St. Louis County.

Collection consists primarily of the correspondence of Dr. Malcolm Bliss and family, and papers and publications of Malcolm Bliss regarding his research on mental and nervous diseases. Collection also includes an 1875 composition book; newsclippings and groundbreaking ceremony program for the Malcolm Bliss Mental Health Center; Soldan High School graduation program, 1912; papers relating to Malcolm Bliss' service in World War I; one issue of *The Lutesville Banner*, September 22, 1921; a newspaper article on General Jesse McIlwaine Carter; and a Bliss family genealogy taken from Aaron Tyler Bliss' *The Bliss Family in America*. Cite as: Dr. Malcolm Andrews Bliss Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2084

# Bliss, Robert A.

# Genealogy, no date. 1 item

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Alan Bliss, 7515 Westmoreland, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Robert A. Bliss Genealogy, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis.

## A2085

## Block, David.

## Collection, no date. 1 folder

Collection includes genealogical material from the family bible of David Block, who married Rose W. Stone February 19, 1852. His second wife was Mary Ann Stone, who he married November 20, 1858. Includes certificate of enrollment of Laura Block in the Domestic Missionary Army of the Young Soldiers of Christ of the Protestant Episcopal Church, 1867. Cite as: David Block Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2088

# **Block Family.**

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Genealogy chart and information pertaining to the Abraham Block family of Virginia. Cite as: Block Family Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2089

# Block, George.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by George Block, 18 Wydown Terrace, St. Louis.

Cite as: George Block Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2090

# Block, Harry L. (1863-1934).

Papers, 1907-1923. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Harry L. Block was the president of the Missouri Portland Cement Company of St. Louis. The collection consists of two items: a letter from H.L. Block to H.N. Davis, secretary of the Commercial Club of St. Louis, and a wedding invitation for the marriage of Margaret Block to John Dillon McDonald.

Cite as: H.L. Block Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2091

Blodgett, Wells H. (1839-1929).

Papers, 1865-1872; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Wells H. Blodgett was born in Downer's Grove, Illinois, the son of Israel and Avis (Dodge) Blodgett. He attended Wheaton College and Mount Morris before studying law. He practiced law before enlisting in the Union army at the beginning of the Civil War. Blodgett served first as a private in Marsh's Chicago Regiment but was commissioned a lieutenant in the Illinois Volunteers by Illinois governor Yates in August 1861. He fought at the Battle of Pea Ridge and received the Congressional Medal of Honor for his bravery under fire at a skirmish at Newtonia,

Missouri. He later fought at the battles of Prairie Grove and Springfield. He was appointed judge advocate of the Army of the Frontier by President Lincoln in 1863 and was promoted to lieutenant colonel. After the war he served in both the Missouri House and Senate. He was an attorney for several railroad companies, most notably the Wabash Railway Company.

The collection consists of correspondence relating to Blodgett's legal practice, war claims, and political career; and a printed historical sketch of the life of Wells H. Blodgett taken from Walter B. Stevens' *Centennial History of Missouri*.

Cite as: Wells H. Blodgett Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2557

Blood, W.C., Mrs.

**Papers, 1918.** 3 items

Collection contains the following correspondence of Sergeant Erwin Henry Fathman, Company K, 352nd Infantry, while serving with the United States Army in France shortly after the end of World War I: Christmas card signed "EW" [Erwin Henry Fathman], Lucey, France, to Sis, November 28, 1918; letter signed "EW" [Erwin Henry Fathman], Bonnet, France, to Mrs. W.C. Blood, Tarkio, Mo., December 6, 1918, which discusses rumors regarding when they will be sent home, and briefly mentions Lawrence Gordon and the influenza epidemic; and letter signed "EW" [Erwin Henry Fathman], Bonnet, France, to Mrs. W.C. Blood, Tarkio, Mo., December 11, 1918, in which he criticizes the French and discusses his homesickness. Cite as: Mrs. W.C. Blood Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2093

Blossom, Dwight and Eleanor.

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1957.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dwight Bradford Blossom and Eleanor Barrows Blossom, 9685 Litzinger Road [9685 Litzsinger Road], St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Dwight and Eleanor Blossom Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2092

Blossom, Henry, Jr. (1866-1919).

Collection, 1946. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Henry M. Blossom, Jr., was the son of Henry M. and Susan Blossom of St. Louis. As a young man he became involved in the Blossom family's insurance business but left St. Louis for New York City to pursue a career as a writer and lyricist. Blossom is most widely known for his novel *Checkers* and his Broadway plays *The Yankee Consul* (1903) and *The Red Mill* (1906).

The collection consists of a radio script titled "The Land We Live In" featuring a dramatization of the life of Henry Blossom, Jr.

Cite as: Henry Blossom, Jr., Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0138

Blossom, Henry Martyn (1833-1917).

Journal, 1851-1853. 1 volume

Henry Martyn Blossom was born in Madison, New York, in 1833, and came to St. Louis in 1852. He became second clerk on a steamboat of which his brother Captain C.D. Blossom was first clerk, and later purchased his brother's interest. In 1860, he entered the insurance business,

for which he was best known.

The journal comprises a daily record of the work and social life of Henry Martyn Blossom. It commences in Hamilton, New York, continues with an account of Blossom's journey to St. Louis, and concludes with accounts of Blossom's life as a Mississippi and Missouri River steamboat employee on board the *Polar Star*.

Cite as: Henry Martyn Blossom Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0139

Blow, Henry Taylor (1817-1875).

**Blow family papers, 1837-1916; 1960.** 2 boxes

Henry Taylor Blow, manufacturer, legislator, and diplomat, was born July 15, 1817, in Southampton County, Virginia, and died September 11, 1875, in Saratoga, New York. He came to St. Louis with his family in 1830 and completed his education at St. Louis University. At the age of nineteen he became a partner with his brother-in-law Joseph Charless in the sale of drugs, paints, and oils, and later in the manufacture of castor oil, linseed oil, and white lead. In 1844, the partnership was dissolved, and Mr. Blow retained the manufacturing business, which he developed into the Collier White Lead and Oil Company. At a later date he became interested with his brother Peter E. Blow and Ferdinand Kennett in lead mining and smelting works in Newton County, Missouri. After the Civil War they organized the Granby Mining and Smelting Company, which operated the works for many years. Blow was also prominent in public life. He was elected to the Missouri Senate in 1854 and served four years. In 1860, he was a delegate to the Republican national convention, which nominated Abraham Lincoln for the presidency; Blow was a staunch supporter of the Union cause in Missouri. President Lincoln appointed Blow the United States minister to Venezuela in 1861, but he returned to St. Louis in 1862 because of his concern over the Civil War. In the fall of that year he was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives, and reelected two years later. In 1869, President Grant appointed him the United States minister to Brazil, and he held that office for two years. His last public service was as a member of the board of commissioners of the District of Columbia in 1874. In 1840, Blow married Minerva Grimsley, daughter of Colonel Thornton Grimsley. Their first child, Susan E. Blow, was born June 7, 1843. The family moved to Carondelet when she was six years old. She attended classes in private schools, and at 16 was sent to New York for two additional years of school. Miss Blow met Friedrich Froebel in Germany and became acquainted with his kindergarten work and teaching devices. When he returned to the United States in 1873, she was able to persuade the Board of Education of St. Louis to let her use a schoolroom for one year; the second year the board incorporated the kindergarten work into its curriculum. She continued to work in St. Louis until 1886 when she was forced to retire because of poor health. During this period she wrote her first book, Symbolic Education, which was followed by several others. When she regained her health she began a series of lectures in which she described her theories of child education. She died in 1916 at the age of 73.

The papers include approximately 175 pieces of correspondence between Henry Taylor Blow and his wife, Minerva Grimsley Blow, from 1840 to 1875. These papers also include correspondence with their children, Susan, Nellie and Peter. The letters chronicle family and business history of the family as well as provide commentary on national and state politics during the Civil War, including the effects of the war on St. Louis. Minerva Blow's letters tell much of the social side of St. Louis and the role of women in the Sanitary Fair (1864), and of the personalities of family members and friends. Also includes information regarding the Blow library.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0140

Blow, Susan (1843-1916).

**Lectures, 1890-1900.** 2 boxes

Daughter of Henry Taylor Blow, Susan Blow was born in Carondelet. After an unconventional youth filled with private tutors and travel, Blow met Friedrich Froebel in Germany and became acquainted with his kindergarten work and teaching devices. Blow studied with Mme. Maria Kraus-Boelte, a disciple of Froebel's widow in New York, and returned to open the first public school kindergarten in America, the Des Peres School of Carondelet, in 1873. Blow developed a training school for kindergarten teachers the following year. Under the influence of William T. Harris, Hegelian scholar and superintendent of the St. Louis schools, Blow joined the St. Louis Movement, a group dedicated to the study of Hegelian philosophy. Though ill health forced her to retire from most kindergarten activities, she continued to lecture on numerous topics and published books and monographs relating to educational issues. She also translated Froebel's *Mother-Play* for use in the kindergarten.

Collection contains manuscript lectures written by Blow regarding various subjects. Cite as: Susan Blow Lectures, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2094

Blue, Margaret Scott.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Margaret Scott Blue, 5112 Westminster Place, St. Louis.

Cite as: Margaret Scott Blue Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0141

Blue Ridge Bottling Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1923-1977.** 5 boxes; 9 volumes

Records of a firm engaged in the bottling of non-alcoholic beverages, located in the Italian "Hill" neighborhood of St. Louis. Includes correspondence, financial records, and printed matter, consisting mostly of check registers, payroll books, accounts receivable and payable, and correspondence with other beverage bottlers. Of particular interest is World War II and postwar correspondence with the United States government concerning the bottling of beverages. Cite as: Blue Ridge Bottling Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3070

Blue, William ( -1932).

**Papers, 1898-1932.** 4 folders

William Blue, a famous African American bandmaster and composer, was born in Bloomfield, Missouri. He married Eva Mapp of Atlanta, Georgia, in 1898. They resided in Poplar Bluff, Missouri, before moving to St. Louis in the early twentieth century. During World War I he was regimental bandmaster of the 92<sup>nd</sup> Division and a member of the 350<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery. He died August 14, 1932, in St. Louis.

Collection contains the 136-page diary (1918-1919) of William Blue that describes his military service in France in World War I and his return to the United States. Collection also includes genealogy materials on the Blue and Mapp families, newspaper clippings regarding

William Blue, and Blue's appointment as assistant band leader in the 350<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery. Finding aid available.

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

## A2095

## Blumeyer, Arthur Adolphus (1886-).

**Collection, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Arthur Blumeyer was a St. Louis businessman and community leader.

The collection consists of two copies of an "In Memoriam" entry written at the time of Blumeyer's death and a sheet of autobiographical material written by Blumeyer.

Cite as: Arthur Adolphus Blumeyer Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2096

## Boardman, H. Lynn.

**Genealogy**, 1965. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of biographical data sheets and genealogical information pertaining to the Boardman family. H. Lynn Boardman resided at 7546 York Drive, Clayton, Missouri. Cite as: H. Lynn Boardman Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2097

## Boat, Leonard.

**Papers**, **1852-1857**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of two copies of a marriage certificate issued to Landred Bood and Johanna Fer Strass and a naturalization record for Leonard Boat.

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

## A2099

# **Bodley Family.**

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a typed genealogy of the Bodley family in America and a handwritten family record.

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

## A0142

## **Boefer Family.**

Collection, 1830-1937. 3 folders; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains naturalization papers of Michael Jacob Unhelbach (June 11, 1849); receipted bills of Dan Engels (1875-1880); naturalization paper of Nathaniel Engle (September 6, 1840); bills and accounts of Henry Wagner and Son (1869-1870), cabinet makers; other papers including a survey, cemetery deed, and a church paper.

Some German.

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

# A2100

## **Boegel Family.**

**Genealogy**, **1873**; **no date**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Photocopies of baptismal records and obituaries and an article about Immacolata Parish, Immacolata Catholic Church, St. Louis County.

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

## A2101

**Boehm**, Christopher (1819-1872).

Papers, 1847-1872. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Christopher Boehm was born in Germany. He immigrated to the United States and settled in St. Louis, circa 1850. He served in the Missouri militia during the Civil War and acted as leader of the Brigade Band in St. Louis.

The collection consists of Boehm's military commission while serving in the King's Cavalry in Germany; Boehm's naturalization record; Special Orders relating to Boehm's Brigade Band; and probate file.

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

## A2103

Boehnken, Olga Horton.

Papers, 1923-1970. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of photostats of correspondence, recognition certificates, and family history information. Also includes a letter from Princess Grace of Monaco thanking Olga Boehnken for a gift sent to Princess Caroline; a resolution passed by the Vestry of St. Peter's Episcopal Church recognizing the contributions of Mr. E.H. Boehnken, 1923; and a resolution from the Board of Directors of the St. Louis Public Library recognizing Olga Boehnken for her many contributions over the years.

Cite as: Olga Horton Boehnken Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2120

Boeschenstein, Charles Krome.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out Charles Krome Boeschenstein, 7340 Northmoor Drive, University City, Mo.

Cite as: Charles Krome Boeschenstein Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2104

Boeschenstein, Edward Xavier & Arline.

**Biographical Sketches, 1968.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of brief biographical sketches of Edward Xavier Boeschenstein and his wife, Arline Mary Mulholland Boeschenstein, of St. Louis. For many years their family home was at 3015 Hawthorne Blvd. in St. Louis. They later moved to 1150 Hillside Drive, Richmond Heights, St. Louis County.

Cite as: Edward Xavier & Arline Boeschenstein Biographical Sketches, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2105

Boette, August H.

**Biographical Sketch, 1951.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Includes brief typescript biographical sketch of August H. Boette (born 1872) and accompanying note signed Fannie T. Boette, 3304 Shenandoah.

Cite as: Auguste H. Boette Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2106

Boettler, Evelyn Hendrickson.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Evelyn Hendrickson Boettler, 6355 Washington, St. Louis.

Cite as: Evelyn Hendrickson Boettler Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0143

Bofinger, John N. (1823-1907).

**Account books, 1863-1864 and 1869-1891.** 1 folder; 4 volumes

Collection includes three ledgers (1872-1891) of personal accounts, bills receivable and payable, and personal property of John N. Bofinger, a Mississippi River steamboat captain, superintendent of the Atlantic and Mississippi Steamship Company, and president of the St. Louis and New Orleans Packet Company. The first volume of these ledgers includes a journal of steamboat expenses (1863-1864). Also includes a letterpress letterbook (1869-1870) relating mostly to steamboat and railway insurance, a biographical sketch of Bofinger, and a wedding invitation

Cite as: John N. Bofinger Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0144

Boggs, Lilburn W. (1798-1860).

**Papers, 1827-1859.** 3 folders

Lilburn W. Boggs was born in Kentucky in 1798. He came to Missouri and worked as a cashier at the Bank of St. Louis prior to 1819. He became prominent in politics and was elected governor of Missouri in 1836 and held the office for one term.

Papers consist of correspondence dealing with the Indian troubles in Barry County, Missouri, and other matters of the state. Also contains biographical data on the Boggs family and letters of James O. Boggs and other members of the family.

Cite as: Lilburn W. Boggs Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0145

**Bogy Family.** 

**Rose Mary Bogy collection, 1828-1895.** 3 boxes

The papers include approximately 1,000 letters and documents concerning Joseph Bogy (1806-1881) and other members of the Bogy family. The bulk of the material pertains to the Ste. Genevieve mercantile firms of Bogy & Lecompte (1823-1841). Remaining material reflects Joseph Bogy's interest in politics, quarrying, road building, the Bogy Lead Mining Company, and the construction of routes for the Iron Mountain Railroad and the Chester and Iron Mountain Railroad. Also includes correspondence with his brother U.S. Senator Lewis Vital Bogy (1813-1877) and correspondence relating to the seizure by the Mexican government of his son Joseph V. Bogy in 1855 at La Paz, California, and Joseph Bogy's subsequent claim for \$50,000 against that government.

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Rose Mary Bogy Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0146

Bogy, Lewis Vital (1813-1877).

**Bogy family papers, 1795-1929; 1960-1961.** 2 boxes

Lewis Vital Bogy (1813-1877) was born April 13, 1813, at Ste. Genevieve, Missouri. He left Ste. Genevieve in 1832 to study law in the office of Judge Pope of Kaskaskia, and began the practice of law in St. Louis in 1835. Lewis married Pelagie Pratte in 1836. They had 13 children, but only three survived childhood: Joseph, Celeste, and Josephine. He was elected to the Missouri legislature in 1840 and again in 1854. In 1849, Bogy was the anti-Benton Democratic candidate for the legislature but was defeated. He was appointed commissioner of Indian affairs in 1867, but not being confirmed by the Senate, retired from the office and returned to his law practice. In 1873, he was elected to the United States Senate where he served until his death in 1877. Lewis V. Bogy, journalist, author, and son of Joseph Bogy, banker and railroad man, and grandson and namesake of Lewis Vital Bogy, worked on St. Louis and New Orleans newspapers, and at one time owned a newspaper in Waterbury, Connecticut. As a young man, he worked in the Pension Bureau in Washington and subsequently wrote a novel, In Office, which told of the corruption in the office. The officials were offended and he was discharged. He later wrote another novel, A Common Man. During World War I he served abroad with the Red Cross. He returned to St. Louis after the war, but moved back to Europe in 1926. In 1934, he married Paula Loschitz Demeter of Budapest, his first marriage having ended in divorce. He died December 18, 1940, in Budapest.

The collection contains biographical and genealogical papers of the Bogy, Bolduc, Valle, and Pratte families of St. Louis and Ste. Genevieve, comprised of correspondence, deeds, accounts, receipts, and legal papers. Includes data relating to Lewis Vital Bogy (1813-1877) and to his grandson Lewis V. Bogy (1864-1940); scrapbooks, instructions in news correspondence, newsclippings, published poems of Bogy (the author), and memorial addresses on the life and character of Senator Bogy; correspondence of Joseph Bogy and his son Joseph V. Bogy relating to their expedition to California in the gold rush days; letters of Joseph V. Bogy concerning his joining the Walker expedition to Nicaragua (1855), his imprisonment in Mexico, and events that led to his death near Lima, Peru; and 14 legal papers and maps of land in Ste. Genevieve County. Cite as: Lewis Vital Bogy Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2107

## **Bohannon Family.**

Papers, 1864-1866; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection contains a letter dated April 27, 1864, addressed to Louisa Pill inviting her to an evening at the theater; an invitation to the Verandah Social Circle basket picnic, July 1, 1866, at Laclede's Station; an invitation to the Second Annual Basket Picnic of the Baltic Baseball Club, Pecan Grove, Mississippi; and an undated invitation to attend a play at DeBar's Theater. Cite as: Bohannon Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0147

# **Bohemian American Home Building and Loan Association.**

**Records, 1884-1950.** 9 volumes

Collection includes six volumes of Bohemian American Home Building and Loan Association records: account book, 1884-1885; minute book, 1896-1914; minutes, 1914-1917, and cashbook, 1911-1919; record books of stock loans and payments, 1900-1913; 1924-1929; and 1940-1948; Western Department Queen Insurance Company, Register of Policies and Renewal for St. Louis Residents, 1912-1921; St. Louis Fire and Marine Insurance Company casualty register, 1944-

1950; and Hartford Fire Insurance Company Policy Record Book, 1947-1949.

Cite as: Bohemian American Home Building and Loan Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2108

Bohn, Mary Louise.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1959.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mary Louise Bohn, 7316 Pershing, University City, Mo.

Cite as: Mary Louise Bohn Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2226

Boland, John Vincent, Jr. (1915-2000).

Baby book, 1915-1926. 2 items.

John Vincent Boland, Jr., was born July 1, 1915, in St. Louis, the son of John V. and Lillian Boland. He died August 3, 2000, in St. Louis.

The collection consists of a baby book for John V. Boland, Jr., which includes several photographs of him as a baby, and a postcard, dated February 14, 1926, that Boland wrote to his mother from New Orleans.

Cite as: John Vincent Boland, Jr., Baby Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2109

Bolinger, J.

Letter, 1871 Feb 6. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed J. Bolinger, Otterville, Missouri, to his niece Nancy Fisher regarding the death of her mother and family news.

Cite as: J. Bolinger Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Bollinger County, Missouri.**

Collection, 1860-1908.

Collection title changed to Erich Pape Papers.

## A0148

**Bollinger**, Samuel (1871-1941).

**Papers, 1908-1969.** 4 boxes; 1 volume

Samuel Bollinger was born in Fort Worth, Arkansas, in 1871. The son of German-speaking immigrants, he studied piano at the Leipzig Conservatory of Music from 1891 to 1896, then established himself as a teacher of piano and composer of some merit in San Francisco, Chicago, and finally St. Louis, where he resided from 1907 to 1928. He was associated with the Strassberger Conservatory of Music in St. Louis. In 1910, he opened his own studio, the Bollinger Piano School, located in the Odeon Building on Grand Avenue at Finney Street. Bollinger died April 13, 1941, in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Papers include both personal and business papers (including an index) and family photographs. Also includes a scrapbook of clippings; programs of Strassberger and Bollinger Piano School; programs of the Bollinger Club; calling cards of Samuel Bollinger; book of signatures; composition book; daybook for pupils; an unpublished typescript biography titled "Samuel Bollinger" by Edward Eugene Briscoe, 1955; and a collection of Samuel Bollinger's

manuscript music.

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

## A2110

Bolton, Mary Ann.

Letter, 1838 Oct 6. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed Mary Ann Bolton, St. Louis, to her friend Francis Bassey of Jefferson City, Missouri, October 6, 1838, discussing boarding school in St. Louis.

Cite as: Mary Ann Bolton Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2112

Bomer, Edward.

**Certificate**, **1942.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Award certificate enrolling Edward Bomer in the Quarter-Century Club, an honor society of professional automobile painters and refinishers.

Cite as: Edward Bomer Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2113

Bompart, Louis.

Papers, 1821-1844. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of correspondence, legal documents, and a portion of an undated journal describing a trading trip up the Missouri River. Also includes an autograph letter signed Louis Bompart to the firm of Papin, Picotte, and Guion, August 19, 1829, discussing the wreck of a river barge and trade with the Mahas, Pawnee, and Oto Indians; autograph letter signed Bompart to Ch. Gregoire and Son of Ste Genevieve, May 23, 1821, regarding payment on a note and instructions for payment; certificate of election confirming Bompart as justice of the peace of Central Township, St. Louis County, 1839; and an account balance sheet for items purchased by Bompart from Savage and Bostwick, 1829. Some French with translations provided. Cite as: Louis Bompart Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2114

Bond, Christopher "Kit" (1939- ).

Letter, 1998 Oct 30. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Christopher "Kit" Bond served as governor of Missouri, 1973-1977 and 1981-1985, and was elected to the U.S. Senate in 1986.

Letter from Senator Bond to a constituent, October 30, 1998, regarding the congressional investigation of President William Jefferson Clinton.

Cite as: Christopher Bond Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2115

**Bonneville Family.** 

Collection, 1965. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Benjamin L.E. Bonneville (1796-1878) was a U.S. Army engineer who graduated from West Point in 1815. He organized an expedition to the American West in 1832. During the Civil War, he was a recruiting agent in Missouri. He was promoted to brigadier general. He died at Fort Smith, Arkansas, in 1878.

The collection consists of information concerning the Bonneville family gravesite at Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis.

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

# A0149

Bonsfield, Emma S.

**Scrapbook**, **1862-1873**. 1 volume

Cite as: Emma S. Bonsfield Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2116

**Boogher Family.** 

**Collection**, **1928-1973.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of genealogical information pertaining to the Boogher and Shewmaker families of St. Louis. Includes two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Lawrence Boogher, 6241 Waterman Ave., St. Louis, July 20, 1940, and Mrs. Hillary Boogher Shewmaker, 6200 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, March 1973. Cite as: Boogher Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0150

**Boone Family.** 

**Papers, 1777-1930.** 1 box

Collection includes materials (mostly reproductions) related to Daniel Boone, 1777-1805; Nathan Boone, 1805-1821; John W. Boone, 1818-1836; Daniel M. Boone, 1806-1814; and other Boone family papers, including land papers and estate papers, 1797-1890. The collection also includes legal papers, mostly from the St. Charles, Missouri, courts, that relate to the estate of Robert Beaty, Joshua Dodson, Sidney S. Boone, and Jean B. Duchamp, and the cases of Jameson vs. Boone and Stapp vs. Haden Boone; Boone genealogy, clippings, material relating to the Boone meeting at the Missouri Historical Society, March 1930; and correspondence, printed matter, and clippings about Boone artifacts and portraits, Nathan Boone's St. Charles home, and Boone Trail markers.

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

#### A0151

Boonville, Missouri.

**Collection, 1856-1882.** 4 volumes

Collection of unidentified account books from Boonville, Missouri, including ledger of accounts received and paid, contract labor, and weather reports, 1856-1882; sales journal of general merchandise account, 1861; journal of shoe sales and repairs, 1860-1861; and daybook, possibly of a tinsmith or hardware dealer, 1863.

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

#### A0152

Boonville, Missouri, Mayor's Court.

**Records, 1840-1848.** 1 volume

The Boonville, Missouri, Mayor's Court was the municipal court. (This record book was microfilmed by the State Historical Society of Missouri in Columbia in 1938.) Cite as: Boonville, Missouri, Mayor's Court Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0153

# Booth, Brian.

# "The Norse Indians and Their Acquaintances" / typescript, circa 1991. 1 box

Typescript essay on the Mandan Indians, postulating contact between them and the Vikings. Author retains copyright interests.

Cite as: Brian Booth, "The Norse Indians and Their Acquaintances," typescript, circa 1991, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2118

### Booth, Julia F.

Warrantee Deed, 1859 Aug 6. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Julia F. Booth was the wife of Thomas Booth. Deed recorded in St. Louis, Missouri. Cite as: Julia F. Booth Warrantee Deed, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2119

# Boothe, Terry McGovern.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1960.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Terry McGovern Boothe, Hampden Hall, 4406 McPherson Ave., St. Louis.

Cite as: Terry McGovern Boothe Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2966

Borberg, Charles Ludwig Jacob (1836-1903).

**Papers, 1866-1885.** 2 folders

Charles Ludwig Jacob Borberg was born January 24, 1836, in Switzerland, and came to the United States in 1850. After several years in New York City, he removed to Franklin County, Missouri, in 1858. During the Civil War he served in the 1<sup>st</sup> Missouri Infantry (3 months), 1<sup>st</sup> Missouri Light Artillery, 26<sup>th</sup> Missouri Infantry, and the 57<sup>th</sup> United States Colored Infantry. On August 17, 1865, he married Margaret Heeger. He died in 1903 and is buried in Sullivan, Missouri.

The collection contains a bound volume that consists primarily of the diary of Charles Borberg (pages 29-54 of the volume) describing his experiences during a march from Fort Smith, Arkansas, to Fort Union, New Mexico, to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, with the 57<sup>th</sup> United States Colored Infantry from June 8 to November 30, 1866. The volume also includes an undated, handwritten draft obituary of John L. Criswell of Stanton, Missouri (obituary is written in pencil and is difficult to read); a page of accounts titled "J.R. Clark Trustee," 1875-1876 (page 2 of the volume); a page of notes in German script titled "Thoughts, Ideas," February 19, 1883 (page 120 of the volume) (see transcription and translation below); a page of undated verse in German script titled "Auf die Geburt von J. Aschenbachs Jungsten" [To the Birth of J. Achenbach's Youngest] (page 121 of the volume) (verse is written in pencil and is difficult to read); memorial verse in German script titled "Wachruf an John Achenbach" [Fanfare to John Achenbach] (page 122 of the volume) (includes transcription and translation); page of names and addresses (page 144 of the volume); page titled "Memorandum of Forwarding of Pension Papers," which includes several names and addresses (page 145 of the volume); and a page containing two undated newspaper obituaries of Charles Borberg (last page of the volume). Many pages of this bound volume are missing. In addition to the bound volume, the collection also contains a handwritten statement of Charles Borberg recounting his military service in the Civil War up until his discharge on December 13, 1866.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Ludwig Jacob Borberg Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2121

Borchers, John.

Papers, 1907-1913. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of building permits issued to John Borchers for a building at 4618-4620 Natural Bridge Road and a receipt of Henry Droste & Son, undertakers, 2805 North Sarah St., St. Louis, to John Borchers for funeral expenses, May 6, 1913.

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

#### A2313

Borgers, Violet, Miss.

**Papers, 1918-1944.** 6 items

Collection contains letter signed W.R. Castle, Jr., The American Red Cross, Washington, D.C., to Miss Violet Borgers, 4202 Euclid Ave., St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1918, regarding Private John A. Borchers, 128th Field Artillery; letter signed Major H.S. Rumsey, Field Artillery, A.E.F., to Miss Violet Brogers [Borgers], St. Louis, December 11, 1918, stating that John A. Borchers was in his command in the Argonne fight, was gassed and sent to the hospital, but should soon return to duty; photocopy of undated newspaper clipping titled "2 St. Louis Men Who Were Wounded," which includes a photograph of John Borchers and notes that he was named in a casualty list; undated *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* newspaper clipping titled "Two Trains of St. Louis Artillerymen Leave Camp [Camp Funston]"; photocopy of *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* newspaper clipping titled "Medal Delayed 26 Years," which mentions that the War Department sent John A. Borchers, residing at 4204 North Euclid Ave., the Purple Heart medal; and photocopy of undated newspaper clipping noting that Borchers had been awarded the Purple Heart.

Cite as: Miss Violet Borgers Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0154

Bosse, Lotta.

**Collection, 1918-1922.** 2 folders (50 items)

Lotta Bosse was a local singer who often participated in local recitals.

Collection contains musical programs and St. Louis newsclippings regarding music.

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

### A2378

**Bostick-Sprinkel Family.** 

**Papers, 1902-1920.** 2 folders

Dr. William Bostick (or Will Bostick) was born in 1876 in Holden, Missouri, the son of Arthur J. Bostick (died June 3, 1908, in St. Louis) and Emma F. Bostick (died July 6, 1914, in Piney Bluff, Missouri). Dr. Bostick resided in Lone Elm, Kansas, circa 1898-1902, before moving to St. Louis, Missouri, where he worked for several years as the house physician at the Marquette Hotel. He died June 17, 1922, in St. Louis. Dr. Bostick's sister Jessie married Dr. Charles Grove Sprinkel.

The collection contains a scrapbook, perhaps compiled by Dr. William Bostick; a couple of family letters; and a couple of unidentified photographs. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Bostick-Sprinkel Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0155

Bostwick, Arthur E. (1860-1942).

**Collection, 1654-1931.** 1 folder (24 items)

Dr. Bostwick was born March 8, 1860, in Litchfield, Connecticut. He received his A.B. degree and later his Ph.D. at Yale (1883). He married Lucy Sawyer July 23, 1885. He worked as a teacher and also on the staff of Appleton's *Cyclopedia of American Biography* before working as the assistant editor of *The Forum* (1890-1892) and later as the associate editor of the *Standard Dictionary* (1892-1894). In 1895, he was made the chief librarian of the New York Free Circulating Library and in 1899 he was appointed the librarian of the Brooklyn Public Library. He moved to St. Louis in 1910 and became the librarian of the St. Louis Public Library, a position he held until his retirement in 1938. He wrote several books concerning work in the library field.

The collection contains 20 autograph letters and fragments of signed manuscripts from literary figures of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. He acquired most of these manuscripts while serving from 1890 to 1892 as assistant editor of *The Forum*. The collection contains letters of Woodrow Wilson, Samuel L. Clemens, Edward Everett Hale, Joseph Jefferson, and Henry Ward Beecher, as well as an autographed printed copy of Edwin Markham's celebrated poem, "The Man with the Hoe."

Cite as: Arthur E. Bostwick Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2124

Boswell, Charles.

**Collection, 1868; no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of two biographical sketches of Charles Boswell and his memorial funeral notice.

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

# A2464

Bothe & Ratermann (St. Louis, Missouri).

Vehicle license, 1899 March 11. 1 item

Vehicle license issued by the city of St. Louis to Bothe & Rathermann, entitling the company to use a buggy and wagon on the streets of St. Louis.

Cite as: Bothe & Ratermann Vehicle License, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3097

Bottchen, John, Jr. (1944- ).

# St. Louis Cardinals Baseball Scorecards, 1983-2017. 1 box

John Bottchen Jr. was born April 5, 1944, to John Bottchen Sr. and Elva (Kinsley) Bottchen. The Bottchens also had one daughter, Barbara Kodner. Bottchen attended his first St. Louis Cardinals baseball game at about age six or seven and began a lifelong devotion to his hometown team. His father taught both of his children how to keep score at the games. Bottchen kept score well enough to recreate each play of the game. However, a familiar story unfolded concerning childhood collections, as his mother discarded portions of his scorecard collection when the family moved.

The collection is comprised primarily of St. Louis Cardinals baseball scorecards with a few accompanying ticket stubs collected by John Bottchen Jr. from 1983 to 2017. The 92 scorecards

and tickets are arranged chronologically with two minor league cards appearing at the end of the collection. There are six scorecards for the 1998 season during which Mark McGwire chased the home run record. Only the June 30 scorecard records a home run by McGwire. He broke the record, hitting his 62nd home run, on September 8 against the Chicago Cubs, and the collection contains a blank scorecard for that game.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: John Bottchen Jr. St. Louis Cardinals Baseball Scorecards, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A2123

Bottom, Michael Theodore.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Michael Theodore Bottom, 1212 Craig Road, Creve Coeur, Mo.

Cite as: Michael Theodore Bottom Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2125

**Botts Family.** 

Collection, 1959; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of genealogical information on the Botts family in America. Cite as: Botts Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0156

Boucher, Pierre.

**Patent of nobility, letter of appointment, etc. / facsimile reproductions, 1708.** 2 volumes Cite as: Pierre Boucher Patent of Nobility, facsimile, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2126

**Bouis Family.** 

Genealogy, 1981. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

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

### A3138

**Boulicault Family.** 

**Papers, 1879-1955.** 3 folders

French natives Justin Claude Boulicault (1849-1928) and his wife, Maria Claudine Peuteuille Boulicault (1855-1926), and their children immigrated to the United States in 1895, settling in St. Louis. Their son Marcel Justin Boulicault was born July 4, 1896, in St. Louis. He served in World War I and became a noted architect. He died February 3, 1961, in St. Louis.

Collection includes the French military service booklet of Justin Claude Boulicault, six letters of Maria Boulicault to her daughter Emily Boulicault, a letter of Poulleau Boulicault to his brother, several legal papers of the Boulicault family, and other family papers. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Boulicault Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis.

### A2127

# **Boulicault, Marcel Justin.**

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1967.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marcel Justin Boulicault, 4950 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis.

Cite as: Marcel Justin Boulicault Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0157

Boulton, Rice.

**Mathematics exercise books, 1809-1811.** 2 volumes

Cite as: Rice Boulton Mathematics Exercise Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0158

Bowen, Elbert R.

**Thesis, 1957.** 1 folder (400 pages)

Collection contains chapters 4-6 of a thesis on Negro minstrels in Missouri undertaken at the University of Missouri in 1957.

Cite as: Elbert R. Bowen Thesis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2128

**Bowen Family.** 

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

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

### A0159

Bowen, John S. (1830-1863).

**Papers, 1818-1931.** 1 box (140 items); 1 oversize

John S. Bowen was born October 30, 1830, in Savannah, Georgia, and graduated from West Point in 1853. He married the daughter of Capt. George H. Kennerly at Jefferson Barracks, 1855. He was involved in the architectural firm of Bowen and Miller in St. Louis, 1857-1861. He organized the 1st Missouri Regiment (Confederate) and he fought in the battles of Shiloh and Vicksburg. He died shortly after the battle of Vicksburg from dysentery.

The collection contains indentures for lands in Franklin County, Georgia, circa 1820s; survey for the United States for the preservation of Jefferson Barracks made at the request of General Atkinson, December 3, 1840; scale of prices for the architectural services as adopted by the St. Louis Architectural Association and the minutes of the association, 1858; Civil War receipts for guns, etc. of Gen. John Bowen; some letters written during his service in the war; copy of the articles of association or agreement, in writing, of the Daughters of the Confederacy of Missouri, 1897; an essay written by James Bradley, discussing the loss of the Confederacy; a blank record recording a soldier's service in the Confederate army; certificate of recognition presented to Mrs. John S. Bowen, May 1882, for her service at the historical encampment of the National Guard at St Louis

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

# A2129

Bowen, Julia Lee Applegate.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Julia Lee Applegate Bowen, 4448 Maryland, St. Louis.

Cite as: Julia Lee Applegate Bowen Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1817

Bowers, John Oscar (1872-1965).

**Papers, 1911-1947.** 2 folders

John Oscar Bowers was born in 1872. He was educated at Steelville Academy, Steelville, Missouri, and later taught in the Crawford County school system. He moved to St. Louis in 1903 where he began work in a steel mill in East St. Louis, Illinois. Around 1905 Bowers opened the Bower's Lunch Room and Restaurant on St. Louis Avenue in St. Louis. The restaurant remained in business until 1945. John O. Bowers died in 1965.

The collection consists of invitations, a restaurant business card, correspondence, business and tax records for the Bower's Restaurant, and an accounts ledger.

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

#### A0160

Bowles, Caleb.

# St. Louis County Court journal, 1816-1829. 1 volume (100 pages)

Caleb Bowles, the eldest son of Jane Thomas Bowles and Anderson Bowles, came to St. Louis from Goochland County, Virginia, around 1810. He married Elizabeth Glenn and later married Margaret Hearst. He served as a St. Louis County Court judge.

Abstracts of cases heard and decisions rendered by Judge Caleb Bowles and records of appraisals rendered and certified for stray livestock.

Cite as: Caleb Bowles Saint Louis County Court Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2130

Bowman, David Arthur (1881- ).

Papers, 1946-1955. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

David Arthur Bowman was born in St. Louis in 1881. He became an investment banker and served with several St. Louis investment firms before opening his own investment firm of D. Arthur Bowman & Co. in 1906. He resided at 4542 West Pine Blvd. (St. Louis) and 644 Vassar Ave. (University City, Mo.).

The collection consists primarily of correspondence between Bowman and various business and political leaders and newspaper editors. Among the items are letters from Missouri governor Phil M. Donnelly; Emil Schram, president of the New York Stock Exchange; Thomas J. Watson, president of IBM; and Richard N. Baldwin, founder of the American Civil Liberties Union. Also includes undated typescript memorial sketch of Mrs. Laure Bouvier, who died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John C. Ewald, 946 Maryville Ave., St. Louis.

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

### A2131

Bowman, Samuel.

**Collection, 1931.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection contains a newspaper article about Samuel Bowman, 5575 Waterman Ave., St. Louis, and a letter from Bowman to the Missouri Historical Society regarding a plaque featuring

his likeness mounted in the Jefferson Memorial Building.

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

#### A2133

Bowman-Shackelford-Nance.

**Family History, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Bowman-Shackelford-Nance Family History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2292

**Bown Family.** 

Papers, 1874-1981. 9 boxes, 1 oversize folder

The collection consists of genealogical information, personal correspondence, newspaper clippings, personal papers, pictures, and memorabilia covering several generations of the Bown family who resided in the St. Louis metropolitan area and Arkadelphia, Arkansas. Finding aid available.

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

### A3102

Boy Scouts of America, St. Louis Area Council.

Collection, 1954-1959. 1 folder

The Boys Scouts of America (BSA) was founded in 1910. As the organization grew, it began to use local councils as a method of administration. By the late 1950s, the St. Louis Area Council managed cub scout packs and boy scout troops in thirteen counties and the city of St. Louis. The BSA instituted the requirement that pack/troop charters be issued to a community organization or an established group of citizens, often a church-affiliated group or a parent-teacher organization.

The collection consists of three programs for events that took place at the Arena and two pledge of allegiance cards. The collection is arranged chronologically. Two of the event programs are for the biennial Jubilee Circus in which cub scouts and boy scouts performed skits, reenactments, and demonstrations of scouting skills in 1957 and 1959. The third event program is from the 22nd Biennial Boy Scout Exposition of 1958 during which scouts provided art, science, and craft exhibits and educational activities that reflected the skills they learned as they advanced in the program.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Boy Scouts of America, St. Louis Area Council, Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0161

Boyce, Joseph (1841-1928).

Collection, 1844-1913. 1 box (125 items); 1 oversize folder

Joseph Boyce was born in 1841, and was a pioneer in the St. Louis tobacco market. In 1903, he established the Boyce Realty Co., and the following year was active in the World's Fair administration. He collected historical documents and was associated with the Missouri Historical Society for many years.

The collection includes genealogical material; World War I letters of Boyce's cousin Captain Hubert Ward of the Royal Army Medical Corps with the British expedition force in France; papers on the volunteer firemen of St. Louis, 1844-1909; Civil War letters written by Boyce (some typescript); information concerning Father John J. Bannon. Also includes a document of

Sterling Price and a letter of David R. Francis introducing Boyce; a muster roll of Company D, St. Louis Grays, October 1862; and a roster of Confederate field and line officers, 1st Missouri regiment.

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

#### A2134

Boyd, Anne Douglas.

**Invitations, 1960; no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Anne Douglas Boyd Invitations, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2136

Bovd, Elisha.

Letter, 1829. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by Boyd to Scott & Rule of St. Louis, acknowledging receipt of a check from the United States Bank at St. Louis, 1829.

Cite as: Elisha Boyd Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2135

**Boyd Family.** 

Collection, 1882-1884; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a certificate to practice law in Missouri issued to William E. Garvin, a genealogy chart for the Boyd family, and a St. Louis Law School certificate to William Everett Garvin.

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

# A0162

Boyd, Henry.

**Scrapbook, 1901-1911.** 1 volume (150 pages)

Scrapbook contains newsclippings pasted over an unidentified ledger book. The clippings include articles from the *St. Louis Republic* and the *St. Louis Star*, among other newspapers, and relate to Irish activity in St. Louis and abroad, especially regarding the Irish home rule issue. Cite as: Henry Boyd Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2137

Boyd, Rolland Perry.

**Collection, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Rolland Perry Boyd and several poems.

Cite as: Rolland Perry Boyd Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2148

Boyle, Joseph (1811-1872).

Biographical Sketch, no date. 1 folder

The collection consists of a biographical sketch of Reverend Joseph Boyle written by T.M. Finney. Boyle was a Methodist Episcopal minister who was sent to St. Louis in 1842 by Bishop Joshua Soule to act as the primary representative of the church. He served as pastor of a number of congregations across the state. He died in Lexington, Missouri, in 1872.

Cite as: Joseph Boyle Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Boyle, Wilbur F.

# **Papers, 1862-1909.** 1 box

Contains legal papers relating to cases handled by St. Louis attorney Wilbur F. Boyle and business receipts and bills.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Wilbur F. Boyle Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2147

# **Boyle-Claggett.**

# Wedding Invitation, 1935. 1 folder

Wedding invitation for marriage ceremony of Mary Boyle and Charles Evans Claggett of St. Louis, September 19, 1935.

Cite as: Boyle-Claggett Wedding Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2155

# Braden, Evelyn Mary, Miss.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1967. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Miss Evelyn Mary Braden, 1441 Collins Ave., St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Miss Evelyn Mary Braden Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2151

# Bradford, Ada C.

# **Diplomas, 1870-1871.** 2 items

Contains diplomas awarded to Ada C. Bradford from Bonham's Female Seminary, St. Louis, June 9, 1870, and the Patapsco Female Institute, Ellicotts, Maryland, June 21, 1871. Former diploma contains an engraving of Bonham's Female Seminary.

Cite as: Ada C. Bradford Diplomas, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2156

# Bradford, William.

**Signature, no date**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: William Bradford Signature, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3062

Bradley, Charles E. (1845-1927) and James E. (1838-1887).

Family Papers, 1863-1913 (bulk 1863-1876). 1 box.

Charles and James E. Bradley were brothers born to Irish immigrants Patrick (1805-1896) and Catherine (McCullough) Bradley (1806-1871). James E. Bradley defected from the Confederate Army and joined the Union Army using his mother's maiden name, McCullough. He fought along the Rappahannock River in Virginia with the New York State Volunteers until he procured a transfer to the Northwest Department in March 1864. James eventually settled in North Dakota. His younger brother, Charles E. Bradley, attended Academy of the Christian Brothers in St. Louis during the Civil War, worked in real estate, and married Mary Ella Capell

in 1875. Charles visited James in North Dakota from the summer of 1870 until the spring of 1871.

The collection contains letters written by James Bradley and a journal kept by Charles Bradley. There are also copies and transcripts of these items along with Bradley family information. The James Bradley letters date from November 1863 to May 1864 and 1869; there are no letters from 1865 to 1868. The Charles Bradley journal dates from January 1869 to January 1876 with one entry added on 14 September 1913. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles E. and James E. Bradley Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0164

Bragg, Braxton (1817-1876).

Papers, 1856-1876 (bulk 1861-1864). 1 box (10 folders).

Braxton Bragg was born March 21, 1817, in Warrenton, North Carolina. After graduating from West Point in 1837, he served in the Seminole Wars and Mexican War. He married Eliza (Elise) Brooks Ellis in 1856. In early 1861 he commanded state forces in Louisiana, and in March of that year was appointed brigadier general and ordered to Pensacola, Florida. In April 1862 he became a full general in the Confederate army. He died September 27, 1876, in Galveston, Texas.

Collection consists of correspondence of Braxton Bragg, primarily to his wife, that documents his Civil War service in Louisiana, Florida, Kentucky, and Tennessee. It also includes several items regarding Bragg's home, Greenwood Plantation, in Louisiana. Finding aid available.

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

#### A2157

Braisart, August (1819-1908).

**Death Certificate, 1908.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

City of St. Louis Bureau of Vital Statistics, Division of Health, certified copy of death of August Braisart, who died July 28, 1908.

Cite as: August Braisart Death Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2158

Brandeis, Louis (1856-1941).

Collection, 1878-1966. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Louis Brandeis, justice of the Supreme Court of the United States from 1916 to 1939, began his legal career in St. Louis in 1878. Brandeis was a native of Kentucky but moved to St. Louis to practice law after his graduation from Harvard Law School.

The collection consists of photocopies of legal briefs relating to Brandeis' early legal career in St. Louis and programs and literature from a 1966 dedication of a bust of Brandeis at the Old Courthouse in St. Louis.

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

### A0165

Brandenburger Family.

**Brandenburger-Ohm family papers, 1867-1979.** 1 box (200 items); 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains genealogical records and documents of the Brandenburger and Ohm families, 1867-1979, and a scrapbook of the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Brandenburger-Ohm Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2159

Branding, Dorothy Marie.

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1966.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dorothy Marie Branding, 6537 Oleatha, St. Louis.

Cite as: Dorothy Marie Branding Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2160

Brandon, C.A.

Press Release, 1968. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of one press release issued by Winius-Brandon Company of St. Louis announcing that C.A. Brandon has been selected to receive the Silver Medal Award for advertising achievement by the Advertising Club of St. Louis.

Cite as: C.A. Brandon Press Release, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2161

Brant, Joshua (1790-1861).

**Papers**, **1827-1857.** 1 folder; 1 oversize folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Joshua B. Brant was born in Hampton County, Massachusetts, in 1790. He enlisted in the 23rd New York Regiment during the War of 1812 and remained in the military. In 1823, he came to St. Louis and served as quartermaster at Jefferson Barracks. He resigned from the army in 1839. He was a real estate developer and is credited with erecting the first multiple story buildings in St. Louis. He married Elizabeth Lovejoy in 1818 and Sarah Benton in 1829.

The collection consists of land indentures, deeds, tax certificates, and a stock certificate for the Kirkwood Association, 1853.

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

# A2165

Brashear, J.A.

Letter, 1909. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by J.A. Brashear, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to Mr. and Mrs. Henson thanking the Hensens for a Christmas letter, recalling old friendships and memories of a visit to Amsterdam.

Cite as: J.A. Brashear Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2167

Brashear, James.

**Journal, 1868.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a bound ledger journal with entries for stock purchases, real estate transactions, and cash advances by James Brashear, Loutre Island, Missouri, in April 1868. Cite as: James Brashear Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Brashears, Robert.

Letter, 1862. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by Julia B.E. to Dr. Robert Brashears, St. Louis, describing illness in the family and other family news.

Cite as: Robert Brashears Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2168

Brassart, August (1819-1908).

Collection, 1953-1955; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

August Brassart was born in France. While working as a silversmith's apprentice in Paris, he assisted M. Daguerre in the production of the first photographic plates. Brassart immigrated to the United States where he continued to manufacture plates in Waterbury, Connecticut, and later became a photographer in Naugatuck. He and his wife moved to St. Louis in 1899. He died in January 1909 and is buried in St. Matthews Cemetery in St. Louis.

The collection consists of photostat copies of articles about Brassart and correspondence between Charles A. Dostal, grandson of August Brassart, and Charles van Ravenswaay. Cite as: August Brassart Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2169

Braun, Edna M.

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1964.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edna Margaret Braun, 5616 Pershing, St. Louis.

Cite as: Edna M. Braun Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0166

Brazeau Family.

**Papers, 1695-1852.** 1 folder (12 items); 1 oversize folder

Joseph and Louis Brazeau were among the first St. Louis settlers. Joseph and Louis married the Delisle sisters, all born in Kaskaskia. They came to St. Louis prior to 1783.

Collection contains typescript copies of marriage records and contracts, 1695-1834, from the Kaskaskia church records of the Delisle and Brazeau families; the will of Josef Brazeau and wife, Maria Teresa Delill, dated September 23, 1784; an order of Delassus to comprise two arpents belonging to Benito Vasquez with 10 arpents of Josef Brazeau; a document regarding the sale of a Negro woman to Josef Brazeau, 1803; copy of deed from Louis Brazeau dit Coyona, to Marie Ther. Bienvenu de Lille, widow of Josef Brazeau, dated November 16, 1820; deed of land from Louis Brazeau, Sr., to Louis Brazeau, Jr., Charles Bosseron and Auguste Brazeau, dated February 8, 1823; document signed by Andrew Jackson and G.W. Graham, general land office, granting to Joseph Brazeau and his heirs a tract of land, April 30, 1829; survey no. 3332, executed by William Milburn, to the claims of Louis LaBeaume and Joseph Brazeau, dated February 26, 1852.

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

#### A2170

Braznell, Anne Flanery.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Anne Flanery

Braznell, 35 Enfield Road, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Anne Flanery Braznell Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0167

Breadon, Sam, collector.

Sam Breadon collection, 1926-1960. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains papers of Sam Breadon, president of the St. Louis Cardinals baseball club and a member of the Knights of the Cauliflower Ear. Includes printed memorabilia mostly related to the Cardinals and includes passes (1926-1957); rosters (1938, 1946); schedules (1958, 1960); World Series programs (1931-1944); All Star Game program (1940); and sports magazines (1936-1949). Some items relate to the St. Louis Browns baseball club as well. The collection also contains programs of the irregular conclaves of the Knights of the Cauliflower Ear (1937-1949).

Finding aid available.

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

# **Breck, Edward Craft**

See Todd, David. Papers.

### A0168

Breckenridge, George (1764-1852).

**Papers, 1804-1863.** 2 folders; 1 volume

George Breckenridge was born in Virginia in 1764. He married Elizabeth Cowan in 1796, and came to Caledonia, Missouri, in 1819. He was a representative for Washington County in the lower house in Missouri for the 1832-1833 session. He died in Caledonia in 1852.

Collection contains genealogical information concerning the Stevenson and Phelps families; a document of Antoine Soulard, dated May 15, 1804, certifying that he surveyed and marked for the 31 heads of families by decree of Lieutenant Governor Charles Dehault Delassus the land about 50 miles northwest from the post of Ste. Genevieve and known by the name of "Old Mine"; land indentures of claims in areas of Ste. Genevieve and Caledonia and also Maury County, Tennessee, and Bladen County, North Carolina; letter from Breckenridge, Jefferson City, to his wife, Elizabeth (Cowan) Breckenridge, dated January 6, 1833, in which he discusses Missouri politics and the first bill relating specifically to divorce laws. This collection includes a volume containing a journal of expenditures and a ledger of accounts of the mining and cattle businesses of George and James Breckenridge in Missouri, 1818-1834.

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

# A0169

Breckenridge, James M.

Collection, no date. 2 boxes

Genealogical information on the Pettus and allied families, compiled by James M. Breckenridge.

Cite as: James M. Breckenridge Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0170

Breckenridge, William Clark (1862-1927).

**Papers, 1808-1936.** 5 boxes

William Clark Breckenridge was born October 19, 1862, in St. Louis and died December 23, 1927, in St. Louis. He graduated from the St. Louis High School in 1883. That same year he became secretary-treasurer of the Phoenix Planing Mill Company, of which his father was president, retaining that position until 1912 when the business was discontinued. Breckenridge was a member of the Board of Trustees of the State Historical Society of Missouri for 26 years (1901-1927), and wrote numerous articles on early Missouri history. He was a member of the Papyrus Club, a literary organization, a collector of books and manuscripts, and was an honorary member of the Missouri Historical Society.

The collection includes Breckenridge's correspondence with historians and literary figures, notably William Fayel (war correspondence), Harrison A. Trexler, Dr. William Porter, Eugene M. Violette, Walter B. Stevens, Francis Asbury Sampson, and Floyd C. Shoemaker, secretary of the State Historical Society of Missouri. Also includes many brief historical accounts of persons, places and events in Missouri, including those relating to the Civil War (Special Orders/reports), slavery, medicine, and literary clubs; genealogy of the Breckenridge, Wilson Primm, John Wescott, and Henry Milton Whelpley families; and manuscript and page proofs of *William Clark Breckenridge: His Life, Lineage, and Writings* by his brother James Malcolm Breckenridge, 1932.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A2171

Breckinridge, S.M.

**Letter, 1851.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by S.M. Breckinridge, St. Louis, to David Sayre, Lexington, January 21, 1857, regarding religion in St. Louis and excitement surrounding the senatorial elections in Missouri. Cite as: S.M. Breckinridge Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2172

Breckinridge, William Lewis, V.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1964**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Lewis Breckinridge, V, 650 Oakland, Webster Groves, Mo.

Cite as: William Lewis Breckinridge, V, Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2173

Breckner, Jane McMillin.

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1954.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Jane McMillin Breckner, 566 Meadowridge Drive, Kirkwood, Mo.

Cite as: Jane McMillin Breckner Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2174

Bredell, Maria.

**Letter, 1916.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by Marie Bredell, 4944 Lindell Blvd., April 1916, describing the Civil War service of Edward Bredell, Jr.

Cite as: Maria Bredell Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2175

Breed, David Kendall.

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by David Kendall Breed, 5723 Waterman, St. Louis.

Cite as: David Kendall Breed Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0171

Bremen, Missouri, Board of Trustees.

Proceedings, 1850-1856. 1 volume

The municipality of Bremen, Missouri, was annexed by the city of St. Louis.

Cite as: Bremen, Missouri, Board of Trustees Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0172

Bremermann, Frederick ( -1936).

**Papers, 1868-1931.** 3 folders (50 items)

Mr. Bremermann was born in Bremen, Germany, and was educated at the Latin school there. He came to St. Louis in 1868 and entered the employ of Manning and Co., which was a dealer in glass and crockery. He was one of the incorporators of the St. Louis Glass and Queensware Company in 1883 and was elected president of the company in 1902. He continued in that position until his death in 1936.

Collection contains passports, stock certificates and business notes of F. Bremermann and of the St. Louis Glass and Queensware Co.

Some German.

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

# A2176

**Brewer Family.** 

**Genealogy**, **1956.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection includes genealogical information on the Brewer family of Virginia and North Carolina.

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

#### A0173

# Brewing industry collection, 1884-1904. 1 folder

Collection contains information regarding the brewing industry in Missouri and St. Louis. Collection contains *Beer Brewing in Missouri*, a list of beer breweries in Missouri (1810-1971), and St. Louis Board of Public Improvements correspondence relating to the Winkelmeyer and Excelsior Brewing Associations. (Anheuser-Busch and John B. Busch Brewing Company items were transferred to the Corporations and Industry Collection.)

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

#### A2177

Brewster, Charles G.

# Papers, 1856-1858. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of papers relating to Charles G. Brewster's duties as deputy surveyor in Sibley County, Minnesota Territory.

Cite as: Charles G. Brewster Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0174

Brickey, John Compton (1816-1903).

Papers, 1816-1818; 1837-1889; 1909; 1973. 2 boxes; 6 volumes

John Compton Brickey and his brother Franklin W. Brickey, sons of John Brickey, resided in Ste. Genevieve County, Missouri. John, born February 8, 1816, in Potosi, Missouri, purchased land circa 1838 and established Brickey's Landing in Ste. Genevieve County. He resided there (except for two years in California during the gold rush) until 1888 when he moved to Festus, Missouri. He married Mary Carpenter, who died January 31, 1845. A year and a half later he married her sister Emily. He owned Brickey's dry goods store along the Mississippi River in Ste. Genevieve County.

Family and business correspondence of John Compton Brickey and his brother Franklin W. Brickey, as well as correspondence that discusses current political situations; account books and mercantile record of Brickey's Landing, 1840-1842; list of boats observed from Brickey's Landing passing up and down the Mississippi River, May-August, [184?]; typescript letter of John S. Brickey to grandson, John Randall Weber, dated July 4, 1852, describing trip to East Coast and stay in Washington, D.C. In addition, there are six volumes of financial accounts of John C. Brickey and Franklin W. Brickey for general merchandise sales, lumber sales, and wood hauling at Courtois Mills, Brickey's Landing, and Ste. Genevieve, 1837-1851.

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

# A2064

Bridge, Beach & Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Letter, 1932 May 8.** 2 items

Typescript letter signed Clarence Reckmeyer, Fremont, Nebraska, to Bridge & Beach Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, May 8, 1932, regarding pieces of old oven doors he found at the site of old Fort Reno in Wyoming that were marked "Lily Box, Bridge, Beach & Co., St. Louis, Mo., 1865." Includes photograph of a "Lily Box" made by Bridge, Beach & Co. Cite as: Bridge, Beach & Co. Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0175

Bridge, Hudson Erastus (1810-1875).

**Papers, 1817-1874.** 15 boxes

Hudson Erastus Bridge, manufacturer, was born May 17, 1810, at Walpole, New Hampshire, but was raised in Bennington County, Vermont, spending the greater part of his time working on the family farm. When he was 21, he walked to Troy, New York, where he worked in a store for six months, accumulating sufficient funds to take him to Columbus, Ohio, by stagecoach. Arriving in the fall of 1831, he taught school during the winter months and then joined a business firm as a salesman, which gave him the opportunity to travel in the Midwest. In 1835, he moved to Springfield, Illinois, where, with Jewett, Matther and Lamb, inaugurated the manufacture of the Jewett plow. Not able to convince his partners to move the business to St. Louis, he left Springfield in 1837, and in company with Hale and Reyburn, established a business in this city, dealing in stoves, tin plates, copper, sheet iron, and tinners stock. In 1838, a foundry was established in connection with the store for the purpose of making the Jewett plow as well as

stoves and hollow ware. It was operated as the Empire Stove Works. In 1857, John H. Beach became associated with Mr. Bridge, and the firm name was changed to Bridge, Beach & Company, which was later incorporated under the name Bridge & Beach Manufacturing Company. Hudson Eliot Bridge, son of the founder came into the business as a young man, and after his father's death in December 1875, was made president of the company. In addition to his successful business career, Bridge was a constant and generous contributor to many public enterprises. He was an original subscriber and worker in the inauguration of the Missouri Pacific, the North Missouri, the Iron Mountain, and the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad companies, the St. Louis and Illinois Bridge Company, and was one of the original incorporators and trustees of Washington University, the Polytechnic Institute, and Mary Institute.

Collection includes personal and business correspondence, bills, receipts, canceled checks, notes paid, local bills, bankbooks, railroad passes, and shipping statements of Bridge, Reyburn & Company. Includes correspondence relating to the development of the steel plow and information on Bridge's activities with the Missouri Pacific, the North Missouri, the Iron Mountain, and the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad companies.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Hudson Erastus Bridge Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0176

Bridges, Joseph C. (-1918).

Memorial scrapbook, 1918. 1 volume

Joseph Bridges died in the 1918 influenza epidemic.

Scrapbook contains photographs of Bridges' personal and naval life and newsclippings regarding the epidemic.

Cite as: Joseph C. Bridges Memorial Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0177

# Brigadier General James Shields Monument Commission (Carrollton, Missouri). Records, 1913-1914. 1 volume

This organization of prominent Carrollton, Missouri, businessmen was formed to commission a monument to Brigadier General James Shields in front of the courthouse at Carrollton. Edward A. Dickson, Harry C. Brown, and Hiram J. Wilcoxson, were the commissioners. James Shields (1810-1879), a United States senator from Illinois, Minnesota, and Missouri, served in the Union army as a brigadier of volunteers from 1861 to 1863. After the war, he moved to Carrollton, Missouri, where he practiced law. He also served in the Missouri House of Representatives in 1874 and 1879, as adjutant general of Missouri in 1877, and as United States senator from Missouri from January 27 to March 3, 1879, filling the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Lewis V. Bogy. Shields is buried at St. Mary's Cemetery in Carrollton.

The volume constitutes the official record of the Brigadier General James Shields Monument Commission, and includes biographical information on Shields.

Cite as: Brigadier General James Shields Monument Commission Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2178

Bright, Elizabeth Parks.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Elizabeth Parks Bright Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

# A3060

Brimmer Funeral Home (House Springs, Mo.).

Records, 1899-1960. 5 folders; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Henry Brimmer (1860-1922) began Henry Brimmer & Son, offering embalming and funeral services, in 1899. Henry also operated a blacksmith shop two doors from his home on Main Street in House Springs, Jefferson County, Missouri. Henry's son, John H. Brimmer (1893-1966), operated both businesses after his death in 1922. In addition to his businesses, John served his community as postmaster and as an associate county judge (1936-1948). Before his death in 1966, John sold the Brimmer Funeral Home to Chapel Hill, who eventually built a new facility in nearby Cedar Hill, Missouri.

The collection is arranged alphabetically by type of document and contains one ambulance service account book, funeral accounts, one register of funerals, and some miscellaneous documents and notes.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Brimmer Funeral Home Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2179

Brinker, Abraham (circa 1820-1890).

Collection, 1906. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by E.J. Senseney, 2829 Washington Ave., St. Louis, to Missouri Historical Society librarian Mary Dalton, August 25, 1906, providing details of the life of Confederate general Abraham Brinker.

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

#### A2180

Briscoe, Edward Eugene.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1957. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Edward Eugene Briscoe Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2181

Bristow, M. Agness.

Poem, no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated poem titled "A Farewell to My Dear Friend," signed M. Agness Bristow. Cite as: M. Agness Bristow Poem, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0178

**Britton Family.** 

**Papers, 1904-1939.** 1 box (52 items)

Frank Hamilton Britton married Ida Freeman in March 1873 in Ravenna, Ohio. The couple moved to St. Louis in 1899 when Frank took the position of general superintendent of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad. Frank Britton died in 1916. In the early 1920s Ida Britton traveled to France with a good will delegation of the American Committee for Devastated France. One of Frank H. and Ida Britton's children was Roy F. Britton, who served as the president of the Automobile Club of Missouri from 1923 to 1940. He committed suicide March 8, 1940.

The collection consists primarily of papers and publications relating to the American

Committee for Devastated France, dated 1921-1923; publications of the American Red Cross, dated 1918-1920; an inventory of the contents of the residence of F.H. Britton, dated 1909, and related papers; papers and publications relating to automobile associations and automobile tourism, dated 1904-1939; and programs for two annual Gridiron Dinners of the Advertising Club of St. Louis, dated 1938-1939.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2183

Britton, James H. (-1909).

Collection, 1909-1993. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

James H. Britton came to St. Louis from Troy, Missouri, in 1857. He worked as a cashier for the Southern Bank and later became treasurer for the Eads Bridge Company. He afterward served as president of the National Bank of the State of Missouri. In 1876, Britton was elected mayor of St. Louis but his election was overturned after he served only three months in office. He died at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson, New York, in 1909.

The collection consists of receipts, burial plot deeds, and obituaries relating to the death and funeral of James H. Britton; obituaries of James H. Britton, Jr, grandson of James H. Britton; and photocopies of correspondence and scrapbook items.

Cite as: James H. Britton Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2184

Britton, Wiley.

Genealogy, 1926-1927. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of genealogy information pertaining to Wiley Britton and the Britton family in the United States.

Cite as: Wiley Britton Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0179

Broadhead, Garland Carr (1827-1912).

**Papers, 1806-1912.** 1 box (15 items)

Garland Carr Broadhead was born in Albemarle County, Virginia, in 1827. He worked on surveys for railroads in the early days of the Missouri railroads. He assisted in the reorganizing of the Missouri geological survey. He lived in Columbia, Missouri, in the last years of his life, and died in 1912.

Collection contains essays of early Missouri history written by Garland Carr Broadhead, some of which were read before the Missouri Historical Society; a bound volume of notes concerning the first constitutional convention in Missouri, 1819-1820, and notes of early legislative abstracts, 1820-1835, written by G.C. Broadhead; a list of Missouri legislature members, 1820-1835; notes on the See family and on Achilles Broadhead, who came to Missouri from Virginia with his family in 1824. Also includes descriptions of various people, including Washington Irving and Rufus Easton; accounts by Broadhead of the early railroads in Missouri and an essay titled "Virginians in Missouri," which is handwritten by Broadhead and details the lives and history of Virginians who settled in Missouri.

Cite as: Garland Carr Broadhead Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0180

Broadhead, James Overton (1819-1898).

# **Papers, 1802-1906.** 5 boxes; 1 oversize item

James Overton Broadhead, prominent lawyer and politician, was the eldest son of Achilles Broadhead of Charlottesville, Virginia. His boyhood days were spent in Virginia, where he was tutored by an uncle in English and the classics. At age 16 he entered the University of Virginia, where he studied for a year. At the close of that year he was engaged as a tutor in a private school near Baltimore. His father moved to Missouri soon after and settled in St. Charles County. After James arrived in Missouri in 1838, he was engaged as a tutor in the family of Edward Bates, noted lawyer and member of President Lincoln's cabinet. While instructing the Bates children, he studied law with Bates, and in 1841 was licensed to practice. He began his professional career in Bowling Green, Missouri, and practiced in the courts in the circuit of St. Charles, Lincoln, Pike, Ralls, Montgomery, and Warren Counties. He was elected to the state legislature in 1847 and was a state senator from 1850 to 1854. He married Mary S. Dorsey (1824-1914) and they had three children: Charles S., Mary W. Horton, and Nannia D. Broadhead. In 1859, Broadhead came to St. Louis, where he formed a partnership in the practice of law with Fidelio C. Sharp. He took an active interest in politics, serving on the Committee of Safety formed in St. Louis in 1861 to assist in keeping the state in the union. He ran for the U.S. Senate in 1864, but was defeated by B. Gratz Brown. In 1875, he formed another law partnership, Broadhead, Slayback and Haeussler. In 1882, he won a seat in the U.S. House of Representatives. President Cleveland appointed him to study French spoliation claims in 1885, and he later served as the U.S. minister to Switzerland from 1893 to 1985. Failing health forced him to resign, and he returned to St. Louis, where he died August 7, 1898. He is buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Mrs. Broadhead died September 14, 1914.

The collection includes correspondence relating to the secessionist movement in Missouri in 1861; family correspondence, particularly when he was serving as minister to Switzerland (1893-1895); legal papers and notes, Civil War material, and copies of some of Broadhead's speeches. Also includes memorandum on the prosecution of treason in the case of *U.S. v. Joseph W. Tucker*; memoranda relating to Missouri politics and government, judicial appointments, and constitutional law; the Peralta and Mormon cases, the case of the *City of St. Louis v. the St. Louis Gas & Light Company*; rough drafts of lectures, articles, and legal notes; two land grants, and 15 memoranda books, containing records of travels, expenses, and notes on legal issues. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

### A0181

# Broadsides collection, 1779-1984.

10 flat storage boxes; 1 map drawer

Collection of printed broadsides and posters assembled together due to their similar nature rather than subject or provenance. Topics include advertising, auctions, entertainment and theater, land claims, horse and mules sales, politics, publications, transportation (especially steamboats), Civil War, Mexican War, and World War I and World War II. Some German.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

# A2186

Brockhoff, Estelle Margaret.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1966. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Estelle Margaret Brockhoff, 860 Alanson Drive, University City, Mo.

Cite as: Estelle Margaret Brockhoff Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2304

Brockman-Fetzer.

**Papers, 1904-1914.** 6 boxes

Fred W. Brockman was born June 10, 1849, in Westphalia, Germany, and as a child emigrated with his family to the United States. On September 16, 1874, he married Mary E. Cook, with whom he had four children: Lydia, Lotta, Elsah, and Irma. Brockman began his career as a clerk at a stationery and bookstore, holding a variety of positions at different companies before beginning his own. In 1896 he founded the F.W. Brockman Commission Company, a wholesaler specializing in produce, poultry, and dairy, located at 815-817 North 4th Street. He was actively involved in numerous professional associations and community groups, and was the president of the Board of Education from 1893 to 1894. He died May 15, 1915, of heart problems. Laura Fetzer was born in Missouri and lived in Dallas, Texas. She moved to St. Louis in 1907. In the early 1900s she donated a one-mile stretch of land for a railroad switch. This area still bears her name.

The collection consists primarily of personal correspondence between Fred W. Brockman and Laura Fetzer.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Brockman-Fetzer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2187

Brodman, Estelle.

**Collection**, **1968-1978**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Estelle Brodman was born in New York City in 1914. She studied medicine at Cornell University before receiving degrees in library science and the history of medicine from Columbia University (1943, 1953). Brodman's career included teaching and working as a librarian. She was a member of the Washington University faculty beginning in 1962. She served as librarian and professor of medical history.

The collection includes Brodman's curriculum vitae, two academic journal articles she wrote, and a biographical data sheet.

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

### A0182

Brookes, Jean Ingram.

**Papers, 1928-1975.** 28 boxes

Dr. Jean Ingram Brookes, Ph.D., taught history at several small American colleges from the 1940s through early 1970s. She was a native of St. Louis and daughter of noted St. Louis physician Henry S. Brookes. Jean Brookes received her degrees from Radcliffe and the University of Chicago. In 1941, she published *International Rivalry in the Pacific Islands*, 1800-1875. Brookes never married. She died in 1988 and is buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

The collection contains correspondence, newsletters, newspaper clippings, and a series of Brookes' personal diaries, 1947-1975. The majority of the collection comprises of letters Brookes received from family members. The letters provide insight into the conservative attitudes of upper-class Saint Louis residents during the Depression and World War II. Some of

the letters contain expressions of negative racial stereotypes and comments on contemporary American politics and international affairs. The diaries provide insight into life as a university faculty member and commentaries on contemporary issues such as the civil rights movement, the assassinations of President John F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King, and Watergate. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Jean Ingram Brookes Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2188

**Brookings, Robert Somers.** 

Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1910. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Robert Somers Brookings Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0183

Brookland Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Record book, 1896-1908.** 1 volume

Initially called the Izaak Walton Fishing Club, the Brookland Club was founded in St. Louis in the fall of 1896, for the purpose of establishing a club house and a library on field sports, namely hunting and fishing. It secured land and club houses at Claunch, Arkansas, for the benefit of its membership.

This record book contains the minutes of the Brookland Club, some accounts, records of directors' meetings, and printed booklets, including the organization's constitution and membership lists.

Cite as: Brookland Club Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2200

**Brooks Family of Cape Girardeau.** 

**Genealogy**, **1995.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of genealogical research notes and typescripts for the Brooks family of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and related families.

Cite as: Brooks Family of Cape Girardeau Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2189

Brooks, George.

**Collection**, **1944-1967**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of rain checks from the 1944 World's Championship Games [World Series], Sportman's Park, St. Louis; invitations to the Bachelor's Club Annual Ball; programs and invitations; and promotional material for the Old Barn Inn, St. Albans, Missouri, and the Bellerive Country Club, St. Louis County.

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

#### A2201

Brooks, Marion Jenkins.

Collection, 1985-1992. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Marion Jenkins Brooks was born in Kirkwood, Missouri, in 1914. She attended Kirkwood elementary schools and Sumner High School in the city of St. Louis. Brooks received a degree in elementary education from Stowe Teacher's College in 1937 and in 1951 received an M.A. in

elementary education from Washington University. Brooks taught for the Riverview Gardens and Kirkwood school districts. As a resident of Kirkwood, she served on the Kirkwood Civil Rights Commission and the Policy Advisory Board.

The collection consists of biographical information pertaining to the life of Marion Jenkins Brooks including biographical sketches, newspaper clippings, telegrams, and some genealogical notes

Cite as: Marion Jenkins Brooks Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2279

# Brooks, Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Joshua.

Baptismal Certificates, 1891. 1 oversize folder

Thomas Jefferson Brooks was born September 2, 1888, in St. Louis County, Missouri. Benjamin Joshua Brooks was born January 4, 1890, in St. Louis County, Missouri. They were the sons of Benjamin and E.G. Brooks.

The collection consists of baptismal certificates for Thomas Jefferson Brooks and Benjamin Joshua Brooks, both dated July 8, 1891.

Cite as: Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Joshua Brooks Baptismal Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3031

Brown, Andy J., Jr. (1927-2011).

Papers, 1892-2011. 2 boxes, 1 oversize folder

Andy J. Brown Jr. was born September 21, 1927, to Andrew J. Brown (1866-1954) and Bobbie (Franklin) Brown (1883-1956) and grew up in the western portion of the city of St. Louis, west of Union Boulevard and north of Delmar Avenue. He married Barbara K. Hobbs (1927-2001) in 1948, and the couple had three children: Michael, Barbara, and Kathryn. The Brown's moved to 6 Windermere Place in 1956 where they became members of the Windermere Place Association. They were lifelong members of Pilgrim Congregational United Church of Christ (826 Union Boulevard). In 1955, Brown helped establish the West End Community Conference (WECC) to preserve its integrated neighborhoods, and in 1963 he directed the West End Urban Renewal Project for the Land Clearance and Housing Authority. He co-founded the Citizens Association for the Public Schools (CAPS) in 1960. Brown served as commissioner of the St. Louis Council on Human Relations from 1966 to 1973 and as a compliance director for the Board of Public Service from 1973 until his retirement in 1994.

The papers include correspondence, documents, and newspaper clippings relating primarily to the professional and civic activities of Andy J. Brown Jr. in the city of St. Louis and in his west end neighborhood, presently Visitation Park. There are also a few items from Brown's parents. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic and date from 1892 to 2011. The bulk of the papers date from 1952 to 1973. Large date gaps exist from 1907 to 1929, 1942 to 1949, and 1988 to 2000.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Andy J. Brown Jr. Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2191

Brown, August Henry.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: August Henry Brown Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Brown, B. Gratz (1826-1885).

**Papers**, **1859-1880**; **1937-1953**. 1 folder (30 items)

B. Gratz Brown was born May 28, 1826, in Lexington, Kentucky, and came to St. Louis at the age of 23. He at once entered the practice of law and took a prominent position in the ranks of Benton's Free Soil party. In 1852, he was elected to the Missouri legislature from St. Louis. In 1854, he became the editor of the *Missouri Democrat*. In 1856, he was re-elected to the Missouri legislature. He joined the Union army in 1861 and helped with the organization of the state militia, and he served in the Missouri Senate from 1863 to 1864. In 1870, he was elected governor of Missouri and served one term. In 1872, he was nominated for vice-president of the United States for the Liberal Republican party.

Collection contains personal correspondence of Brown concerning the design of horse cars, 1859-1880; genealogy information about the Gratz and Brown families; and correspondence concerning the collection.

Cite as: B. Gratz Brown Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2192

**Brown, Charles Edward** 

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Charles Edward Brown Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2193

Brown, Clark Corbins.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date. 1 folder** [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Clark Corbins Brown Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2194

Brown, Denise A.

Funeral Program, 1999. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Denise A. Brown Funeral Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2195

Brown, Edward.

**Family Genealogy, 1940; no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edward Brown, 2311 Russell Blvd., St. Louis.

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

# A2196

Brown, J.E.

Letters, 1836-1842. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

J.E. Brown was a landholder in Wytheville, Virginia.

The papers consist of four letters written by J.E. Brown to Edward Hale of Florissant, Missouri. The letters describes land transactions and mention slaves.

Cite as: J.E. Brown Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Brown, James Barrett.

**Genealogy**, **1951.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Includes family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Barrett Brown, M.D., 40 Kingsbury Place, St. Louis; typescript "biographical list" of Brown; and typescript list of his publications.

Cite as: James Barrett Brown Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2198

# Brown, James Gaston.

**Letter, 1896.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter written by James Gaston Brown of St. Louis to his grandson Guy, May 18, 1896, describing a parade of performers appearing with the Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show in St. Louis. Letter is written on stationery of the Grand Avenue Hotel Co., St. Louis.

Cite as: James Gaston Brown Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2199

# Brown, James Lowry.

Genealogy, 1969. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Lowry Brown, 10349 Forest Brook Lane, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Dr. James Lowry Brown Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0185

# Brown, Jane Desloge.

Scrapbook, no date. 1 volume

Scrapbook of Jane Desloge Brown contains newspaper and magazine reproductions of engravings of prominent people and works of art. Some of the clippings are from the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*.

Cite as: Jane Desloge Brown Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2146

# Brown, John (1800-1859).

**Battle of Black Jack Report, 1856.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

An original copy of abolitionist John Brown's "Report of the Wounded in the Battle of Black Jack." The report was presented to Mrs. T.M. Post of St. Louis by Brown's widow. The Battle of Black Jack was one of several raids against pro-slavery forces in the Kansas Territory during the skirmishes known as the Missouri-Kansas Border War.

Cite as: John Brown Battle of Black Jack Report, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2145

# Brown, John C.

**Genealogy**, **1905.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John C. Brown, Richmond, Ray County, Mo.

Cite as: John C. Brown Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Brown, John Hart.

Biographical Data Sheets, 1957; no date. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Josephine McPike Brown (7209 Waterman Ave., St. Louis), wife of John Hart Brown.

Cite as: John Hart Brown Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0186

Brown, Joseph C. ( -1849).

Papers, 1818-1907. 1 folder (4 items); 1 volume

Joseph C. Brown was a surveyor of lands and treaty lines for the government. He was the sheriff of St. Louis County during its territorial days and was also elected sheriff after statehood was achieved. He surveyed the state line between Missouri and Arkansas and also the line between Kentucky and Missouri in relation to Wolf Island and other islands in that vicinity. He surveyed and marked, under the authority of the state, the northern boundary line of Missouri. At the time of his death, he held the office of county engineer.

Collection contains bound field notes on the western boundary of Missouri, south of the mouth of the Kansas River, which Brown surveyed in 1823. The volume also includes preparatory notes and remarks in relation to the eastern boundaries of the Indian lands bordering on the states of Missouri and Arkansas, circa 1839. Collection also includes a document appointing Brown sheriff of St. Louis County in 1818, and a typescript of Brown's obituary notice from the *Missouri Republican*.

Cite as: Joseph C. Brown Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3065

Brown, Lisa.

Ferguson (Mo.) Notebooks, 2014-2015. 3 folders, 1 digital resource

Lisa Brown was a reporter with the St. Louis Post-Dispatch covering the unrest in Ferguson, St. Louis County, Missouri, following the fatal shooting of unarmed Michael Brown on 9 August 2014. She grew up in north St. Louis County, graduated from Washington University with a double major in English and political science, and earned a master's degree in journalism from the University of Missouri-Columbia. Brown began working for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch in 2010 and in 2017, she became the business editor. She was also an adjunct professor at Washington University teaching journalism.

The collection is comprised of three reporter's notebooks, provided by the St. Louis Post-Dispatch to staff, and papers torn from a similar notebook filled with notes taken by reporter Lisa Brown relating to the aftermath of the 9 August 2014 fatal shooting of unarmed Michael Brown by a Ferguson, Missouri, police officer. The notebooks date from August to December 2014 and 9 August 2015 and also cover the Journey for Justice and the anniversary of Brown's death. One notebook, dated 24 November 2014, is available as a digital resource only. It includes Brown's notes on the Robert McCulloch press conference revealing the grand jury's decision not to indict the police officer who shot Michael Brown and the reactions in Ferguson to the decision. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lisa Brown Ferguson Notebooks, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3069

Brown, Michael, Jr. (1996-2014).

# **Collection, 2014.** 1 folder (3 items)

Michael Brown, Jr. was born on 20 May 1996 to Michael Brown, Sr., and Lesley McSpadden in St. Louis. He graduated from Normandy High School in May 2014 and planned to attend Vatterott College. On 9 August 2014, Brown was fatally shot by police officer Darren Wilson in Ferguson, Missouri. Brown was unarmed and a grand jury decided on 24 November 2014 not to indict Officer Wilson on any criminal charges. Brown's violent death sparked a reinvigorated movement focusing on issues of social justice that resonated throughout the region and the nation.

The collection is arranged chronologically and consists of three items relating to the death of Michael Brown and the subsequent social movement that developed in Ferguson, Missouri, in 2014. There is an Order of Service for Brown's funeral held at the Friendly Temple Missionary Baptist Church on 25 August 2014; a card issued by the Organization for Black Struggle, and a program for the *Hands Up*, *Don't Shoot* art exhibition curated by the Alliance of Black Galleries from October to December 2014.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Michael Brown, Jr. Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0187

Brown, Nathan.

**Letterbook**, **1837-1838**. 1 volume

Nathan Brown came to St. Louis from New England during the first half of the nineteenth century. This letterpress letterbook contains copies of Nathan Brown's letters from St. Louis to his brother and others. The letters contain good discussions of life in St. Louis, and cover topics that include box manufacture, wall paper and papering, commodities prices, schools, steamboats, log cabin construction, and slave sales.

Cite as: Nathan Brown Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2203

Brown, Paul Sherman.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1964.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Paul Sherman Brown, 7331 Kingsbury Ave., University City, Mo.

Cite as: Paul S. Brown Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2204

Brown, Paul W. (1847-1927).

Collection, 1907-1984. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Paul W. Brown was born in El Dorado, Arkansas, in 1847. In his teens, Brown worked on a tobacco farm in central Missouri and later sold tobacco as a traveling salesman. In 1874, he became a partner in the tobacco supply firm of Sherman, Lacy & Brown, and afterward organized the Paul Brown Tobacco Company in Montgomery City, Missouri. He moved the business to St. Louis and sold his business to Continental Tobacco Company in 1898. He was later managing director of the American Tobacco Company and an important St. Louis real estate investor.

The collection consists of genealogy and biographical information pertaining to Paul W. Brown.

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

Brown, S.W. and Sophia.

Correspondence, 1849-1854. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

S.W. Brown moved his family from their home in New Hampshire to a farmstead in Hebron, Illinois, in 1849.

The collection consists of letters written by the Browns in Hebron to relatives in New Hampshire. The letters chronicle the Brown's trip from New Hampshire across the state of New York, by water across Lake Erie, and on to Illinois. The Browns describe conditions and life in Hebron.

Cite as: S.W. and Sophia Brown Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2206

Brown, Z. Lyle.

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Z. Lyle Brown, 328 West Argonne Drive, Kirkwood, Mo.

Cite as: Z. Lyle Brown Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0188

# Brown-Reynolds duel collection, 1854-1906. approximately 50 items

The duel between Benjamin Gratz Brown and Thomas C. Reynolds was fought August 26, 1856, on an island in the Mississippi River near Selma. The dispute began in April 1854, when Brown was editor of the *St. Louis Democrat*. Reynolds found fault with an article attacking him. The dispute was on and off for two years until the duel was fought. Mr. Brown was wounded in the knee.

Collection includes correspondence between Reynolds and Brown regarding articles in the *Democrat*; articles of agreement and correspondence regarding the procedures of the duel; printed newspaper articles regarding the duel; and typed manuscript with handwritten notes by William Vincent Byars, "Issues of Civil War Under the Pierce Administration Illustrated in the Hostile Correspondence and Duel between B. Gratz Brown and Thomas C. Reynolds." Bulk of materials are from the William K. Bixby Collection.

Cite as: Brown-Reynolds Duel Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2208

Browne, Sloman, Reverend.

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection includes a biographical sketch of Rev. Sloman Browne, who was born in Bedford County, Virginia, in 1798, and died in Dent County, Missouri, in 1888. Also includes photocopies of family group sheets mostly regarding the Browne and Wisdom families. Cite as: Reverend Sloman Browne Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2207

Browne, William H.

Papers, 1851-1874. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of correspondence of the William H. Browne family. The letters describe deaths in the family, business transactions, and family news. Several letters were written from Leamington Spa, England.

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

Browning, Wesley, Rev.

Biographical sketch, 1918. 1 folder

Typescript letter signed F.W. Browning, St. Louis, to the Missouri Historical Society, which includes a biographical sketch of his father, Rev. Wesley Browning (1795-1888).

Cite as: Wesley Browning Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2360

Brown's New Business College (St. Louis, Mo.).

**Advertising circular, 1905.** 1 item

This 8-page advertising circular promoting Brown's New Business College includes the school's courses of study, a list of prominent graduates of the school, and a testimonial of the school's exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition (World's Fair) of 1904. The circular also includes photographs of G.W. Brown, president and manager of the school; Principal Frank C. Keach; former students Hon. W.J. Bryan and Richard Yates, ex-governor of Illinois; school officers W.H.H. Garver (vice-president) and H.M. Owen (secretary); and a sketch of the school building at the corner of Vandeventer and Delmar Avenues.

Cite as: Brown's New Business College Advertising Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0189

Brueck, G. Michael, Dr. (-1851).

**Ledger, 1850-1851.** 1 volume (200 pages)

G. Michael Brueck was a homeopathic physician in Hermann, Missouri.

The volume contains notes by Brueck on medical treatments and financial records related to the settlement of his estate.

Mostly German handscript.

Cite as: Dr. G. Michael Brueck Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2210

**Brueckmann-Endris Family.** 

**Notebook, 1904-1930.** 1 folder

Notebook includes recipes, names and addresses, a few newspaper clippings, and family notes relating to the Brueckman[n]-Endris family. Notes are written in an Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association notebook.

Cite as: Brueckmann-Endris Family Notebook, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis.

# A0190

Bruff, James.

**Papers, 1805-1820.** 1 folder (8 items)

Major James Bruff was in charge of U.S. troops in Upper Louisiana in 1805.

Collection contains contemporary copies of a document signed Thomas Jefferson, March 13, 1807, directing forfeiture of pay and emoluments to be remitted to Major Bruff, Regiment of Artillerists, and that said Bruff receive same as though no sentence of court martial had been passed (at Fort Bellefontaine in February 1806); and document signed H. Dearborn, March 18, 1807, accepting resignation of Major Bruff.

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

# Brunner, Beulah.

# **Genealogy, no date.** 1 folder

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Beulah Brunner, St. Louis, Mo.

Cite as: Beulah Brunner Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2212

# **Bruns Family.**

# Genealogy, no date. 1 folder

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Robert Bruns, Jacksonville, Florida.

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

#### A2213

# Bruns, Kenneth, M.D.

# Genealogy, no date. 1 folder

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Kenneth Bruns, M.D., 6318 Washington Blvd., St. Louis.

Cite as: Kenneth Bruns, M.D., Genealogy Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2214

# Bruns, Oliver J.

# Funeral Notice, 1893. 1 folder

Funeral notice for Oliver J. Bruns, son of Herman D and Augusta S. Bruns, age 16, who died August 23, 1893. Funeral to take place at St. Charles, Mo.

Cite as: Oliver J. Bruns Funeral Notice, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis

### A0191

# Brussel & Viterbo (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1906-1960.** 160 boxes, 9 volumes

Residential, commercial, and institutional structural engineering projects that include drawings, job files, some firm records, and personal papers. The volumes index the jobs by number and by name while providing names of the architect(s) and general contractor for each project.

Cite as: Brussel & Viterbo (Saint Louis, Missouri) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2215

# Bry, Henry.

# Biographical Data Sheets, 1955. 1 folder

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Henry Bry and his wife, Frances Sandperl Bry, 1170 Hampton Park Drive, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Henry Bry Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2220

# Bryan, Cave, McPheeters & McRoberts.

# **Announcement card, 1962.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Card announces that Robert H. McRoberts, Jr., has become a partner in the firm. Cite as: Bryan, Cave, McPheeters & McRoberts Announcement Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0192

Bryan, Charles W., Jr.

**Papers, 1930s-1960s.** 2 boxes

Charles W. Bryan, Jr., is a lineal descendent of Daniel and Rebecca Bryan Boone.

Collection contains genealogical material regarding the Bryan family as well as the related families of Boone, Callaway, Flanders, Lamme, and Maupien. Also includes correspondence relating to the publication of Bryan's "Richard Callaway" article in 1935, several folders of Bryan's historical notes, and photostats of numerous manuscripts from the Draper Collection at the Wisconsin Historical Society.

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

# A2216

Bryan, Francis Theodore, III.

Biographical Data Sheets, 1954. 1 folder

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Francis Theodore Bryan, III, and his wife, Marie-Louise Benoist Bryan, 4611 Maryland Ave., St. Louis. Cite as: Francis Theodore Bryan, III, Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis.

#### A2217

Bryan, John Albury.

Genealogy, 1924; no date. 1 folder

Collection contains two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Albury Bryan and prayer card for Guy Bryan (1846-1924).

Cite as: John Albury Bryan Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0193

Bryan, John Albury.

Notes on historic buildings, no date. 1 box

Notes of John Albury Bryan on the Old St. Louis Courthouse and other historic buildings. Cite as: John Albury Bryan Notes on Historic Buildings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0194

Bryan, John Gano, Dr. (1788-1860).

Biography, no date. 1 box

Dr. John Gano Bryan was born in 1788 at Bryan Crossroads, North Carolina. He married Eveline McIlvaine in 1826. He became a surgeon with Lieutenant Colonel William H. Ashley's militia, and was actively engaged in medicine, mining, politics, farming, industrial enterprise, educational efforts, and social intercourse. He platted and laid out many Missouri towns and was one of the group that organized the Rocky Mountain Fur Company. He lived in St. Louis at the time of his death.

Collection contains several copies of an undated, typed manuscript compiled by his grandson

Bryan Obear titled "Sketch of the Life of Dr. John Gano Bryan," which consist of tributes paid to Dr. Bryan from letters and reminiscences of Dr. Bryan's contemporaries; biographical and genealogical material concerning the Bryan and McIlvaine families; undated notebooks on horses, horse breeding, and pedigrees; and photographs of the graves of John McIlvaine and his wife, Jane Hord.

Cite as: Dr. John Gano Bryan Biography, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0195

Bryan, P. Taylor (1861- ).

Collection, 1813-1868. 1 folder (13 items); 3 oversize folders

P. Taylor Bryan was born October 30, 1861, in St. Louis. His parents were Francis T. and Edmonia Bryan. He graduated from Princeton University in 1882 and received his law degree from the St. Louis Law School in 1884. In 1900, he was made senior partner in the law firm of Bryan and Christie. He was an instructor in "torts and negligence" in the St. Louis Law School from 1888 until 1902. He married Miss Katherine H. Clark on June 26, 1889.

Collection contains three family letters: letter of John Whitfield (P. Taylor Bryan's grandfather), Newbern, North Carolina, to Mr. John H. Bryan, Chapel Hill, dated June 10, 1813, regarding incidents in Newbern in relation to the War of 1812; letter of Francis T. Bryan to Mrs. John H. Bryan, Raleigh, North Carolina, dated July 31, 1855, concerning an expedition down to the Arkansas, with mentions of Fort Riley and Fort Leavenworth; letter of Francis T. Bryan, St. Louis, to sister Mary B. Pettigrew, North Carolina, dated November 3, 1855, describing the Gasconade River bridge disaster, Chouteau at Fort Riley, and life on the plains versus life in St. Louis. Also includes sketches and plats of San Pascal, Rio San Gabriel, the Rio Grande and the country about El Paso Del Norte in relation to the Mexican War; letter of Brigham Young to Honorable J. Hartnett, secretary of Utah Territory, August 12, 1858, regarding meeting with him and his friends in the evening; invitations and tickets; six diplomas of the Bryan family from the University of North Carolina, 1815, 1842, 1860; and a diploma from the United States Military Academy, 1846.

Cite as: P. Taylor Bryan Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1805

Bryan, William H. (1859-1910).

**Papers, 1868-1873.** 1 folder

William H. Bryan was born August 14, 1859, in Washington, Franklin County, Missouri. He was the son of steamboat captain Archibald S. Bryan. As a child, William H. Bryan produced handwritten newspapers that described happenings in Washington, Missouri, and reprinted items from circulating newspapers. After attending Washington University in St. Louis, Bryan became an electrical engineer with the Pond Engineering Company of St. Louis. In 1890, he became secretary of the Heisler Electric Company but established his own business the following year. William H. Bryan and Company made power plants for buildings, water works, heating and power plants, elevators, etc. He was active in civic affairs and worked on smoke abatement committees in St. Louis. At the time of his death on December 6, 1910, he was serving as the chief engineer of the Board of Education in Chicago. Bryan married Marie M. Runge in St. Louis in 1885.

The collection consists of 68 handwritten newspapers. The newspapers primarily emphasize happenings in Washington, Missouri, and Missouri riverboat news.

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

Bryan, William Harper (1892- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953. 1 folder

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Harper Bryan, 7500 Clayton Road, Richmond Heights, Mo.

Cite as: William Harper Bryan Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2218

Bryan, William Jennings.

**Verse, 1899 Nov.** 1 item

Seven lines of verse signed W.J. Bryan [William Jennings Bryan] and addressed to Wetmore, dated November 1899. Verse is written on verso of printed sheet music of Guy D'Hardelot titled "Without Thee."

Cite as: William Jennings Bryan Verse, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0196

Bryan, William S. (1846-1940).

**Papers, 1817-1976.** 1 box

William Bryan was born in St. Charles County, Missouri, in 1846, and married Nannie Mildred North in 1875. He founded the *St. Charles News* in 1866, the *Montgomery County Standard* in 1873, and the Historical Publishing Co. in St. Louis in 1880. He was the author of *Pioneer Families of Missouri* and helped John R. Ridpath complete a history of the thirteen colonies. He lived most of his life in Washington, St. Louis, and New York.

This collection contains various family papers of William S. Bryan, including letters to the Bryan family from H.C. Davis relating his experiences as a doctor in a St. Louis hospital in the 1870s, and mention of the St. Louis Female Hospital (October 3, 1876). Also includes family correspondence discussing national Civil War matters and life in California; correspondence between Benjamin L. Emmons and William S. Bryan pertaining to the histories of St. Charles and Wentzville, Missouri, Daniel Boone, politics, and views of religion; and genealogical material on the Bryan family.

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

### A2221

Bryce, David D. (1922- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 folder

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by David D. Bryce, 19 Waverton Drive, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: David D. Bryce Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0197

Bryden, Alexander.

**Papers, 1879-1949.** 1 box

This collection contains an autobiographical sketch of the life of Alexander Bryden in relation to the coal industry of St. Louis; a history of the St. Louis Coal Club, 1914-1949, also written by Bryden; a schedule of rates for the Madison County Ferry Company (1883) and the Wiggins Ferry Company (1879); programs and notes of the Legion of Honor, Caledonian Society; and an autograph book.

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

# A2222

Bryson, Sadie W.

**Papers, 1893-1896.** 1 folder

Papers of Miss Sadie Winter Bryson, 3833 Pine St., St. Louis, including a printed announcement of a concert of the Yale Glee Club and Yale Banjo Club, December 26, 1893; letter signed Willie Gantner, 1318 South 7th St., St. Louis, Mo., to his teacher, Miss Sadie W. Bryson, Woodstock, Vermont, June 22, 1896; brief note signed Mrs. Gantner and children, St. Louis, to Sadie Brison [Bryson], October 2, 1896; and printed announcement regarding the inaugural address of Dr. Jno. P. Bryson [Dr. John P. Bryson] at the 54th annual session of the St. Louis Medical College.

Cite as: Sadie W. Bryson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0198

**Buchanan County, Missouri.** 

**Collection**, [1860-1947]. 2 items

Collection contains typescript excerpts from the Hagen report on the Pony Express stables in St. Joseph, Missouri.

Not to be used without the permission of the compiler and donor, the National Park Service. Cite as: Buchanan County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2246

Buchanan, Mary V.K.

Collection, 1857; 1950. 1 folder

Collection contains two letters written by Mary Emelin Buchanan to her brother Charles Webster Buchanan describing family activities and news of friends. Also includes a letter written by Mary V.K. Buchanan to Charles van Ravenswaay, 1950, describing the letters. Cite as: Mary V.K. Buchanan Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2247

Buck, S.H.

# Bankhead Anecdote, no date. 1 folder

Typed anecdote written by S.H. Buck relating a story about Colonel Bankhead of Virginia, uncle of Civil War general Jonathan Bankhead MaGruder.

Cite as: S.H. Buck Bankhead Anecdote, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2257

Buckles, C. Jane.

**Papers, 1972-1984.** 3 folders

Collection documents hot air balloon flights made by C. Jane Buckles with Nikki Caplan, founder of the Forest Park Balloon Race, including two pilot log books, 1972-1984; five flight log books, 1982-1983; and four small reference notebooks, 1982.

Cite as: C. Jane Buckles Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2248

Budd, G.K.

**Letter**, **1866**. 1 item

Letter written by G.K. Budd to Elihu Shepard thanking him for including him in a commemorative article in the St. Louis newspaper.

Cite as: G.K. Budd Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2249

# Buder, Eugene H.

# Campaign Literature, 1954. 1 item

Campaign brochure issued by Buder for Congress Committee. Eugene Buder received the Democratic nomination for Congress in the 2nd Missouri Congressional District in 1954. Cite as: Eugene H. Buder Campaign Literature, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2250

**Buder family.** 

**Genealogy**, **1955.** 1 folder

Contains genealogical information sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Eugenia Hauck Buder, 8 Carrswold, Clayton, Mo., and Antonia Buder Wiegand, 40 Overhills, St. Louis County.

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

#### A2265

**Buder, Gustavus A., Jr. (1901-).** 

Papers, 1919; 1954. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Gustavus A Buder, Jr., was born in Saint Louis and attended McKinley High School and later Washington University. He was the son of Gustavus A. and Lydia (Feuerbacher) Buder of Saint Louis. G.A. Buder, Jr., was a civil law attorney and served as the director and president of realty and oil companies in Missouri and Texas.

The collection consists of a reprint of G.A. Buder, Jr.'s 1919 editorial extolling the importance of Memorial Day and a biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Gustavus A. Buder, Jr., 29 Upper Ladue Road, St. Louis County, in 1954. Cite as: Gustavus Buder, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0199

Buechel, Julius A.

**Papers, 1836-1900.** 1 folder (30 items)

Collection contains letters, a marriage certificate, a baptismal certificate, naturalization papers, and a pension certificate. Most of the items pertain to Julius August Buechel. Collection also contains three letters of 1st Lieutenant and later Captain Charles Fuelle, 2nd Missouri Infantry (Union), to Julius Buechel in St. Louis, dated 1862-1863. (Some letters include typescript translations.)

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

# A2266

Buechel, Robert (1864-1928).

**Collection, 1937.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Robert Buechel was a native of Germany. As a young man, he was a flutist in the private corps of the king of Prussia. He settled in Saint Louis and performed with the Olympic Orchestra at the Olympic Theater.

The collection consists of biographical information on Robert Buechel who resided at 2647

Shenandoah Ave., and two notes relating to the donation of his piccolo to the Missouri Historical Society by his daughter.

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

#### A2267

# **Buell, Don Carlos (1818-1898).**

**Collection, 1952.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Don Carlos Buell graduated from West Point in 1841. Early in his career he saw action in the Seminole and Mexican Wars. In Mexico, he participated in the battles of Monterey, Contreras, and Churubusco. Buell served in the office of the secretary of war in 1859 and upon the outbreak of the Civil War he was charged with training a division of the Army of the Potomac. During the war, he took charge of the Army of the Ohio and assisted Grant's campaigns in Tennessee and Mississippi. Disagreement over strategy resulted in disfavor with the Lincoln administration and he was removed from command in 1862. He retired as a major general in 1864. General Buell is buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Collection consists of two letters regarding Buell's grave site in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Cite as: Don Carlos Buell Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2268

Buford, Anthony A. (1901-).

**Biographical Sketch, 1951.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Anthony Buford was an attorney in Saint Louis. He resided at 465 South Price Road in Clayton.

The collection consists of a biographical sketch of Buford submitted to the Missouri Historical Society at the request of Charles van Ravenswaay.

Cite as: Anthony A. Buford Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2280

**Buford Family.** 

**Genealogy, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a typed genealogy of the Buford Family of Virginia.

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

## A2281

# Bugbee, Harold.

**Letter, 1955.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

The collection consists of a photostat copy of a letter from Harold Bugbee, Canyon, Texas, to H.P. Willis, dated September 15, 1955. Bugbee writes of his visit to the Indian Exposition at Anadarko, Texas.

Cite as: Harold Bugbee Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1813

Bulgar, Harold A. (1892-1966).

**Papers, 1783-1932.** 3 folders

Born July 9, 1892, in East Liverpool, Ohio, Harold A. Bulgar was the son of Alvin and Alice Bulgar. He was a graduate of Ohio State University and Harvard Medical School. In 1924, Dr. Harold A. Bulgar accepted a teaching position at the Washington University School of Medicine. He also served on the staff of Barnes Hospital. Bulgar served as president of the St. Louis

Astronomical Society and on the board of directors of the St. Louis Audubon Society and Academy of Science of St. Louis. He died November 2, 1966.

The collection consists of notes and material relating to the natural history pursuits of the Lewis and Clark Expedition; notes on the Louisiana Purchase by Stella Drumm; biographical information on fur trapper and Indian agent William Gordon; miscellaneous land and business papers; and an unidentified literary manuscript.

Cite as: Harold A. Bulgar Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0200

**Bulkley Family.** 

**Papers, 1855-1865; 1941.** 1 box

Mary E. Bulkley was a St. Louis writer and suffragist who was active in the St. Louis Equal Suffrage League. She wrote the play "The Trial," which concerned the trial of Susan B. Anthony for voting in 1872. She also wrote "Speaking At Seventy" in 1931.

Collection contains letters of Thomas Carpenter to Mary and Phil Bulkley, dated 1861-1865, which describe the affairs of the 12th Illinois Cavalry in Virginia during the Peninsular Campaign, and in Maryland, Washington, D.C., Pennsylvania, St. Louis, and New Orleans. Also includes biographical data and a photograph of Dr. Caroline Thomas Rumbold, a forest pathologist who was associated with Washington University, the University of Missouri, and the United States Department of Agriculture; and a bound mimeographed script of "Grandmother, Mother and Me," an unpublished autobiography by Mary E. Bulkley.

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

# A2282

**Bull Family.** 

# Biographical Data Sheet, no date. 1 folder

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alice Mae Bull Gibson, 10869 Pear Tree Lane, St. Louis County, Mo.

Cite as: Bull Family Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0201

**Bull Family.** 

**Papers, 1833-1878; 1906.** 2 folders; 1 volume

John Bull was born December 4, 1840, in Vicksburg, Mississippi; his brother William was born March 5, 1843, in Augusta, Kentucky. The Bull family moved to St. Louis in 1848. Both brothers enlisted in the Missouri Volunteer Militia and were captured at Camp Jackson in May 1861. After their exchange the brothers enlisted in Guibor's Missouri battery (Confederate), and soon after the Battle of Pea Ridge they transferred to Gorham's/Tilden's/Lesueur's 3rd Missouri Field Battery. In late 1862 John transferred to McDonald's Missouri Cavalry and later Newton's 5th Arkansas Cavalry. In the 1870s William Bull helped form Company E, 1st Regiment, National Guard (Rainwater Rifles), and was later named inspector general. He died January 8, 1928, in Miami, Florida.

Collection contains the Civil War reminiscences of William Bull, dated April 1906, which describe his service mostly in Arkansas, and include transcriptions of his diary entries from July 1862 to January 1863. Reminiscences include accounts of Camp Jackson and affairs in St. Louis; the Arkansas battles of Pea Ridge, Prairie Grove, Helena, and Jenkins' Ferry; the journey of fellow soldier John Tatum through the lines to St. Louis; the assistance offered to Confederates by Southern sympathizers in St. Louis; and information on marches, camp life, and diet.

Collection also contains several wartime letters of John and William Bull to their parents in St. Louis; letters of the brothers to their family in St. Louis regarding life in St. Charles while attending college in the 1860s; correspondence to Captain William Bull regarding the Mayor's Guard, Company F, 1st Regiment, police reserves (St. Louis), 1878; invitation to Captain William Bull to meet with the directors of the St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association, 1878; and newsclipping on Captain William Bull's command of the St. Louis police reserves at the inaugural ceremonies of Gov. Crittenden.

Memoir and several of the letters are published in Michael E. Banasik, *Missouri Brothers in Gray: The Reminiscences and Letters of William J. Bull and John P. Bull* (Iowa City: Camp Pope Bookshop, 1998.)

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

#### A0202

Bunce, William Harvey.

**Papers**, **1821-1898**. 2 folders; 6 volumes

Business papers of Harvey Bunce, the sheriff of Cooper County, Missouri, and a general merchandiser, in connection with building of the Tebo & Neosho Railroad. Includes bills, checks, accounts, and receipts issued by the Tebo-Neosho Railroad; report on progress of work; document signed William Smith, engineer and Civil War general; three letters of C.D. Drake, dated 1866; a general merchandise journal and two ledgers, 1856-1865; and three bankbooks, 1850-1880.

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

# A0203

Bunch, Clare W.

**Collection, 1939-1974.** 1 box

Clare W. Bunch was a pilot-engineer during the early days of aviation and president of the Monocoupe Corporation in St. Louis during the 1930s. He served 30 years in the Air Force until his retirement, as a colonel, in 1958.

Includes single issues of several aviation newsletters, clippings, and photographs pertaining to Clare W. Bunch.

Cite as: Clare W. Bunch Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0204

Burbach, George M. (1884- ).

**Collection, 1927-1957.** 3 folders (100 items)

Mr. Burbach was born in St. Louis in 1884 and started his business career in 1900 in the advertising department of the *St. Louis Republic* newspaper. Early in 1913 he became national advertising manager for the Munsey newspapers but resigned nine months later to join the *Post-Dispatch* as advertising manager. He became the general manager of Radio Station KSD in 1922 and was elected a director of the Pulitzer Publishing Company. In 1947, KSD-TV began its operation and George Burbach was named its general manager. He is associated with bringing television to St. Louis. He married Martha Scott.

Collection contains newspaper and magazine clippings regarding the development of television in St. Louis and Mr. Burbach's part in the development; obituary sketch of George M. Burbach; and an autograph of Charles Lindbergh.

Cite as: George M. Burbach Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2572

Burcham, Blanche Motley (1907-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Feb 9** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Blanche Motley Burcham, 114 Parkland, Glendale, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Blanche Motley Burcham Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2573

Burd, John W.

Letter to Elihu Shepard, 1866 July 23. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed Jno. W. Burd, St. Louis, to Elihu Shepard, July 23, 1866, includes brief biographical notes regarding Burd.

Cite as: John W. Burd Letter to Elihu Shepard, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2986

Buren, Robert L. ( -1962).

**Scrapbook**, **1918-1967**. 1 item

Robert L. Buren, the son of Robert P. Buren and Fannie E. Buren of 2912 Minnesota Ave., St. Louis, Mo., served as a corporal in the 138<sup>th</sup> Infantry during World War I and was mistakenly reported as killed in action. He later resided at 4511 Idaho Ave., 2817 Chariton St., and 3412 Itaska St. He died January 1, 1962.

Scrapbook includes newspaper clippings mostly relating to Robert L. Buren's service during World War I and the fact that he was mistakenly reported as killed in action. Scrapbook also includes U.S. Army death certificate of Robert L. Buren, January 21, 1919, stating that he died September 26, 1918, and correspondence of the U.S. government with the Buren family, 1918, regarding his status.

Cite as: Robert L. Buren Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3125

Burger, Edward W., Jr. (1922-1944).

World War II Citations, 1945. 2 items

Edward W. Burger Jr. was born April 12, 1922, in St. Louis to Gladys S. (1902-1981) and Edward A. Burger (1899-1954). He enlisted in the U.S. Army on December 24, 1942, at Jefferson Barracks. He was assigned to the 70th Tank Battalion where he attained the rank of corporal. The 70th Tank Battalion landed at Utah Beach during Operation Overlord (D-Day) in June 1944. Burger was reported as missing in action in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat on July 26, 1944. By 1945, his status changed to killed in action on 13 June 1944. He was awarded the Purple Heart posthumously in March 1945.

The citations include a memorial certificate from President Franklin D. Roosevelt and the Purple Heart citation that was awarded on March 23, 1945. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edward W. Burger Jr. World War II Citations, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0205

Burgoyne, D.N.

# **Papers, 1864-1894.** 1 folder (10 items)

D.N. Burgoyne was a member of the St. Louis Volunteer Fire Department.

Collection includes an invitation to a St. Louis Fire Department ball; certificate exempting D.N. Burgoyne from jury service because of serving seven years as fire warden in St. Louis; and a few Masonic papers.

Cite as: D.N. Burgoyne Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0206

Burian, Otto (1897- ).

**Papers, 1904-1910.** 2 folders (40 items)

Otto Burian was born in 1897 and attended Shaw School in St. Louis. His later education was at Central High School and Washington University. He made a career as an insurance actuary with General American Life. He retired in 1962.

Collection contains school compositions and two school work books completed while attending Shaw School circa 1904-1910.

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

#### A0207

Burke, Harry Rosecrans (1885-1956).

Papers, no date. 1 box

Harry Rosecrans Burke was born May 23, 1885, in What Cheer, Iowa, where his father edited a newspaper. He was educated in the public schools, and attended the University of Idaho from 1911 to 1912. On January 20, 1920, he married Verdis G. Pugh of Brownsville, Oregon. As a young man, Mr. Burke served as a reporter for various newspapers in Iowa, Oregon, Idaho, and California. From 1915 to 1916, and again in 1920, he was editor of the *Ames (Iowa) Tribune*. He came to St. Louis in 1920 to serve the *St. Louis Times* as columnist, and music and drama critic. From 1924 to 1926, he did feature stories for the magazine section of the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*. In 1927, he became music and drama critic and book editor of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*, a position he held until his retirement in 1951. For many years he also provided program notes for the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. He was a member of several historical societies, including the Missouri Historical Society and the State Historical Society of Missouri. After his retirement, he devoted his time to working on two books about Abraham Lincoln, one of which was nearly completed. He was author of *From the Day's Journey* (1924) and *What Cheer Reporter*. He died July 19, 1956, in Brownsville, Oregon, and is buried in Pugh Cemetery, Shedd, Oregon.

The collection includes reference notes and essays on various historical subjects and persons including General James Wilkinson, Moses Austin, and Aaron Burr. Also includes manuscripts and speeches on newspaper writing and music.

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

## A0208

Burks, Verner.

Architecture Collection, circa 1955-1990.

Approximately 150 commercial, institutional, and preservation/renovation projects that encompass drawings, job files, firm records, photographs, slides, models, reference materials, office equipment, and financial records. *Currently unprocessed, no preliminary inventory*. Cite as: Verner Burks Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0209

# **Burlingame Family.**

**Papers, 1859-1928.** 1 box

Asa and Sarah Burlingame moved to Cole County, Mo., from Ohio in 1847, settling near Russelville, Mo. Four of their children served in the Civil War: Asa with the 26<sup>th</sup> Missouri Infantry (Union), Francis S. (died July 7, 1863) and Napoleon (died March 9, 1863) with the 10<sup>th</sup> Missouri Cavalry (Union), and Hazen S. in the Enrolled Missouri Militia.

Collection contains Burlingame family correspondence, including letters of Francis S. Burlingame, dated Camp Magazine (St. Louis) and Corinth, Miss., September 1862 to June 1863. Describes the affairs of the 10<sup>th</sup> Missouri Cavalry including accounts of expeditions into northern Alabama. Also contains correspondence of various Burlingame family members, which includes frequent references to guerrilla activity in the Missouri counties of Moniteau, Miller, Maries, and Phelps.

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

#### A0210

Burr, Aaron (1756-1836).

**Papers, 1776-1825.** 2 boxes; 3 oversize items

Aaron Burr was born February 6, 1756, in Newark, New Jersey. His father was the first president of the College of New Jersey (now Princeton University), where Burr studied law and theology. He volunteered for the Quebec expedition in 1775, resigned from the army due to illness in 1779, and in 1782 began to practice law in New York. Burr became vice president under Thomas Jefferson in 1800. Differences with Jefferson hurt his political future as did his duel with Alexander Hamilton July 11, 1804. In the summer of 1806 he led an expedition down the Mississippi River. Harman Blennerhassett and General James Wilkinson, governor of the Louisiana Territory, were part of an alleged conspiracy to create a new nation out of Spanish colonies. Wilkinson turned in his co-conspirators and Burr was indicted for treason in 1807. After his acquittal, Burr lived in Europe from 1808 until 1812. In May 1812 he returned to the United States and resurrected his law practice in New York. He died September 14, 1836.

Collection contains papers regarding Burr's law practice in New York and papers relating to the Burr conspiracy and the Burr-Hamilton duel.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2574

Burrell, Alexander McNair (1926-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1959 Mar 2.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alexander McNair Burrell, 7648 Walinca Terrace, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Alexander McNair Burrell Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0211

Burrell, Bennie Bernard.

Scrapbooks, 1934-1938. 2 volumes

Volume I consists primarily of newsclippings relating to World War I, as printed on the twentieth anniversary of the war's beginning. Volume II is titled "My Book of Knowledge,

Interest & Progress and etc, 1938." This volume contains a brief biographical sketch of Burrell's mother and his family life, followed by "My Speeches of Remembrance" (twenty aphorisms); and clippings, some related to African-American schools in St. Louis.

Cite as: Bennie Bernard Burrell Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2575

Burridge, Robert Gardiner (1930-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Nov 21. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Gardiner Burridge, 252 South Brentwood Blvd., Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert Gardiner Burridge Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2576

Burwell, W.R. (1843- ).

**Memo, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Handwritten memo signed W.R. Burwell [William R. Burwell] and marked "personal & strictly private." Includes notes on his family history. Mentions that he was born November 7, 1843, in Hillsboro, North Carolina, and served in the 43rd North Carolina Infantry during the Civil War. Mentions his uncles Armistead Burwell and Hugh A. Garland; Hugh A. Garland, Jr., who was an officer in the 1st Missouri Regiment (Confederate) and was killed at the Battle of Shiloh; Dr. Ed Lemoine; and Bott Lemoine.

Cite as: W.R. Burwell Memo, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0212

# Busch, Adolphus.

Fiftieth wedding anniversary tribute, 1911. 1 volume in slipcase.

Illuminated manuscript tribute presented to Adolphus Busch and his wife, Lilly, on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

In German.

Cite as: Adolphus Busch Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary Tribute, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3000

Busch, George H.

**Papers, 1918-1950.** 6 items

A resident of St. Louis, George H. Busch served in the U.S. Army during World War I. He died in St. Louis in 1960.

Papers contain letter signed George [Busch], Ft. Riley, Kansas, to his sister, Mrs. Elsie Busch Debner, 3436 Minnesota Ave., St. Louis, April 7, 1918, which describes a difficult march the troops took to Junction City; undated typescript notes that provide biographical information regarding George Busch and family members who are mentioned in the aforementioned letter; order of induction into military service of the United States to George H. Busch, 3548 South Grand Ave., February 27, 1918; two photographs of George H. Busch in his military uniform, taken in France, November 18, 1918; and reprint of *St. Louis Post-Dispatch Everyday Magazine* article, June 15, 1950, titled "That Class of '25—25 Years Later: Cleveland High Grads Remembering When as They Await Reunion; They've Kept Track of Each Other." Article

includes photographs showing Max W. Hurtgen, Mrs. Dorothy Shaul, Gertrude H. Vogel, Jack Danner, Martin Gardner, Wayne Warren, and Austin Knetzger.

Cite as: George H. Busch Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0213

**Buse Family.** 

Buse-Salland family papers, 1918-1930. 1 box

This collection contains material relating to the Buse and Salland families of St. Charles County, Missouri, including a letter of John H. Buse written from France during World War I; Salland family correspondence regarding conditions of the family in Germany during the 1920s inflation; a history of Buse family (1920); a history of the Catholic church at Cottleville, Missouri (1930); and an undated letter regarding the Buse family trip to Colorado. Cite as: Buse-Salland Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1820

**Bushnell, David Ives (1846-1921).** 

Papers, 1904-1921; 1932. 1 folder; 1 volume

David Ives Bushnell was born April 26, 1846, in Sheffield, Massachusetts. After moving to St. Louis to take a job as a clerk with the Northern Packet Line, Bushnell married Belle Johnston. In 1873, David partnered with Robert Niggeman to open D.I. Bushnell & Company, grain merchants. Bushnell was an avid collector of ethnographic artifacts and developed a large collection that was purchased by the Missouri Historical Society in 1932. He served on the Missouri Historical Society Board of Directors from 1894 to 1912. As an amateur archaeologist, he was a president of the St. Louis Archaeological Society and a friend of Smithsonian archaeologist Gerard Fowke. Bushnell's son David I. Bushnell, Jr., became a prominent anthropologist and archaeologist for the Smithsonian Institution and Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology at Harvard University. David I. Bushnell, Sr., died April 29, 1921, in St. Louis.

The collection consists of two inventories of Bushnell's ethnographic collection prepared by Wm. R. Faribault, who owned the Bushnell Collection prior to its sale to the Missouri Historical Society, and a notebook listing the name, origin, and history of objects in his collection. Cite as: David Ives Bushnell Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2520

**Business Cards and Trade Cards.** 

Collection, circa mid 19th century-early 20th century. 14 folders

This collection consists primarily of business cards and trade cards, mostly from St. Louis, Missouri. Most of the cards are not dated; however, the bulk of the cards appear to date from the latter part of the 19th century and the early 20th century. The collection includes a small number of items that are not business cards or trade cards, such as tickets, blotters, announcements, membership cards, and advertising material.

Cite as: Business Cards and Trade Cards Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0214

**Business letterheads collection, circa 1830s-1970s.** 5 boxes; 3 volumes; 1 oversize folder Collection includes letterheads of businesses, clubs, and institutions, mostly located in St. Louis. These letterheads usually comprise receipts for goods sold or services rendered; in some

cases the letterheads are blank. Some of the letterheads include an engraving or other illustration of the building that housed the business, club, or institution. Some building images are on envelopes or checks, and in a small number of cases the building image is a photograph. The collection also contains three bound scrapbooks of letterheads: One of these volumes contains letters on letterheads with envelopes inviting 132 St. Louis companies to exhibit at the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition. Two other volumes contain invoices and bills of the Stewart Scott Press Room Company (1898-1928).

Letterheads are indexed in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A2577

Busse, Ruth Mueller (1901- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1969 Feb 22. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical Files]

Family history sheet and biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ruth Mueller Busse, 15 Devon Road, Glendale, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Ruth Mueller Busse Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2315

# Bussmann Manufacturing Division, McGraw-Edison Company. Souvenir Program, 1964 Sept 12. 1 item

This 15-page souvenir program celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Bussmann Manufacturing Division of the McGraw Edison Company held at Norwood Hills Country Club includes a group photograph of the founding members of the division (Frank, Al, Joe, Lee and Harry Bussmann); the dinner program; a list of employees who served the company for 25 or more years; images of a few company documents; group photograph of BUSS fuse makers in front of the 23rd Street Plant, June 1926; group photograph of the BUSS fuse and BUSS light makers at the Sullivan Plant, June 1927; photograph of the BUSS Plant at 3819 North 23rd St., 1916; photograph of female employees working in the East St. Louis Plant, 1920; group photograph of attendees at the first BUSS sales conference, 1923; photograph of the 25th anniversary dinner at the Coronado Hotel, 1939; and photograph of the first BUSS bowling team, showing Lee Bussmann, Al Bussmann, Harry Bussmann, and Joe Bussmann. Cite as: Bussmann Manufacturing Division, McGraw-Edison Company, Souvenir Program,

Cite as: Bussmann Manufacturing Division, McGraw-Edison Company, Souvenir Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0215

**Butler Family.** 

**Genealogical collection, 1950-1981.** 2 boxes

Genealogical papers regarding the descendants of the William Butler (1819-1843) family of Lincoln County, Missouri, and related families, including Manning, Hall, Graves, Suggett, Spence, Lee, Adams, Prewitt, Bell, Craddock, Johns, and Elgin. The material was collected by Julia Mae Butler, St. Louis, 1950-1981, and includes her correspondence.

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

#### A2578

Butler, Henry Jocelyn (1905- ).

# **Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Dec 10.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Henry Jocelyn Butler, 4907 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Henry Jocelyn Butler Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0216

Butler, William D. (1828-).

**Papers, 1863-1923.** 1 folder (16 items)

William David Butler was born in Crawford County, Pennsylvania, in 1828. He became a teacher in the St. Louis High School in 1855, but resigned his position in 1858. He was appointed principal of the Jefferson School in 1865. In 1868, he took the position of assistant superintendent and later he was made principal of the old First Branch High School at Seventh and Chestnut Streets. From 1879 to June 1906 he was principal of the Blow School. His son William M. Butler was the principal of Yeatman High School (1910).

The collection contains correspondence, receipts for the purchases of sanitary supplies, passes, and reports of William D. Butler when he was a special agent of the Western Sanitary Commission among the Missouri troops at Vicksburg. Also contains a document to the officers of the army and navy of the United States, dated July 17, 1863, regarding William D. Butler's commission as a delegate for the U.S. Christian Commission to distribute stores in hospitals and camps. Of special interest is a letter from William D. Butler to Rev. William G. Eliot, dated September 2, 1863, describing the conditions of blacks who were delivered from bondage after the battle of Vicksburg. Also includes a sketch of the St. Louis public schools and the educational career of William D. Butler and newsclippings concerning the death of William D. Butler and William M. Butler.

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

# A2579

Butts, Elba May.

Biographical Data Sheet, after 1966. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elba May Butts, 567 North and South Road, University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Butts family.

Cite as: Elba May Butts Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2580

**Buzzell**, **James C.**, **Jr.** (1931- ).

Family History Sheet, after 1965. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James C. Buzzell, Jr., 19 Lemp Road, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: James C. Buzzell, Jr., Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2384

Byars, F.A.

Letter to Mr. J.J. Eslinger, 1883 May 11. 1 item

Letter signed F.A. Byars, Texarkana, Arkansas, to Mr. J.J. Eslinger, [St. Louis].

Congratulates him on the cash sales of his drey business; inquires about his clerk; and asks about

the price of counters and shelving.

Cite as: F.A. Byars Letter to Mr. J.J. Eslinger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0217

Byars, William Vincent (1857-1938).

**Papers**, **1878-1940**. 5 boxes; 3 oversize items

William Vincent Byars (1857-1938) was born June 21, 1857, at Covington, Kentucky, the son of James Byars, a distinguished pioneer educator of that state who carefully directed his son's education. In 1877, Byars began his journalistic career as associate editor of the *Covington Weekly Record*. He came to St. Louis to join the staff of the *Daily Times* in 1879. Later he was on the staff of the *Globe-Democrat*, the *Evening Chronicle*, the *Missouri Republican*, and the *St. Louis Republic*, as reporter, city editor, editorial writer, and editor. In 1897 and 1898, he was local and editorial contributor to *Harper's Weekly*. A lover of poetry, Byars wrote "Tannhauser: a Mystery" (verse), "The Glory of the Garden," "Tennessee: An Ode," "Old Songs to New Tunes," and others. In 1880, he married Loula Collins (1857-1916), daughter of a Tennessee clergyman. They made their home with their 12 children at 425 North Taylor in Kirkwood, Missouri. Mr. Byars died June 21, 1938, at his home.

Correspondence (1876-1900) between Byars and his father, James Byars, pertaining to family history, political data, and newspaper work; and correspondence with newspapermen and other public figures, such as Arthur Brisbane (1899-1921), Charles Bryan, one time editor of *The Commoner*, William J. Bryan, Thekla Bernays, Jacob T. Child, Champ Clark, James W. Clark of the *New York World*, Norman J. Colman, Roswell Field, William Torrey Harris, Harry B. Hawes, George S. Johns, Orrick Johns, C.H. Jones, Joseph Pulitzer, Manuel Quezon, and William Marion Reedy. Index to collection in Box 1.

Partially indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2581

Byrne, Clemence Eleanor (1877-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Feb 8. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Clemence Eleanor Byrne, 4646 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Clemence Eleanor Byrne Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2582

Byrne, John Edward (1921- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1959 Aug 25. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Edward Byrne, 5878 Delor St., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: John Edward Byrne Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1523

## C.E. Smith & Co.

Collection, 1908-1955. 17 roll storage boxes

Collection was formerly known as [Smith, C.E.?] Plats and Maps.

The St. Louis firm of C.E. Smith & Co., consulting engineers, was formed by Charles Edward Smith in 1916. The firm continued in business until approximately 1960.

The collection includes plats of several subdivisions in the city of St. Louis and St. Louis County; maps of St. Louis and the Illinois cities of East St. Louis, Galesburg, and Monmouth; a few aerial photographs of parts of the St. Louis area; maps and drawings regarding Sewer District No. 5 in Cape Girardeau, Missouri; charts of the Mississippi River; survey plat for the De Soto–Carr Housing Project, later known as the Pruitt-Igoe housing project; and plats of the River des Peres Drainage Works. Several of these documents were prepared by C.E. Smith & Co., consulting engineers, of St. Louis.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: C.E. Smith & Co. Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2482

# C.G. Caines' Grocery Store (Vanceburg, Kentucky).

Circular, no date. 1 item

Circular for C.G. Caines' Grocery Store, Front Street, Vanceburg, Kentucky, is in the form of a poem promoting the store's goods.

Cite as C.G. Caines' Grocery Store Circular, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis

# A0218

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

**Daybooks**, **1853-1855**. 2 volumes

The day books of a general store owned by Charles H. Lewis.

Cite as: C.H. Lewis and Co. Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0219

# C.R. Hettel Jewelry Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Ledger, 1890.** 1 volume (452 pages)

The C.R. Hettel Jewelry Company was a wholesale jewelry firm.

Cite as: C.R. Hettel Jewelry Co. Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2583

**Cable, John Ray (1891- ).** 

Family History Sheet, 1941 June 9. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Ray Cable, 154 North Bemiston, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: John Ray Cable Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2584

Cabot, Ellsworth Sebastian (1921- ).

Family History Sheet, 1964 Mar 2. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ellsworth Sebastian Cabot, 6 Quailways, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Ellsworth Sebastian Cabot Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives,

# A0220

Cale, Rosalie Balmer Smith (1875-1958).

**Collection, 1895-1955.** 1 box

Mrs. Rosalie Cale was a native St. Louisan who was a concert pianist and composer. Her works included an operetta based on Longfellow's *Mask of Pandora* and a second operetta, *Love, Powder and Patches*. Her family was active in St. Louis musical circles and operated the Balmer and Weber Music Store. Her father was related to Sol Smith, one of the celebrated comedians of his day and a pioneer theatrical manager. She composed "Song Without Words" at the age of ten. She also was the first recording secretary of the National Federation of Music Clubs.

Collection includes two bound volumes of clippings and programs—some loose recital programs of students, etc.; correspondence from the College of Notre Dame, Belmont, California, 1928, in regard to writing music for an anniversary pageant; program of St. Louis music arranged and with commentary by Ernest C. Krohn, presented before the Missouri Historical Society, February 26, 1954; data on the New Era Literary Club, organized in 1900, federated in 1916; composition book of poetry by Mrs. Malcolm Robb—Theresa Smith Robbs; and loose pages of poetry.

Cite as: Rosalie Balmer Smith Cale Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1829

Callahan, Mary V.

**Scrapbook**, **1911-1918.** 1 folder; 1 volume

Mary V. Callahan was the daughter of Bartholomew and Katherine Murphy Callahan. She attended Benton Public School and was a member of the Soldan High School graduating class of January 1914. Mary played on the basketball team at Soldan, and later at Washington University. Mary graduated from Washington University as a teacher, and in the mid-1920s moved to Los Angeles, where she was hired by the school district there.

Collection contains a scrapbook containing class photographs, sketches, poems, receipts, greeting cards, basketball uniform patches, and other high school memorabilia.

Cite as: Mary V. Callahan Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0221

Callaway County, Missouri.

Collection, 1860-1963. 2 folders

Collection contains 1860 proof of an article titled "Preceding the Conflict, Politics in Pre—Civil War Callaway County." Newsclippings and mementos regarding President Truman's and Prime Minister Winston Churchill's visit to Westminster College in Fulton, Missouri; correspondence concerning list of cemetery inscriptions from the Newsom Cemetery, Callaway County, 1963; manuscript copy of a tour of Fulton and Callaway County by the Women's Association of the Missouri Historical Society, October 6, 1958.

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

# **Camp Jackson collection.**

Items from this collection have been transferred to various collections. See separation record filed with finding aids.

Camp, John P. ( -1868).

**Papers, 1852-1890 (bulk 1861-1868).** 1 box

John P. Camp, originally from Cincinnati, died January 25, 1868, in Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Collection consists primarily of documentation of Civil War claims handled by John P. Camp, a counselor for claimants in St. Louis. These claims, dated 1861 to 1868, relate to services rendered and supplies provided to the United States, and include vouchers, receipts, correspondence, affidavits, special orders, and loyalty oaths. The collection also contains one folder of business papers of Camp that do not appear to be related to the claims process, five folders of personal papers of the Camp family, and one folder of miscellany. Finding aid available.

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

#### A3134

Camp Weingarten (Weingarten, Mo.).

Research Collection, 1942-2003. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

The prisoner of war camp at Weingarten, Missouri, comprised 832 acres in Ste. Genevieve County. Construction began in August 1942, and the camp was activated just a few months later in November. There were 380 buildings including a hospital, an administrative building, a theater, a stable, and a gymnasium. The first Italian prisoners arrived in May 1943. At its peak, the camp was home to 4,500 prisoners. By November 1945, the camp was empty, its prisoners having been escorted to Italy.

The collection is comprised of newspaper clippings, research notes and interview questions, writings, copies of official army records, correspondence, and photographs relating to the prisoner of war camp at Weingarten, Missouri. The items are arranged alphabetically by type of document/topic and date from 1942 to 2003.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Camp Weingarten Research Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2585

Campbell, Elmo William (1898- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1969 May 3.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet and biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elmo William Campbell, 7110 Cambridge Ave., University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Cite as: Elmo William Campbell Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0224

Campbell Family.

Hazlett Kyle Campbell estate case records, 1938-1941. 35 boxes

Collection includes testimonies, depositions, exhibits, reports, court orders, correspondence, memoranda and transcripts of hearings in the case of *Saint Louis Union Trust et al. v. Charles H. Clarke et al.* pertaining to the disposition of the estate of Hazlett Kyle Campbell, the last child of Robert Campbell, who died intestate March 27, 1938. Materials include extensive genealogical records of the family of St. Louis fur trader and merchant Robert Campbell (1804-1879); the Campbell family Bible and letters (each with a photostat copy) that were admitted as evidence in the settlement of the Campbell estate, 1941; annotated guide to the court exhibit; and printed copy of the court decision.

Cite as: Hazlett Kyle Campbell Estate Case Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0225

# Campbell, Hugh.

**Journal, 1857-1858.** 1 volume (unbound photostat)

Journal of surveyor Hugh Campbell of an expedition from St. Louis to the southern border of Kansas (Mitial Point, Kansas), with information on landscape and terrain.

Cite as: Hugh Campbell Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Campbell, John

See John Campbell and White Matlock.

#### A0226

# Campbell, Robert (1804-1879).

# **Family papers, 1825-1879; 1940-1943.** 1 box

Robert Campbell was born in Ireland in 1804, came to America in 1822, and to St. Louis in 1824. A year later he joined William H. Ashley's second expedition to the Rocky Mountains. Campbell and William L. Sublette became business partners in 1831. They established a fur trading post named Fort William in 1834, which was destroyed in 1846. Sublette and Campbell dissolved their partnership in 1842. Campbell was president of the Bank of the State of Missouri and later of Merchants Bank, and also owned a dry goods store. In 1846, he aided in equipping volunteers in the Mexican War. In 1851, he served with Father DeSmet as representative of the U.S. government in the Indian council at Horse Creek.

Copies of letters (1825-1841) of Robert Campbell, William H. Ashley, Robert Wiley, Andrew Drips, John O'Fallon, Mary Campbell, Fred A. Tracy, and William L. Sublette concerning the fur trade, sale of beaver, and business and family matters; correspondence regarding the Santa Fe trade, 1825-1831; preparation for mountain trip, 1832-1837; private journal (original and typescript) of Robert Campbell, September 21-December 31, 1833, while at Fort William; narrative of Campbell's experiences in the Rocky Mountain fur trade, 1825-1835 (dictated to William Fayel in 1879); record of shipments (1862-1864) of Campbell & Company under the open cargo policy of the United Insurance Company; inventory of Campbell & Company, 1864; material relating to the case of *Robert Campbell & Company v. J.C. Dent*, which was brought before the Supreme Court of Missouri, and on the Campbell House Museum, St. Louis; testimony, depositions, exhibits, reports, court orders, correspondence, and memoranda pertaining to the disposition of the estate of Hazlett Kyle Campbell (died 1938), last child of Campbell; and genealogical material of the Campbell family. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0227

# Canaday, Dayton W.

**Collection, 1850-1924.** 2 folders (35 items)

Collection includes tax and school receipts of William H. Blackwell, circa 1850s; program for memorial service for Dr. Hugo Kinner, September 30, 1917; undated advertising card for St. Lawrence Hotel, corner O'Fallon St. and Broadway, St. Louis (Philip Lauff, proprietor); programs, joint banquet of the Sons of the Revolution and Sons of the Revolution in State of Missouri, held at the Southern Hotel, February 22, 1898; bond of Carondelet Electric Light and

Power Co., 1902; correspondence of advertising material etc. on motion pictures including correspondence to Miss Sara Elizabeth Edwards of St. Louis in relation to motion pictures in Missouri, 1916-1924; information, tickets, correspondence regarding Boy Scouts in St. Louis, 1917-1918; and advertising material on the coal industry in St. Louis area, 1920.

Cite as: Dayton W. Canaday Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0228

Canadian Archives collection, 1764-1951. 3 folders (20 items); 1 oversize folder

Collection consists of copies of records from the Public Archives of Canada including a typed copy of a journal of an expedition along the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers by Capt. Harry Gordon, 1766; various letters from Patt Sinclair regarding Lake Michigan and Chicago; biography of Joseph Francois Perrault, protonotary of the Court of Kings Bench for the District of Quebec, December 30, 1833; preliminary inventory from the manuscript division of the Public Archives of Canada, 1951, Record Group 10, Indian Affairs; and booklet containing addresses of and inscriptions upon the Historical Tablets of Montreal, no date.

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

#### A2586

Cannon, William Joseph (1926- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1963 Aug. 8.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. William Joseph Cannon, 43 Clermont Lane, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Cannon family.

Cite as: William Joseph Cannon Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2460

Cantwell, Shorb & Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Price List, 1872 Dec 13.** 1 item

Price list of Cantwell, Shorb & Co., wholesale booksellers, stationers, paper dealers and blank book manufacturers, 504 North Main Street, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Cantwell, Shorb & Co. Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2735

Capen, Henry.

Papers, 1870-1876. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Henry Capen resided in Bloomington, Illinois.

Papers contain letters to Henry Capen from H.O. Hatch, J.W. Sutherland, and George W. Toms, mostly regarding real estate in the St. Louis area.

Finding aid available.

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

# A2587

Caples, Russell Bigelow (1841- ).

Family History Sheet, 1908 Mar. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Russell Bigelow Caples, Glasgow, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Russell Bigelow Caples Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2588

Carlin, James Lawrence (1941- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1969 Feb 13.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Lawrence Carlin, 912 Moreland, Glendale, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: James Lawrence Carlin Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2589

Carlin, Marie Gordon Tobin, Mrs. (1893- ).

Family History Sheets, 1958-1965. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two family history sheets and one biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Marie Gordon Tobin Carlin, 5376 Waterman Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Marie Gordon Tobin Carlin Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2590

Carlson, Everett E. (1902-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 Oct 8. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Everett E. Carlson, 131 West Bodley Avenue, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Everett E. Carlson Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2591

Carlson, Reuben Godfrey (1898-).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1959 Nov 14.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Reuben Godfrey Carlson, 899 Alanson, University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Also includes biographical data sheet filled out by his wife, Anna Coolley Carlson. These sheets include genealogical data on the Carlson and Coolley families.

Cite as: Reuben Godfrey Carlson Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0231

Carondelet, Francisco Luis Hector de, Baron ([1748]-1807).

**Papers, 1772-1875.** 1 folder (12 items): 1 oversize item

Baron de Carondelet was born in Noyelles, Flanders. After serving as governor of San Salvador, Guatemala, he was governor of Louisiana and West Florida from 1791 to 1795 and continued as governor of Louisiana until 1797. By intriguing with dissatisfied American frontiersmen and arousing Indian tribes against the Untied States, he created great unrest and strained relations between the United States and Spain. Carondelet later served (1799-1807) as governor general of Quito, Ecuador, where he died on August 10, 1807.

Papers include original and copies of appointments by Carondelet including one titled "In

consideration of services rendered His Majesty by Auguste Chouteau and Pierre Chouteau in the Osage Nation elects Pierre Chouteau as commandant of militia district of the Illinois," May 21, 1794. Also includes appointment of John Baptiste Valle as captain of militia at Ste. Genevieve, July 1, 1794.

Some Spanish.

Cite as: Baron de Carondelet Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0230

Carondelet, Missouri.

**Records, 1838-1871.** 18 volumes

This collection consists of assorted records of the city of Carondelet prior to its annexation by the city of St. Louis in 1870. These records include Carondelet Board of Trustees proceedings, 1839-1851; city council rough minutes, 1851-1866; city council proceedings, 1851-1859, 1869-1870; index of ordinances and resolutions passed by the city council, 1851-1871; record of bonds and contracts, 1851-1870; records of sales of the Carondelet Commons, 1838-1839 and 1846-1849; records of rentals of Carondelet Commons, 1838-1850; property tax records, 1853; the register's office record of proceedings before the mayor on taking private property for public use, August 1853, March 1854, and July 1859; poll books for election for trustees of Carondelet, 1832-1850; poll book for special election of the clerk of the county court, district 11, St. Louis County, October 26, 1843; a certified copy of the Missouri General Assembly "act to incorporate the City of Carondelet," approved January 16, 1860, copy certified January 24, 1860; and censuses of wards, March-April 1857, March 1858, and November 1858 (for bound photocopy of censuses with index, see Dennis Northcott, *Carondelet Census Books*, 1857-1858; available in the library).

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

#### A0229

Carondelet, Missouri.

Collection, 1805-1975. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains early land claim by Zenon Trudeau, dated February 18, 1806; various tax receipts; photocopies of land transactions in Carondelet, 1842-1874; correspondence and newsclippings regarding Carondelet; biographical sketch of the Aime Pernod family, December 18, 1949; translation by M. Heinrichsmeyer of history of Carondelet by Gustav Heinrichs, originally published in German, 1873; undated manuscript history of Carondelet compiled by pupils of Carondelet school; undated land plat of Carondelet Park; a typescript titled "Olden Times in Carondelet" by Mrs. Alzire K.H. Blow; and undated plat of Carondelet Village. Cite as: Carondelet, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2592

Carpenter, Alvin Carlisle (1869- ).

Family History Sheet, 1940 June 22. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alvin Carlisle Carpenter, 601 South 4th Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Alvin Carlisle Carpenter Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0232

Carpenter, George Oliver (1852-1939).

# **Papers**, **1864-1935**. 1 folder (30 items); 1 volume

George Oliver Carpenter was the vice-president and general manager of the National Lead Co. in St. Louis. He was also a president of the board of directors of the St. Louis Public Library and was a member of the board of directors of Washington University. The Carpenter Branch Library, Grand Blvd. and Utah Street, was named in his honor.

Papers include bound thank-you resolution from the St. Louis Public Library, dated October 4, 1935; newsclippings regarding his death, marriage of his daughter, general family items; dedication ceremonies booklet from the dedication of the George O. Carpenter Branch of the St. Louis Public Library, dated May 14, 1927; high school diploma dated July 7, 1869; life insurance policies; and genealogical information.

Cite as: George Oliver Carpenter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2593

# Carpenter, William (1925- ).

Family History Sheet, 1959 Mar 31. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Carpenter, 1639 Dearborn Drive, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes note of Mrs. William Carpenter, April 8, 1959, regarding the enclosed family history sheet.

Cite as: William Carpenter Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0233

Carr, James Angas (1825-1891).

**Papers, 1858-1892.** 2 boxes

James Angas Carr was a prominent corporation lawyer and general attorney for the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Company. He moved to St. Louis in 1882, and was instrumental in molding the corporation law of the state.

Legal record book, 1858-1874; court brief, 1876, *State of Missouri ex. rel. Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Company vs. State Board of Equalization*; personal memorabilia; work diaries and receipt/expenditure records, 1871-1892; undated recipe book of desserts, breads, and puddings (some in French); book of political newsclippings, circa 1850; and copybook of Lizzie Carr, Central High School, 1880.

Some French.

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

# A0234

Carr, Walter C. (1812-1888).

# Carr-Zimmerman family papers, 1780-1911; 1920. 2 boxes

Walter C. Carr was born in Lafayette County, Kentucky. He came to St. Louis when he was 26 and became engaged in the firm of Chiles & Carr, chiefly a hemp trade. He married Stephanie (Fannie) B. Wescott, February 10, 1846, and had a family of three sons and two daughters. After the Civil War, he became principal in the firm of Carr & Luke and engaged in a southern order business in which he did extensive trade for many years. Mr. Carr was selected city auditor and also appointed one of 100 notaries allowed the city by law, and acted in that capacity until his death.

Correspondence primarily between Walter C. Carr and his wife and members of the Carr family. Also includes correspondence of the family of B.W. Zimmerman, and his wife, Nellie Carr, daughter of Walter and Fannie Carr.

Cite as: Carr-Zimmerman Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0235

Carr, William C. (1783-1851).

Carr-Papin family papers. [1776]-1877. 1 box; 3 oversize folders

The son of Walter Carr, William Chiles Carr was born April 17, 1783, in Albemarle County, Virginia. He arrived in St. Louis in 1804 at the age of 21 and entered into the practice of law. He remained in St. Louis only briefly before moving to Ste. Genevieve, where he lived a year before returning to St. Louis, which then became his permanent home. In 1826, William C. Carr was appointed judge of the circuit court, the jurisdiction of which included several counties besides St. Louis, extending west to the Osage River and south and southwest almost to Arkansas. He resigned his judgeship in 1834, and retired to the private practice of law until his death on March 31, 1851. William C. Carr married Ann Maria Elliott, the daughter of Aaron Elliott of Ste. Genevieve, on November 17, 1807, and fathered three daughters by her. After her death, Carr married Dorcas Bent (died 1887), the daughter of Silas Bent (1768-1827), in December 1829. This marriage produced nine children including Charles Bent Carr (born 1836), who married Louise Atchison, the daughter of Marie Papin and George W. Atchison. Joseph Marie Papin was born November 6, 1741, in Montreal, to Joseph and Marguerite Papin. With his family, Papin was one of the earliest settlers in St. Louis, where he engaged in the fur trade. In 1799, he married Marie Louise Chouteau (1762-1817), the daughter of Marie Therese Bourgeois Chouteau and Pierre Laclede, by whom he had seven sons and six daughters. Papin died in 1811. Joseph M. Papin's children included Pierre Millicour Papin (born 1793), Hypolite Leber Papin (1787-1842), Marguerite Papin (1781-1808), Marie Louise Papin (born 1785), and Theodore Dartigny Papin (1799-1849). Theodore D. Papin's daughter Marie (1822-1901) married George W. Atchison (1817-1851) in 1839. Her daughter Louise Atchison (1840-1915) married Charles Bent Carr (born 1836), the son of William C. Carr, in 1858, thereby uniting the Carr and Papin families.

Collection consists of records relating mostly to Judge William C. Carr of St. Louis and the allied families of Silas Bent and of fur trader Joseph Marie Papin. The papers include records related to William C. Carr's law practice, namely promissory notes and land papers; assorted personal and family records of William C. and Dorcas Bent Carr, including numerous records of slave sales; business records of Silas Bent, Jr., relating to the incorporation in 1872 of the St. Louis and Tennessee Iron Mountain Company of St. Louis County; Papin family correspondence, 1826-1846, consisting of letters of Theodore D. Papin and Hyacinthe Renard to Pierre Millicour Papin, Hypolite Papin, and Mme. Theodore D. Papin; George W. Atchison family papers, 1841-1877; and original and certified copies of land grants and conveyances of land most of which ultimately belonged to members of the Carr, Papin, and Bent families, [1776]-1864. Notable items include a copy of the will of Francois Valle, 1804, and a letter of R.E. Smith, New Mexico, to Dr. J. Gratz Moses, May 9, 1877, discussing the medical treatment, death, and autopsy of George W. Atchison.

Some French and Spanish.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Carr-Papin Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0236

Carr, William C. (1783-1851).

**Papers, 1804-1888.** 1 box

William C. Carr came to St. Louis in 1804. After remaining there a short time, he went to

Ste. Genevieve, and lived there for a short time. He returned to St. Louis and made it his permanent home. He was a lawyer by profession. In 1826, he was appointed judge of the circuit court of five counties that extended to the Arkansas line. In 1832, he was charged with neglect of duty, incapacity and favoritism, and articles of impeachment were adopted by the legislature, but on the protracted trial that followed he was acquitted. In 1834, he resigned his judgeship and retired to private life. His first wife was Miss Ann Elliot, daughter of Aaron Elliot, and his second, Miss Dorcas Bent, daughter of Silas Bent, Sr. He died in 1851.

Collection contains letters from William Carr to his family from Ste. Genevieve describing his life there; letters to his family from St. Louis (mostly to Charles Carr); letters from Carr in Washington to his wife, Dorcas, in St. Louis, 1830-1832; letters describing his trial and proceedings to family and friends; and letters after 1851 to Mrs. Dorcas Carr from family and friends. Collection includes original letters, typed copies, and photocopies.

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

# A0237

**Carrico Family.** 

**Papers, 1832-1867.** (50 items)

Papers include genealogical material; family photographs; land grants issued to Keeley and Carrico families for lands around St. Louis; and a Masonic certificate of Phelix Carrico, Warrenton, Missouri, November 22, 1867.

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

#### A0238

Carriere, C.P.

**Papers, 1808-1960.** 1 folder (25 items)

Deed of sale from Joseph Marie Papin and his wife, Marie Louise Chouteau, to Antoine Chenie, dated August 29, 1808; invitation to a ball at the National Hotel in commemoration of the victory at New Orleans, dated January 8, 1837; marriage invitation of Josephine Dickson and Julius S. Walsh, dated January 11, 1870; inventory of effects in warehouse at time of the death of C.P. Carriere, dated April 23, 1772; and correspondence with Charles van Ravenswaay regarding the collection.

Cite as: C.P. Carriere Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0239

Carriers' addresses collection, 1837-1891. 1 flat storage box; 11 folders

Collection of printed New Year's greetings from the carriers of various newspapers. Most examples are from St. Louis and Missouri publications. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Carriers' Addresses Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2814

Carriger Family.

Papers, 1843-1849. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Elliot Carriger was born in Carter County, Tennessee, in 1816. In the early 1840s, he moved to Independence, Missouri. In 1854, he moved to Shawnee County, Kansas. He died in August 1891 in Kansas.

Papers consist primarily of letters of Elliot Carriger, Independence, Missouri, to his family in Elizabethton, Carter County, Tennessee.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0240

**Carrington Family.** 

Collection, 1937-1984. 1 flat storage box

Collection of magazines, pamphlets, newsclippings, etc. regarding African-Americans with an emphasis on St. Louisans. Includes a small bit of family information.

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

## A0241

Carrington, James.

**Papers, 1906-1980.** 1 box; 2 oversize folders

Collection includes papers related to Youth Brigade, Inc., James Carrington's tenure as a Missouri state representative from the 67th district (1973-1980), the 1963 March on Washington, and private family matters. The collection also includes Linda R. Taylor's Sumner High School diploma (1906) and her diploma from the Sumner Training School (1906); photocopy of the marriage license of Fred and Rosie Taylor Carrington; certificate of attendance at the Sumner centennial (1975); a certificate of membership in the National Free Lance Photographers Association (1963); and a certificate of community appreciation to James Carrington from the 7th District Police Community Relations Committee (1962).

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

# A2494

Carroll, John.

Marriage certificate, 1914 Sept 29. 1 item

Marriage certificate of John Carroll and Blanche Mathews, who were married September 29, 1914, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception of Columbia, Illinois.

Cite as: John Carroll Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0242

Carroll, John Haydock (1858- ). Papers, 1881-1911. 24 boxes

John H. Carroll was born June 27, 1858, in Erie County, New York, and was orphaned at the age of five. He was adopted by a Quaker family in Ohio, which later sent him to West Point. He was admitted to the Ohio bar in 1880 and the Missouri bar in 1881. He settled in Unionville, Missouri, and from 1883 to 1889 he was prosecuting attorney of Putnam County. In 1888 and again in 1900 he was a Missouri delegate to the Democratic National Convention and an alternate at large to the Democratic National Convention in 1892. In 1890, he was appointed general attorney for the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, which had its headquarters in St. Louis. In 1917, he moved to Washington, D.C., and during the last year of World War I he served as assistant to the director general of the railroads, John Barton Payne. He was also the legal adviser of the Cuban embassy in Washington. He married Miss Priscilla Woodrow of Lynchburg, Ohio, in 1880. He died in December 1931.

Correspondence, 1884-1902; letterbooks, 1885-1892, 1899-1902; political notebooks, circa 1894-1902; account books, 1881-1902; bankbooks, 1887-1892, 1899-1911; checkbooks, 1897-1911; canceled checks, deeds, etc., Missouri House and Senate bills, 1895-1897. Cite as: John Haydock Carroll Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0243

Carroll, John J. "Red" ( -1978).

Papers, 1908-1978. 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder

John J. "Red" Carroll was employed by the United Railways Company of St. Louis and its successor, St. Louis Public Service Co., for over 40 years. He was a member of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, Local No. 788.

Collection consists of professional and personal memorabilia and papers, many of which relate to the St. Louis streetcar industry, especially the United Railways Company of St. Louis and the St. Louis Public Service Co. It includes employee time books, 1908-1929; timetables, transfers, operating instructions, etc.; operating and management manuals; programs and other printed matter; and materials relating to the Employees' Mutual Benefit Association and the companies' savings and loan plans. Also includes materials of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, Local No. 788, among which can be found the constitution and by-laws and membership benefits materials; an interview with "Red" Carroll published in *In Transit*, the publication of the Amalgamated Transit Union, April 1975; several issues of the St. Louis Public Service Company newsletter *Transit News*, 1944-1962; Carroll's correspondence; newsclippings; invitations; and several commencement programs from St. Louis schools, including John Burroughs School, Clayton High School, Mary Institute, St. Louis Country Day School, and Horton Watkins High School in Ladue, 1940s and 1950s. Inventory to collection in first box.

Cite as: John J. "Red" Carroll Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0244

Carson, Christopher (Kit) (1809-1868).

Carson family papers, 1810-1950. 2 boxes; 10 volumes

Christopher "Kit" Carson was the son of Lindsey Carson of North Carolina, who came west in the Benjamin Cooper party that arrived in Boonslick in 1810. Lindsey was killed in 1818; his brother William Carson came to the district a little later and became a Santa Fe trader (1820s), which he continued until his death in 1853. His nephew Kit Carson joined a Santa Fe caravan in 1826 when he was 16 years old, having run away from his harness-making job. He remained in the western country to become one of its greatest heroes.

Correspondence relating to Christopher "Kit" Carson; personal letters from members of the Carson family including bills of sale of slaves and correspondence regarding family slaves, land papers, writings on religion, genealogical data; bills, notes, receipts, and memoranda concerning the Santa Fe trade of William Carson (Howard County, Missouri) and the grocery business continued by his son Thomas Carson; account books kept by members of the Carson family including James Thomas, George H. and Frank Carson. Entries concern merchandise accounts, livestock and produce records, slave records, religious writings and personal observations, 1839-1882. Collection also includes personal, farm, and business account books of Thomas Carson and James Thomas Carson in Fayette and Rocheport, Missouri; personal and farm expenses, labor and grocery accounts, bank accounts, and cattle registries of Thomas Carson in Fayette and Rocheport, 1856-1889; general merchandise ledgers and daybooks for general store in Fayette, 1872-1874; daybooks of general store in Rocheport, 1881-1882; and personal, farm, and business accounts of James Thomas Carson in Rocheport, 1881-1910.

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

# Carson, James H. & William.

# **Land Patents, 1837 Nov 7 & 1859 Sept 1.** 2 items

Collection contains two U.S. land patents: (1) patent for land granted to William Carson of Washington County, Missouri, for land in Township 35 North of Range 2 East, in the district of lands subject to sale at Jackson, Missouri, November 7, 1837, signed by President Martin Van Buren, and (2) patent for land granted to James H. Carson of Washington County, Missouri, for land in Township 36 North of Range 1 East, in the district of lands subject to sale at Jackson, Missouri, September 1, 1859, signed by President James Buchanan.

Cite as: James H. & William Carson Land Patents, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0245

# Carson, William Glasgow Bruce. (1891-1976). Collection, 1818-2016. 29 boxes

William G. B. Carson earned his bachelor and master of arts degrees in English from Washington University in 1913 and 1916. He taught English and dramatics for 38 years at Washington University, 1919-1957. Carson wrote on theatre history and St. Louis history. He was active in the Missouri Historical Society for over 30 years, receiving the Lifetime Award in 1965. Carson's maternal grandfather was William Glasgow, Jr., and his great-grandfather was William Carr Lane, first mayor of St. Louis.

The collection is a compilation of correspondence and documents belonging to five generations of the of William G. B. and Elizabeth Carson family. It is comprised primarily of the correspondence, diaries, and personal papers of William G. B. Carson and his wife, Elizabeth. There is a smaller amount of research and writings belonging to William G. B. Carson and to his son, William C. Carson. The earliest, and significantly smaller amount of papers, are from Carson's ancestors, the William Carr Lane and the William Glasgow, Jr. families. There are also papers regarding the Carson family and Elizabeth's family, the Chapins. The collection is divided into eight series: Correspondence, Family, Writings, Theatre Research, William Carr Lane Research, Washington University, William C. Carson Research, and Diaries.

Partially indexed in the archives card catalog (donations before 2017). Finding aid available.

Cite as: William G. B. Carson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2977

# Carter, C.R. "Dick"

# Correspondence, 1918-1919. 5 items

Papers include the following postcards and letter written by serviceman C.R. "Dick" Carter to his wife and son near the end of World War I: Postcard with image of "Battery in Action," includes note signed C.R. Carter to his son Joseph Carter, Argos, Indiana, postmarked St. Louis, Mo., June 7, 1918; postcard with image of the house where Abraham Lincoln died, Washington, D.C., includes note signed C.R.C. to his son Joseph Carter, Argos Indiana, postmarked Alexandria, Virginia, June 13, 1918; postcard with image of a mortar battery, includes note signed Dady, Camp Laurel, to his wife, Mrs. Nellie Carter, Argos, Indiana, postmarked Lansdowne, Maryland, July 8, 1918[?]; postcard with image of interior view of Merritt Hall, the enlisted men's club of Camp Merritt, New Jersey, includes note signed Dick to Mrs. Nellie Carter, Sulphur Springs, Missouri, postmarked Jersey City, New Jersey, Argos, Indiana, and St. Louis, Missouri, July 18-22, 1919; and letter signed Dick, Camp Merritt, New Jersey, to his wife

and son, Sulphur Springs, Missouri, July 20, 1919, which mentions that he hopes to be home by next week.

Cite as: C.R. "Dick" Carter Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0246

Carter Family.

**Family tree, circa 1896.** 1 item (42" x 42")

Family tree of John Carter who emigrated from England to Virginia and died in 1699. The family tree was compiled by R.R. Carter, updated in 1896, and printed by M.C. Oliver in 1897. Cite as: Carter Family Tree, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0247

Carter, Russ.

**Papers, 1958-1994.** 1 folder

St. Louisan Russ Carter attended Cleveland High School, where he developed an interest in singing. He continued to pursue singing during his years at the University of Missouri–Columbia through participation in the University Singers, the Glee Club, Gene Beckman's Black and Gold orchestra, and Ted Weems' orchestra. In 1951, Carter began working for Remington Rand, and later he joined Day-Brite Lighting Company in sales and promotion. In 1958, he became the associate producer of KSD-TV's *St. Louis Hop*, and in 1959, he became the show's master of ceremonies, a position he held until 1972.

Papers relating to *St. Louis Hop*, a locally telecast, weekly television dance program for teenagers, and Russ Carter.

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

## A0248

Carter, W.A.

**Letterbook**, **1860-1861**. 1 volume

W.A. Carter was a judge and post agent at Fort Bridger, Utah Territory (Wyoming).

Letters from Fort Bridger to St. Louis about troop movements, emigration, farming, and postal service (including Pony Express). Letters addressed to Major F.E. Hunt, Russell, Majors & Waddell, O.D. Filley, Chauncey I. Filley, Robert Campbell & Co., etc. Includes introduction and index by E.A. Brininstool, and photographs by Merrill Brininstool, 1924.

Cite as: W.A. Carter Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0249

Case Family.

Papers, 1802-1914. 2 boxes; 2 volumes; 1 oversize folder

The Camden brothers—John and Marbell—owned a dry goods and general merchandise business in Kentucky; Pontoon, Mississippi; and St. Louis. Their cousin Peter G. Camden, born in 1811 in Amherst County, Virginia, came to St. Louis in 1827 where he remained until his death in 1873. He married John and Marbell Camden's sister Anne Bell Camden (1801-1871), and was an American (Nativist) party member and elected mayor of St. Louis in 1846. He retired from business in 1867. Marbell Camden's daughter Sally Camden married George Case, a physician, in 1856.

Business and personal papers of the Case and Camden families of St. Louis. Includes personal letters of Mr. and Mrs. Peter G. Camden, Marbell Camden, and Dr. and Mrs. George S. Case; two letterpress letterbooks of Peter G. Camden regarding politics and Civil War activities

in St. Louis (1860-1869); partnership agreement (1854) of Case, O'Blenis, Mathews, and Wells for operating a business in St. Louis; a description of the dry goods business of John B. & M. Camden & Company; an analysis of trade along the Mississippi River in the 1830s; a steamboat bill of lading and a letter (1840) to Captain Calvin Case at the wreck of the ship *Selma*; copies of Civil War ballads; and a diploma of Annie B. Case from the School of the Good Shepherd, June 15, 1887.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A3099

Casey, Florida May (1910-1983).

Correspondence Collection, 1950-1984. 4 folders

Florida May Casey was born circa 1910 in Batesville, Mississippi, to Columbus (1881-?) and Millie (Baines Buckley) Hentz (1881-1928), who later divorced. Florida worked for the Staples family in Rosedale, Mississippi, during the 1940s and 1950s. She developed a very close relationship with the Staples' daughters, Beauvais and Ethel, leading Beauvais to describe her as "the African-American woman who raised me." By 1965, Florida lived in St. Louis near her daughter, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. Her only daughter, Millie, was born in 1928. Millie married Joe Lee Haze, who served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and lived in St. Louis. Millie and Joe Haze had seven children but later divorced.

The collection consists of two postcards and thirty-three letters written primarily by Florida May Casey and by her daughter, Millie Haze. The sporadic letters date from 1950 to 1984 with the bulk of the collection dating from 1965 to 1981. There are many date gaps: 1952-1955, 1957-1964, 1967, 1974-1976, 1979, and 1982-1983. All but two of the letters are written by Florida May Casey to either her former employer Polly C. Staples or to Polly's daughter, Beauvais Staples McCaddon. There are many misspellings and little punctuation in the letters as Florida had a third-grade education. Millie Haze wrote the final two letters to Beauvais McCaddon in 1984. Florida signed most of her letters "Shi Shi."

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Florida May Casey Correspondence Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2254

Castles, D.E.

Business card, no date. 1 item

D.E. Castles was president of Castles, Wilson Buick Co., St. Louis, Missouri. Cite as: D.E. Castles Business Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2594

Cates, Lorraine C., Mrs. (1923-).

**Family History Sheet, circa 1970s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Lorraine C. Cates (nee Wodraska), 7260 Bruno Ave., Richmond Heights, St. Louis County, Missouri. (Her maiden name was formerly spelled Vodrazka.) Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Lorraine C. Cates Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

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# Catlin, George (1796-1872).

# **Papers**, **1838-1925**; [**1948**]. 1 folder (35 items)

George Catlin was born July 26, 1796, in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. In 1823, he moved to Philadelphia, and set himself up as a professional portrait painter. The turning point in his career came in 1829, when he saw a delegation of Indians from the West. He was so impressed by the group that he determined to devote himself to painting Indians and their way of life in their own territories. In the 1830s he spent considerable time among the Indian tribes of the Plains and the Northwest. He died December 23, 1872, in Jersey City, New Jersey.

Papers include five letters to or from Clara B. Catlin while in England; four letters from George Catlin in Europe to his brother Francis Catlin; printed admission card to Catlin exhibition in London of Indian costumes and weapons, circa 1858; criticism of Catlin's paintings by Charles Baudelaire (French), 1925; undated manuscript, "A Cure For Influenza" by George Catlin; catalogue of Catlin's collection of Indian paintings containing marginal notes in his own hand; and correspondence regarding the acquisition of the Catlin letters.

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

# A0251

# Cavender, John H.

St. Louis streetcar strike papers, 1900. 1 box (approximately 300 items)

John H. Cavender was appointed to command the sheriff's posse comitatus. The streetcar strike of St. Louis was in 1900.

Papers of John H. Cavender, dated June 1-23, 1900, regarding the posse comitatus, transportation, violence reports during the strike, newsclippings of strike.

Cite as: John H. Cavender St. Louis Streetcar Strike Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2233

# Cecil, E.W.

# Notebook of Missouri military bounty lands, no date. 2 items

Notebook (242 pages) comprises a transcript of original bounty land warrants for War of 1812 veterans, likely compiled before 1866 by E.W. Cecil of Baltimore, Maryland, possibly for the use of a real estate firm in tracing titles. The bulk of the notebook (pages 1-106) contains a list that is arranged alphabetically by the name of the veteran to whom the warrant was issued. These entries contain name, date of location, number of warrant, corps or regiment, and legal description of land (part of section, section, township, range, and county). The bounty lands are located in Carroll, Chariton, Clinton, Linn, Livingston, Macon, and Randolph Counties, Missouri. The notebook also contains a list of regiments with place of enlistment (page 108) and a section titled "Descriptive List and Places and Persons to Whom Patents Were Delivered" (pages 111-138). The entries in this latter list often include the individual's place of birth, age, occupation, and physical description, and sometimes additional information. Filed with the notebook is a page of typescript notes describing the notebook, which were written by manuscript dealer Morris H. Briggs, from whom the Missouri Historical Society purchased the notebook in 1948. (The notebook contains 242 pages; however, facing pages are paginated with the same number.)

Cite as: E.W. Cecil Notebook of Missouri Military Bounty Lands, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Celleyham, M.P.

# **Letterbook**, **1868-1874**. 1 volume

Letterpress letterbook of personal and business correspondence of M.P. Celleyham from points in Wisconsin, Iowa, New York, Missouri, et al. Business correspondence relates to the expansion of the railroads.

Cite as: M.P. Celleyham Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0253

# Cemeteries collection, 1869-1970. 1 box

Collection includes an account of the cholera epidemic, 1849, by Michael McEnnis; correspondence regarding the building of an iron fence in Bellefontaine Cemetery, circa 1931, which includes measurements and maintenance with several blueprints; deed to lot of Herman H. Greife in St. Peters Graveyard, 1898; booklet of the rules and regulations of the Fee Fee Cemetery, 1877; map of Calvary Cemetery engraved from original map by M.P. Brazill, 1888; deed of lot to Jennie P. Long, Fee Fee Cemetery, December 29, 1911; booklets of the Fee Fee Cemetery Association, Pattonville, Missouri, 1914 and 1924; booklet of rules for Calvary Cemetery, 1920; correspondence regarding investment reports, etc. of Bellefontaine Cemetery, 1964; and undated historical tour booklet of Calvary Cemetery.

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

## A0254

**Census collection, 1732-1980.** 3 folders (20 items); 1 flat storage box; 67 volumes; 3 oversize folders

Collection consists of assorted materials, acquired from a variety of sources, that relate to censuses in St. Louis and Missouri. Includes the following: typescript of census of Ste. Genevieve, 1752; photocopy of census of Ste. Genevieve District, October 18, 1818; typescript of St. Louis County and its districts, 1791; facsimile of census of Upper Louisiana signed by Antoine Soulard and Delassus, December 31, 1800; list of 52 land holders in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, 1800; census of Cape Girardeau, November 1, 1803; typescript of statistical census of New Madrid listing inhabitants, slaves, stock and harvests, 1797; census of Cape Girardeau listing men and women, slaves, wheat, corn, tobacco, linen, wool, cotton, sugar, horned animals and horses, November 1, 1803; New Madrid census with recapitulation, 1803; a printed record of aggregate census data for Missouri, 1848; and U.S. census forms and statistical reports by the Bureau of the Census, 1980. As separately housed bound volumes, this collection contains territorial census records consisting of the census and general recapitulation of the census of the Illinois Country, 1732, with aggregate data from Prairie du Rocher/Fort de Chartres, Kaskaskia, Cahokia, and the concession of M. Renault; a general census of the towns of St. Louis and Ste. Genevieve, 1787, and a census of St. Louis and its Districts, 1791, both certified as true and exact copies from the Archivo Nacional, Havana, 1905; second copy of the general census of the towns of St. Louis and Ste. Genevieve, 1787, with index A-P, a tax list for St. Louis, 1805, and the article "Voyage dans L'Amerique Septentrionale par Feu le General Collot," with a translation by Mrs. Max Meyer. Separately housed bound local and state census records include a census of St. Louis County for 1840 (a photocopy of this census with a name index is available in the library—Dennis Northcott, compiler, 1840 Missouri State Census of St. Louis County [call number: Reading Room/MO/9.10/Sa2Lc]; this census is also indexed in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index); a census of St. Louis City for 1845 (a photocopy of this census with a name index is available in the library—Dennis Northcott, compiler, 1845 Census of the City of St. Louis (Partial) [call number: Reading Room/St.L./929.3/C396]; this

census is also indexed in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index); and Missouri state census books includes an aggregate census record for 1844, consisting of aggregate data by township. This collection also includes a publication titled *Statistics of the United States of America as Collected and Returned by the Marshals of the Several Judicial Districts under the Thirteenth Section of the Act for Taking the Sixth Census* (Washington: Blair and Rives, 1841), containing published aggregate data; federal census mortality schedules for the state of Missouri for 1850, 1860, 1870, and 1880, arranged alphabetically by counties; and federal agricultural and industrial census records for the state of Missouri for 1850, 1860, 1870, and 1880, also arranged alphabetically by county. Some copies of originals held elsewhere. The collection has been digitized and microfilmed by the Missouri State Archive. Microfilm copies are available in the Missouri Historical Society Library and Research Center. Some Spanish and French.

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

# A3043

Center for Hearing and Speech (Saint Louis, MO).

**Records, 1895-2010.** 12 boxes; 3 oversize folders (1 in AMD)

The Center for Hearing and Speech was originally known as the St. Louis League for the Hard of Harding. The League formed at a meeting held on 12 October 1920 at the Central Institute for the Deaf. In 1964, the League changed its name to the St. Louis Hearing and Speech Center and increased the maximum number of Board of Directors from 12 to 21. The Center added audiologists and speech pathologists to its staff, including an audiologist dedicated to its new mobile testing unit that debuted in 1969.

The records are divided into three series: **Administrative series**, **Publicity series**, and the **Services series**. The **Administrative series**, 1926 to 2001, is arranged into three subseries which are each arranged alphabetically: **Board of Directors Meetings**, 1926-2001; **Reports**, 1960-1990; and **Subject Files**, 1924-2010.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Center for Hearing and Speech Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0255

Central High School (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Collection 1919; 1969-1984.** 1 folder; 2 volumes

Collection includes guest book and program from the 50th class reunion of Central High School, June 12, 1974, with signatures from the 60th reunion, May 30, 1984, and some newsclippings. Collection also contains the girl graduate book of Gertrude Claris, 1919. Cite as: Central High School (St. Louis, Missouri) Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0256

Central Wesleyan College.

**Records**, 1884-1956. 1 box

The institution was founded by German Methodists as part of a seminary at Quincy, Illinois, in 1854. In 1864, the school moved to Warrenton, Missouri, where a Methodist orphan and education institute had been established to care for orphans of Civil War soldiers. Central Wesleyan was opened in Missouri October 3, 1864. In 1884, the double institution was changed into the Central Wesleyan College and the Central Wesleyan Orphans Home. The two institutions have operated together.

Collection contains notes, reports, etc. that were given to the Central Wesleyan College Board of Trustees, 1919-1920; notes concerning the financial business of the college regarding trustees meetings and endowment funds; essays concerning the college; and several drafts of a manuscript history of the college compiled by Theodore Wolff.

Cite as: Central Wesleyan College Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0257

Cerre, Gabriel (1734-1805).

**Papers, 1787-1846.** 1 box

Gabriel Cerre was born August 12, 1734, in Montreal, and came to Kaskaskia circa 1755. In 1755 he married Catherine Giard, by whom he had four children. He engaged in the fur trade, and sent two men, Francois and Joseph Lesier, down the Mississippi River to establish a new trading post among the Indian tribes dwelling on the west bank. The post afterward became the town of New Madrid, Missouri. Cerre moved to St. Louis in 1780, and died in 1805.

Collection includes land survey No. 877, A. Chouteau and A. Soulard in right of their wives under Gabriel Cerre, October 2, 1822 (land is located along the Meramec River); several biographies of Cerre; and several letters and documents regarding his business. Some French.

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

## **Certificates collection**

Items from the Certificates Collection were transferred to Alphabetical Files (see under individual's name) or to the collection in which they originally belonged. (Transferred circa 2001.)

# A2595

Chadeayne, Henry Frost (1896-).

Family History Sheet, 1957 July. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Henry Frost Chadeayne, 4459 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Henry Frost Chadeayne Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3122

**Challenge-Metro Inc.** 

# Papers, 1998-2018 (1998-2004). 9 folders

Dr. Clark J. Hickman served as both a volunteer and on the board of directors of Challenge-Metro Inc. He earned his doctorate in education at the University of Missouri–St. Louis in 1993 and later joined the faculty. In 1982, Gay and Lesbian Community Services was officially incorporated as a nonprofit organization in the state of Missouri. In 1987, the organization changed its name to Challenge-Metro Inc. Under both names, the organization's purpose was to provide "a hotline, crisis intervention, information and referral, community education, research, and other services." However, the only function performed under either name was to fund and staff the St. Louis Gay & Lesbian Hotline. In 2004, it transferred the hotline to Pride St. Louis, and Challenge-Metro Inc. officially dissolved on March 30, 2004.

The papers consist of correspondence, fundraising event documents, and volunteer information relating to the St. Louis Gay & Lesbian Hotline coordinated by Challenge-Metro Inc. of St. Louis. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic. The collection dates from 1998

to 2018, with the bulk of the collection dating from 1998 to 2004.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Challenge-Metro Inc. Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# Chamberlain Company (Saint Louis, Missouri, and East St. Louis, Illinois).

See F.B. Chamberlain Company.

# A2596

Chamberlain, John (1865-).

Family History Sheet, 1926 Mar 22. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Chamberlain, Lexington, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: John Chamberlain Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0258

Chamberlin, T.W.

**Collection, 1661-1945.** 1 box

T.W. Chamberlin was a collector of historical documents.

This collection contains papers collected for the Gratz papers, but which were rejected. Includes various papers relating to Daniel Boone, Nathaniel Buxton, Nicholas Buxton, Walter L. Chaney, Major William Croghan, John Gay, Nicholas Buxton Gay, Alexander Hamilton, Missouri Home Guard (in relation to the World War I period), James Moore's "Old Drum," Pendergrast family, Dred Scott, Don Joseph Valliere, George Graham Vest, War Camp Community Recreation Service, and Noah Webster. Also includes deeds from the Baltimore County, Maryland, Court, 1661-1770. Some typescripts and photostats.

Cite as: T.W. Chamberlain Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2597

Chambers, Maurice R. (1916- ).

**Family History Sheet, 1969 Mar 5.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Maurice R. Chambers, 6025 Lindell, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Maurice R. Chambers Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2598

Chapman, Benjamin Gaines, Jr. (1883-).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1956 June 18.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Benjamin Gaines Chapman, East Hampton, New York, June 18, 1956. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes undated family history sheet filled out by Benjamin Gaines Chapman, Jr., 58 Kingsbury Place, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Benjamin Gaines Chapman, Jr., Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0259

Charbonneau Family.
Collection, circa 1950. 1 box

Correspondence and reports regarding the Charbonneau family. Includes correspondence to the Missouri Historical Society regarding the family; photostats of maps; photocopy of monument to J.B. Charbonneau at Danner, Oregon, speech given August 6, 1971; notes of Kell-Porter references on Cyrus Curtis and Michael Ely for the period 1822-1842; most of the collection deals with Jean Baptiste Charbonneau and Sacagawea.

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

#### A0260

Chariton County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1842-1862.** 1 folder (12 items)

Collection includes receipts, letters, etc. of Thomas Allin who lived in Brunswick, Missouri, 1842-1860, and documents regarding the sale of houses and land regarding Thomas Allin, 1849. Cite as: Chariton County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0261

Charles Dickens Historical Society. Saint Louis Branch (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1910-1939. 3 boxes; 1 volume

Collection contains letters, programs, and papers relating to activities of the St. Louis branch, which was founded by Sara Elizabeth Edwards, November 17, 1911; correspondence of Mrs. Edwards dealing with the founding of the St. Louis branch and other matters, 1911-1939; Boz Club of St. Louis information; Dickens shop material; clippings concerning the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* Christmas Festival and the Dickens Fellowship connection; correspondence, scrapbook, and newsclippings on Alfred Tennyson Dickens (son of Charles Dickens) and his visit to St. Louis, November 23, 1911; several issues of the *Dickensian*; information concerning the Dickens Fellowship headquarters in London; financial statements of the St. Louis Branch of the Dickens Fellowship and minutes of meetings, 1912-1913; brochures and souvenirs from the Panama-Pacific International Exposition held in San Francisco in 1916; and newsclippings concerning the life of Charles Dickens.

Cite as: Charles Dickens Historical Society, St. Louis Branch, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0262

Charles, Joseph William (1868-1950).

"Eight Years of Ordinary Life / or From Country Practitioner to City Specialist" / manuscript, no date. 133 pages

Joseph William Charles was born in 1868. He studied medicine at the Sorbonne in Paris, and in Germany. He began practice as an eye specialist in 1893 and for a time was assistant to Dr. H.M. Post. He was a professor of ophthalmology at St. Louis University and also was associated with Washington University and the Missouri School of the Blind.

Typed manuscript with notes from author that describes life of Dr. Charles. Cite as: Joseph William Charles, "Eight Years of Ordinary Life: or from Country Practitioner to City Specialist," manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0263

Charles, Robert Horne.

Robert Horne and Elizabeth Sewall Charles papers, 1884-1937. 1 box; 2 volumes

Two scrapbooks: Charles family scrapbook (1884-1937) and scrapbook regarding marriage of Robert Horne Charles and Elizabeth Sewall (1934-1944). Group of letters from Robert to

"Ollie." (Robert was at Yale Law School and Ollie was at Vassar.) Also includes family correspondence, congratulatory telegrams on wedding, etc.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Robert Horne and Elizabeth Sewall Charles Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3058

Charless Home (St. Louis, Mo.).

**Records, 1853-2006** (bulk 1991-2006). 13 boxes; 1 volume; 2 oversize folders (1 in AMD)

The Charless Home was incorporated in February 1853 under the name, Home of the Friendless. In April 1977, the Board of Trustees changed its name to The Charless Home in honor of its founder, Charlotte Taylor Blow Charless (1810-1905). Mrs. Charless founded the home at 4431 South Broadway, St. Louis, with donations that she solicited for the purpose of providing a place for women of diminished circumstances to live.

The collection is comprised of Board meeting minutes and various records from the Home's founding in 1853 until its sale in 2006. It is divided into two series: Board of Trustees and Subject Files. The Board of Trustees series consists primarily of meeting minutes and board meeting documents arranged chronologically. The Subject Files series contains various financial, residents, property, and other administrative records arranged alphabetically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charless Home Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2988

# Chas. E. Thomas Realty Co.

Promotional Brochure for Stoneleigh Towers subdivision, circa 1950s-1960s. 1 item

This promotional brochure contains information on Stoneleigh Towers, a restricted subdivision on the east side of Price Road between Olive Street Road and Bonhomme Road in St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes several views of the subdivision.

Cite as: Chas. E. Thomas Realty Co. Promotional Brochure for Stoneleigh Towers subdivision, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2406

## Chas. Habicht & Co.

# Advertisement, circa 1869-1875. 1 item

Advertisement of Chas. Habicht & Co. states, "Chas. Habicht & Co., druggists and apothecaries, corner Fourth & Walnut, and corner Second & Walnut Sts., St. Louis, Mo., recommend to their customers: High Rock Congress Water, C. Congress, Excelsior, Empire Spring. Rockbridge Alum Springs, Vichy, Selters, Kissingen, Gettysburg, Blue Lick, at wholesale and retail. Artificial mineral waters on draught, prepared by ourselves, and in siphons prepared by Enno Sander at his prices. Virginia Seedling, tokay, sherry, port, and a full assortment of all medicinal wines & liquors; flavoring extracts for soda water and cooking purposes. Also, fruit syrups, &c., &c."

Cite as: Chas. Habicht & Co. Advertisement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3003

# Chase & Higginson.

# Stock Certificate, 1887 Apr 2. 1 item

Certificate of Chase & Higginson for 100 shares of stock of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas

Railway Company. Notation on back transfers the stock to Closson & Hays, April 16, 1881. Cite as: Chase & Higginson Stock Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0264

Chase, Edward (1824-1897).

**Papers, 1844-1895.** 3 boxes

Edward Chase was born March 5, 1824, in Taunton, Massachusetts. He came to St. Louis in 1847 and took charge of a branch of the New York banking house of Clark, Dodge and Company. The company later became E.W. Clark & Brother, located at the corner of Main and Olive Streets. Mr. Chase later engaged in the insurance business, and his time was thus occupied until 1871, when he was made manager of the St. Louis Clearing House. He married Miss Lydia W. Alden, of Fall River, Massachusetts.

Collection contains various land papers for real estate throughout the United States; business papers consisting of stocks, receipts, and checks that are not necessarily Mr. Chase's; three \$50 and one \$1 currencies from the State Bank of Illinois, 1851; bankbooks and checkbooks; a map of the state of Georgia, 1869; about ten letters written by Mr. Edward Chase to his wife describing life in St. Louis, including news of the cholera epidemic, 1849-1870. Cite as: Edward Chase Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2299

Chase Hotel (St. Louis, Mo.).

Collection, 1948. 6 items

Collection contains typescript letter signed Joe Jones, manager of the Chase Hotel, to Geo. B. Brown, Kansas City, Kansas, January 10, 1948, stating that he has reserved a room for Mr. Brown and his wife. Letter is on Chase Hotel stationery and includes an illustration of the hotel and accompanying envelope. Collection also includes two blank pieces of Chase Hotel stationery, an envelope, and an undated breakfast menu for the Chase.

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

## A0265

Chatard, Frederick K.

**Letterbook**, **1857-1860**. 1 volume

Frederick W. Chatard was the U.S. Navy commander of the *U.S.S. Saratoga* as part of the Walker expedition to Nicaragua in 1857.

Letterbook of letters written from on board the *U.S.S Saratoga* (May 20, 1857-January 1, 1858); from Baltimore (January 10, 1858–January 11, 1859); from the Norfolk Navy Yards (April 12, 1859); and from the *U.S.S. Pennsylvania* (June 15, 1859–October 8, 1860). Cite as: Frederick K. Chatard Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0266

Chauvin, Joseph.

**Papers, 1799-1847.** 40 items

Papers are chiefly land papers, inventories, sale of Negroes, with some genealogical information.

Some French.

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

# A2551

# Chenault, Jas. Artelle.

# Certificate of Membership in the 49th State Safety Legion, 1936 Oct 29. 1 item

The 49th State Safety Legion promoted school safety in St. Louis. Includes note of the donor, James A. Chenault, Jr., which contains an explanation of the document.

Cite as: Jas. Artelle Chenault Certificate of Membership in the 49th State Safety Legion, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0267

Chenie, Isabella (1837-1908).

**Papers, 1848-1891.** 1 folder (23 items)

Contains correspondence; memorial cards; newspaper clippings, including obituaries of Mrs. Julia de Mun Chenie (mother of Isabelle Chenie), Mrs. L.D. Cabanne, Mrs. Harriet M. Soulard, Henry Soulard, Mrs. Marie Louise Chenie Pratte (aunt of Isabelle Chenie), and Dr. Laisel L. Papin.

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

#### A0268

Chenoweth, J.W.

**Ledger, 1832-1834.** 1 volume (287 pages)

Ledger dated May 15, 1832, to November 27, 1834, contains business account of an Alton, Illinois, blacksmith.

Cite as: J.W. Chenoweth Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0269

Cherry family.

Papers, 1857-1908 (bulk 1857-1861). 1 folder; 1 volume

Papers consist of tax receipts (1857-1908) relating mostly to property in Illinois and an account book from a general store (1857-1861) and grist mill (1857) in Scottsville, Illinois. Cite as: Cherry Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2468

Chicago Anarchists Exhibition.

**Broadside, no date.** 1 item

Broaside: "Go and see the Chicago anarchists. Life-size figures in wax, correct representations of the eight condemned men, as they appeared in court on the day of their sentence. Seven sentenced to be hanged Dec. 3, for their participation in the Haymarket Riot, May 4, 1886, at which time the first dynamite bomb was exploded in America, killing seven policemen, and wounding sixty. . . ." Exhibition will take place at 9 South Broadway, [St. Louis]. A. Brouillard, proprietor.

Cite as: Chicago Anarchists Exhibition Broadside, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0270

Chicago and Alton Railroad.

Journal, 1879. 1 volume

The Chicago and Alton Railroad was organized February 18, 1861, in pursuance of a plan for the reorganization of the St. Louis, Alton, and Chicago Railroad Company.

Journal contains a statement of articles received at the Alton Station of the Chicago and

Alton Railroad, several accounts of area train wrecks, and information on the construction of track and other work done for and by the railroad.

Cite as: Chicago and Alton Railroad Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2599

Chick, Washington Henry (1826-).

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Washington Henry Chick, Kansas City, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Washington Henry Chick Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2111

Children's Home Society of Missouri.

Collection, 1921. 1 folder

The collection consists of a printed pamphlet describing the Children's Home in St. Louis and a receipt for a donation to the charity.

Cite as: Children's Home Society of Missouri Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Childress, Solomon B.

**Journal, 1864-1865.** 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

#### A2600

Chinn, Armstrong (1894- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 July 18.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Armstrong Chinn, 4399 McPherson Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Armstrong Chinn Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0272

Chinn, R.B.

**Collection, 1820-1892.** 1 box

Colonel John R. White resided in Howard County, Missouri, but spent considerable time in New Orleans on business. The collection was accumulated by R.B. Chinn.

Collection contains four account books, receipts, and bills of sales, 1840-1860, of Colonel White who was a dealer in slaves. The account books include purchase and selling prices, jailor and turnkey fees, boarding fees for slaves sold on commission, clothing and medical fees, transportation costs, burial fees and such expenses associated with the slave trade.; his account books for a stay in 1842 give both personal and business expenses.

Cite as: R.B. Chinn Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1823

Chiodini, Elizabeth.

Henderson Family Collection, 1904; 1982. 1 folder

The collection consists of a 1904 St. Louis World's Fair identification pass and tickets and a

genealogy of the Henderson family including the McMurray, Mitchell, Mebane, Lewis, Douglas, Hodge, and Van Voorhees family branches.

Cite as: Elizabeth Chiodini. Henderson Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2601

Chrisler, Francine Michele, Mrs. (1924-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Dec 4. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Francine Michele Chrisler, 28 Clermont Lane, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Francine Michele Chrisler Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2602

Christenson, Elmer Hamer (1890-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Nov 10. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elmer Hamer Christenson, 17 Berkley Lane, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Elmer Hamer Christenson Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0273

Chopin, Kate O'Flaherty (1851-1904).

Papers, 1855-1975. 4 boxes of original documents; 2 boxes of preservation copies

Thomas O'Flaherty was a wealthy Irish immigrant who married into an old French Creole family. His daughter Kate received a traditional Catholic education, which she supplemented by reading contemporary European literature. She married Oscar Chopin in 1870 and moved to Louisiana where she had six children. After her husband's death in 1883, she undertook the management of the plantations, apparently quite successfully. She carried on this work for more than a year, but finally yielded to her mother's urging to return to St. Louis. In 1884, she came back to St. Louis and at age 36 she began to write. Some of her published works include *The Awakening* (1899), *At Fault* (1890), *A Night in Acadie* (1897), and *Bayou Folk* (1894), as well as numerous poems and short stories. Until the early 1960s, she was best known as a local colorist, since most of her short stories dealt with scenes from Creole Louisiana. With the recent interest in women's studies, her works, and primarily her novel *The Awakening*, which concerns a woman's sexual awakening, have been reexamined extensively.

This collection consists of holograph manuscripts and published copies of many of Kate Chopin's short stories, poems, and translations from the French of Guy de Maupassant's short stories. The collection also includes some correspondence from friends regarding *The Awakening*, 1899; two commonplace books or copybooks, 1860 and 1867-1870, the latter of which contains a diary of her 1870 wedding trip; an original manuscript book, 1894-1896, which also includes diary entries; and two account and memoranda notebooks that record her manuscript submissions to publishers, giving title, publication, date accepted/published/amount, 1888-1895 and 1888-1902. The collection also includes biographical information on Kate Chopin, copies of scholarly essays by Per Seyersted and Bernard J. Koloski, and papers on Kate Chopin by participants in the 1974 Chopin seminar. Papers were lent to Father Daniel S. Rankin

for research by the Chopin family. Father Rankin turned the bulk of them over to the University of Pennsylvania Special Collections. This body was then transferred to the Missouri Historical Society at the wish of the Chopin family. The addition was found in a storage locker owned by Father Rankin in 1991, and forwarded to the Missouri Historical Society by the University of Pennsylvania Special Collections. The collection contains "at risk" original manuscripts, which should not be routinely retrieved. They may be viewed by researchers only where examination of photocopies (found in the first three boxes) proves insufficient for research purposes. Finding aid available. See also guide to the Per Seyersted Collection at the archives reference desk.

Cite as: Kate O'Flaherty Chopin Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0274

## Chouteau Family.

Papers, 1752-1946. 62 boxes; 1 volume; 8 oversize folders

The collection consists primarily of correspondence, bills, accounts, inventories, contracts of engagement with various men, packing accounts, bills of lading, and other business papers of Auguste Chouteau, Pierre Chouteau, Sr., Pierre Chouteau, Jr., and Rene Chouteau, relating to their activities as fur traders, merchants, and financiers of Missouri. Includes letterbooks for Fort Pierre and Fort Tecumseh, South Dakota; Fort Union, North Dakota; and the Upper Missouri branch of the company. A more detailed description of the different Chouteau family papers, which have been interfiled with one another and arranged chronologically, follows: The Auguste Chouteau Papers (1,965 manuscripts) include personal and business papers of his trade with Montreal and Michilimackinac dated chiefly 1800-1811; business with Cavelier & Fils at New Orleans; and papers concerning his management of personal estates of friends and relatives. From 1818-1821 there are papers relative to his payment of pensions to revolutionary soldiers and their widows and orphans as agent for Missouri. After his death there are papers of Henry Chouteau concerned with management of his father's estate as well as his own business affairs in the firm of Chouteau & Valle. From 1801-1814 are a group of papers dealing with affairs of Coursault Brothers, merchants at Cap Francais, who later moved to the United States, and married into the Chouteau family through the Pauls. They deal chiefly with their business dealings in France and personal family letters. Additional manuscripts, dated 1818-1840, include a statement of merchandise and property, part of the estate of Auguste P. Chouteau, and the document appointing Chouteau as agent and guardian of half-breed Indians of the Osage tribe. Persons and subjects dealt with in the correspondence include William H. Ashley, Barthelmy Berthold, Judge William C. Carr, Lewis Cass, Jules de Mun, William F. Ferguson, Robert Payne, Albert Pike, Bernard Pratte, the fur trade, Indians, Santa Fe, and Siter Price & Co. The Pierre Chouteau Papers (870 manuscripts) include letters and documents concerning business and personal affairs of the Chouteau family, especially Auguste and Pierre, and later, Pierre, Jr. Includes references to many prominent St. Louisans including Charles Gratiot, Manuel Lisa, Frederick Bates, the Bertholds, Gabriel Cerre, William Clark, Charles Dehault Delassus, Joseph Hortiz, the Labadies, Marie Philippe Leduc, the Papins, the Prattes, Pierre Provenchere, Jean Baptiste Sarpy, Joseph A. Sire, Antoine Soulard, as well as many national figures including John Jacob Astor, Ramsay Crooks, James Wilkinson, Amos Stoddard, William Henry Harrison, Kenneth McKenzie, and Henry Dearborn. (Correspondence of Spanish governors with Charles Dehault Delassus regarding governmental affairs in St. Louis preceding the transfer (1796-1807) has been moved to the Delassus-St. Vrain Family Collection.) Also includes Pierre Chouteau letter book, 1804-1819; four Fort Tecumseh letter books, 1830-1833; five Fort Pierre letter books, 1832-1835, 1845-1850; one Fort Union letter book, 1833-1835; and Chouteau genealogy.

The Chouteau-Dyer Collection (63 manuscripts) includes abstract of title, Dunklin County, 1857-1881; government land office returns, St. Louis, 1819-1825; Auguste Chouteau accounts, 1804; and letters of Aglae, widow Coursault to her daughter Clemence, Mrs. Henry Chouteau, dealing with family matters. The P. Chouteau-Maffitt Collection (5,481 manuscripts) includes papers that deal predominately with the business affairs of Pierre Chouteau, Jr., and his connection with the American Fur Company, Western Department. Includes correspondence between Chouteau and others involved with the fur trade, but the larger part of the collection is chiefly bills, accounts, inventories, contracts of engagement with various men, packing accounts, and bills of lading. Before 1827 the collection is largely personal, much of it concerning Auguste Chouteau and the Julien Dubuque estate. In 1827, references are chiefly to fur trading activities at Rock River, Fever River, Galena, etc. and dealings with Joseph Rolette, Charles de St. Vrain and the Columbia Fur Company. Also includes data on Benito Vasquez and the Kansas River, and the Upper Missouri Outfit with Colin McLeod and Blacksnake Hills. After 1831 the pattern is the same with growing emphasis on the Upper Missouri Outfit and increasing amounts of bills, accounts, engagement lists of persons employed, etc. Includes correspondence concerning dealings with John G. Stevenson at New Orleans and numerous personal bills and receipts of Jean Baptiste Sarpy. The correspondence of Benjamin Clapp with Pierre Chouteau, Jr., in New York in part deals with the failure of Ramsay Crooks and the American Fur Company. The importance and extent of the London trade is also realized in the correspondence of C.M. Lampson, London agent, and the invoices, accounts of sales, packing accounts, etc. The Chouteau-Papin Collection (1,997 manuscripts) includes papers concerning the fur trade of the Missouri River and the activities of the American Fur Company and their relation with Pratte, Chouteau & Co. and later Pierre Chouteau, Jr., & Company at St. Louis. Among the prominent persons mentioned here are Ramsay Crooks, Pierre Chouteau, Jr., John Jacob Astor, Jean Pierre Cabanne, Joseph Robidoux, Jean Baptiste Sarpy, A.P. Chouteau, Barthelmy Berthold, as well as many trappers and traders including Colin Campbell, Vance Murray Campbell, Honore Picotte, H.H. Sibley, and the Papins. The Chouteau-Walsh Collection, 1795-1872 (474 manuscripts), includes personal and business correspondence of Pierre Chouteau, Jr., with his daughter Julia Maffitt, his wife, the former Emilie Gratiot, his son-in-law Dr. William Maffitt, and John F.A. Sanford. The personal letters, bills, and receipts provide interesting information on the life of the times, especially regarding the purchase of clothing and household items. The business letters illustrate the interests of Chouteau in the fur trade and railroad ventures, particularly the Illinois Central. One group of manuscripts concerns the career of William Maffitt as assistant surgeon in the U.S. Army. The fur trade letters are not extensive but include information about the sale of Fort Pierre to the government, the trip of Sanford up the Missouri River to various posts in 1839, information concerning Andrew Drips, Alexander Culbertson, various Indian tribes, government contract for supply of Indian goods, and letters of William Laidlaw about difficulties over sale of liquor and licenses to trade. Information covers the years 1824-1844. An additional collection of manuscripts, purchased in 1988, includes estate inventories of several prominent St. Louisans: Madame Theresa Chouteau (nee Bourgeois) estate, 1814; Charles Gratiot estate; Regis Loisel estate, 1809; Joseph Robidoux estate, November 11, 1811; St. Paul le Croix estate, 1815-1822; and Auguste Chouteau, 1830-1838. Also includes notes and bonds of Auguste A. Chouteau, 1809-1820; papers of Pierre Chouteau; and indenture and notes of Pierre Chouteau, Jr., 1824, 1838. Also contains a separately housed ledger of land sales, Berger Tract, St. Louis, Missouri, Charles P. Chouteau, agent and attorney, 1857-1865.

Some French and Spanish.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

RESTRICTION: As with all collections, if the documents exist in another format, researchers

will be required to use the other format before the original documents will be paged to the reading room. The journals and letter books from Fort Tecumseh (January 31, 1830–December 14, 1832) and from Fort Pierre (January 17, 1832–December 4, 1850) are available on microfilm (reel #134). A portion of the Fort Tecumseh journals were published and edited in *South Dakota Historical Collections*, Volume IX (1902) (library call number: SD/06/So8h/).

The Chouteau Family Papers were microfilmed in 1991 by University Publications of America as Part 1 of the "Papers of the St. Louis Fur Trade" microfilm set. Part 1 includes 40 microfilm reels.

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

#### A0275

## Christie, Alexander.

# **Papers, 1852-1871.** 30 items

Collection consists primarily of correspondence relating to the of Pacific Railroad with headquarters in Franklin, Missouri. Three items relate to the Civil War: a letter referencing the prewar Kansas-Missouri border conflicts (September 6, 1856); a letter describing Union/secessionist activities around Rolla, Missouri (July 5, 1861); and a letter assuring Christie that Confederates will not get to St. Louis (September 26, 1861).

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

# A0276

# **Christmas letters collection, 1861-1996.** 5 folders (100 items)

Collection of letters sent by various people at Christmas time to their friends and acquaintances with Christmas wishes.

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

#### A2603

# Chubb, Percival.

Marriage announcement card, 1910 July 25. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Card announcing the marriage of Percival Chubb to Mrs. Anna Hartshorne Sheldon at Salisbury, Vermont. Also includes calling card for Mr. and Mrs. Percival Chubb, 3810 Broadway, New York City.

Cite as: Percival Chubb Marriage Announcement Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0277

# Church registers of Saint Louis collection, [1766-1971]. 2 folders

Listing of baptisms from St. Louis Cathedral, 1766-1771; and the start of an index to St. Louis Church Register.

French.

Cite as: Church Registers of St. Louis Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0278

# Churches collection, 1727-2000. 7 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 1 reel microfilm

Collection includes historical information relating to churches in early St. Louis and other parts of Missouri; includes correspondence regarding the objections of the Missouri Presbyterian ministers to taking the oath of allegiance as a qualification for participating in the business aspect of the church; and names of ministers who refused to become identified with the Methodist

Episcopal Church, South, when the schism (1845) occurred in Columbia, Missouri. Also includes records related to the restoration of the Old Bonhomme Stone Church (Presbyterian) in St. Louis County.

Some French.

Bonhomme Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society minutes (microfilm) may not be reproduced without the permission of Bonhomme Presbyterian Church.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0279

# **Churchill, Winston (1871-1946).**

# Papers, 1907-1947. 1 folder

Winston Churchill, son of Edward S. Churchill and Emma Bell Blaine, was born November 10, 1871, in St. Louis. He went to the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, but grew tired of naval life and devoted his time to writing. His first novel, *The Celebrities*, was published in 1897 and was moderately successful. Two years later, he produced *Richard Carvel*, which was immediately hailed as one of America's most powerful historical novels. This was a tale of pre-Revolutionary Annapolis, which he had planned while a midshipman at the academy. He followed this with *The Crisis*, a story of the Civil War, which became his most widely read novel. His other books included *Coniston*, *The Inside of the Cup*, *The Dwelling Place of Light*, *The Crossing*, and *Mr. Crewe's Career*. He lived most of his life in Cornish, New Hampshire, where he had built a home named "Harlakenden Hall" in honor of his wife, the former Mabel Harlakenden Hall of St. Louis. He died in St. Louis in 1946.

Collection includes some biographical data and Churchill's correspondence, mainly with family and friends regarding his books and life at Harlakenden Hall.

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

## A0280

## Cieslak, Zane.

# **Plans for experimental monoplane, 1933-1948.** 1 flat storage box (16 items)

Zane Cieslak was a St. Louis aviator and designer, who worked with the Mahoney-Ryan Aircraft Company.

Collection includes plans and descriptions for experimental monoplane or its model (original 1933, model 1948); photocopies of clippings and photographs; and a booklet on aerodynamics for pilots.

Cite as: Zane Cieslak Plans for Experimental Monoplane, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0281

# Circulars collection, 1801-1973. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains circulars from national, state, and local clubs; rewards; political, business and show advertisements; circular issued by Action, St. Louis, dated 1973, titled "Hit Ladue and Clayton Areas; they got plenty!!"; and prospectus of *The African*, an anti-abolition monthly published in St. Louis by J.W. Hedenberg, September 16, 1843. Finding aid available.

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

# A0282

# Cisco, John J.

**Letterbook, 1864.** 1 volume (letterpress)

Letters of Cisco, dated March 21-August 29, 1864, written from the U.S. Treasury at New York, mostly to Salmon P. Chase, Washington, D.C., regarding the use of gold to back currency and European markets.

Cite as: John J. Cisco Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2408

Citadel Alarm and Security Corp. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Circular letter, circa 1970. 1 item

Circular letter of the Citadel Alarm and Security Corp. (formerly Canine Corp Alarm Co.), 2900 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, Mo., promoting the Citadel Residential Alarm System. Cite as: Citadel Alarm and Security Corp. Circular Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0283

Citizens' Bridge Committee (St. Louis, Missouri).

Papers, 1911-1914. 1 folder

The Citizen's Bridge Committee was formed to organize voter support to pass bond initiatives for the completion of the Municipal Free Bridge. The committee circulated petitions, pamphlets and brochures urging voters to "Finish The Bridge." The collection contains a sample initiative petition for the completion of the bridge; a "Municipal Bridge Petition" to the Municipal Assembly, St. Louis; pamphlets and flyers listing reasons to finish the bridge; and correspondence to Stella Drumm at the Missouri Historical Society regarding these materials. Cite as: Citizens' Bridge Committee Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2946

Citizens Defense Committee (St. Louis, Mo.).

Pamplet titled "The Farmer Under Prohibition: A Man Without a Market," circa 1910. 1 item

This 9-page pamphlet of the Citizens Defense Committee makes the case that farmers will be adversely affected if the prohibition amendment to the Missouri state constitution is passed. Cite as: Citizens Defense Committee Pamphlet Titled "The Farmer Under Prohibition: A Man Without a Market," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2447

Citizens' Electric Light & Power Co.

Circular, 1909 Feb. 1 item

Circular reads, "Our demonstration of COOKING BY ELECTRICITY at the PURE FOOD SHOW has been successful beyond our expectation. A large number of ladies were unable to ascertain the simplicity of operation of the various COOKING, HEATING and HOUSEHOLD POWER devices and we have been requested to give Special Demonstrations during the coming week. To meet the demand and give all the ladies of East St. Louis an opportunity to secure the recipes of Mrs. Bray we have decided to give Special Demonstrations. . . . Fekete Building, 320 Collinsville, Ave." Includes handwritten notes on the back.

Cite as: Citizens' Electric Light & Power Co. Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2275

# Citizens for Home Rule Committee.

# **Records, circa 1998-2004.** 17 boxes

The Citizens for Home Rule Committee proposed amendments to the St. Louis city charter. In November 2004, these proposed amendments were defeated in a city election.

Collection includes financial records, correspondence, meeting minutes and agendas, newspaper clippings, and other papers relating to the work of the Citizens for Home Rule Committee.

Cite as: Citizens for Home Rule Committee Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2311

# Citizens' Liberty League (St. Louis, Mo.)

# Circular letter, no date [circa 1920s]. 1 item

Circular letter of the Citizens' Liberty League, "an agency for political advancement and civic uplift," headquartered at 3137 Pine Street, announces the league's next meeting. One of the stated principles of the league was "the Universal recognition of the Negroes' Political and Civil Rights."

Cite as: Citizens' Liberty League Circular Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2465

#### Citizens of North St. Louis.

# Circular, [1897?] Nov 28. 1 item

Circular announces a protest meeting of the citizens of north St. Louis against the bill ordering the sale of public property (the old reservoir) by the House of Delegates, to be held at Kellermann's Hall, 20th & Wright Streets. Speakers: Max Wotier, A. Curley, and Max Stoehr. Part of the circular is in German.

Cite as: Citizens of North St. Louis Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0284

## Citizens Smoke Abatement League (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Papers, 1917-1935. 1 box (approximately 25 items); 4 volumes

The Citizens Smoke Abatement League of St. Louis grew out of the Smoke Abatement Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The league was incorporated on March 27, 1927, "to promote and maintain an organization for smoke abatement in St. Louis and vicinity, through the agencies of publicity, technical research, education, cooperation and law enforcement." It consisted of an Executive Committee, a Board of Directors, and various levels of membership according to the amount of dues paid from \$1 to \$100 annually.

Collection consists of the financial records of the organization, including a ledger (1926-1935); cashbook (1926-1935); two expense journals (1927-1935); printed matter; correspondence, mainly to J.H. Gundlach, Chamber of Commerce, regarding smoke abatement in 1925, 1926; monthly statements and accounts, 1927-1933; two bankbooks, 1926 and 1927-1935; undated by-laws; and list of subscribers to the organization.

Cite as: Citizens Smoke Abatement League Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2516

City Ice and Fuel Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

# **Coupon Books, 1938-1939.** 3 items

Cite as: City Ice and Fuel Company Coupon Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2445

# City Players of St. Louis.

Poster for presentation of "The Lash," 1986 May 16-June 1. 1 item (2 copies)

Poster for presentation of "The Lash" by Samuel L. Gilberg in its world premiere in the Coffeehouse Studio Theatre. Directed by Irma Schira Tucker.

Cite as: City Players of St. Louis Poster for Presentation of "The Lash," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0285

# Civic Improvement League.

**Papers, 1902-1921.** 1 box; 1 volume

The object of the Civic Improvement League, according to the constitution of the organization, was "to secure better civic conditions; to promote local municipal improvements; to further wholesome legislation and to stimulate public sentiment in favor of making St. Louis a better place in which to live." Any citizen of St. Louis or its suburbs was eligible for membership in the league.

Correspondence, 1914-1920; minutes of the Executive Board, April 1902-May 1910; correspondence concerning the St. Louis Pageant and Masque and Conferences of Cities, 1914; financial records (bound volumes), 1902-1908; disbound book of expenditures, 1915-1921; disbound book, membership register of the Civic Improvement League, 1910. Cite as: Civic Improvement League Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0286

Civil War Collection, 1860-1977 (bulk 1861-1865). 15 boxes; 8 oversize boxes; 20 volumes; 3 map drawers

The Civil War Collection comprises individual documents and small collections relating to the war, which were acquired by the Missouri Historical Society by donation and purchase from numerous sources since the society's founding in 1866. These items have been placed in the Civil War Collection because of their common subject matter (i.e., the Civil War). The manuscripts in this collection relate primarily to affairs in Missouri and to the affairs and operations of Missouri troops, both Confederate and Union, primarily in Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Tennessee. The collection includes personal papers, such as correspondence, diaries, and reminiscences; official military papers, such as muster rolls, loyalty oaths, paroles, and special and general orders; and newspapers. Finding aid available.

Conservation funding for a portion of this collection provided through a grant from the Institute of Museums and Library Services.

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

# A0287

# Civilian defense collection, 1941-1958. 1 box

Collection contains correspondence, instruction booklets, diagrams, etc. pertaining to civilian defense in World War II and after. The emphasis of the collection is on St. Louis, particularly in the city's West End and Carondelet. Also includes papers of the Greater St. Louis Citizens'

Committee for Nuclear Information, 1958-1961.

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

#### A2604

Claiborne, Louise Marie, Mrs. (1892-).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Mar 8.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history form for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Louise Marie Claiborne (nee Minnis), 8845 Eager Road, Richmond Heights, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Louise Marie Claiborne Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0288

Clamorgan Family.

**Papers, 1794-1817.** 30 items

Jacques Clamorgan is said to have come to St. Louis from Guadalupe. His name appears first in the St. Louis archives in 1784. He was a leader in the first Missouri Fur Company and was in partnership with Regis Loisel. After the Louisiana transfer, he was appointed one of the judges of the court of quarter-sessions. He died in November 1814, leaving a family of mulatto children.

Collection includes several letters of Baron de Carondelet to Santiago Clamorgan, 1794-1796; a document of Clamorgan, for Missouri Company, to Governor Casa Calvo, requesting privilege to trade with Othoas, Mahas, Poncas, and to build a fort to restrain the Mandans and support 100 militia for protection against British aggression; notes and payments and several land deeds to Jacques Clamorgan; Clamorgan's[?] will, October 31, 1814; undated photostat instruction given to Jean Evans for crossing the continent and discovering a passage from the source of the Missouri River.

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

## A1835

Clapp, Benjamin (1790-1849).

Papers, 1811-1970. 4 items

Benjamin Clapp was born in New York in 1790. In 1811 he sailed from New York as part of the Astorian expedition. He was involved for many years with John Jacob Astor's China trade, and during the War of 1812 he served as a midshipman in the U.S. Navy in the South Pacific. Working for the American Fur Company and at times as an independent fur trader, Clapp traveled extensively, spending time in the West Indies, the Great Lakes region, and New York City. In the late 1830s he settled in St. Louis where he was connected with the western American Fur Company. He died June 24, 1849, in St. Louis.

Papers contain the following four items: typescript copy of diary of Benjamin Clapp, dated 1811-1821, which contains accounts of his travels as a fur trader in the China trade and his experiences in the U.S. Navy during the War of 1812 (40 pages); undated mimeographed memorial sketch of Benjamin Clapp (2 pages); military pass granting John McKittrick permission to travel from St. Louis to Illinois, dated November 8, 1861; and typescript genealogical notes on the Clapp and Kennett families compiled by John McKittrick, March 12, 1970 (3 pages).

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2325

# Clark, Bennett Champ.

# Letter to John Hall Boller, 1941 Nov 22. 1 item

Typescript letter signed Bennett Champ Clark, Committee on Finance, U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C., to John Hall Boller, Far Rockaway, Long Island. Clark explains his membership in the Council Against Intolerance in America, and states that he has resigned from the committee.

Cite as: Bennett Champ Clark Letter to John Hall Boller, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0290

# Clark, Edward Payson (1838-1921).

**Papers**, **1823**; **1862-1869**. 2 folders (75 items)

Edward Payson Clark, Sr., was born May 16, 1838, in Milton, Vermont. He married Mary J. Jocelyn in September 1862. During the Civil War, he was a corporal in the 12th Vermont Infantry in 1862, a sergeant in the Vermont Militia in 1865, and was commissioned second lieutenant, Company H, 1st Regiment, Vermont Militia, in 1866. He died October 22, 1921, in St. Louis County.

Papers contain letters of Edward P. Clark to his wife, Mary, and a diary of Clark (198 pages), which describe the affairs of the 12th Vermont Infantry, while stationed in camps at Washington, D.C., and in northern Virginia. Also contains letter of Mary L. Martin to cousin, dated October 30, 1862, which describes the arrest and lynching of a man in Kansas.

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

#### A2605

## Clark, Edwin Montilla (1900-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Sept 13.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edwin Montilla Clark, 18 Clermont Lane, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Edwin Montilla Clark Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0289

## Clark Family.

Collection, 1766-1991. 14 boxes; 4 oversize boxes; 26 volumes; 17 microfilm reels

The collection is divided into five series: George Rogers Clark Papers; William Clark Papers; Meriwether Lewis Clark Papers, which includes material related to his two sons, John O'Fallon Clark (2nd) and Samuel Churchill Clark; George Rogers Hancock Clark Papers; and the papers of Other Family Members. The family members represented in the last group include Jefferson Kearney Clark, William Hancock Clark, Eleanor Glasgow Clark, and Beatrice Chouteau Clark.

The papers of George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), soldier and frontiersman, of Virginia, Missouri, and Kentucky, consist of correspondence, fragmentary journals, enlistments, receipts, accounts, orders, and reports, dealing primarily with the campaigns in the Illinois country during the Revolutionary War and later expeditions against the Indians and Spaniards. A few letters relate to the early history of St. Louis, Missouri. Correspondents of George Rogers Clark include Capt. Brashear, Col. Arthur Campbell, Capt. Dalton, Col. John Floyd, Charles Gratiot, Capt. Helm, Patrick Henry, Thomas Jefferson, Col. J.M.P. Legras, Fernando de Leyba, Col. Benjamin

Logan, Col. John Montgomery, Lt. John Rogers, Capt. Shannon, Capt. Williams, and Capt. Worthington.

The papers of William Clark (1770-1838), explorer with Meriwether Lewis, comprise correspondence with Meriwether Lewis and Thomas Jefferson and journals relating to the expedition to the Pacific Ocean. Also includes journals Clark kept while serving in the Indian campaigns under Col. John Hardin and Generals Charles Scott and Anthony Wayne. Correspondence from 1818 to 1833 relates to his service as superintendent of Indian affairs in St. Louis. Correspondents include family members and business/political associates: Daniel Clark, Henry Dearborn, Henry Deringer, John H. Eaton (secretary of war), Rene Jusseaume, Stephen W. Kearny, Lafayette, James Madison, James Monroe, William Morrison, Benjamin O'Fallon, Dr. James J. O'Fallon, John O'Fallon, Sylvester Pattie, Prince Paul (of Wurttemburg, Germany), and Clark's sons Meriwether Lewis and George Rogers Hancock Clark.

Other material in the collection includes Clark's four morocco bound manuscript journals of the expedition, 1805 April-1806 June, Clark's personal notebook and journal, 1817-1820, biographical and personal notes of the William Clark family, school notebooks of the children, and correspondence about the collection.

The John O'Fallon Clark Collection, 1786-1904, which has been added to the papers, includes papers of the Clark family of Missouri. Includes deeds, land records, and will of William Clark; correspondence and records of George Rogers Hancock Clark and his descendants; papers regarding land in Paducah, Kentucky, Jeffersonville, Indiana, and land surveys; and litigation over Lewis-Clark papers found in St. Paul, Minnesota, in 1953.

This collection also contains a separately housed Mexican War account and memoranda book of Meriwether Lewis Clark (1809-1881), son of William Clark, recording army pay, allowances and expenses, supplies and purchases, with ledger of personal family accounts at rear, April 1846-June 1847. He commanded a battalion of volunteer artillery raised at St. Louis in 1846 and accompanied Doniphan's expedition during the Mexican War.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A3066

# Clark, Jerome.

## Artist Collection, 2014-2015. 1 folder

Jerome Clark, also known as Pharaoh Gerumba, is a St. Louis artist. He attended St. Louis Community College where he was the cartoonist for the school newspaper, *Scene*. Clark works in various media and genres, including poetry and music. He designed pieces for the VOKAL clothing line which were worn by hip hop artist Nelly during a performance of *Showtime at the Apollo*. Clark's portraits and murals are displayed across the St. Louis African American Community.

The small collection includes four items arranged chronologically. There is a biography of Gerumba; a promotional card for the *FV Art Faculty Exhibition*, Contemporary art Gallery, St. Louis Community College-Florissant Valley; and a promotional card and program for *Hands Up*, *Don't'Shoot: Artists Respond*, Alliance of Black Art Galleries. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Jerome Clark Artist Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2606

Clark, Joseph Lawrence (1910- ).

# Family History Sheet, circa 1934. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Joseph Lawrence Clark, Ennis, Texas. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Joseph Lawrence Clark Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2607

# Clark, Kenneth Louis (1904- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1966 Oct 3. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Kenneth Louis Clark, 7808 Page, Pagedale, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Kenneth Louis Clark Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0291

Clark, Peter F. (1829-1919).

**Papers 1863-1865.** 1 folder

Peter F. Clark was born January 27, 1829, in Greene County, Illinois. The family moved to Lawrence County, Missouri, in 1848. In 1850, Peter Clark crossed the plains and mined for two years in California. He returned to Missouri and at the outbreak of the Civil War, he enlisted in the Lawrence County home guards. He later raised Company A, 11th Missouri Cavalry (Union). After the war he returned to Missouri. In 1874, he again crossed the plains, this time settling in Oregon. He married Margaret J. Marsh in Lawrence County, Missouri, September 23, 1852. He died June 19, 1919, in West Salem, Oregon.

Papers consist primarily of the letters (typescript copies) of Peter Clark to his wife, Jane, in Lawrence County, Missouri. Letters are mostly written from Missouri, Kansas, and Colorado Territory, and describe the affairs of the 11th Missouri Cavalry in Missouri and while on a march as part of an escort from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to Fort Union, New Mexico. Includes information regarding camp life, songs, marches, Indians, and guerrilla warfare in Missouri; and mentions of several Lawrence County men in the regiment and affairs in Lawrence County. Papers also contain several letters of Jane Clark to her husband, and one letter of John Steele to Peter Clark, dated Tullahoma, Tennessee, April 19, 1865.

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

# **Clark Sesquicentennial celebration collection**

See George Rogers Clark sesquicentennial celebration collection.

## A2608

Clarke, Alfred Henry (1888-).

Family History Sheets, 1951. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alfred Henry Clarke, 38 Broadview, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Alfred Henry Clarke Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0292

# Clarke, John T. (1843-1922). Papers, 1864-1884. 1 folder

John T. Clarke was born March 20, 1843, in Stevensburg, Culpeper County, Virginia. At the age of ten he emigrated to Missouri with his family, settling in the southeastern part of the state. He enlisted in Company I, 31st Missouri Infantry (Union), at Mineral Point, Missouri, in August 1862. He was mustered out in July 1865 and died December 29, 1922, at Jefferson City, Missouri.

Collection contains John T. Clarke's pocket diary (46 pages), dated May to August 1864, which contains brief accounts of military operations of the 31st Missouri Infantry in Georgia during the Atlanta Campaign, and numbers of casualties; a furlough and several special orders regarding Clarke; letter of Wm. Murphy to Clarke, dated Gratiot Street Prison, July 7, 1865, stating his case for release from prison; newspaper clipping from a Jefferson City newspaper, dated September 21, 1941, which contains a historical sketch of Clarke; and newspaper clipping from *The Daily Tribune* (Jefferson City), dated January 17, 1884, which contains the correspondence of Clarke with Governor Thomas C. Fletcher, who had assisted Clarke during the war. (Diary was published in the *Bulletin of the Missouri Historical Society*, Volume VIII, Number 4 [July 1952].)

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

#### A0293

Clarke, Powhatan H. (1862-1893).

**Papers**, **1842-1921**. 7 boxes; 1 oversize box; 8 volumes

Powhatan H. Clarke was born October 9, 1862, at the Esperenga Plantation, Alexandria, Rapides Parish, Louisiana. He was the son of Powhatan H. Clark, physician and professor of natural science at Baltimore City College for 30 years. He began his education at Senlis, France, continued at Baltimore City College and Maryland Agricultural College before entering West Point, from which he graduated in June 1884. He joined the 10th U.S. Cavalry that same month at Fort Davis, Texas, as a second lieutenant. Clarke took part in Indian campaigns and was twice commended for conspicuous gallantry against hostile Indians. He was awarded the medal of honor for rescuing a soldier under enemy fire. In April 1891, Clarke was assigned a military attache in Berlin, where he served in a Prussian regiment. He returned May 1892, and joined his regiment at Fort Custer, Montana. In June 1892 he married Elizabeth (Elsie) F. Clemens. On July 21, 1893, he drowned in the Little Elkhorn River at Fort Custer, when he dove into what he supposed to be deep water, but was actually a shallow area studded with sharp-edged stones.

Correspondence of the Clarke family, chiefly of Powhatan H. Clarke, his wife, and their son Powhatan H. Clarke, Jr. (1893-1920). Includes letters from Clarke to his mother while attending school in France, 1874, and when a cadet at West Point, 1881-1883. Includes 80 letters, with 39 sketches, from artist and author Frederic Remington (1861-1909) to Powhatan H. Clarke and his wife regarding personal matters and letters from Remington and Mrs. Remington to the wife and parents of Powhatan H. Clarke regarding his death. Also includes several examples of magazine articles written by Clarke and illustrated by Remington; Clarke's army papers (1884-1893), field notes, a report from Fort Grant, Arizona Territory, 1887, and a manuscript of his "Report on Army Organization," circa 1892; and notebooks (1917) of Powhatan H. Clarke, Jr., while a student at the Cadet School of Military Aviation, University of Illinois. Also includes eight bound volumes: West Point account book (1880-1884); order book from days as cadet at West Point through tour in Arizona Territory (1880-1890); receipts of payment to Clarke while stationed in Germany with the 2nd Westphalian Hussars Regiment, No. 11 (1891-1893); telegrams and notices from tour in Germany (1891-1893); court martial case notes from Fort

Custer (1893); scrapbook about Powhatan H. Clarke assembled by his widow, Elsie Clemens Clarke (1891-1915); diary of Elsie Clemens Clarke (1891-1907); and hand-transcribed copy of Bacon's Rebellion, 1675-1675, taken from Thomas Jefferson's copy by Colin Clarke. Some French.

Most of the Remington letters are published in *Frederic Remington: Selected Letters*. Cite as: Powhatan H. Clarke Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0294

# Clay County, Missouri, Board of Registration.

# Test oath registration book for Platte Township, 1866-1868. 1 volume

Registration book contains records of the test oaths administered to voters in Platte Township, Clay County, Missouri, 1866-1868, whereby each prospective voter had to swear he had been loyal to the United States government during the Civil War. Typed index is inserted in the front of the volume.

Cite as: Test Oath Registration Book for Platte Township, Clay County, Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0295

# Clay County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1849; 1965.** 1 folder (10 items)

Letter of A. Browman to John Brown, dated March 4, 1849, describing Clay County; 1965 press release about bank museum to be opened in Liberty, Missouri, with account of robbery of Clay County Bank, February 13, 1866; undated material on Clay County museum. Cite as: Clay County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2725

# **Clayton Family.**

Papers, 1865-1903. 7 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Includes the following seven items: (1) Letter signed John B. Helm, Hannibal, Mo., to his son-in-law Dr. H.H. Clayton, October 12, 1865. Mentions that his wife is near death, and offers advice on how to raise his children. (2) Letter signed John B. Helm, Hannibal, Mo., to Dr. H.H. Clayton, November 28, 1866. Encloses a check to assist Dr. Clayton in educating his children. (3) Letter signed John B. Helm, Hannibal, Mo., to Dr. H.H. Clayton, July 23, 1869. States that if Dr. Clayton dies, his family would be left helpless and destitute. Letter is written on the stationery of Robards, Ely & Co., Hannibal. (4) Kirkwood Public Schools report book of Henry Clayton, 1892-1898 (13 pages), contains teacher remarks and student grades for examinations, attendance, deportment, etc. Also includes signatures of Henry's parents, John B. Clayton and Lillie S. Clayton; his teacher, Clara L. Davis; and Principal A.L. Whitaker. (5) Invitation to the commencement exercises of the Manual Training School, January 29, 1903. (6) Program for the graduating exercises of the Manual Training School, Washington University, June 17, 1903. (7) Program for the seventeenth annual reunion of the Manual Training School Alumni Association, to be held at the Hamilton Hotel at the corner of Hamilton and Maple Avenues, St. Louis, June 17, 1904 (11 pages). Includes menu, list of alumni association officers and members of the managing board, and illustration of the Hamilton Hotel.

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

#### A2990

Clayton, Missouri.

## Collection, 1976. 1 folder

Collection includes two copies of a publication titled "The Clayton 1776 Fair, July 3 and 4, 1976, Shaw Park" (48 pages); two flyers for the fair; exhibitor/contestant application for the fair; six photographs showing visitors, vendors, and performers at the fair, including two photographs of the Ed's Smoke House booth; and issue of "This Is Clayton," August–September 1976, published by The Clayton Chamber of Commerce.

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

#### A0296

Clemens, Cyril Coniston (1903-1999).

**Collection, 1800-1979.** 73 boxes

Cyril Clemens was the third cousin of Mark Twain; founder and president of the International Mark Twain Society; and editor of the *Mark Twain Journal*.

Collection contains family history and genealogical notes of Boland, Chambers, and Mullanphy families; typescript letters of the Chambers/Mullanphy family, 1827-1847; correspondence, 1920-1979, primarily from prominent literary and political figures, mostly expressing interest in serving as honorary vice-president or as member of the International Mark Twain Society. Includes a letter from Samuel Langhorne Clemens (third cousin of Cyril Clemens) concerning a self-pasting scrapbook invented by him; Clemens' 1949 thesis, "History of St. Louis, 1854-1860"; and articles and publications by Clemens. The bulk of the collection consists of the unprocessed Cyril Clemens' correspondence on behalf of the International Mark Twain Society.

Indexed in the archives card catalog (7 boxes).

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

## A0297

#### Clemens, Katharine.

"Gardens and Books: an Autobiography" / by Katharine Clemens, with an introduction by Cyril Clemens, manuscript, 1938. 4 folders

Katharine Clemens' husband was James Ross Clemens. They were the parents of Cyril Clemens.

Corrected proofs; pages 158-184 are missing.

Cite as: Katharine Clemens, "Gardens and Books: an Autobiography," manuscript, 1938, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0298

## Clemens, Mary Cornelia.

Clemens family collection, 1737-1954. 8 boxes; 4 volumes; 2 oversize folders Mary Cornelia Clemens was the granddaughter of James Clemens, Jr., and great-granddaughter of Jeremiah Clemens (1763-1826).

Diary of Jeremiah Clemens of Kentucky, dated 1787-1788; two journals of Jeremiah Clemens regarding travels and business in Danville, Kentucky; scrapbook of J.W. Clemens containing material on the Clemens family throughout the United States (1872-1885); Mary C. Clemens scrapbook of clippings on the extended Clemens family in St. Louis; five folders of loose clippings regarding Samuel Clemens, the Bryan Mullanphy Emigrant and Travelers' Relief Fund, and James Clemens, Jr.; papers concerning the first thirty years of the Missouri business career of James Clemens, Jr. (1791-1878) of St. Louis; copies of his letters (1815-1816) to his family in Kentucky during the period that he lived in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri; and legal

documents of his wife, Eliza (Mullanphy) Clemens, his father-in-law, John M. Mullanphy, and his brother-in-law Bryan Mullanphy; the diary of Mary Cornelia S. Clemens, dated 1898-1904, with accounts of her stay in Nova Scotia, Leavenworth, Kansas, and visits to the 1904 World's Fair; newsclippings; invitations to social events in St. Louis; lottery tickets; and broadsides. Correspondents include Thomas Hart Benton, Henry Marie Breckenridge, Rose Philippine Duchesne, Chester Harding, John M. Mullanphy, and Bishop Joseph Rosati. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## Clemens, Samuel

See Mark Twain Monument Commission.

#### A0299

Clemens, Samuel.

**Collection, 1881-1968.** 1 box (20 items)

Collection contains letter of Samuel Clemens to "My Dear Slote," dated March 31, 1881, regarding a self-pasting scrapbook Clemens invented; letter of Samuel Clemens to the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1903, thanking the society for making him an honorary member; Carnegie Hall printed memorial address to Mark Twain, November 1910; genealogical material regarding the Clemens family; and printed matter regarding Mark Twain and Hannibal, Missouri. Cite as: Samuel Clemens Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0300

**Clifford, Alfred (1869-1927).** 

**Papers, 1884-1947.** 40 items

Alfred Clifford was born in East Medway, Massachusetts, in 1845 and came to St. Louis in 1869. He worked as a bookkeeper for the Ludlow-Saylor Wire Co. and eventually established one of the first barbed wire plants in St. Louis. John W. Gates and William Edenborn became his partners. He became one of the active heads of the various mergers that were formed of steel and wire companies, and assumed the chairmanship of the board of the American Steel and Wire Company in 1900. The following year the American Steel and Wire Company was taken into the merger of the United States Steel Corporation, and Clifford served on the board until 1916. He married Miss Mary Francis Morton of St. Louis, who died in 1890, and in 1893 he married Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston Anderson. He died in 1927 in St. Louis.

Papers include genealogical material of the Clifford family; early patents for barbed wire, 1888; business papers of Alfred Clifford, 1889, regarding the construction of barbed wire, sale of the wire, and price contracts; price sheets of the St. Louis Wire Mill Co.; correspondence regarding the incorporation of American Steel and Wire Co. of New Jersey, 1898-1899; syndicate agreement of U.S. Steel Corporation originated under the laws of the state of New Jersey, dated March 2, 1901; published letters between Judge Elbert H. Gary and Alfred Clifford, 1926; printed histories of early development and litigation of barbed wire; and correspondence dated 1947 containing biographical data of John W. Gates and Alfred Clifford. Cite as: Alfred Clifford Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0301

Cline, Daisy J.

**Papers, 1861-1918.** 50 items

Mrs. Daisy J. Cline was a schoolteacher in Clay County schools. Her husband was Fredric A.

Cline (circa 1834-1909).

Letters of Fredric A. Cline to his wife, dated Paducah, Kentucky, Nashville, Eastport, Mississippi, Cairo, Illinois, and New Orleans, 1861-1865, which discuss the affairs of the 40th Missouri Infantry (Union). Also includes letter of S. Douglas, dated 1861, which briefly describes battle at Falling Waters, West Virginia; Cline family correspondence, 1880-1884; letters from Fredric A. Cline to his wife and his children in St. Louis from Silver City, New Mexico, 1885; correspondence and receipts; program for memorial service for President William McKinley, September 19, 1919; and German letters.

Some German.

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

#### A2609

Clopton, Malvern Bryan (1875- ).

Family History Sheet, 1940 June 10. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Malvern Bryan Clopton (residence, Clarksville, Missouri; office, 3720 Washington, St. Louis, Missouri). Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Malvern Bryan Clopton Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2610

Clow, Frances Reid Jones, Mrs. (1890-).

Family History Sheet, 1953 Jan 16. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Frances Reid Jones Clow, Lake Forest, Illinois. Includes genealogical data on her family. Also includes blank family history sheet and a page of undated genealogical notes written on the stationery of Mrs. Kent S. Clow.

Cite as: Mrs. Frances Reid Jones Clow Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0302

Cloyd, George Winston.

**Papers, 1938-1984.** 2 boxes; 2 oversize items

George Winston Cloyd was St. Louis County Circuit Court judge, 9th Division. He was associated with the firm of Walter, Hacker, Walter and Barnard, 1950.

Private papers, correspondence, newsletter, printed matter, and newsclippings related to the career of Judge Cloyd, especially his civic activities in connection with the St. Louis Council on Human Relations and the early stages of desegregation of St. Louis swimming pools, 1950-1951. Also includes materials relating to student activities, military service, legal and judicial career and other civic involvements, 1938-1984.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George Winston Cloyd Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0303

# Clubs and Societies Collection, 1870-1962. 8 boxes

Correspondence, minutes, articles of incorporation, statements, newsclippings, and other papers relating to social, civic, and local patriotic clubs of St. Louis, and to clubs of national interest and importance. Organizations represented include the American Legion, American

Society of Civil Engineers (St. Louis branch), Colonial Daughters of the Seventeenth Century, Daughters of the American Revolution, Jefferson Club, Junior League, Missouri Society of the City of New York, National Society of the United States Daughters of 1812, National Society of World War Registrars, Inc., Naturalists' Club, New England Society of St. Louis, St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, Smith College Club, Society of Colonial Wars, Society of Mayflower Descendants, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Wednesday Club of St. Louis, Western Rowing Club, and Women Descendants of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Clubs and Societies Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2611

Coe, Robert Louis (1908-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Apr 23. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Louis Coe, 48 Arundel Place, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Robert Louis Coe Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0304

Coghill, James C.

**Log book and river guide, 1871.** 1 volume (218 pages)

Log book kept by James C. Coghill for the steamer *R.J. Lockwood*, Carter Line, Red River Packet, includes a river guide for landings on the Red River from its mouth to Jefferson, Texas; landings on the upper Red River from Jefferson, Texas, to Kiamitia; and landings on the lower Mississippi River from St. Louis to Vicksburg and on to New Orleans. It also contains a Mississippi River guide from Memphis to Bayou Sara, citing landings and landmarks on the left and right banks going down river.

Donor's mother, Fannie T. Thornhill, was the daughter of James C. Coghill.

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Cite as: James C. Coghill Log Book and River Guide, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0305

Coghlan, Marilyn.

Data regarding her "Rally Around the Flag" quilt, 1991-1993. 1 folder; framed manuscript.

Collection consists of newsclippings, photographic negatives, and a framed, typescript description of "The Battle Cry of Freedom Quilt," signed Marilyn Coghlan, 1991, commemorating Desert Storm veterans of Missouri and Illinois. The framed description may have appeared with the quilt when it was on display.

Cite as: Marilyn Coghlan data regarding her "Rally Around the Flag" quilt, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2612

Cohen, Sidney S. (1901- ).

Family History Sheet, 1969 Apr 12. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Sidney S. Cohen, 6232

Rosebury Drive, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Sidney S. Cohen Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2613

Colbert, James William, Jr. (1920-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 July 16.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James William Colbert, Jr., 6211 McPherson, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: James William Colbert, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0307

## Cole, Albert B.

# **Papers, 1919-1954 (bulk 1924-1946).** 9 folders

The bulk of the collection contains the correspondence, reports, agreements, etc. of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the city of St. Louis, dated 1924-1946, regarding various labor issues of railway employees in the city's Water Division, which operated a railroad between its Chain of Rocks, Bissell's Point, and Howard Bend pumping stations. Much of the correspondence is to or from Edward F. Stephens, chairman, General Grievance Committee, B. of L. F. & E. Also includes various other papers of the B. of L. F. & E; correspondence and printed matter regarding Missouri Workmen's Compensation Law, 1926; Journal of the Constitutional Convention of Missouri, 1943-1944; Official Returns of the State Primary Election, August 1, 1944; and printed matter of the Pittsburgh Typewriter and Supply Company, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Cite as: Albert B. Cole Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0306

Cole County, Missouri.

Collection, 1838. 1 folder

Letter of William A. Lacy to Abram Clement dated July 24, 1838: "I am compelled to bury Uncle Charles. . ."

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

## A2337

## Cole, Nelson Clarence and Blanche Winona.

# Certificates of scholarship, 1903, 1911. 2 items

Two certificates of scholarship granted by the Board of Education of the City of St. Louis for completion of the eight district school grades, and is therefore qualified for admission to the high school. Certicates awarded to Nelson Clarence Cole, January 23, 1903, and Blanche Winona Cole, June 16, 1911.

Cite as: Nelson Clarence and Blanche Winona Cole Certificates of Scholarship, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2614

Cole, Ransom Edgar (1907- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1954 Apr 15. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history form for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ransom Edgar Cole, 1374 Temple Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on

his family.

Cite as: Ransom Edgar Cole Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2615

Cole, Winfred Bryan (1883- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Dec 2.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Winfred Bryan Cole, Arnold, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Winfred Bryan Cole Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0308

Coleman family.

**Papers, 1863-1952.** 5 folders; 1 volume

Abba Coleman married Sally Seymour at West Andover, Ohio, on May 28, 1832. Their children were Catherine, Lempel L., and Clarkson C. Coleman. The children of Clarkson C. Coleman and his wife, Cornelia, were Herbert Seymour Coleman (born in 1867 in Colony, Missouri) and Minnie Coleman (born in 1871 in Colony, Missouri). Herbert Seymour Coleman married Lulu Henson. Minnie Coleman married John T. Brunei.

Papers include family correspondence; obituaries; a notebook with extensive genealogical information on the Coleman and allied families; the Civil War discharge paper of Clark C. Coleman; and other family documents. Much of the material is from the northeast Missouri towns of Edna, Colony, La Belle and Kirksville.

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

#### A2616

Coleman, Irma Hard, Mrs. (1881-1965).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1965 Nov 21. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mrs. Irma Hard Coleman, 665 South Skinker, St. Louis, Missouri. Information supplied by her daughter Mrs. Dorothy Jean Roudebush. Includes genealogical information on Mrs. Coleman's family. Cite as: Mrs. Irma Hard Coleman Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0309

**Collet, Oscar Wilks (1821-1904).** 

**Collection, 1619-1887.** 2 folders (30 items)

Record book of orders for "Collet's Historical Record," with autographs of many notable St. Louisans and others, 1882. Manuscript of fictionalized account of life in early-nineteenth-century St. Louis titled "George Selvin: A St. Louis Story," written by Collet, and read before the meeting of the Missouri Historical Society on June 3, 1887, by Miss Josie Bush; and a volume of abstracts and conveyances dated 1805-1873, constituting a record of abstracts of title to lands in survey #422, St. Louis, copied by Oscar W. Collet. Letter of J.H. Cosgrove to O.W. Collet, dated May 17, 1878, sending his article and a copy of article, "Bossier," written account of tobacco use and growth trade in Virginia and Con. . ., 1619-1883; letters; account of Pierre Espirit Radisson, 3rd voyage and 1st Western Voyage, 1638-1653; journal and poetry of O.W. Collet and genealogy.

Cite as: Oscar Wilks Collet Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2617

Collins, Dabney Otis (1890-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Apr 8.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dabney Otis Collins, Denver, Colorado. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Dabney Otis Collins Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2618

Collins, Jane Brown, Mrs. (1881- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1961 June 1. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Jane Brown Collins, 625 South Skinker, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Mrs. Jane Brown Collins Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2619

Collins, Richard James, Jr. (1925- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Mar 20. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Richard James Collins, Jr., 5322 Savoy Court, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Richard James Collins, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0310

Collins, Thomas, R. (1860-1951).

**Papers, 1866-1951.** 1 box

Thomas R. Collins was the son of Martin Collins. Both father and son were insurance brokers and civic leaders in St. Louis. Martin Collins was a thirty-third degree Mason and for many years was the sovereign grand inspector general in Missouri. Thomas R. Collins served on the Executive Board of the St. Louis Council of Boy Scouts, was president of the Sunshine Mission, and was active in working for better inter-racial relations.

Collection consists principally of correspondence relating to the insurance business, Masonic-related items, correspondence and a few personal items. Of note are a letterhead of the Sunshine Mission, 1903; pamphlet for church mission house-home for convalescent women, 1905; correspondence regarding General Electric Company's suit vs. the Missouri American Electric Company, St. Louis, for patent rights, 1906.

Cite as: Thomas R. Collins Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2407

Columbia Aluminum Company, Incorporated (St. Louis, Missouri).

Prospectus, circa 1897. 1 item

This 4-page prospectus of the Columbia Aluminum Company, Incorporated, includes a statement of metallurgist H.F.D. Schwahn.

Cite as: Columbia Aluminum Company, Incorporated, Prospectus, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2620

Comfort, Hartley Baxter (1909- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1957 May 7.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Hartley Baxter Comfort, 9750 Ladue Road, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data regarding his family.

Cite as: Hartley Baxter Comfort Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0311

# Commercial Club of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1881-1943.** 5 boxes; 9 volumes

The Commercial Club was formed in 1881 on the model of organizations of similar name in Boston and Chicago. Founded "for the purpose of advancing by social intercourse and by a friendly interchange of views the growth of the City of St. Louis. . .," its membership, originally limited to sixty gentlemen, was selected for their influence in the trade and commerce of St. Louis. The only professions represented were law and medicine. The club met once a month for dinner and meetings of general discussion. Committees were appointed to consider matters affecting the welfare and progress of the city. Early officers and members included Gerard B. Allen, E.O. Stanard, Joseph Franklin, Newton Crane, Edwin Harrison, E.C. Simmons, S.M. Dodd, Samuel Cupples, Thomas Allen, Erastus Wells, and Charles P. Chouteau. The club dissolved in 1943.

Correspondence relating to membership, club events, and notices of meetings; minutes; membership lists; printed material; and a report of the Board of Engineers appointed by the St. Louis Commercial Club to prepare plans for improvement of the river front, February 1917. Also the complete official corporate record, including the constitution, minutes of meetings, texts of reports and speeches (often printed), programs, and membership lists.

Cite as: Commercial Club of St. Louis Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### **Commissions Collection**

Items from the Commissions Collection were transferred to Alphabetical Files (see under individual's name) or to the collection in which they originally belonged. (Transferred circa 2001.)

#### A0313

## Communications Collection, 1850-1939. 1 folder

Collection consists of telegram examples; a letter of Thomas C. McAfee to Tal P. Shaffner, January 3, 1850, regarding bringing a telegraph line into St. Louis; a news article about Elmer Washburn, telephone lineman, describing camp life led by turn-of-the-century line-building crews, September 1939.

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

# A0314

# Compton and Sons Company.

# Letterbooks, 1874-1901. 5 volumes

Compton and Sons Company was a lithographing and printing company. Initially collected by Charles M. Thomson, dean of commerce at the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, circa 1940, as part of a 600-cubic-feet collection of business records collected as part of a University of Illinois effort to document American business. Cite as: Compton and Sons Company Letterbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2410

# Computer Data Research Corp. (St. Louis, Missouri). Computer date matching questionnaire, circa 1967-1970. 1 item

This four-page questionnaire of Computer Data Research Corp., 3700 Hampton, St. Louis, Missouri, includes more than 50, mostly multiple-choice, questions to young single adults in the St. Louis area. The questionnaire states, "How does computer date matching work? You take a personality test which not only measures your personal likes, dislikes and attitudes; but also the personality you like in a date. When the following questionnaire is completed by you and we receive it, the information is placed in the Computer Memory File. The computer then matches the qualifications of every member of the opposite sex and selects the five or more best matches for you."

Cite as: Computer Data Research Corp. Computer Date Matching Questionnaire, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0315

# Concord Baptist Church (Cooper County, Missouri). **Records, 1830-1890.** 3 volumes

The Concord Baptist Church was established May 10, 1817, in Cooper County, Missouri. Also known as the Baptist Church of Christ at Concord and the Church of Jesus Christ, it merged with the Vine Baptist Church in 1846, but retained its own name.

Records contain the minutes and lists of the members of the Concord Baptist Church (1832-1890) and the Vine Baptist Church (1837-1846); and a brief pre-history of the origins of the church from 1810 to 1831, which make mention of black membership in the congregation. Cite as: Concord Baptist Church Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0316

# Concordia Gymnastic Society (Saint Louis, Missouri). **Records, 1876-1985.** 43 boxes; 18 volumes

The Concordia Gymnastic Society, initially named the Concordia Turnverein, was one of the German immigrant athletic societies founded in the United States during the nineteenth century. Founded in 1875, the Concordia Gymnastic Society was initially located at Arsenal and 13th, and moved to 6432 Gravois in the 1960s. It was one of the few Turner societies to have survived and thrived throughout the twentieth century.

The collection consists of the corporate records of the Concordia Gymnastic Society, and includes constitutions and by-laws, minutes, reports, directors' files, records relating to its buildings, financial records, records related to sporting activities, newsletters and programs. The collection also includes records of the Concordia Turners Hall Association, from which the Concordia Gymnastic Society leased its building in the earlier years of its existence, and a body of associated records relating to the Concordia Gymnastic Society's affiliation with the regional Turner councils and the national American Turners.

Some German.

No part of the collection will be disposed of without first being offered back to the Concordia Gymnastic Society, so long as the Concordia Gymnastic Society remains in operation.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Concordia Gymnastic Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Confederate States Army. Trans-Mississippi Department. 1st Army Corps. 4th Cavalry Division.

Order book, 1862 Sept 8-1864 June 11. 1 volume (480 pages); 1 roll microfilm.

Transferred to Civil War Collection (see John Sappington Marmaduke order book). <u>RESTRICTION:</u> As with all collections, if the documents exist in another format, researchers will be required to use the other format before the original documents will be paged to the reading room.

#### A2224

Connell. Bernice Morrison.

Travel Journal, 1940. 1 folder

Travel journal describing automobile trips around central and northeastern Missouri. The journal contains photographs, postcards, and brochures from various tourist spots in the region. Cite as: Bernice Morrison Connell Travel Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3086

Conner, William F. (1926-2016).

Papers, 1894-2016. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

William Frazier Conner was born to Elmer Frazier Conner (1894-1973) and Laura (Smith) Conner (1894-1972) in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania in 1925. Conner almost field for conscientious objector status in 1943 but decided to serve. After basic training, he was sent to the Army Specialized Training Program at the University of Nebraska. In 1947, Conner married Margaret Trowbridge; the couple had four children. Conner entered law school in 1967 and spent the remainder of career working at the Missouri Division of Employment Security until his retirement in 1993.

The papers contain correspondence and various documents relating to William F. Conner. The papers are arranged into two series: **Correspondence** series is arranged chronologically (1942-1980); the **Subject Files** series is arranged alphabetically by topic (1894-2016). The collection dates from 1894 to 2016 with the bulk of collection dating from 1943 to 1950. Please note from the folder list that there are numerous gaps in the papers. For example, there is no correspondence from 1947 and there are no documents from 1895 to 1934. Among the early letters is a short series of correspondence in the spring of 1943 relating to Bill's dilemma about claiming conscientious objector status if he was drafted. Finding aid available.

Cite as: William F. Conner Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2621

Connett, William Carroll, IV (1912- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1953-circa 1970s. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Carroll Connett, IV, 5277 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri, July 29, 1953. Also includes family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by his sister Jane Allen Connett, 625 South Skinker, St. Louis, Missouri, circa 1970s. These sheets include genealogical data on the Connett family.

Cite as: William Carroll Connett, IV, Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2622

Conrad, Adolph Henry, Jr. (1913- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1959 Mar 2.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Adolph Henry Conrad, Jr., 9 Dromara Road, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Adolph Henry Conrad, Jr., Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2623

**Conrad, Helen Baker, Mrs. (1882-1961).** 

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1961 Nov 30.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mrs. Helen Baker Conrad, 129 East Lockwood Ave., Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Information supplied by her son, Marshall B. Conrad, 8542 Colonial Lane, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Also mentions Mrs. Baker's daughter, Mrs. Sally Leslie Meyer, 121 Hollywood Lane, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Sheet includes genealogical data on Mrs. Helen Baker Conrad's family.

Cite as: Mrs. Helen Baker Conrad Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2624

Conrad, Lillian C. (1903-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Sept 18.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Lillian C. Conrad, 3629 Wyoming Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Lillian C. Conrad Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2625

Conrad, Richard Daniel (1919-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Mar 8. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Richard Daniel Conrad, 1 Nassau Drive, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Richard Daniel Conrad Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0318

# Contracts collection, 1811-1852. 1 folder

Contract of François Berard (in French), August 1811, to engage as an apprentice in tobacco making to a man named Isaac; contract of Antoine Volsane (in French) to engage himself as an apprentice to Francois Bonpart to learn blacksmithing, dated April 18, 1816; contract for rental of the "old Lecount farm," St. Louis County, Missouri, Nathan Grismore to Samuel Blackwell, May 1852.

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

## A0319

# **Conway Family.**

John Conway family papers, 1861-1863. 1 folder (8 items)

John F. Conway was born circa 1842 in Franklin County, Missouri. He enlisted in Company I, 26th Missouri Infantry (Union), at Union, Missouri, in September 1861. He served as private and sergeant, and was killed November 25, 1863, at the Battle of Missionary Ridge.

Papers include three letters of John Conway to his mother that briefly describe the affairs of his regiment; two documents relating to back pay of Conway; letter of Seth Burton to his cousin, dated Milliken's Bend, Louisiana, April 17, [no year], which discusses the attitude of federal soldiers toward the organization of black regiments; and letter fragments. Includes some illustrated stationery.

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

#### A0320

# Conway Family.

Joseph Conway family papers, 1786-1959. 4 folders (55 items); 1 oversize folder

Joseph Conway, son of John and Elizabeth (Bridgewater) Conway, was born December 14, 1763, in Greenbrier County, Virginia, and came to Kentucky with his family around 1775. In the attack by British and Indian forces on Ruddle's Station, Kentucky, in 1780, Joseph Conway was tomahawked, scalped, and taken prisoner, and subsequently marched to Detroit. Four years later he was released, and returned to Kentucky. In 1798 he came to St. Louis, settling along Creve Coeur Creek, in what would later become Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County. He served as St. Louis County's first sheriff, a position held later by his sons Samuel and Joseph. He died December 28, 1830.

Collection contains several nineteenth-century surveys and deeds relating to Conway family land in Township 45, Ranges 4 and 5 East, St. Louis County; several legal papers relating to the estate of John Ward (1827-1830), who lived near Joseph Conway in Bonhomme Township; several bills of sales of slaves; and miscellaneous legal papers relating to various cases in St. Louis courts. Other notable items include a circular letter of the Treasury Department regarding Revolutionary War claims, dated June 13, 1832; two copies of the will of Joseph Conway, dated 1830; photocopy of the Conway family tree, dated May 7, 1956; and a typescript biographical sketch of Joseph Conway, dated September 20, 1959.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2924

Conway, James F., Mayor.

**Proclamation, 1979 Apr 12.** 1 item (oversize)

Printed proclamation signed James F. Conway, mayor of the city of St. Louis, April 12, 1979, proclaiming Sunday, May 6, 1979, as World's Fair Day in the Park, to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Cite as: Mayor James F. Conway Proclamation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0321

Cook Family.

Robert Cook family papers, 1842-1934. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Papers include autograph book of Lizzie Albright, 1856; diary of Isaac Cook, Jr., 1890; Robert Cook letters and correspondence, 1930; Edith Cook letters of sympathy to her regarding the death of Isaac Cook, Jr.; family correspondence, 1919-1936; letters to Robert Cook, 1932-1939; Cook-Albright family papers; Cook-Mudd family papers; Mudd family correspondence; and bonds.

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

#### A0322

**Cook, Fannie Frank (1893-1949).** 

**Papers, 1874-1949.** 31 boxes; 12 volumes

Fannie Frank, daughter of Julius and Jennie Frank, was born October 4, 1893, in St. Charles, Missouri. Her family moved to St. Louis when Mr. Frank became connected with the Rice-Stix Dry Goods Company of St. Louis, in 1898. She graduated from Soldan High School (1911), the University of Missouri (1914), and received her master's degree from Washington University in 1916. She married Dr. Jerome Cook, director of medicine and chief of staff at Jewish Hospital; they had two sons. Fannie Cook was a versatile writer who was actively interested in problems of contemporary society and whose literary works of fiction and nonfiction were often based on her political and social attitudes. She died August 25, 1949, following a heart attack.

Correspondence regarding St. Louis race relations and southern Missouri sharecroppers; records of the St. Louis Race Relations Commission, St. Louis Committee for the Rehabilitation of Sharecroppers, and People's Art Center; correspondence with publishers and literary agents; literary manuscripts including those for articles, essays, poems, short stories and novels; scrapbooks; and photographs.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Fannie Frank Cook Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2626

Cook, Henry Mudd (1899- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Oct 29.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Henry Mudd Cook, 5250 Westminster Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Henry Mudd Cook Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### Cook, Isaac

See Isaac Cook Real Estate Company.

#### A1815

Cook, Isaac (1813-1886).

Family Papers, 1800-1940. 5 folders

Isaac Cook was born July 4, 1813, in Long Branch, New Jersey. In 1834 he moved to Chicago, where he became a successful and wealthy businessman. He served as Cook County sheriff from 1846 to 1850 and U.S. postmaster at Chicago from 1852 to 1860. In 1862 he moved to St. Louis, where he became president of the American Wine Company. His son, Isaac Cook, Jr., married Edith Mudd, daughter of Dr. Henry Mudd. Isaac Cook died June 23, 1886, at Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

Collection contains correspondence to Isaac Cook from various individuals dated 1845-1853, including a letter from Stephen A. Douglas dated May 27, 1853. Collection also includes papers

regarding Mrs. Edith M. Cook's stock in the Boreel Mining Company, 1902-1939; newspaper and magazine articles, dated 1928, regarding a memorial to Dr. John Thomson Hodgen and Dr. John Thomson Hodgen in Pittsfield, Illinois; and correspondence of Mrs. N.E. Collins, matron of the Home of the Friendless (St. Louis, Mo.), dated 1935, regarding the care of residents of the home.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0323

Coons Family.

Papers, 1845-1866; 1994. 4 boxes

Frank Coons was a trader from St. Louis who traded and lived in Mexico and California. He has been identified as one of the founders of El Paso, Texas.

Papers include correspondence between Frank Coons and family (originals with typescripts); other family correspondence, calling cards, etc; diaries of Jennie Coons while at Monticello Female Academy, 1851-1852[1853] and 1857; catalogues of Monticello Female Academy, 1845; and a 1994 article by Ben E. Pingenot titled "The Great Wagon Train Expedition of 1850," which includes a biographical sketch of Frank Coons.

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

## A0324

**Co-op Pottery Association (Cape Girardeau, Missouri).** 

Daybook, 1885. 1 volume

Cite as: Co-op Pottery Association Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0325

Cooper County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1810-1961.** 2 boxes

Chiefly includes marriage returns (1829-1881) of Cooper County, Missouri; records (1810-1845) of the Baptist Church of the District of St. Charles, in Upper Louisiana, from its first meeting to its meeting in Boonville, Missouri; report (1935) of the Missouri Training School for Boys in Boonville; and correspondence relating to life in Cooper County in the mid-1800s. Cite as: Cooper County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0326

Cooper County, Missouri, Sheriff and Public Administrator.

**Records, 1850-1873.** 10 volumes

In Cooper County, Missouri, during these years, relevant offices were held by Harvey Bunce, sheriff and public administrator; Thomas E. Rochester, sheriff; and William Williams, deputy sheriff and collector.

Contains records of the Cooper County sheriff, mostly including the records of sheriff's sales of real estate and businesses in execution of court-ordered awards from the Cooper County Circuit Court and the Cooper County Court of Common Pleas, and the distribution of proceeds from such sales as well as the distribution of estates. Specific records include receipts for distribution of proceeds from sales; records of receipts for fees and warrants collected and paid in execution of court orders; and records of merchants' bonds, statements of goods, and amounts of liens.

Cite as: Cooper County, Missouri, Sheriff and Public Administrator's Records, Missouri History

Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2317

# **Copp-McCluney Family.**

# **Papers**, **1819-1868**. 9 items

Collection contains promissory note of Aug. Chouteau to Peter Chouteau, St. Louis, August 11, 1819; check signed Aug. Chouteau for \$50 payable in cash to bearer, on account with the Bank of Missouri, St. Louis, February 5, 1820; blank check of Berthold & Chouteau, on account with the Bank of Missouri, St. Louis, 182-; letter signed Saml. Copp, St. Louis, to his sister, Miss Phoebe Copp, New York, February 20, 1837, which mentions the friends he's met since moving to St. Louis, including Joshua T. Tucker and family, the Ross family, and the Stibbs family; articles of agreement made between Thomas Allen, Samuel Copp, Jr., and Robert N. Nisbet, all of the city of St. Louis, to become copartners in the business of banking under the name of Allen, Copp & Nisbet, July 1, 1858; advertising card for Caughlan and Copp, bell & brass founders, 33 Washington Ave., between Main & Second Sts., St. Louis, Mo., circa 1860s; St. Louis Mayor's Office permit granted to Saml. O. Copp, a minor living at 611 Walnut St., "to be upon the sidewalks and streets of the City, on the 3d of November, 1868, while transacting such business as may be necessary in the service of his employer," at the request of Allen, Copp & Nisbett, November 2, 1868; and undated Bellefontaine Cemetery lot owner's card of Mrs. Scott, signed Secretary Saml. Copp. Collection also includes letter signed Jas. McCluney, Fort Carney [Fort Kearny], to his wife, Isabella McCluney, St. Louis, Mo., June 3, 1849, which discusses his trip to California in the rear of a government train. He mentions Mr. Helm, Mr. Figg, Mr. Espey, Dr. White, Miss Fanny, and Capt. White.

Cite as: Copp-McCluney Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2627

## Corcoran, Clarence William (1895- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Mar 10.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Clarence William Corcoran, 6029 Lindenwood Court, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Clarence William Corcoran Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0327

# Cordell Family.

**Papers, 1849-1850; 1940.** 1 box

Two copies of *Cordell Records: A Virginia Family*, by Allan S. Humphreys, 1940; genealogical notes compiled by Allan S. Humphreys; family letters written to and from family in Missouri, 1849-1850; and some photographs and sketches of family members. Cite as: Cordell Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0328

# **Corporations and industries collection.** 19 boxes; 3 oversize folders

Collection contains questionnaires sent to local corporations by the Missouri Historical Society concerning the history of the corporation, their business assets, etc. for the purpose of building a collection. The project was started in 1955 and was continued for several years. Also includes pamphlets, brochures, financial reports, etc. sent by the various companies to add to the

collection; and transcripts from a radio broadcast, "Salute to St. Louis Businesses," which highlighted the history of local businesses.

Collection is name indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Corporations and Industries Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2628

Corwin, Charlton Jason (1824- ).

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charlton Jason Corwin. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Charlton Jason Corwin Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2440

Coughlin, Sarah Elizabeth.

Certificate of Scholarship, 1896 June 12. 1 item

Certificate of scholarship awarded to Sarah Elizabeth Coughlin by the "Board of President and Directors of the St. Louis Public Schools for having completed the Eight District School Grades, and passed the required examination for admission to the High School." Cite as: Sarah Elizabeth Coughlin Certificate of Scholarship, Missouri History Museum

Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0329

Coultas, Samuel.

**Architectural Renderings, 1898.** 2 folders

Seven pen and ink drawings, five of which date from February to April 1898. Only one of the seven is identified as the Pavilion in Forest Park. The remainder of the drawings are unidentified, two are undated.

Cite as: Samuel Coultas Architectural Renderings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0330

**Coulter Family.** 

**Papers, 1799-1880.** 2 folders; 3 volumes

Collection includes two biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Cornelia Catlin Coulter, 315 Adams Ave., Ferguson, St. Louis County, Missouri; land papers to Coulter family and others mostly in Kentucky and some in Missouri; burlap-covered notebook, dated August 29, 1816, of Sterling Coulter [spelled Colter in book] containing arithmetic principles, "rule of three," financial transactions, etc.; some official appointments with the Kentucky militia, circa 1916; typed manuscript of "History of Town of Ferguson, 1845-1911," by Cornelia C. Coulter; account book of the Rev. Joseph Hill Coulter, kept while he was traveling for the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 1869-1876; account book kept by G.T. Chamberlain as agent for William B. Ferguson, et al., which contains house rents, 1885-1892. Cite as: Coulter Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0331

Coulter, Laura Amelia Chamberlain.

**Papers, 1888-1894.** 1 folder (40 items); 2 volumes

Laura Amelia Chamberlain (Mrs. Horace Parshall Coulter) was the daughter of G.T. Chamberlain. She lived in Ferguson, Missouri.

Two household account books of Laura Coulter, 1892-1894, and approximately 40 letters of Laura Coulter to her father, G.T. Chamberlain, 1888-1889.

Cite as: Laura Amelia Chamberlain Coulter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Council for Exceptional Children. Chapter 103 (Saint Louis, Missouri).

See National Education Association. Council for Exceptional Children.

#### A0332

# Council of National Defense. St. Louis Woman's Committee.

**Records, 1917-1919.** 4 folders (4 items)

Records include executive board and advisory committee minutes, 1917-1919, includes constitution and bylaws amendments (67 pages); History of the St. Louis Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, 1917-1919 (printed booklet, 16 pages); undated report of the St. Louis Woman's Committee (annotated typescript reporting by department the activities of the St. Louis Woman's Committee, 7 pages); departmental reports, 1918; letter regarding hospital report and cover letter and list of typists and stenographers registered in cooperation with the U.S. Labor Bureau for Government Service (5 pages).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Records of the Saint Louis Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0333

# Council of National Defense. Woman's Committee, Missouri Division. Records, 1917-1919. 13 boxes

The Council of National Defense, in response to the war, appointed a woman's committee, April 21, 1917, to coordinate the home-front activities of woman's clubs, associations, and societies throughout the country. The Missouri Division of the Woman's Committee first organized in St. Louis, May 28, 1917, with Mrs. Benjamin F. Bush as chairwoman.

Collection consists of correspondence, memorabilia, circulars and printed material generated and received by the St. Louis organization. Includes several hundred "War Records"—forms filled out by World War I servicemen in Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Council of National Defense, Woman's Committee of the Missouri Division Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# County courts papers, 1844-1851.

See Missouri. Governor (Jefferson City, Missouri). Justice of the Peace recommendations and appointments; and Missouri Land Records Collection.

#### A0334

# Courts collection, 1805-1979. 1 folder (30 items)

Document dated 1805, St. Louis, recognizing that a general subordination of law and good government exists in Louisiana Territory (photostat); papers regarding Louisiana nominations from the senate, 1805 (photostat); several papers regarding early court of Louisiana, 1805; program of ceremonies commemorating opening of St. Louis County Probate Court; history of

court and biographical data of 11 judges of the 80 years of the court's existence, 1958; list of probate judges of city and county of St. Louis, 1841-1891, copy, 1971.

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

#### A0335

# **Couzins Family.**

Papers, 1825-1950. 7 folders; 1 oversize folder

John E.D. Couzins was born November 24, 1813, on the Isle of Wight, England. While still a child, he came with his parents to New York City, where he eventually learned the business of an architect and builder. He married Adaline Weston of New York, and settled in St. Louis in 1834, where he began the practice of his profession. He served as chief of the volunteer police department, chief of police, inspector of buildings, and inspector of customs. In early 1861 he served on the Committee of Public Safety, which was formed in St. Louis to work to hold Missouri in the Union. In 1884 he was appointed U.S. marshal of the Eastern District of Missouri by President Chester Arthur. He died September 1, 1887, in St. Louis. As a member of the St. Louis Ladies' Union Aid Society during the Civil War, Mrs. Adaline Weston Couzins (1815-1892) worked as a volunteer nurse, and traveled to battlefields and hospitals to care for sick and wounded soldiers. During the siege of Vicksburg in 1863 she was wounded in the knee. Following the war she continued her charitable works and was active in the movement for women's suffrage. She died May 9, 1892, in St. Louis. Phoebe Wilson Couzins, the daughter of John E.D. and Adaline Couzins, was born September 8, 1842. In 1871 she became the first woman to graduate from Washington University Law School. In the years following her graduation, she campaigned for women's suffrage and temperance. She lectured extensively, and her talks drew large crowds. She died in poverty on December 6, 1913, in St. Louis.

The Couzins Family Papers (formerly known as the J.E.D. Couzins Papers) contains papers relating to John E.D. Couzins's efforts to hold Missouri in the Union during the Civil War, including letters, commissions, and a loyalty oath; papers relating to Mrs. Adaline Couzins's work as a volunteer nurse during the Civil War, including printed memorials to the U.S. Senate, dated March 27, 1888, praising her work; papers relating to Phoebe Couzins, including articles and addresses by her; correspondence and articles regarding Couzins family history; and photocopies of newspaper clippings, many of which appear to have been copied from a family scrapbook, mostly relating to J.E.D. Couzins and Phoebe Couzins.

Formerly J.E.D. Couzins Papers.

Finding aid available.

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

## A0336

# Cox Family.

**Papers, 1818-1872.** 1 folder (30 items); 1 volume

Caleb Cox was born in 1787 in Virginia. He moved to New Orleans to join his older brother Nathaniel, who married Ann Barnes Harrison. The brothers came to St. Louis in 1820 and established a store. Another brother Moses moved to Fredericktown, Missouri, circa 1823-1825, and also operated a store.

Papers include correspondence of Caleb Cox to his future wife, Louisa Hemis, in New Orleans; letters of Moses Cox to Mrs. Louis Cox in St. Louis; a journal of Caleb Cox (1818-1820), part of which includes entries of his trip from New Orleans to St. Louis and back (August 1819 to February 1820); later correspondence (1858-1870) of Mrs. Louisa Cox, Fredericktown, Missouri, to her children; and a document signed William C.C. Claiborne (November 19, 1813)

appointing Caleb Cox captain in the 1st Regiment of the State of Louisiana. Of special note is a letter form Henry A. Cox to his mother, Mrs. Louisa Cox, June 15, 1849, in which he describes traveling across the prairies in an ox wagon. Some photostats.

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

#### A2629

Cox, John Craib (1905- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Mar 3.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Craib Cox, 7 Lindworth Lane, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: John Craib Cox Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2630

Cox, Vera Hermann, Mrs.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Apr 12. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Vera Hermann Cox, 311 Carson Road, Ferguson, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Vera Hermann Cox Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0337

Craighead, Alexander.

**Papers, 1800-1815.** 2 folders (60 items)

Alexander Craighead was a merchant in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, and had interest in mines in Ste. Genevieve, Herculaneum, and Washington County.

The papers include correspondence relating to Craighead's mercantile business in Ste. Genevieve, but mainly to his lead mining ventures in the vicinity of Herculaneum, Ste.

Genevieve, and Washington County. Some correspondence from John Smith T's interest in the Shibboleth Mine.

Some French.

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

## A2631

Cramblet, Wilbur Haverfield (1892- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Nov 17. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Wilbur Haverfield Cramblet, 412 Union Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Wilbur Haverfield Cramblet Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0338

Cramer, Gustave (1838-1915).

**Family papers, 1848-1915.** 2 boxes

Gustave Cramer was born in Germany in 1838, and came to St. Louis in 1859. He was a pioneer in the manufacture of photographic dry plates, and founder of G. Cramer Dry Plate Company, St. Louis, 1882. A philanthropist, he was founder of the St. Louis Altenheim, a home for the aged.

Record book (in German) of chemical experiments in the G. Cramer Dry Plate Company, 1898; scrapbook of clippings, souvenirs, records, German documents. Record book is on microfilm #58.

Some German.

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

## A0339

Crandall, Warren D. ( -1919).

**Research Collection, 1863-1922 (bulk 1887-1909).** 1 box

During the Civil War, Warren Crandall served in the Mississippi Marine Brigade as 1st lieutenant on the ram *Lioness*. The Mississippi River Ram Fleet was formed by Charles Ellet in March 1862 and was succeeded by the Mississippi Marine Brigade. The Marine Brigade was recruited largely from other army organizations, under the authority of the War Department. The men were mustered out of service in December 1864. Following the war, Crandall practiced law in St. Louis and Brookfield, Missouri, and was editor of the *Brookfield Gazette*. He died June 30, 1919, in St. Louis.

Collection contains correspondence and reminiscences of veterans of the Mississippi River Ram Fleet and the Mississippi Marine Brigade to Warren D. Crandall, and also material gathered by Crandall for his book, *History of the Ram Fleet and Mississippi Marine Brigade*, published in 1907. The bulk of this correspondence contains responses from veterans of the Mississippi Marine Brigade to invitations from Crandall to attend reunions of the brigade. Occasionally the correspondence contains reminiscences or other accounts of war service. The collection also contains biographical sketch forms filled out by veterans.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Warren D. Crandall Research Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0340

Crane, C. Howard.

**Architectural Drawings, 1927.** 9 oversize folders

Architectural blueprints of the Fox Theater, St. Louis, by C. Howard Crane (34 prints). Cite as: C. Howard Crane Architectural Drawings of the Fox Theater, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2632

Cranston, Robert Penn (1904- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1967 Sept 1.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Penn Cranston, 66 Aberdeen Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert Penn Cranston Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2633

Crawford, Hanford (1854- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1920s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Hanford Crawford, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Hanford Crawford Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

## A2634

Crawford, Jas. E.

Receipt, 1869 May 1. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Receipt of Jas. E. Crawford [James E. Crawford], shirt manufacturer and dealer in men's furnishing goods, 106 Olive Street and 405 North 5th Street, St. Louis, to Mr. P.A. Crow. Cite as: Jas. E. Crawford Receipt, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2930

Creve Coeur Township Democratic Club.

**Papers, 1955-1994.** 1 box

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Creve Coeur Township Democratic Club Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2635

Criswell, Grover Cleveland, Jr. (1934-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Feb 21. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Grover Cleveland Criswell, Jr., Pass-a-Grille, Florida. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Grover Cleveland Criswell, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2636

Critchfield, John S. (1928-).

Family History Sheet, circa 1970s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John S. Critchfield, 8011 Orlando Drive, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: John S. Critchfield Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Cite as. John S. Chtenneld Palling History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis

#### A2637

Croak, James Michael (1920-).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1962 Oct 30. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Michael Croak, 750 Kent Road, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: James Michael Croak Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0341

Cropp, Lucy Susan Cason.

Journal, 1858-1880. 1 volume

Volume of religious writing by Lucy Cropp for her children, with notes added by the children at the end of volume, circa 1940s.

Cite as: Lucy Susan Cason Cropp Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2344

## Crow, B.F.

# **Papers, 1919-1923.** 8 items

Papers consist primarily of documents relating to the International Aerial Navigation Company, 1034 North Vandeventer Ave., St. Louis, Missouri, including the following: receipt of the International Aerial Navigation Company to B.F. Crow for the shares, July 24, 1919; stock certificate of B.F. Crow in the International Aerial Navigation Company, July 26, 1919; typescript letter signed Thomas H. Keppel, president, International Aerial Navigation Company, to Mr. B.F. Craw, Sullivan, Mo., states that "we are progressing nicely with the machine [airplane] and expect to have it ready to fly by the latter part of March"; typescript notice of the International Aerial Navigation Company to the stockholders, February 28, 1923, regarding an upcoming meeting; undated printed announcement of the International Aerial Navigation Company, describes the "Tandem Monoplane Flying Boat" (includes image of airplane) they are building and solicits investors; undated printed brochure promoting the Keppel Bros. automatic safety signal tail light, manufactured by the International Aerial Navigation Co.; undated circular letter of Thos. H. Keppel to stockholders; undated United States Patent Office patent of Thomas H. Keppel, Robert F. Keppel, and Jesse E. Keppel, Jr., for an aeroplane; and a few envelopes. Cite as: B.F. Crow Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0343

Crow, Carl (1883-1945).

Papers, 1901-1945. 1 box

Carl Crow was born in Highland, Missouri. He worked as a reporter in Columbia, Missouri, and Fort Worth, Texas, until 1911, when he was offered a post as associate city editor of *The China Press* in Shanghai. There, he wrote the first of his fourteen published books, *Travelers Handbook for China*. In 1913, he became the business manager of *The Japan Advertiser* and also the Tokyo correspondent for the United Press. He founded and edited *The Shanghai Evening Post* and also became proprietor of an advertising agency, which he maintained until 1937. In 1937, he wrote *Four Hundred Million Customers*, a study of Orientals and their trading habits. The book became a bestseller and led to the writing of many other books by Mr. Crow. He died in 1945.

The papers consist of personal and business correspondence. The personal papers are from Crow to his family in St. Louis, pertaining primarily to his life in China and Japan, and to his writing career. The business papers include agreements between him and his publishers for his books; and papers relating to the closing of his estate, especially to the properties deposited at the University of Missouri.

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

#### A0342

**Crow Family.** 

**Papers, 1849-1870.** 1 folder (32 items)

Various members of the Crow family resided in St. Louis and Rocheport, Missouri, in the mid-19th century. Confederate lieutenant William A. Crow was killed November 30, 1864, in the Battle of Franklin, Tennessee, during the Civil War.

The collection includes Crow family personal and business correspondence, receipts, accounts, and other papers. The collection includes a few documents relating to the Civil War. Finding aid available.

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

#### A0344

## Crow, R.T.

**Records relating to the development of Lake St. Louis. 1960s-1970s.** approximately 10 linear feet and oversize material

Records of R.T. Crow relating to his Lake St. Louis Development in St. Charles County, Missouri. Consists of manuscript corporate records, aerial photographs, plats, renderings, scrapbooks, and sales books.

Corporate financial records and records related to litigation not available for research, publication, or exhibit until reviewed by donor.

Cite as: R.T. Crow Records relating to the development of Lake St. Louis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0345

# Crumb, Geneva (1872-1962).

Papers, 1846-1957. 2 folders (50 items); 1 oversize folder

Miss Geneva Crumb was born September 8, 1872, in Bloomfield, Missouri. Her family moved to St. Louis in 1897 and she received her B.A. degree from Wellesley College. From 1916 to 1946, she managed the Crumb Real Estate and Farm Loan business in Stoddard County, Missouri. She was director in charge of local government for the League of Women Voters in St. Louis from 1943 to 1947. She had a wide variety of interests, including early Arctic exploration. She maintained a lively correspondence with Commodore Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole.

Papers include correspondence of Miss Crumb, including fifteen letters from Robert E. Peary, mainly concerning his Arctic expedition and a contract (1908) for his lecture in St. Louis; biographical sketches of Caleb B. Crumb (1814-1886); programs (1861) of the Bloomfield Educational Society; programs (1861) of the Jackson Academy Exhibition; and a real estate broadside (1867).

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

## A0346

# Cruzen, George Richardson (1844-1936).

# "The Story of My Life" / Reminiscences, circa 1930. 2 folders

George Richardson Cruzen was born November 30, 1844, in Harpers Ferry, Virginia, and moved to Miami, Missouri, in 1849. In the late summer of 1861, he joined Logan Balew's men in an effort to drive the federal troops out of Saline County. He was captured, took the oath, and returned home to Miami. In May 1863, he was impressed into service in the 71st Enrolled Missouri Militia. He soon deserted and joined Quantrill's men. In December 1863, he joined the 5th Missouri Cavalry (Confederate) in Arkansas, and served with that unit until the end of the war. He died in Jefferson City, Missouri, in 1936.

Contains accounts of military operations in central Missouri, particularly Saline County; affairs of the 71st Enrolled Missouri Militia in the spring and summer of 1863; affairs of Quantrill's men in 1863, including action at Baxter Springs, Kansas, and the assistance offered the guerrillas by women; military operations of the 5th Missouri Cavalry in Arkansas (January-July 1864), during Price's Missouri Expedition, and during the retreat to Arkansas and Texas. Also contains account of the affairs of ex-Confederates in Mexico, and information on camp life, diet, and foraging expeditions.

Cite as: George Richardson Cruzen, "The Story of My Life" Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2741

# Crystal Palace Tower Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

# Circular, circa 1903. 1 item

Four-page circular of the Crystal Palace Tower Company, soliciting stock subscriptions. The proposed Crystal Palace Tower, designed by J. Armstrong McAnulty, "will be the highest observatory and the great central wireless telegraph station, and the only exhibition wireless telegraph station in the world. . . . This tower will be the great world attraction at St. Louis during the World's Fair, after which it will be made an international exposition, museum, pleasure resort; and the most suitable place in the world for holding international congresses, synods, tournaments, etc." Circular includes an illustration of the proposed tower.

Cite as: Crystal Palace Tower Company Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0347

# Cueny, Alma.

# Alma and Elizabeth Cueny papers, 1918-1939. 1 folder (30 items)

Miss Alma Cueny was the co-founder and executive director of the Civic Music League in St. Louis. Miss Elizabeth Cueny was the founder of the Cueny Concert Direction, which was responsible for bringing various musical concerts to St. Louis.

The papers consist mainly of correspondence dealing with the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra concert in St. Louis with Leopold Stokowsi as conductor, March 20, 1926. Also contains correspondence regarding the Mischa Elman Non-Sectarian Refuge Concerts, which came to St. Louis.

Cite as: Alma and Elizabeth Cueny Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0348

## **Culbertson Family.**

**Papers, 1826-1951.** 6 folders (50 items)

Major Alexander Culbertson was born in 1809. He entered the American Fur Company in 1829 and died in 1879. Thaddeus Ainsworth Culbertson, his half-brother, died in 1850.

Papers include genealogical information; Thaddeus A. Culbertson's journal, dated March 21 to May 27, 1850, which covers an expedition to Mauvaises Terres and the upper Missouri; journal of the history of the Crow Nation by an unknown author, February 1856; manuscript titled "History of the Indian Tribes of the Missouri River," by Edwin T. Denig, circa 1855; journal of Major Alexander Culbertson of the American Fur Company describing a journey from the Marias River in Montana to the British possessions, 1870.

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

# A2269

# Culli Family.

**Papers, 1910-1960s.** 7 folders (142 items); 1 oversize folder

Raymond L. Culli, Sr., was born in 1900 and married Norma Lee Gibson of Belleville, Illinois. They moved to St. Louis from Belleville in 1939, where Raymond, Sr., spent the remainder of his life. The couple had four children: Betty Culli Vohs, Marlene Culli Tucker, Raymond L. Culli, Jr., and Janet Lee Culli. Marlene, Raymond, Jr, and Janet were all born between 1939 and 1946. Raymond L. Culli, Sr., died January 9, 1965.

The papers consist primarily of correspondence from various family and friends, addressed to Mrs. Raymond L. Culli, especially between 1940 and 1948. These letters generally express how

the families are, with some mentioning World War II, St. Louis professional baseball, inflation, and a polio epidemic in Denver, Colorado. Most notably, there is a letter written May 7, 1943, from a friend in Belleville, Illinois, who expresses her thoughts on her son being drafted into the army. Other items include postcards, business papers, and a small group of correspondence, dated 1910-1920, between Charles Gibson and Lena Stockman Gibson of Belleville, Illinois, who were Norma Culli's parents.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A3059

Cullinane Funeral Home (St. Louis, Mo.). Records, 1886-1960. 4 boxes

Cullinane Brothers was founded in 1886 by Irish immigrant James Cullinane (1821-1891) to provide livery and undertaking services. The firm evolved in the 20<sup>th</sup> century and provided funeral services in the St. Louis community until 1960. James and his two sons, William (1858-1935) and Michael J. (1868-1949) worked together in the firm until James' death in 1891. William's three sons joined the family business: John P., James J., and William F. Cullinane. The last listing for the business in the 1960 *St. Louis City Directory* identifies John P. Cullinane as president and Jason J. Cullinane as vice president of the Cullinane Funeral Home.

The collection contains funeral record books, account books, and a few files of pre-arranged funeral accounts spanning from 1886 to 1960. The records arranged alphabetically by type of document and chronologically within each type. The funeral record books comprise the bulk of the collection and date from 1886 to 1916 with three gaps: 1890-1894 and 1897-1899, and 1903-1905. The books record only personal data, most often including: the name of the deceased, age, funeral date, place of death, certifying physician, cause of death, date of death, and cemetery lot number.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Cullinane Funeral Home Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2638

Culver, Edwin Raymond, III (1920- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Apr 6.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edwin Raymond Culver, III, 22 Washington Terrace, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Edwin Raymond Culver, III, Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0349

**Culver Family.** 

**Papers, 1895-1953.** 1 box

Collection includes insurance and income tax forms, earnings reports at Century Electric Co.; Masonic papers, correspondence; roster data from Rotary Club; memorial address by Dr. Wesley H. Hager, Grace Methodist Church, all relating to J.F. Culver of Webster Groves, Missouri. Cite as: Culver Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2639

Cuninggim, Merrimon (1911- ).

# **Biographical Data Sheet, 1963 Mar 3.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Merrimon Cuninggim, 8000 Crescent Drive, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Merrimon Cuninggim Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0350

Cunningham, Josepha (1834- ).

**Autograph book, circa 1851.** 1 volume (35 pages)

Josepha Cunningham was born in Troy, Missouri, and married James Henry Aiken. School girl's autograph book, photograph of husband, and personal letter (1871).

Cite as: Josepha Cunningham Autograph Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2541

**Curd, Charles Paine (1851-1906).** 

Papers, 1872-1909. 1 folder (4 items); 1 oversize folder (6 items)

Charles Paine Curd, the son of Haiden T. Curd and Martha (Edmunds) Curd, was born September 20, 1851, in Louisville, Kentucky. He graduated from the University of Nashville in 1873 and St. Louis Law School in 1876. In 1879, he started teaching at Smith Academy in St. Louis, and was appointed principal of the academy in 1896. On December 13, 1880, he married Selene Harding of Nashville. They had two sons. He died of tuberculosis at his home, 5641 Von Versen, in St. Louis on June 4, 1906.

Collection consists of a printed circular advertising Curd's book, *A New Method in English Analysis*, circa 1883; an invitation to the unveiling of a tablet in memory of Curd, 1909; and six diplomas for various courses at the University of Nashville, 1872-1873.

Cite as: Charles Paine Curd Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0351

Curran, Pearl Pollard (1883-1937).

Patience Worth collection, 1913-1937. 2 boxes; 30 volumes

Pearl Pollard was born in 1883, and married John H. Curran in 1907. Upon his death in 1922, she married Henry H. Rogers (died 1926), and in 1931, Robert Warman. Beginning around 1913, the spirit of a supposedly long-dead English Puritan girl, Patience Worth, spoke through Pearl Curran and her ouija board (channelling). Through Mrs. Curran, Patience Worth dictated plays, poems, and essays. A number of publications resulted from the "spiritual writings" of Patience Worth, including *The Sorry Tale* and *Hope Trueblood*. Patience Worth continued to communicate through Mrs. Curran on a regular basis until her death in 1937.

Collection consists of writings of Patience Worth; poems written for Mrs. Dudley French and others; 29 typescript volumes of dialogues between Patience Worth and the family and friends of Pearl Curran, 1913-1937, and one volume titled "Odds and Ends," of random writings, poems, etc.; and a manuscript by Casper Yost, "The First Book of Panda," 1915-1916. Finding aid available.

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

## A0352

Current Century Circle (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1896-1953. 1 box

Founded in 1896 by young women with a high school education, who did not plan to continue their educations, but wanted to continue interest in intellectual pursuits. A study group met every other Thursday, September to June. Initially called the Closing Century Circle.

Records include history of the organization, which was compiled annually; programs; clippings; invitations; photographs; and financial records, 1914.

Cite as: Current Century Circle Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0353

Curtis, Mabel B. (1896-1988).

Files regarding the People's Art Center, 1941-1968; 1989. 5 boxes

Mabel B. Curtis, a graduate of the University of Chicago, served as president of the Board of Directors of the People's Art Center in 1949, and as the organization's executive director from 1950 to 1963. The People's Art Center began as a Works Progress Administration Missouri Artists' Project for artists registered on federal relief, when an interracial sponsoring committee decided in 1941 to form a community arts center in St. Louis to serve all races, creeds, and colors. Using W.P.A. art teachers and workmen, and private funds for supplies, the committee rented a building from the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion, where interracial art classes were held for children and adults. Upon the termination of W.P.A. support in 1943, the sponsoring committee incorporated the People's Art Center Association as a non-profit organization, with Elizabeth Green as its acting chairman, Anna Hensley as secretary, and Henry S. Williams as treasurer. Its board included Charles Nagel, director of the St. Louis Art Museum; John T. Clark, executive secretary of the Urban League of St. Louis; Fannie Cook, noted novelist and social reformer; and Reverend Hohenschild of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion. Its funding was provided in part by United Charities, the Greater St. Louis Community Chest, the United Fund, and the Spirit of St. Louis Fund. During Mabel B. Curtis' tenure as executive director (1950-1963), the interracial People's Art Center became increasingly involved in issues relating to civil rights and desegregation, giving rise to conflict between Mrs. Curtis and more conservative board members, which ultimately led to Mrs. Curtis' final break with the center in 1963. Racial tensions and financial uncertainties ultimately led to the dissolution of the People's Art Center in 1968.

This collection consists of the files collected by Mabel B. Curtis in her capacity as executive director for the People's Art Center in St. Louis, and document much of the history of the center. An incomplete body of records, this collection focuses primarily, though by no means exclusively, on the conflicts involving Mabel B. Curtis and the People's Art Center Board of Directors over issues related to civil rights and desegregation. Files consist of the incomplete corporate record, dating from 1943; annual reports, 1950-1961 (incomplete); financial records and records related to funding, 1954-1963; organizational records, dated 1945-1964, that include board minutes and correspondence, executive committee files, and committee minutes and files; class schedules; exhibition records; and files of Elizabeth Green dating from her involvement in the People's Art Center from 1942 through 1946.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mabel B. Curtis Files Regarding the People's Art Center, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0354

Curtis, Samuel R. (1805-1866).

Journal, 1850-1852. 1 volume (175 pages)

City engineer for St. Louis.

Journal of notes, drawings, and letters pertaining to the Mississippi River, and the sewer, street, and drainage system for the city of St. Louis.

Cite as: Samuel R. Curtis Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0355

# D.D. Ryrie and Co. (Alton, Illinois).

# Account books, 1853-1875. 3 volumes

Account books of Alton, Illinois, grocers, including a journal of receipts and expenses (1853-1861), sales journal (1853-1861), and ledger (1853-1875).

Cite as: D.D. Ryrie and Co. Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0356

## D.K. Oyster (LaGrange, Missouri).

**Bills of lading, 1866-1868.** 1 volume (200 leaves)

Shipping agents, later became Oyster and Glover.

Records of Mississippi River steamboat shipments.

Cite as: D.K. Oyster Bills of Lading, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2450

# D. Sherman Tailoring Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Memo Book, 1919-1920. 1 item

The D. Sherman Tailoring Co. was located at 1492 Blackstone Ave. in St. Louis.

Cite as: D. Sherman Tailoring Co. Memo Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2022

## Dall, C.H.

Manuscript, 1873. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

One-page manuscript in Bengali titled "Hindoo Girls, Calcutta," written by Charles Henry Appleton Dall, first Unitarian minister to India.

Cite as: C.H. Dall Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3064

## **Dalton, Martin.** (1869-1948)

# Medical Office Records, 1884-1938. 2 boxes; 1 volume

Martin Dalton graduated from St Louis University and then from the Marion Simms Medical College of St. Louis (St. Louis University) in 1896. In 1897, he formed a partnership with Dr. Elisha J. Thurman in Fenton, Saint Louis County, Missouri, where he practiced until 1946. Dr. Elisha Jarret Thurman (1840-1918) attended both Washington University School of Medicine and St. Louis Medical College. He practiced in Fenton from 1870 to 1903.

The collection is comprised of birth records, still birth records, death records, and patient accounts from the practices of Dr. E. J. Thurman, Thurman & Dalton, and Dr. Martin Dalton of Fenton, Missouri. The records are arranged alphabetically by type of record and date from 1884 to 1938. The birth, death, and still birth records are the attending physician's records of the forms submitted to the local district (county clerk) for the Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Martin Dalton Medical Office Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0357

# **Dalton, Mary Louise (1869-1907).**

**Collection, 1812-1917.** 7 folders (approximately 30 items); 1 oversize item

Mary Louise Dalton was the librarian for the Missouri Historical Society. She graduated

from Lindenwood College in 1887.

Papers include scrapbook kept after her death; notebook of Mary Louise Dalton; letter (with typescript) of J. McLanahan, St. Louis, to Gov. Howard, dated June 18, 1812, giving an account of a journey into the Spanish provinces west of Louisiana in 1809; letter of Charles Gratiot to James Madison, dated July 15, 1812, including the proceedings and resolutions by the citizens of St. Louis regarding the declaration of war with England; letter of N.B. Tucker to James Monroe, dated March 8, 1810, regarding protest of the citizens of St. Louis against the late attempt by the U.S. Congress to restrict them in exercising their rights in forming a state constitution; Dalton family genealogy; notes made by Ms. Dalton of material to be found about Missouri in various territorial papers in Washington, D.C., 1906; list of documents relating to the history of early St. Louis found in the office of the recorder of deeds, St. Louis, basement of the City Hall, 1906; correspondence and biographical data relating to Mary Louise Dalton.

Cite as: Mary Louise Dalton Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0358

# Dance programs collection, 1874-1905. 1 box

Various programs of dance recitals, concerts. Of special note is a program of the reopening of the Southern Hotel in 1881 and programs from Fortnightly and German clubs. Cite as: Dance Programs Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0359

## Danisi, Thomas.

Essays, maps, and publications relating to the history of Lafayette Square, 1994-1995. 1 box

Typescript essays by Thomas Danisi relating to the history of Lafayette Square in St. Louis; accompanying maps; issues of *Lafayette Square Marquis* in which the essays appeared, November 1994-June 1995.

For reference use only. Essays copyrighted by author, 1994-1995.

Cite as: Thomas Danisi Essays, Maps, and Publications Relating to the History of Lafayette Square, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0360

## Darby, John Fletcher (1803-1882).

Papers, 1785-1923. 5 boxes; 2 oversize folders

John F. Darby was born in 1803 and came to Missouri in 1818 where he worked on a farm. In 1825, he moved to Frankfurt, Kentucky, where he studied law and was admitted to the bar. He soon returned to St. Louis where he continued to practice law. Involved in Whig politics, Darby served as mayor of St. Louis (1835-1841), state senator (1838), and United States representative (1851-1853). After his retirement from politics he returned to St. Louis and engaged in banking. He died in Warren County in 1882.

This collection consists largely of the papers of John F. Darby and his wife, Mary F. Darby, and relate mostly to the political, social, and business history of St. Louis. Also includes family correspondence with relatives in Kentucky, and correspondence regarding legal matters. Of special note are the minute book of the Jefferson Society and the St. Louis Debating Club (1827-1828), both regional debating societies of which Darby was a member; letters of Mary F. Darby; and fragments of a history of the Mormons by John Corrill, dated 1839. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A0361

# D'Arcambal Family.

Papers, 1848-1888. 2 folders (approximately 60 items)

Contains papers regarding estate matters and Santo Domingo indemnities; genealogy information.

French.

Cite as: D'Arcambal Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2409

Data-Mate, Inc. (Clayton, Missouri).

Personality compatibility questionnaire, 1966. 1 item

This four-page matchmaking questionnaire of Data-Mate, Inc. (computer reference service), 7933 Clayton Road, Clayton, Missouri, includes questions under each of the following headings: self description, special preferences, special interests, general interests, attitudes, and general character traits.

Cite as: Data-Mate, Inc., Personality Compatibility Questionnaire, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0362

## Daughters of 1812.

Cylinder Records, no date. 4 boxes

The Missouri branch of the organization (Missouri Society of 1812) was formed June 4, 1901, with Mrs. Western Bascom appointed the organizing regent.

Collection contains genealogical material on various Missouri families. Includes family trees, descriptions of family histories, photographs, etc.

Cite as: Daughters of 1812 Cylinder Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2640

**Davies, James (1894-).** 

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Dec 3.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Davies, 4537 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: James Davies Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2641

Davis, Chester Charles (1887-).

**Family History Sheet, 1950 Nov.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Chester Charles Davis, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Chester Charles Davis Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0363

Davis, George Turnbull Moore (1810-1888).

Papers, 1832-1843. 3 folders (approximately 100 items); 2 volumes

George Turnbull Moore Davis came to Illinois from New York state in 1832, and formed a law partnership with John M. Krum (1810-1883) in Alton, Illinois. The firm dissolved in 1837,

during Krum's tenure as mayor of Alton, after which Krum moved to St. Louis. Davis continued to practice law in Alton until 1848, when he served in the Mexican War. He later became associate editor of the *Louisville Journal*.

Contains two volumes of records of Alton, Illinois, law firm of Davis and Krum: attorney's record of legal claims, suits filed, judgments and dispositions made in southern Illinois courts, terms of April 1839-October 1845; and letterbook, 1834-1837. In addition, the papers contain legal correspondence of George T.M. Davis, attorney while in Alton, and the firm of Davis and Krum also in Alton. Includes letters from many St. Louis firms and individuals discussing political matters and several letters concerning land transactions in the Alton area.

Cite as: George Turnbull Moore Davis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0364

Davis, Henry Clay (1850-1878).

Collection, 1878-1940. 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Henry Clay Davis was an 1875 graduate of St. Louis Medical College. He died in an effort to prevent an epidemic of yellow fever in St. Louis. He worked at the quarantine hospital.

Collection includes newsclippings, handwritten notes and printed matter concerning Dr. Davis, written circa 1940. At that time there was a movement started to erect a monument to him and his colleagues, heroes in St. Louis' last great fight against yellow fever in 1878. Also includes material concerning Kate McSorley, who also was influential in the yellow fever epidemic.

Cite as: Henry Clay Davis Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1806

Davis, John T.

Journal, June 1862. 1 item

Photocopy of a journal written by John T. Davis, 1862, which describes a journey by river boat up the Missouri River to Fort Benton.

Cite as: John T. Davis Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0365

Davis, Martha P. Smith.

**Diary**, 1855-1885. 1 volume

Diary of her family life in Louisville, Kentucky, before and after her marriage to Charles E. Davis, August 13, 1878.

Cite as: Martha P. Smith Davis Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2642

Davis, Robert Hull (1909-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1966 Apr 23. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Hull Davis, 675 South McKnight Road, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert Hull Davis Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2288

Day, Charles M. and Henry P.

# Papers, 1917-1945. 4 boxes

Charles Morris Day was born August 16, 1890, in Todd County, Kentucky, the son of Charles Morris, Jr., and Rowena (Williams) Day. After attending college for three years at Southwestern Presbyterian University in Clarksville, Tennessee, he went to work for Hickman, Williams and Company in St. Louis in 1909. He was transferred to the Birmingham office in 1915 where he worked until World War I. He served as a soldier in the United States Army during the war. He was first stationed at a training base in Georgia called Fort McPherson, and was later deployed to France where he fought from May 1918 to May 1919. He married Marguerite King of Birmingham, Alabama. After the war, they moved to St. Louis where Charles became vice-president at Hickman, Williams and Company. He and his uncle began the Valley Dolomite Corporation, a steel and iron company. Charles died September 17, 1963.

Henry P. Day, Charles and Marguerite's son, attended Harvard University. He joined the army and was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Fort Bragg, North Carolina, before being shipped overseas where he served in north Africa, Sicily, and Corsica. While in North Carolina, he married Nancy Westcott of Delaware. Upon his return to St. Louis, Henry began working with his father at the Valley Dolomite Corporation.

The collection consists primarily of letters of Charles M. Day to his girlfriend and later his wife, Marguerite King, while he was stationed in France during World War I, and letters of Henry P. Day to his parents. Some of the latter letters were written while Henry attended school in Massachusetts and others were written while he was stationed in North Africa and Italy during World War II. The correspondence of Charles M. Day and Henry P. Day describe living conditions during the war, battles that the men fought in, and descriptions of the countries where they served. The collection also includes a "History of Company B" written by Charles M. Day, which includes a list of all the members of that company including a list of those killed in action, and a detailed movement-by-movement account of the company's actions during World War I; a program from a reunion for Charles's company in 1933, which includes biographical sketches of some of the members of the company, including Charles, and a picture of the company; and various publications from World War II including "Road to Rome" booklet with Henry's notes in the margins and "Our First D-Day" magazine. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles M. and Henry P. Day Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0366

Day, Thomas D.

**Scrapbook, 1840-1859.** 1 volume

Contains clippings, invitations, and memorabilia from St. Louis, New York, Boston, etc., assembled by grandfather of donor.

Cite as: Thomas D. Day Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3109

Day-McCarthy Family.

Collection, 1837-1945. 5 folders

John Day (1815-1895) emigrated from Germany to the United States in 1838. He married Gertrand Fucher on September 11, 1948, in St. Louis. However, Gertrand died in childbirth. John married Catherina Wilhelmina Carolina Woerner (1830-1880) on February 2, 1850. The couple had eleven children, but only four daughters survived to adulthood: Clara C. Day (1855-1909), Angela Catherine Kernan (1859-1940), Bertha A. Day (1862-1933), and Emily M. Day (1862-1919). John was a leather dealer and sold other goods as well. He died October 20, 1895, in New

Albany, Indiana, and is buried at Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis. John Day's great-granddaughter Virginia M. Tolkacz (1920-2002) married John Henry McCarthy III (1916-2001) in 1946. McCarthy served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

The collection is arranged chronologically and is comprised of correspondence from two generations of the Day and McCarthy families dating from 1837 to 1846, 1943, and 1945. The 19th-century documents are written primarily in German but also one each in French and English. There are only three 20th-century documents; two telegrams and one note written on a U.S. Army booklet. A large date gap exists between 1847 and 1942. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Day-McCarthy Family Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0367

Deall, Betty.

**Papers, 1947-1991.** 1 oversize box

Deall studied fashion design at Washington University School of Fine Arts.

Papers include a costume design sketch for Washington University class, March 28, 1947; a spring and summer 1960 catalog of "Sylvia Ann" cocktails and formals; two "Nadine" catalogs of formals and party dresses, 1990 and 1991; one "Bridal Originals" catalog, 1986, and four color photographs of formals circa 1990.

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

#### A2643

Deane, Earle Glenn (1895- ).

**Collection, 1960-1965.** 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection includes family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Earle Glenn Deane, 460 Woodlawn, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri, August 1960 (form filled out by his wife); biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Earle Glenn Deane, 537 West Lockwood, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri, January 8, 1964 (form filled out by his wife); and two-page, typescript biographical sketch of Earle Deane, written by his wife, January 11, 1965.

Cite as: Earle Glenn Deane Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0368

DeBar, Ben (1809-1877).

Papers, 1853-1977. 2 folders (approximately 40 items); 5 volumes

Ben DeBar came to America in 1835 from England and opened Caldwell's Theater in New Orleans. He first appeared in St. Louis as a member of Ludlow and Smith's theater troupe in 1838. In 1853, he purchased Ludlow and Smith's lease on the Saint Charles Theatre in New Orleans. In 1856, he also purchased the Bates Theatre, located on the north side of Pine between Third and Fourth Streets in St. Louis, and subsequently renamed it DeBar's Opera House. In 1873, he purchased what had been Field's Varieties, originally built by the Saint Louis Dramatic Varieties Association, and located on the south side of Market between Fifth and Sixth Streets, and transferred the name DeBar's Opera House to the new theater. The original DeBar's Opera House was renamed the Comique. After DeBar's death in 1877, John W. Norton took over the lease on the new DeBar's Opera House. After its last performance on April 8, 1881, the theater opened again on August 29, 1881, as the Grand Opera House. After the building burned on November 23, 1884, it was rebuilt and reopened as the second Grand Opera House on September 14, 1885.

Collection includes newsclippings, receipts, papers relating to DeBar's estate and Mrs. DeBar's case regarding her power of attorney dispute. Also includes two record books of plays and players, one for DeBar's theaters in St. Louis and New Orleans (1853-1871), and one for the St. Charles Theater Company in New Orleans (1869-1873); two time books from DeBar's Opera House in St. Louis (1864-1866 and 1876-1878), with notes on performances at the Olympic Theatre in St. Louis in the later volume; and a ledger of receipts for payment received in the amount of \$1 to Ben DeBar (1870-1873).

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

#### A2644

DeBasio, Susan Hencke (1937- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 June 6. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Susan Hencke DeBasio, 9200 Wampum Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Susan Hencke DeBasio Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2503

Debievre-Lesaffre (Lille, France).

Circular advertisement, no date. 1 item

Circular advertisement of Debievre-Lesaffre, engineer-machinist, Lille, France. Includes engraved illustration of threshing machine. (Circular is in French with English translation.) Cite as: Debievre-Lesaffre Circular Advertisement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2373

DeBolt, Frank Pendleton, Rev. (1875-1943).

Record book of marriages, 1914-1934.

Rev. Frank P. DeBolt was born December 10, 1875, in Lafayette County, Missouri. He married Gertrude Blair December 20, 1900, in Clarence, Missouri. He was ordained a Presbyterian minister in 1902. He died in July 1943 in Audrain County, Missouri.

Record book of 77 marriages officiated by Rev. Frank P. DeBolt in Missouri and Kansas, mostly at Caruthersville and Dexter, Missouri, and Girard, Kansas. Entries usually include the name of the bride and groom and each of their place of residence.

Cite as: Rev. Frank Pendleton DeBolt Record Book of Marriages, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0369

DeBourmont, Sieur.

Commission, 1720. 1 item

Original and typed translation of commission of Sieur deBourmant [Étienne de Veniard, Sieur de Bourgmont] as captain of infantry in Company of the Indies, July 26, 1720.

Cite as: Sieur DeBourmant Commission, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2743

Decker, George J.

# Marriage Certificates, 1874. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

George J. Decker was a justice of the peace in St. Louis County, Missouri, who resided at 1524 Carondelet Ave.

The collection contains 22 marriage certificates filled out by Decker in his role as a justice of the peace. The certificates include the names of the bride and groom, their places of residence, their race, their places of birth, their signatures, the date of the marriage, and usually the names of two witnesses.

Cite as: George J. Decker Marriage Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0370

# **Declaration of Independence collection, 1776-1829.** approximately 40 items

Collection includes facsimiles of the Declaration of Independence; signatures and letters of some of the signers of the Declaration collected by W.K. Bixby; document signed Josiah Bartlett, dated February 26, 1778, regarding petition for pension consideration for men wounded in the battle of Bennington and various other related manuscripts.

Cite as: Bixby Declaration of Independence Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0371

#### Dedert, Dave.

# **Dedert Family Papers, 1918-1997.** 1 box

Papers include correspondence, photographs, newsclippings, photocopies of genealogical records, and writings of Dave Dedert concerning the Dedert and Hain families. Family members include: Christian Ludwig and Catharina Wilhelmine Dedert, parents of Henry Dedert (born 1853 in Borgholzhausen, Westphalia), who immigrated to the United States in 1873; Henry Dedert's wife, Catherine Hain, and the Hain family; Henry and Catherine Hain Dedert's children, including Ferdinand "Fred" Dedert who served in the U.S. Navy in World War I; and Myrtle Kuntz, who was raised by Henry and Catherine Dedert. Also includes writings and information collected by Dave Dedert regarding Elleardsville ("The Ville"), St. Louis Police Department history, St. Louis Fire Department history, and steamboat history.

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

## A2645

Deeba, Charles Michael (1935- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 Mar 5. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles Michael Deeba, 4304 Ivanhoe, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Charles Michael Deeba Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2646

Deeble, William Riley (1893- ).

Family History Sheet, 1940 Aug 9. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Riley Deeble, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: William Riley Deeble Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3144

**DeFrance, Helen S. (1907-2004).** 

Research Collection, 1910-1939. 2 boxes.

Helen S. DeFrance wrote her master's thesis, *Sara Teasdale*, to complete her master's degree in English at the University of Pittsburgh in June 1939.

The collection includes research notes, correspondence, and a handwritten copy of the master's thesis, *Sara Teasdale*, completed by Helen S. DeFrance in 1939. Also included are teaching notes, miscellaneous research notes, and drafts for two other English papers. The papers and notes span from 1910 to 1939 with the bulk of materials dating from 1935 to 1939. The collection is arranged alphabetically by folder title/type of document. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Helen S. DeFrance Research Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2647

DeLand, Charles Edmund (1854- ).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles Edmund DeLand, Pierre, South Dakota. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Charles Edmund DeLand Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0372

Delany, John O'Fallon (1842-1930).

Papers, 1832-1933. 5 boxes; 2 folders; 1 oversize folder

John Delany was born in St. Louis, the son of Octavia Mullanphy, one of the eight daughters of John Mullanphy. He received his preparatory education at St. Louis University and graduated from Columbia University in 1866 with a degree in medicine. John Delany traveled with Father DeSmet in 1862 to Fort Benton, and was the sole survivor of that expedition. Although trained as a doctor, he chose the real estate business as his career and was associated with the James M. Carpenter Real Estate Company. He married Miss Elizabeth Sloan in 1893. Mrs. Delany was given the power of attorney for her husband in 1929. He died at his home in St. Louis in December 1930.

This collection contains about 30 items consisting of papers, deeds, genealogy of Morton and Delany families, including a letter sent as a Valentine from a gold prospector in California, 1851; letter of Archbishop John G. Glennon, St. Louis, to John O'Fallon Delany acknowledging receipt of gift of property for school ground at Lafayette, Nebraska, and Pennsylvania Avenues; and an invitation to George Morton to act as a pallbearer in funeral procession of Henry Clay. Collection also includes several small pocket journals kept daily by Delany, which record his childhood days at school, his education and various trips abroad, and home life in St. Louis. The entries consist of general and broad statements concerning the day's activities. The journal of 1862 was kept while traveling with Father DeSmet to Fort Benton. The journals covering the years 1927-1933 were written by his wife, Elizabeth Sloan Delany. The entries for these years are inconsistent and basically cover various expenses, business matters, and some trips. The back of most of the journals includes listings of accounts, expenses and notes, newsclippings, business and calling cards.

Cite as: John O'Fallon Delany Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Delassus-St. Vrain Family. Collection, 1544-2001.** 12 boxes

The Delassus family immigrated to America in 1790 after leaving France to escape the French Revolution. The Marquis Pierre Charles de Hault Delassus (1738-1806) and his wife, Madame Domitile Josepha Dumont, Danzin de Beaufort (1745-1806), were natives of the town of Bouchaine in northern France. The family lived at Gallipolis, Ohio, for a short time until the family's funds were exhausted. M. de Luziere then moved the family to Ste. Genevieve in Upper Louisiana in 1793. The Baron de Carondelet granted M. de Luziere permission to establish a new settlement at New Bourbon adjacent to Ste. Genevieve. Zenon Trudeau, lieutenant governor of Upper Louisiana, appointed M. de Luziere as civil and military commander of the New Bourbon post of Illinois. He served in this capacity until the transfer of Upper Louisiana to the United States in 1804. Charles (Don Carlos) DeHault Delassus (1764-1846), second son of Pierre and Josepha, was born in Bouchaine in April 1764. Upon his arrival at New Orleans in 1794, the Baron de Carondelet appointed Delassus civil and military commander of the post of New Madrid. This post allowed him to be near his parents in New Bourbon. By 1799, under orders from Spain, Delassus was appointed lieutenant governor and commander in chief of Upper Louisiana. He was headquartered at St. Louis. Delassus remained as the last lieutenant governor of Upper Louisiana, and was responsible for turning over control of the territory to the American agent, Amos Stoddard, when Louisiana was transferred to the United States. Pierre Auguste DeHault Delassus (1813-1888) was the only son of Charles DeHault Delassus. Auguste, as he was known, was born in New Orleans. He established himself as a merchant and partnered in the firm of Delassus & Montreuil. The family left New Orleans and lived in Paris briefly, but returned to the United States. He established the town of Delassus, Missouri, along the St. François Railroad line in 1868.

The collection consists of legal documents, correspondence, land records, journals, and genealogical information. The collection is partially indexed in the Archives Card Catalog. The vast majority of the documents are written in French and Spanish. Translations of some documents are available. Also includes extensive records relating to the career of Carlos DeHault Delassus in the service of the Spanish administration in the Louisiana Territory that reflect the history of the Louisiana Purchase, the Missouri settlements, and the Spanish and French influence in the Mississippi valley. This body of records includes official correspondence and dispatches of the Spanish governors, correspondence between Delassus and William Henry Harrison regarding the transfer of Upper Louisiana to the United States, and two manuscript diaries of Delassus, dated December 9, 1802, to January 11, 1803, and November 16, 1804, to January 18, 1805. Also includes records of other family members, including Auguste Delassus, who served with the 1st brigade of the Louisiana militia during the Civil War. Among the correspondents and people mentioned in the collection are Manuel T. Beauregard, James Bruff, Francisco Luis Hector baron de Carondelet, August Chouteau, Pierre Chouteau, Rufus Easton, Manuel Gayoso de Lemos, William Henry Harrison, Charles Howard, Pierre Antoine Laforge, Louis Lalaurie, Pedro Clement Laussat, Juan Lavalee, Marie Phillippe Leduc, Louis Lorimer, Juan Ventura Morales, Manuel Perez, Henry Peyoux, Jacques de St. Vrain, Charles Sanguinet, James G. Soulard, Zenon Trudeau, and Juan Baptiste Valle. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Delassus-St. Vrain Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0374

DeMenil, Alexander.

Papers, 1877-1961. 9 folders (approximately 250 items); 1 oversize folder

Alexander DeMenil was an author, historian, literary critic and editor of the *Hesperian*. He was the great grandson of Auguste Chouteau.

Papers include correspondence between DeMenil and Nettie Beauregard of the Missouri Historical Society regarding St. Louis history, his articles (many of which relate to the Chouteau family), newsclippings, and various publications. Also includes family genealogy; diploma of Alexander N. DeMenil from the Academy of the Christian Brothers, St. Louis, Missouri, June 28, 1871; and diploma of Alex N. DeMenil from Central University, Indiana, March 10, 1897. Cite as: Alexander DeMenil Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0375

Democratic Association (Saint Louis County, Missouri).

Records, 1843. 2 folders (10 items)

Proceedings of the Democratic Association of St. Louis County, which are minutes with signatures of the officers, January to February 1843; and newsclippings of the constitution and minutes.

Cite as: Democratic Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0376

**DeMun Family.** 

**Papers, 1779-1959.** 3 boxes

Jules DeMun was born in Port au Prince in 1782, and died in St. Louis in 1843. Educated in France, DeMun rejoined his parents in England in about 1800. In 1812, he married Isabelle, daughter of Charles Gratiot and Victoire Chouteau, the sister of August Chouteau. In 1815, DeMun engaged in the fur trade with A.P. Chouteau. In 1820, he went with his family to Cuba. He returned to St. Louis in 1830 and became interested in settling land grants in Missouri.

Collection consists of the records of the family of Jules DeMun, and includes the so-called Birdsall Collection, a separate acquisition that is not interfiled with the chronological arrangement of the remainder of the collection. The DeMun Family Papers include the DeMun genealogy, the DeMun family crest, and correspondence with the DeMun family about same; correspondence and other documentation regarding land titles; internal family correspondence that includes the letters of Isabelle Gratiot DeMun and Auguste DeMun; journals of Jules DeMun (1815-1816) regarding a journey from St. Louis to a point south of Pueblo, Colorado, on the Arkansas River with Auguste P. Chouteau and Mr. Philibert; several school books of Emilie and Clara DeMun (1847-1849); and the estate papers of Jules DeMun (October 3, 1843). The Jules DeMun journals and DeMun genealogy were published in the *Missouri Historical Society Collections*, vol. V, no. 3, 1928.

Mostly French with some typescript translations.

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

#### A2648

Dengler, John Richard (1925- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Sept 7. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Richard Dengler, 6055 Pernod, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: John Richard Dengler Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Dennison Manufacturing Company.**

Perforated Gummed Labels, no date. 1 item

Cite as: Dennison Manufacturing Company Perforated Gummed Labels, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## **Dentistry Collection**

See Saint Louis Dental Society.

#### A2972

Denton, R. Dean.

Collection, circa 1950-1984. 3 folders

Collection contains the following items primarily regarding Ozark Air Lines and Trans World Airlines (TWA): seven TWA airline ticket jackets, 1970s; two Ozark Air Lines flight schedules, dated September 26, 1950, and January 9, 1951; an undated Ozark Air Lines aircraft emergency exits card; an Ozark Air Lines brochure showing the layout of the terminal and concourses at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport, circa 1981; brochure titled "Fly All the Way to 500 Cities and Towns Served by Local Airlines," circa 1956; TWA airline hostess employment brochure titled "The World Awaits This Lucky Girl! She's Won Her Wings as a TWA Airline Hostess," 1961; TWA airline hostess employment brochure titled "Be a Woman of the World," circa 1970; "Agreement Between Ozark Air Lines, Inc. and the Association of Flight Attendants Representing the Flight Attendants in the Service of Ozark Air Lines, Inc., Effective August 31, 1984 until August 1, 1986" (124 pages); business card of Mary Reed, system chief stewardess, Ozark Air Lines, Inc., Lambert Field, St. Louis; and Ozark Air Lines Welcome Aboard seatback informational packet, circa 1969, including ready-reference timetable, April 27, 1969, brochure titled "Go Ozark Direct," Week in Waikiki, Hawaii, brochure, O'Hare Concord Motor Inn (Chicago) brochure, Chicago Attractions and Events Fun Guide brochure, March-June 1969, published by the Tourism Council of Greater Chicago (2 copies), two postcards of the new Ozark DC-9, a postcard of the Statue of Liberty, and an Ozark Air Lines souvenir flight map. Cite as: R. Dean Denton Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2649

Derwostep, Herbert Raphael (1887- ).

Family History Sheets, 1949 Aug 9. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Herbert Raphael Derwostep, 2924 Chippewa Street, St. Louis, Missouri (formerly resided at 3731 Texas Ave.). Also includes family history sheet filled out by his wife, Elsa Wagenfuehr Derwostep. Cite as: Herbert Raphael Derwostep Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0377

DeSale, Adelaide.

**Collection, 1910-1911.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Collection contains pamphlets, school programs, etc. from Central and Soldan High Schools regarding Adelaide DeSale. Also includes a Soldan stickpin, 1904.

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

### A0378

**Desloge Family.** 

# Papers, 1815-1879; 1924-1956; 1957. 2 boxes

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

### A0379

Desloge, George T.

Reminiscences (typescript), 1880-1935. 1 box (3 volumes).

Reminiscences of St. Louisan George T. Desloge, including material on the 1904 World's Fair and World War I.

Cite as: George T. Desloge Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0380

Desloge, Joseph (1889-1971).

**Collection, 1812-1963.** 4 boxes; 3 volumes

Joseph Desloge was descended from one of Missouri's pioneer families. Firmin Desloge, Sr., a native of France, became a citizen of Missouri in 1828. He established a trading post in Washington County where he exchanged merchandise for lead and furs. Firmin Desloge, Jr., was born in 1843. He was engaged in the lead mining business, and in 1873 he established the Desloge Lead Company in St. Francois County, Missouri. Joseph Desloge was chairman of the board of Minerva Oil Company and Killark Electric Manufacturing Company and president of Louisiana Manufacturing Company and Atlas Manufacturing Company. He donated 2,400 acres of land in Reynolds County, Missouri, which became known as Johnson's Shut-Ins State Park. He was responsible for helping in the restoration of the Holy Family Church in Cahokia, Old St. Ferdinand's Church in Florissant, and the Old Cathedral in St. Louis. He also served on the board of trustees for the Missouri Historical Society.

Collection includes letter of J. Russel to Thomas Howard, 1812; papers of Desloge Lead Company, 1884-1901; broadside titled "Sale of Crow Indian Lands, at Crow Agency, Montana," October 20, 1927; New Year's greeting card of Maison de Bernard, 4378 Lindell Boulevard, 1924-1925, which includes a sketch of the house; letters and photographs concerning the purchasing of antiques by the Desloge family; personal and professional letters to Desloge, 1940-1949, concerning St. Louis benevolent societies; correspondence regarding the Cahokia 250th anniversary association celebration, 1949; clippings regarding the Holy Family Church in Cahokia, 1949; drawings and itemized bills of development of the Jefferson Barracks Park, 1950-1959; and reports of the St. Louis County Historic Park Association. Also includes transcriptions of letters of the Desloge family, 1815-1856. Many of the letters were written by the Desloge family in France to Firmin Desloge in Potosi, Missouri. (Includes Firmin Desloge's will and the inventory of his estate.) The correspondence between Firmin Desloge and Ferdinand and Francis Rozier relates to business matters. Also includes letters concerning the action in the French Revolution. The original letters are in the possession of the Desloge family and were translated and transcribed by Josephine C. Cobb in 1931. She also included genealogical information on the Hord, Desloge, Rozier, and McIlvaine families in the first volume of the letters. Collection also contains Christmas cards, brochures on the mining industry, debut lists for St. Louis, 1936 and 1939; nineteenth-century letters and papers of the Howard and Desloge families; French World War I identity papers of Joseph Desloge, May 14, 1917; typescript biography of Joseph Desloge; portfolio of German World War I prints by Eisele: "Aus Meiner Sturnzeit beim Sturnbatl.2" and flier from the Friends of German Democracy, New York, "Warum ist Amerika in den Krieg gezogen"; legal contracts concerning the building and endowment of the Firmin Desloge Hospital, 1930-1932; items relating to the Farrar family; letters of Father Pierre-Jean DeSmet to Francis LePere, 1864-1873; European travel diaries of

Eliza and Ethel Riddle, 1906. Ms. Riddle was a [psychologist] at John Burroughs School. She rented a "log cabin" on the grounds of Vouzier from Joseph Desloge and these volumes were found later on the grounds.

Typed inventory of the contents of Box 4 within box.

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

## A0381

DeSmet, Pierre Jean, S.J. (1801-1873).

**Papers, 1822-1873.** 2 folders (approximately 75 items); 1 oversize folder; 1 volume Father DeSmet was born in Belgium. He came to the United States and completed the theological course at Florissant, Missouri, and was ordained in 1828. He moved to St. Louis, which was to become his home base. He was the founder of the Rocky Mountains missions and became a famous missionary of the northwest United States.

Papers in the collection deal with Father DeSmet's missionary work and travels among the Indians of Oregon and the Rocky Mountains and his work during the Civil War. Includes correspondence regarding Father DeSmet; newsclippings; published articles dealing with his life; photostats and photocopies and some originals of maps, letters, etc. of DeSmet; and genealogical information and some typed records of baptisms performed by Father DeSmet. Also includes a scrapbook of religious cards and drawings, circa 1850.

Cite as: Father Jean Pierre DeSmet Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0382

Deutch, Virginia.

Scrapbook, 1944-1946. 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Virginia Loeb was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Virgil Loeb of 727 Radcliff Ave., University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. She married Dr. Max Deutch.

Scrapbook compiled by Virginia Loeb, documenting her service with the American Red Cross in Townsville, Australia, during World War II.

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

#### A2270

Dewey, Frances L. (died 1976).

**Papers, 1926-1932.** 3 boxes

A longtime resident of Webster Groves, Missouri, Frances L. Dewey worked as a clerk and secretary for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company from the late 1920s to the 1950s. She died October 27, 1976.

The collection contains 117 issues of *The Broadcaster* (December 1, 1927–April 19, 1932), a newsletter published in St. Louis by the Arkansas-Missouri Plant Department, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. It began as a weekly publication, but later changed to bi-weekly, then tri-weekly. The issues contain articles relating to employee and company news. The collection also contains typescript news stories compiled by Frances Dewey, an employee of the Webster Groves District office of Southwestern Bell located at 5 West Lockwood Avenue, Webster Groves, Missouri. These stories, dated October 25, 1927, to June 15, 1931, relate to employees and affairs of the Webster Groves District office, and were submitted for inclusion in *The Broadcaster*. The collection also contains correspondence and other papers of the Eastern Division, mostly related to the publication of *The Broadcaster*; and issues of a typescript newsletter titled "The Microphone" ("The 'Hook-Up' Between the Editors of 'The Broadcaster"), dated 1928-1930.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frances L. Dewey Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2650

DeWitt, William Orville (1902- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Jan 20.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Orville DeWitt, 11 Upper Ladue Road, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript letter signed Wm. O. DeWitt, Baltimore Baseball Club, Inc. (Baltimore Orioles), Baltimore, Maryland, to Charles van Ravenswaay, director of the Missouri Historical Society, January 20, 1954.

Cite as: William Orville DeWitt Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0383

Diamant, Henry A.

Collection, 1800-1935. approximately 100 items

Collection contains bills; deeds; appointments of justices of the peace; legal papers; slave emancipation papers; a political ticket listing Sterling Price as nominee for the U.S. House of Representatives; a receipt to Madame Marie Therese Chouteau of St. Louis, Missouri, for use of city water, 1835; a paper relating to the administration of the estate of her husband, Auguste Chouteau, 1831, and a receipt to him for an account with LaGroze, 1824; a general accounts ledger, 1810; and a fur accounts ledger, 1813.

Cite as: Henry A. Diamant Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2651

Diamant, Margaret Timar.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 July 30.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Margaret Timar Diamant, 1028 Laval Drive, University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Margaret Timar Diamant Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0384

Diaz, Porfirio.

Papers, 1879-1915. 1 folder (approximately 15 items); 1 oversize folder (10 items)

Served as president of Mexico.

Some land grants, correspondence to Juan F. Cahill in St. Louis from Diaz, 1879; oversize documents.

Spanish.

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

## **Dickens Historical Society**

See Charles Dickens Historical Society.

#### A2920

Dickinson, William., Mrs.

# Papers, 1871-1876. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include the following five items: (1) *Annual Report of the Board of Trustees of the Widows' and Orphans' Home of Kansas City, Missouri*, 1871 (4 pages). (2) Circular of the Industrial Home for the Orphans and Indigent Children of Missouri, Kansas City, February 1, 1875, announcing that the home is now ready to take in orphans and destitute children (3 pages). Includes an illustration of the home. (3) Letter signed Mrs. M.A. Lykins, superintendent, Orphans' Home of Missouri, Kansas City, to Mrs. Wm. Dickinson, St. Louis, Mo., February 15, 1876, describing the materials she has enclosed relating to the Orphans' Home. (4) Undated newspaper clipping titled "The Widows' and Orphans' Home," which contains a letter of Mrs. M.A. Lykins to the editor of the *Kansas City Times*. (5) Undated sketch of the Widows' and Orphans' Home by Mrs. M.A. Lykins (7 pages).

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

#### A2652

Dicks, Wm. L. (1851-).

Family History Sheet, circa 1920s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Wm. L. Dicks [William L. Dicks], 7043 Waterman Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. His wife, Cathrine Hannah Lepere Dicks, resided at 5811 Plymouth Ave., at the time of her death on January 22, 1910.

Cite as: Wm. L. Dicks Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2739

Dickson, Joseph (1846-1906).

Papers, 1865-1871. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Joseph Dickson was born October 29, 1846, in Ireland, and came to the United States with his family when he was a child. He graduated from Harvard University law school in 1867, and began practicing law in St. Louis in that same year. He died May 11, 1906, in St. Louis.

The papers contain correspondence of Joseph Dickson, mostly to his brother Wells Dickson. Finding aid available.

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

## A2742

**Dienstbier, Robert G. (1894-1950).** 

**Memorial Book, 1950.** 1 item (32 pages)

Robert G. Dienstbier was born November 18, 1894, in St. Louis, Missouri. He was the son of Frederick Dienstbier (1859-1937) and Pauline Boley Dienstbier (1866-1939). He died November 9, 1950, in St. Louis.

Memorial book compiled by Mrs. Esther O. Dienstbier, widow of Robert G. Dienstbier, in memory of her deceased husband. The book includes several pages of signatures of "friends who called"; brief biographical notes about Robert G. Dienstbier's life; newspaper clipping of Robert G. Dienstbier's death notice; photographs of Dienstbier family homes at 3217 Osceola St., 4218-4220 Potomac St., 3524 Halliday Ave., and 6427 Devonshire Ave.; letterhead of F. Dienstbier Jewelry Co., 320 North 6th St.; photographs of Robert G. Dienstbier as a baby, as a child, as a young man, and as an adult in his late forties; *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* clipping titled "St. Louisan's Collection Goes to Cooperstown" (August 30, 1953), regarding a collection of autographed baseballs owned by Edward T. Shea, 3528 Halliday Ave., which were given to him by his friend Robert G. Dienstbier; and two photographs of Robert G. Dienstbier's mother, Mrs.

Pauline Dienstbier.

Cite as: Robert G. Dienstbier Memorial Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0385

Dietz Family.

Papers, 1883-1938; 1984-1991. 6 folders

Margaret Dietz is the daughter of Frank C. and Laura Belle Dietz. Laura Belle Dietz died October 8, 1938.

Papers contain seven autograph books, mostly of Margaret Dietz. Two of these volumes contain signatures of professional baseball players dated 1930s. Papers also contain a blank pilot flight record and log book of Margaret Dietz, a memorial book of Mrs. Laura Belle Dietz from Kriegshauser Mortuaries, and Dietz family correspondence dated 1984-1991.

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

## A0386

Digby Family.

**Diaries, 1871-1899.** 1 box (10 volumes).

St. Louis County farm family.

Seven annual diaries of Henry Digby dated 1871, 1879, 1880, 1892, 1894, 1895, and 1899; and three annual diaries of his wife, Maggie Digby, dated 1891, 1892, 1894, pertaining to family and farm life.

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

## A0387

Dillon, Patrick M.

**Ledger, 1818-1819.** 1 volume (500 pages)

Patrick M. Dillon was the father-in-law of James B. Eads.

Ledger of grocery, dry goods, and wine sales. Also includes Dillon family record of marriages, births, and deaths (page 71), and isolated later accounts.

Cite as: Patrick M. Dillon Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2989

Dimmitt-Rickhoff-Bayer Real Estate Co., Inc.

Promotional Brochure titled "This Is Frontenac," circa 1950s-1960s. 1 item

This promotional brochure contains information on Frontenac subdivision located one-half mile north of Clayton on Spoede Road, just west of Lindbergh, in St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes aerial views of Frontenac and Country Life Acres.

Cite as: Dimmitt-Rickhoff-Bayer Real Estate Co., Inc. Promotional Brochure titled "This Is Frontenac," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0388

Dimmock, Thomas.

**Speeches, 1858-1889.** 1 folder; 4 volumes

Thomas Dimmock was an editor.

Papers consist of manuscripts of speeches delivered by Thomas Dimmock on various literary and historical subjects, including speech on Elijah P. Lovejoy. Bound copy of Lovejoy speech, with letters and clippings concerning the speech and the erection of the Lovejoy monument at Alton, Illinois.

Cite as: Thomas Dimmock Speeches, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Diplomas Collection**

Items from the Diplomas Collection were transferred to Alphabetical Files (see under individual's name) or to the collection in which they originally belonged. (Transferred circa 2001.)

#### A2653

Disbrow, Francis Henry (1909-).

Family History Sheet, 1954 Mar 26. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Francis Henry Disbrow, 7 Clermont Lane, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Francis Henry Disbrow Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0389

Dobler family.

Genealogy, 1869-1975. 3 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 volume

Family of George and Isabel Dobler.

Genealogical information on Houston and White families; newsclippings, scrapbook of clippings and genealogical information.

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

## A0390

Dobs.

**Journal, 1814-1900.** 1 volume (100 pages)

Journal of unidentified receipts and expenses in Lexington, Missouri, and St. Louis, dated January 1, 1814, to August 17, 1818. Unidentified later accounts, 1900.

Cite as: Dobs Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0391

Dobyns, Edward.

Papers, 1867-1876. 2 folders (approximately 40 items)

Edward Dobyns was a wealthy pioneer citizen of St. Louis.

Original and typed articles by E. Dobyns; biographical data on E. Dobyns; undated journal of reminiscences of the Democratic party of Missouri, 1824-, its origin and early supporters. Cite as: Edward Dobyns Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2453

Dr. J.W. Blosser & Son (Atlanta, Georgia).

Circular titled "A Positive Cure for Rheumatism," circa 1890s. 3 items

Also includes printed envelope addressed to Dr. J.W. Blosser & Son and order blank listing the prices for products.

Cite as: Dr. J.W. Blosser & Son Circular Titled "A Positive Cure for Rheumatism," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2901

Dodds, S.R.

## **Letter, 1918 Feb 10.** 1 item

Letter signed S.R. Dodds, Davenport, Iowa, to Miss Addie Crow, Hillcrest Fruit Farm, Ill., February 10, 1918. Dodds mentions that "we lost the <u>Blackhawk</u> in the Ice at Paducah, Ky. so am quiting the River." He proposes to take over the care of the Hillcrest Fruit Farm. Letter is written on stationery of the Cairo, Hickman, New Madrid Packet.

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

## A0392

D'Oench family.

**Papers, 1742-1873.** 2 folders; 4 volumes

This collection consists of letters of G. and Rudolph D'Oench, biographical data concerning the D'Oench family; St. Louis business letterheads; information on the D'Oench family. Also includes four volumes of collected essays of Rudolph D'Oench: "Lehrreiche Mittheilungen aus dem Naturreiche" (Instructive Contributions from Natural History), 1860; two volumes titled "Aufsaetze verschiedenen Inhalts" (Essays on Various Topics), 1868 and 1873; and "Mosaik oder Sinnsprueche fuer alle Geschlechten" (Mosaic or Aphorisms for All Folks), 1884. Mostly German script and some Latin.

Cite as: D'Oench Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2536

Doerr, Lorenz.

**Recipe Book, 1871.** 1 volume (27 pages)

Title page of manuscript volume reads, "Receptenbuch fur Lorenz Doerr 1871. Dieburg, Grossherzogthum, Hessen." The text is written in German script.

Cite as: Lorenz Doerr Recipe Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2654

**Dolan, Robert R. (Ray) (1894- ).** 

Family History Sheet, 1945 Jan 20. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert R. (Ray) Dolan, 7400 Parkdale Ave., Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert R. (Ray) Dolan Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2655

Dolch, Abbeford Scherer (1887-).

**Family History Sheet, 1925 Oct.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Abbeford Scherer Dolch, Attica, Indiana. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Abbeford Scherer Dolch Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1433

Don Jose Vallieres Land Claim.

**Collection, 1922-1945.** 1 folder

In 1793, Don Jose Vallieres allegedly received a large tract of land along the White River in present-day Missouri and Arkansas from the Spanish government. The grant was signed by the

Baron de Carondelet, Spanish governor of Louisiana. The disputed grant has never been recognized by the United States government. Attempts by Vallieres' heirs to have the grant recognized and receive compensation have been made on several occasions in the late nineteeth and early twentieth centuries. The United States Supreme Court ruled against the validity of the claim in *Scull vs. United States* in 1878.

The collection consists of correspondence between Vallieres claimants, attorneys, and the General Land Office, U.S. Department of Interior.

Cite as: Don Jose Vallieres Land Claim Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0393

Donaldson, William R.

**Papers**, **1861-1865.** 5 folders (68 items)

William R. Donaldson enlisted in the 1st Missouri Light Artillery (Union) in April 1861 at St. Louis. He served as a private, sergeant, and corporal, and was discharged at Pulaski, Tennessee, in April 1864.

Papers consist of Donaldson family correspondence, mostly letters of William R. Donaldson to his father, Isaac P. Donaldson, in St. Louis. Letters of William Donaldson, which describe his activities during the war, were mostly written at Pilot Knob, Missouri (October 1861 to January 1862); Corinth, Mississippi (April to November 1863), while working in the Ordnance Department; Nashville, Tennessee (January to February 1864); Athens, Alabama (March to April 1864); and locations in Georgia and Alabama, during the Atlanta Campaign. Notable content includes mentions of the raising of black troops (letters dated May to June 1863); brief description of expedition to Florence, Alabama (letter dated May 31, 1863); description of Vicksburg following the siege (letter dated August 16, 1863); descriptions of camp life; and a poem (with letter dated November 20, 1861).

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

### A2656

Donelan, Patrick Michael (1940-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1967 Jan 18. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Patrick Michael Donelan, 2 Brookside, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Patrick Michael Donelan Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0394

Doniphan, Alexander W. (1808-1887).

Papers, 1855-1907. 3 folders (approximately 60 items)

Alexander W. Doniphan came to Liberty, Missouri, in 1833 and to St. Louis in 1863. He was a lawyer by profession and also a political leader.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence with DeWitt Clinton Allen, on political subjects of the day.

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

## A0395

Doolittle, James Rood (1815-1897).

Papers, 1831-1893. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

James Rood Doolittle was a senator from Wisconsin.

Typed copies of letters to and from J.R. Doolittle on personal and political issues of the day. Cite as: James Rood Doolittle Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2462

# Dopf, John D.

## Circular, 1870 Dec 15. 1 item

Circular of John D. Dopf, successor to Durfee, McKillop & Co., real estate and insurance agent, Rock Port, Atchison County, Missouri, announces that the co-partnership between Aaron B. Durfee, Malcolm McKillop, A.E. Wyatt, and John D. Dopf under the firm name Durfee, McKillop & Co. has been dissolved.

Cite as: John D. Dopf Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2353

# Dorn, Joseph Jennings.

# Papers, 1929-1999. 2 boxes

Joseph Jennings Dorn, son of J.M and Visle (Self) Dorn, was born in 1885 in Dornsville, Edgefield County, South Carolina. Dorn was a prominent businessman in McCormick, South Carolina. He was a co-owner of McCormick Manufacturing Company, Dorn Lumber Company, and president of the Dorn Banking Company. He and his brother, M. Gary Dorn, started the firm of M.G. and J.J. Dorn, which had lumber manufacturing plants and cotton gins across South Carolina. Dorn was also elected to the state senate in 1930. He married Nora Cuddy and they had a daughter, Mabel. Dorn's lumber company supplied wood that was used to make the ladder that Bruno Hauptmann used to kidnap Charles Lindbergh's son in 1932. Dorn testified at Hauptmann's trial in 1935. Joseph Jennings Dorn was killed in an automobile accident in 1936.

The collection consists of correspondence, bills, newspaper clippings, magazines, photographs and other papers regarding Joseph Jennings Dorn's role in the trial of Bruno Hauptmann for kidnapping Charles Lindbergh's baby. The collection includes correspondence of Arthur G. Koehler, a wood identification expert for the Forest Service; letters from Dorn and his wife to their daughter while they were in New Jersey for the trial; newspaper clippings and magazine articles regarding the Hauptmann trial; correspondence from John K. Kelly, a professor at the University of Delaware who was researching the case; and a piece of wood from Hauptmann's ladder.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Joseph Jennings Dorn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0396

**Dorsey Family.** 

# Papers, 1822-1928; n.d. 3 boxes

Edward Worthington Dorsey moved his family from Baltimore to Pike County, Missouri, in 1835. Edward's daughter, Mary Dorsey, married James O. Broadhead. Edward's grandson married Annabel Tutt List of Pilot Grove, Missouri, and correspondence from her family, the John M. McCutcheon's and the Dr. Gabriel Tutt's, is also part of the collection.

Collection consists primarily of letters spanning three generations. From 1822 to 1844 the letters are between Edward and his wife and their relatives in Kentucky and Maryland. The remainder of the collection was mostly written to Susanna "Lou" Eleanor Dorsey, her husband Philip Barbour Ewing, and her children from various relatives and friends. During the Civil War Lou wrote to Confederate prisoners of war. Her brother Caleb Dorsey was an officer in the

Confederate army. There are three letters written in code concenring medicine and men for the rebel cause. After the war, most of the family moved to California, but the Broadheads remained in St. Louis. Also includes family genealogy.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2657

Dorsey, Michael Gordon, Father (1921-).

Family History Sheet, after 1967. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Father Michael Gordon Dorsey, Creve Coeur, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Father Michael Gordon Dorsey Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2332

Doubleday, John W.

Letter to M.L. Hallowell & Co., 1847 Feb 13. 1 item

Letter signed John W. Doubleday, Fulton, Missouri, to M.L. Hallowell & Co. [Philadelphia, Pennsylvania]. Places an order for goods, and asks M.L. Hallowell & Co. to ship the goods in card of Greely & Gale, St. Louis.

Cite as: John W. Doubleday Letter to M.L. Hallowell & Co., Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0397

**Doud Family.** 

Papers, 1880s-1936. 3 folders, 1 oversize folder

Menzer Fairchild Doud was born February 29, 1856, in Indiana, and married Etta Herdman in Jefferson County, Illinois, in 1886. They had three daughters. He worked in publishing in Kansas City and St. Louis, and served as a member of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture from 1882 to 1890. He was active in Republican politics, and was a prominent member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He died December 26, 1936, at his home, 40 Aberdeen Place, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri, and was buried in Mount Vernon, Illinois.

The collection includes a variety of documents of the Doud family including correspondence, invitations, stock certificates, programs, and circulars. Includes papers relating to the Independent Order of Odd Fellows; the death of Odd Fellows member Richard Randolph in 1915; the Louisiana Purchase Exposition of 1904 (St. Louis World's Fair); and Miss Minnie Green and the Green family of Mt. Vernon, Illinois.

Finding aid available.

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

# A0398

Dougherty, John (1791-1860).

**Papers, 1823-1917.** 2 boxes; 3 volumes

A native of Kentucky, John Dougherty came to St. Louis in 1809, from whence he joined a Missouri Fur Company expedition to the Rocky Mountain region. He was also a member of Stephen H. Long's expedition of 1819-1820. An army officer and Indian agent from 1820 to 1837, Dougherty was identified extensively with Indian affairs and with the Platte Purchase. In 1837, he moved to Liberty, Missouri. He was a Whig.

Collection consists mainly of the correspondence of Major John Dougherty in relation to sutling at Fort Kearny, Nebraska, and government transportation of freight between Fort Kearny and Fort Laramie, Wyoming, in the 1840s and 1850s. Also includes numerous bills of sale of slaves; correspondence and reports regarding Indian affairs, including a report from Leavenworth, March 9, 1832; land documents; and correspondence regarding land claims. Correspondents include Dougherty's son Lewis B. Dougherty, Robert Campbell, Henry S. Turner, A.G. Reed, Major C.F. Ruff, and Col. Thomas Swords. Collection also include two diaries, 1869-1879, and a ledger, 1851-1852, of the medical practice of Dr. William Wallace Dougherty, a Liberty, Missouri, physician and nephew of John Dougherty. The diaries include material on the family.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A0399

# Douglas, James Kimball.

# **Jefferson National Expansion Memorial collection, 1926-1977.** 5 boxes

Clippings and correspondence concerning marking of historic buildings and sites in St. Louis. Bulk of material concerns the development of the St. Louis river front and the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial including correspondence, plans, brochures, publicity releases, clippings, and minutes and organizational records of the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Association. Also includes material regarding the architectural competition in 1947, including biographical sketches and photographs of competitors and designs.

Cite as: James Kimball Douglas, Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0400

Douglas, James M.

**Ledger of drug accounts, 1871-1881.** 1 volume

Cite as: James M. Douglas Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0401

Douglas, Walter Bond (-1920).

**Papers, 1819; 1850; 1877-1919; 1934-1939.** 2 boxes

A genealogist and local historian, Walter B. Douglas was a judge of the St. Louis Circuit Court, 1901-1906, and president of the Missouri Historical Society, 1893-1894.

Collection includes personal papers of Walter B. Douglas and his father and son, including a notebook of prescriptions of his father, James M. Douglas, a druggist in Brunswick, Missouri (1850); letters of Justice Louis D. Brandeis to Walter B. Douglas and to his son James Marsh Douglas (1877-1890, 1916, 1937-1939); and one letter of Kate Chopin (July 10 [1903?]). The remainder of the collection relates to Douglas' historical interests and includes correspondence regarding the holdings of the Missouri Historical Society; research notes, including notes for Douglas' *Manuel Lisa* and Thomas James; some of Douglas' manuscript essays and speeches; genealogical information and clippings on the Douglas family; a biographical sketch of James Marsh Douglas; and Walter B. Douglas' genealogical notes on early St. Louis families. Cite as: Walter Bond Douglas Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0402

**Douglass Family.** 

# Papers, 1887-1996. 5 folders; 2 oversize folders

The Douglass family was of Scotch origin, descending from the union of Alexander Douglass and Lady Mary Grey. Four of the children born of this marriage settled in Alexandria, Virginia. One of these children was Grey Douglass, who married Elizabeth Thomson, niece of Charles Thomson, secretary of the Continental Congress. One of the sons of Grey and Elizabeth Thomson Douglass was Alexander Thomson Douglass. Alexander Thomson Douglass removed his family to St. Louis, where his son John Thomson Douglass established the Douglass Bagging Company in the 1850s. John Thomson Douglass married Cornelia McPherson in 1847 at Boonville, Missouri. Their children were Edward Salisbury Douglass, Annie McPherson Douglass, Sallie Hopkins Douglass, May Douglass, Fannie Lowery Douglass, and Archibald Grey Douglass.

Papers consist primarily of genealogical information on the Douglass and allied families, including newsclippings, notes, ancestry charts, correspondence, etc. Collection also includes a few issues of the *Jefferson Barracks Hub* newspaper (1942); diplomas of Archibald Grey Douglass, Jr., from St. Louis Country Day School and Amherst College; a list of the descendants of Robert and Janet McPherson; a letter of Archibald G. Douglass relating incidents regarding his boyhood friend Charles Marion Russell; and notes and articles relating to Charles Thomson. Cite as: Douglass Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2658

Dowling, Anna, Miss (1899- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1956-1964. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets and one family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Miss Anna Dowling, 4 Gast Place, St. Louis, Missouri. These sheets include genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Miss Anna Dowling Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0403

Downey, John ( -1866).

Civil War Papers, 1861-1864. 1 flat storage box; 3 oversize folders

John Downey enlisted as a 2nd lieutenant in Company A, 19th Missouri Infantry (Union), at St. Louis in August 1861. In January 1862, the 19th Missouri Infantry was consolidated with the 3rd Missouri Infantry. He rose to the rank of captain in the 3rd Missouri Infantry and was mustered out in November 1864. At the close of the war, he obtained a position as inspector of streets for the city of St. Louis. He died August 31, 1866, in St. Louis.

Collection contains muster-in and muster-out rolls and two commissions of John Downey; four muster rolls and other official papers of the 19th Missouri Infantry; eighteen muster rolls and other official military papers of Company G, 3rd Missouri Infantry, including monthly returns, descriptive rolls and accounts of pay and clothing, and quarterly returns of deceased soldiers.

Cite as: John Downey Civil War Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2942

**Downing Family.** 

Papers, 1844-1851. 6 items

The collection contains the following three letters: (1) Letter of Thomas Downing, Marshall County, Tennessee, to his brothers James Downing and Samuel Downing, Missouri, September

8, 1844. Mentions the death of his companion Elizabeth T. Downing and the death of Johnson Downing's wife. Lists the prices of various goods including coffee, sugar, iron, and honey. Mentions the politics of his brothers Alexandria G. Downing and Elijah Downing and Alfred Beardin. Describes political gatherings in the vicinity. (2) Letter signed James Downing, five miles below Colomie [Coloma] on American River, California, to his wife, Mary Downing, Mt. Vernon, Lawrence County, Missouri, August 27, 1850. Mentions that they are at work in the mines but not making money very fast. Mentions the prices of provisions such as coffee, sugar, potatoes, and rice. Briefly describes their journey to California via Fort Laramie and the South Pass. Mentions William Sumners. (3) Letter signed A.G. Downing, Lincoln County, Tennessee, to his nephew Levi P. Downing, Chesapeake Post Office, Lawrence County, Missouri, March 30, 1851. Discusses family news, their crops, and the prices of pork, beef, hides, etc. Describes the damage done by a tornado that struck Fayetteville on February 24. Among the killed were Alfred H. Berry's son, Mrs. Rauzee[?] and child, and Mrs. Ables. Among the wounded were Alfred H. Berry, Mrs. B.L. Russel and son, Mrs. Pamplin, Parson Record's daughter, and James L. Thompson's two sons. Also mentions Dr. Robt. R. McKinney [Dr. Robert R. McKinney], Elifus Bearden, U.S. Representative George W. Jones, Parson Mat Marshal, Logan Commons, and Robert E. Gilleland. The collection also includes three pages of typescript notes of Golden L. Downing, Oakland, California, circa 1956, that include information about the family and the letters.

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

## A0404

**Downtown Lighting Association.** 

**Records, 1830-1838; 1909-1911.** 2 boxes; 1 volume

The Downtown Lighting Association was organized in 1909 to improve street lighting in the business district of St. Louis. Tom W. Bennett was president.

Subscriptions by property owners and merchants for an improved street lighting system in the business district of St. Louis, 1909; specifications for electric light standards for the Downtown Lighting Association, submitted by Union Electric and Power Company, May 5, 1909; blueprints of arc lamp posts for proposed illumination of downtown district; minutes, 1909-1911; report of the Committee on Resolutions, Downtown Lighting Association, December 1910; notes on gas works, 1830-1838; ledger with members list, subscriptions, salaries, construction costs, etc. (1909-1910).

Cite as: Downtown Lighting Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2659

Drabelle, Philip George (1895- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1960s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Philip George Drabelle, 401 Parkwood Road, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri (form filled out by his wife). Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Philip George Drabelle Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0405

**Drake, Charles D. (1811-1892).** 

Papers, 1840-1916. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Charles D. Drake came to St. Louis in 1834, founded the St. Louis Law Library, and in 1850 he was elected to the Missouri legislature. He was elected to the United States Senate in 1867, and resigned to accept appointment of chief justice of the Court of Claims, 1870. He retired in 1885.

Contains eight letters of C.D. Drake to contemporaries on subjects of the day, including his election to the U.S. Senate in 1867; silver wedding anniversary card of Mr. and Mrs. Drake; papers regarding Drake's purchase of stock in Little Katie Mine, Colorado; and biographical data

Cite as: Charles D. Drake Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2660

Drake, George Silas, Jr. (1875-).

Family History Sheet, circa 1927. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by George Silas Drake, Jr., 6115 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: George Silas Drake, Jr., Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0406

#### Dreer, Herman H.

**Collection, 1927-1974.** 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Herman Dreer was the assistant principal of Sumner High School, 1930-1945; founder of Douglass University, a forerunner of Stowe Teacher's College, 1930-1942; author of *The Tide That Binds, Negro Leadership in Saint Louis: A Study in Race Relations*, 1954, and the *History of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity*; founder of St. Louis "Negro History Week"; and pastor of the Kingsway Baptist Church. He conducted the research for the *Shelley v. Kramer* case, which outlawed residential restrictive covenants. Professor Dreer taught many languages and sciences. At the age of 62, he earned his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago.

Collection includes information on Douglass University; programs, booklets, articles regarding African-American history, both in St. Louis and national; and materials relating to the Shelley restrictive covenant case.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Herman H. Dreer Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2661

Drefs, Clara Artemesia Newman, Mrs. (1896-).

**Family History Sheet, circa 1920s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Clara Artemesia Newman Drefs, 6643 Kingsbury Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Mrs. Clara Artemesia Newman Drefs Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0407

# Drefs scrapbook, no date. 1 volume

Various cards of children, birds, etc.

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

# A2371

# Drescher, William B. (1824-1918). Reminiscences, 1906. 1 volume

William B. Drescher, the son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Bopp?) Drescher, was born March 4, 1824, in Butzbach, Germany. In 1840, Drescher and his father left for America and established a farm in Palmyra, Missouri. Drescher enlisted with Company I, 2nd Missouri Volunteers (Marion County Company), at Fort Leavenworth on August 3, 1846. He served with his company during the Mexican War, and was discharged at Independence, Missouri, on October 8, 1848. Upon his return to Palmyra, he established a dry goods store with his brother Henry. In 1866, he moved to Hannibal, Missouri, where he opened another dry goods store, and served as city treasurer, mayor and presiding judge of Marion County. In 1850, he married Melissa Payne and they had six children. In 1887, he married Hattie Walker. He died January 18, 1918, in Hannibal at the age of 93.

Drescher's reminiscences (35 pages) include an extensive genealogy of the Drescher and Payne families. Drescher also describes his experiences during the Mexican War from August 3, 1846, to November 1848, including his journey from Marion County, Missouri, to Santa Fe, New Mexico, under the command of Col. Sterling Price as grand marshal and Col. Willock as grand master; his role as a witness at the hanging of the men responsible for killing Governor Bent; and activities at Santa Cruz "de" Rosales and Chihuahua, Mexico. Drescher also describes his life after the war and a trip to Oregon, Washington and California in 1894. Includes partial typescript.

Cite as: William B. Drescher Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2306

Dressell, A.M.

# Letter to friend Jack, 1879 Apr 7. 1 item

Letter signed A.M. Dressell, 1619 North 7th St., St. Louis, Missouri, to his friend Jack in Cincinnati, April 7, 1879. Dressell and his wife, Dovey, send their congratulations to Jack on his marriage, which took place on the date the letter was written. Letter mentions Lida Bunker, and also includes engraved images of the Eads Bridge and the fairgrounds of the St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association.

Cite as: A.M. Dressell letter to friend Jack, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2662

Drew, Charles Smith (1891- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 June 17. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles Smith Drew, 227 Orchard Ave., Webster Groves, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript letter of Charles S. Drew to Charles van Ravenswaay, director of the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Charles Smith Drew Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0408

Drips, Andrew (1789-1860).

**Papers, 1820-1860; [1907].** 1 box

Andrew Drips was an Indian agent along the Upper Missouri River, appointed in 1842. He was a member of the Missouri Fur Company with Joshua Pilcher, and also worked for the American Fur Company and for Pierre Chouteau, Jr., and Company of St. Louis.

Collection relates chiefly to the activities of Andrew Drips as Indian agent in preventing liquor traffic among the Indians, and to his work as agent for Pierre Chouteau, Jr., & Company of St. Louis. Collection includes an 1843 account book kept by Drips. Also includes correspondence and other papers relating to the American Fur Company; Bent, St. Vrain and Company; A.R. Bouis; Bridger and Vasquez; Lucien Fontenelle; Joseph V. Hamilton; W.D. Hodgkiss; Joseph Jewett; Charles Kelsey; William Laidlaw; D.D. Mitchell; H. Picotte; Pratte and Cabanne; Joseph Robidoux; J.F.A. Sanford; Sybille, Adams and Company; the Upper Missouri Outfit; activities at Fort Cheyenne (Wyoming), Fort Clark (North Dakota), Fort George (South Dakota), Fort John (Colorado), Fort Laramie (Wyoming), Fort Lookout (South Dakota), Fort McKenzie (Montana), Fort Pierre (South Dakota), Fort Platte (Nebraska), Fort Union (North Dakota), and Fort William (North Dakota). Includes some typescripts. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A3124

Driscoll, Helen (ca. 1907- ). Papers, 1920-1928.

1 box; 2 oversize boxes

Helen Emilie Driscoll was born circa 1907, the daughter of Edward D. Driscoll (1877-1966) and Emilie (Thorwarth) Driscoll (1877-1966). Edward owned Driscoll Drug Store, which was located at 6910 Clayton Road, at the intersection of Clayton Road and McCausland Avenue. Helen attended Lenox Hall, a school for girls, from 1921 to 1924; Washington University; and the St. Louis College of Pharmacy.

The papers consist of one scrapbook and one letter received by Driscoll Pharmacy in 1928 that was delivered via airmail piloted by Charles Lindbergh. The scrapbook comprises the bulk of the collection and dates from 1920 to 1927, with the bulk of its items dating from 1922 to 1924. Helen Driscoll kept the scrapbook primarily during her years as a student at Lenox Hall and into her time at Washington University. The scrapbook contains lists of the names of other girls at Lenox Hall, various commencement programs, a partial diary of Helen's high school activities, photographs of the students and teachers, photographs and other items from family vacations, bridge tally cards from parties, programs from theater performances that Helen attended, and many other papers, photographs, and ephemera regarding the school. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Helen Driscoll Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0409

Droste, John H. (1842-1909).

**Collection, 1863-1882.** 2 folders (approximately 10 items)

John H. Droste was born in St. Charles, Missouri, in 1842. During the Civil War he served as an officer in the 15th Missouri Infantry (Union). He died in 1909, and is buried in Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery in St. Charles.

Collection includes appointments, commissions, discharge papers, and Grand Army of the Republic receipt of John Droste; two notebooks containing German script (poetry) of Theodore Rabuske ( -1897), an artist who moved to St. Louis in 1867. Some German.

Cite as: John H. Droste Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0410

# Drosten, Fred W. (1858-1923).

**Collection, 1778-1919.** 3 folders (approximately 60 items); 1 oversize folder Fred W. Drosten was a St. Louis jeweler.

Collection consists of German manuscripts; applications for citizenship; World War I items; a Civil War pass; information on American Protective League; certificate of membership for George C. Mueller in the St. Louis Grays; and 14th Ward map of St. Louis. Some German.

Cite as: Fred W. Drosten Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2950

**Drosten, William George, Jr. (1917-1966). Papers, 1951-2009.** 3 items

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William George Drosten, Jr., and updated by his daughter in 2009. This sheet includes genealogical data on William George Drosten, Jr., who resided at 10 Bellerive Country Club Grounds; his father, William George Drosten (1884-1951), who resided at 7763 Davis Drive, Clayton, Mo.; his grandfather Frederick William Drosten (1858-1923), who resided at 3521 Victor St., St. Louis, Mo.; and his great grandfather William Drosten (1814-1885). The collection also contains photocopies of two newspaper obituaries of William G. Drosten, Sr.

Cite as: William George Drosten, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3036

# Druhe, Cecelia Krumrey.

Collection, 1875-1994. 7 folders; 1 oversize folder

Cecelia Kimmick was born on 22 October 1908. She was placed on an orphan train in New York City bound for St. Louis in October 1910. Jacob and Catherine "Katie" (Blum) Krumrey of Ballwin, Missouri, wished to adopt a little girl and applied to the New York Foundling Hospital run by the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul. The Foundling Hospital matched children with prospective parents before they were placed on trains west.

The collection consists of letters, documents, photographs, and articles relating to Cecelia Krumrey Druhe and the orphan trains of the late 19th and early 20th centuries. The earliest correspondence and documents relate to the Krumreys, including the agreement between Jacob and Katie and the New York Foundling Hospital. Most of the letters and telegrams dating from 1909 to 1911 are between Katie and Sister Teresa Vincent of the Foundling Hospital before Cecelia's arrival in St. Louis. However, in November 1910, Sister Teresa wrote to tell the Krumreys of the mix up with Cecelia and another 2 year old girl named Emma. Apparently the jackets used to identify them were switched, however, the girls' names were also in their shoes. There is a note dated 17 May 1932, in which Cecelia states that her mother told her she was adopted. Cecelia's daughter, Mary Ann, conducted genealogical and historical research about her mother. There are newspaper, journal, and magazine articles about the orphan trains and newsletters from the Orphan Train Heritage Society of America. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Cecelia Krumrey Druhe Collection, Misouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0411

## Druids Hall (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Architectural Drawing, circa 1858. 1 folder

Grand temple for the Order of Druids of Missouri showing side entrance doors and show windows details. This building was razed in 1875, and a new building was erected in 1877 at 9th and Market. (A note on this drawing says the building was at 7th and Market.)

Cite as: Druids Hall (Saint Louis, Missouri) Architectural Drawing, Missouri History Museum

## A0412

**Dry-Pits Lotion Company.** 

Archives, St. Louis.

**Records, 1939-1940.** 1 box

Cite as: Dry-Pits Lotion Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2663

Dryden Family.

Family History Sheets, 1962-1971. 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection includes biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Marie Louise Karst Dryden, 6108 McPherson Ave., St. Louis, Missouri; family history sheet filled out by Celeste H. Dryden, 2800 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri; and typescript letter signed Celeste H. Dryden to George R. Brooks, director of the Missouri Historical Society, February 15, 1971.

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

## A0413

# DuBourg, Louis Valentine, Bishop (1766-1833).

**Papers, 1818-1820.** 1 folder (3 items)

Bishop DuBourg was born in San Domingo and was educated in France. He was driven from the country by the revolution and fled to Spain in 1792. He came to the United States in 1794 and established the Sisters of Charity in Baltimore in 1809. In 1815, he went to Rome where he was consecrated the bishop of Upper and Lower Louisiana. He arrived in St. Louis in January 1818, which was then the Episcopal seat for the Territory of Missouri. He resided in St. Louis until 1824, when he was removed to New Orleans. In 1826, he left New Orleans for the See of Montauban in France and died in October 1833.

Collection includes reproduction of a circular (in French) issued by "L. Guil. Ev. de la Louis. et des Florides," dated St. Louis, January 12, 1820; letter (in French) signed C. Delacroix to Monsieur Ryckwart, professor at the Episcopal seminary at Ghent, dated Ste. Marie [St. Mary's], Missouri, October 26, 1818, describing the country and its people; and letter (in French) signed "L. Guil. Ev. de la Louis" to Le Minstre de France in Washington, dated St. Louis, February 15, 1818, regarding using missions in Mississippi River district.

Cite as: Bishop Louis V. DuBourg Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0414

**Duels collection, 1817-1942.** 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes newspaper articles regarding dueling both in Missouri and nationally; original correspondence regarding Thomas Biddle and Spencer Pettis duel; correspondence and address regarding lectures on dueling delivered at the Missouri Historical Society; and articles and correspondence regarding Bloody Island. Also includes information on the following duels: Abraham Lincoln and Paddy Shields; Charles Lucas and Thomas H. Benton; Joshua Barton and Thomas C. Rector; Clay and Randolph; Taylor Berry and Abiel Leonard; and Dr. Tomlinson and Mr. Hood.

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

#### A2664

Duesenberg, Georg Friedrich Karl (1866-).

Family History Sheet, circa 1920s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Georg Friedrich Karl Duesenberg, filled out by his widow, who resides at 3815 Wyoming Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data about the Duesenberg family.

Cite as: Georg Friedrich Karl Duesenberg Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2665

Duke, Marsh P., Mrs. (1897- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1968 Jan 31. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Marsh P. Duke (Helen Wright Duke), 200 South Brentwood, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Marsh P. Duke Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0415

Dulany, William Henry Fields (1818-1914).

# **Papers, 1849-1944.** 1 box (approximately 250 items)

William Henry Fields Dulany was born January 9, 1818, in Howard County, Missouri. He held a series of jobs and also went to California to mine for gold. He returned to Missouri and eventually moved his tobacco business to Quincy, Illinois, during the Civil War because he could not insure it in Missouri. In 1867, he ventured into the lumber business in Hannibal. This business proved to be profitable and included interests in Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois, Washington, Louisiana, and Minnesota.

Collection contains the personal papers of William Henry Fields Dulany, pioneer Missouri tobacco and lumber entrepreneur. Includes personal papers and ephemera of his nephew and son-in-law Thomas Epps Gates Dulany (1841-1923); grandson William Henry Dulany, Jr. (1874-1948); granddaughter Vivian Duncan Dulany Murphy (1885-1965); and her husband, George Thomas Murphy (1877-1959). Also includes items pertaining to the Dulany Memorial Library (Hannibal, Missouri) and genealogical material.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: William Henry Fields Dulany Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0416

Dumaine, Lucien (1800-1875).

**Genealogy, 1909.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Lucien Dumaine was born in France and emigrated to the United States in 1816 and arrived in St. Louis in 1819. Here he engaged in the fur business. In 1820, he married Julie Bouis. In the 1870s, he moved to Farmington, Missouri, where he died April 13, 1875. Genealogical information.

Cite as: Lucien Dumaine Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2666

Duncker, Charles Henry (1865-).

Family History Sheet, after 1918. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles Henry Duncker, 12 Brentmoor Park, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Charles Henry Duncker Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3153

**Duncker, Charles H., Jr. (1893-1918). Collection, 1918-circa 1998.** 2 folders.

Charles Henry Duncker Jr. was born January 12, 1893, to Pauline Elizabeth (Doerr) and Charles Henry Duncker Sr. (1865-1952). The elder Duncker was president of the Trorlicht-Duncker Carpet Company (founded in 1863) in downtown St. Louis. Charles attended Central High School and graduated from Washington University in 1914 with a major in chemistry. He married Ada Nicholson, the daughter of James Nicholson, in May 1918 before he sailed for France. Charles served in the 340th Field Artillery, 89th Division (draftees) and was killed in action near Thiaucourt, France, by a German high-explosive shell on October 17, 1918. Duncker Hall at Washington University was funded by his father as a memorial.

The collection is comprised of four Duncker family letters dating from September to November 1918; photocopies of documents relating to the Duncker Hall cornerstone at Washington University dated 1923 and 1924; and photocopies of newspaper clippings and articles related to Charles H. Duncker Jr., the war in France, and Duncker Hall. The collection is

arranged alphabetically by type of document, family correspondence and photocopies, with documents arranged chronologically within each category. The collection dates from 1918 to approximately 1998 with a large gap from 1925 to 1997.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles H. Duncker Jr. Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A0417

Dunham, Katherine (1909-2006).

Papers, 1965-1980s. 56 boxes; 16 volumes

Katherine Dunham came to Southern Illinois region in 1964 at the invitation of Southern Illinois University-Carbondale to stage and choreograph a production of *Faust*. Dunham's brother-in-law, Davis Pratt, worked at SIU-Carbondale and made the connection. Upon completion of the production in February 1965, SIU asked Miss Dunham to stay on at the university as a guest lecturer in the arts. Dunham had larger plans; she proposed to create an arts education program for students in East St. Louis. The plan fell through in 1965, but when Dunham returned from Senegal in 1967, the St. Clair County Economic Opportunity Commission (a War on Poverty agency funded by the Office of Economic Opportunity in Washington, D.C.) gave Dunham a small grant to run a summer pilot program in the arts. This set the stage for the final chapter in Katherine Dunham's career, in which Dunham became deeply involved in national questions about the role of higher education and the performing arts in urban redevelopment.

The majority of the collection documents Dunham's work in East St. Louis from 1965 until 1992, the year the collection was donated to the Missouri History Museum Library. Dunham's main focus in East St. Louis was the Performing Arts Training Center (PATC), an institution of arts education affiliated with Southern Illinois University. Related to the PATC were Dunham's two other primary initiatives: the Dynamic Museum and the Dunham Fund for Research and Development in the Cultural Arts (previously known as the Foundation for the Development and Preservation of Cultural Arts). Dunham envisioned these three institutions as the basis for the revitalization and development of East St. Louis, which could then serve as a model for urban redevelopment and the reinvention of higher education throughout the United States. The records of her earlier life, including those that document her career as a dancer and choreographer, are primarily housed in the Katherine Mary Dunham Papers at Southern Illinois University-Carbondale. However, much of the material in boxes 50-56, as well as several of the Press Books, concern the Dunham Company from the years 1939 to1965.

Some French.

Literary rights retained by Katherine Dunham.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2667

**Dunham, Ruth (1940-).** 

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1964 Oct 1.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ruth Dunham, 6260 Cates, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Ruth Dunham Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0418

**Dunklin County, Missouri.** 

Collection, 1847-1890. approximately 25 items; 2 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Abstracts of land titles in Dunklin County, many from the Sugg family, 1857-1890; and a bound volume of title abstracts, 1847-1883; and General Land Office Survey field notebook of Major Rayburn taken of Dunklin County, Missouri, circa 1870.

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

# A2668

Dunlap, Ralph Irvin (1918- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1962 Apr 20. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ralph Irvin Dunlap, 19 Ridge Crest Drive, Chesterfield, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ralph Irvin Dunlap Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2669

Dunn, Arthur Autry, Jr. (1911- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Dec 7. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Arthur Autry Dunn, Jr., 44 Clermont Lane, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Arthur Autry Dunn, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0419

**Duplex Manufacturing Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).** 

**Records, 1883-1968.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Collection of assorted documentation relating to the Duplex Manufacturing Company of St. Louis, manufacturers of snare drums. Collection includes an essay on the company by the donor; assorted corporate records (photocopies only, 19 pages); a newsclipping on the history of the drum; booklet titled "Duplex Drums and Accessories"; and several patents of Emile Boulanger and J.A. Meyer, both of whom ran the business and both of whom made significant contributions to drum design.

Cite as: Duplex Manufacturing Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2670

Durand, Elizabeth.

Family History Sheet, circa 1920s-1930s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elizabeth Durand (widow of Charles T. Durand), 2744 Allen Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Elizabeth Durand Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2324

Durgin, F.A.

Business Card, circa 1869-1880. 1 item

Business card of F.A. Durgin, manufacturer of silver ware, 305 North Seventh St., St. Louis.

Cite as: F.A. Durgin Business Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0420

Durkee, Dwight.

Autograph book, 1852-1879. 1 volume

Collection of autographs of Durkee's business colleagues in the St. Louis banking world. Cite as: Dwight Durkee Autograph Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2671

Duval, Marie Gertrude (1903- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Mar 6.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marie Gertrude Duval, 1411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Marie Gertrude Duval Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0421

Duvall, Marius.

**Papers, 1846-1847.** 1 folder (2 items, 49 pages)

Marius Duvall was an assistant surgeon in the United States Navy.

The papers consist of a journal kept by Marius Duvall, dated April 22, 1846, to May 13, 1847, while he was on assignment for the navy to California. The journal describes the people of California, the landscapes, and various ways of life in the new area. Photostat and typed copy only.

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

### A0422

Duxbury and Woollam (Montgomery and Gasconade Counties, Missouri).

Account books, 1846-1860. 6 volumes

Partnership of Giles Duxbury and Joseph G. Woollam.

Ledgers (volumes 1-3) and invoices of goods purchased (volumes 4-6) of general store in Montgomery and Gasconade Counties, Missouri.

Cite as: Duxbury and Woollam Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2672

Duxbury, John Leslie (1937- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1970s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Leslie Duxbury, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: John Leslie Duxbury Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0423

Dyer, David Patterson (1838-1924).

**Papers, 1860-1920.** 1 box

David Patterson Dyer was a Missouri Republican politician, U.S. representative, U.S. attorney, and U.S. circuit court judge.

Papers include scrapbook, congressional autograph book, and photographs and letters relating to Dyer's political and judicial career.

Finding aid available.

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

### A2297

Dyke, A.L.

Papers, 1899-1946. 1 folder

St. Louisan A.L. Dyke was a pioneer automobile supply dealer and an authority on automobile history. He died in 1959.

Collection contains correspondence between A.L. Dyke, St. Louis, and Floyd Clymer of Clymer Motors, Los Angeles, California, dated 1946, relating to the early history of automobiles in St. Louis, George P. Dorris, and the St. Louis Motor Carriage Company. Also includes undated, 3-page typescript article titled "The Red Devil of St. Louis"; copies of advertisements and articles from automobile publications, circa 1901-1907, relating to St. Louis automobile history; and photographs of cars made by A.L. Dyke.

Cite as: A.L. Dyke Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0424

Dyke Family.

**Collection, 1857-1918.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Robert Inglish served in the Confederate army in Texas and Mississippi, and married Julia C. Lowry, a resident of Arkansas. Carrie Julia Inglish was the daughter of Julia Inglish. She married A.L. Dyke of St. Louis automobile fame.

Collection consists primarily of love letters between R. Inglish and Julia Lowry while he was in Texas. Also includes a photograph of the Dyke Electric Runabout, 1899; testimonials concerning the Dyke, 5 horsepower No. 1 Automorette; data regarding a single cylinder "St. Louis" automobile, 1902; illustration of the 1902 Dyke in an Ethyl Corporation advertisement, 1953.

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

E.C. Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Ledger, 1894-1902.** 1 volume (798 pages)

Accounts of unidentified St. Louis business.

Cite as: E.C. Co. Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0425

# E. Robyn and Co. (Hermann, Missouri[?]).

**Account book, 1857-1863.** 1 volume (100 pages)

Journal of receipts and expenses, general store, Hermann, Missouri[?]. Ledger at rear of volume.

Journal portion is in German handscript.

Cite as: E. Robyn and Co. Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2673

Eads, David Franklin (1902- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1958-1960.** 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by David Franklin Eads, Columbia, Missouri, January 11, 1960. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes biographical data sheet and family history sheet filled out by Mrs. Edith Louise Peery Eads (wife of David Franklin Eads), Columbia, Missouri, July 16, 1958. Cite as: David Franklin Eads Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0427

**Eads, James Buchanan (1820-1887).** 

Collection, 1776-1974. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

World-renowned engineer James Buchanan Eads was born May 23, 1820, in Lawrenceburg, Indiana, and moved to St. Louis with his family in 1833. In 1842 he embarked on a successful steamboat salvage business. During the Civil War, he was awarded a federal government contract to build ironclad gunboats. Soon after the close of the war, he began work on designing a bridge to span the Mississippi River at St. Louis. Completed in 1874, the Illinois and St. Louis Bridge (later known as the Eads Bridge), the bridge was deemed a miracle of engineering. Eads then designed the South Pass Jetties to connect New Orleans with the ocean. He later devised a plan to construct a shop railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, to connect the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. This ship railway was never constructed. He died March 8, 1887, in Nassau, Bahama Islands. Eads married Martha Dillon in 1845, and they had three children. His wife died in 1852, and in 1854 he married Eunice Hagerman, a widow.

The collection contains professional and personal correspondence of James B. Eads with Edward Bates, Gideon Welles, Gustavus Fox, Henry Taylor Blow, Frank P. Blair, Jr., Baron Gerolt, and others. Includes papers relating to Eads' construction of gunboats during the Civil War and the construction of the Illinois and St. Louis Bridge (also known as the Eads Bridge). The collection also includes 20th-century newspaper clippings regarding James B. Eads and relations; cancelled stock certificates in the Tunnel Railroad of St. Louis and the St. Louis Bridge Company; invitations to the opening of the Illinois and St. Louis Bridge; promissory notes; Eads' scrapbook of newspaper clippings (1881) relating to his plan to build a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec; and papers relating to the genealogy of the McHenry family. Finding aid available.

Cite as: James Buchanan Eads Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0428

Eagle Packet Company (St. Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1879-1959. 4 folders (approximately 100 items); 12 volumes

The Eagle Packet Company was a St. Louis steamboat company that moved to St. Louis from Warsaw, Illinois, in 1874. It was owned and operated by the Leyhe family, namely Henry W. and William H. Leyhe. Operated Eagle Boat Store Company, the oldest boat store in the United States, founded in 1837 and owned by the Leyhe family from 1895. The pilot house of the *Golden Eagle* in the Missouri Historical Society River Room is from the boat owned by the Eagle Packet Company. The boat sank in 1947.

The papers include meeting minutes, bills, correspondence, and tickets of the Eagle Packet Company and Eagle Boat Store; several bound volumes that consist of Henry W. Leyhe's practice ledger from commercial college (1879-1887); ledger of records regarding steamboats *Eagle, Josie, Spread Eagle, George Lisle*, and *Louis Houck* (1892-1893); ledger of accounts regarding *Bald Eagle* (1889?); logbook of *Louis Houck* and *Eagle* on the Mississippi River out of St. Louis (1890); portage book of *Cape Girardeau* (1931-1934), William H. Leyhe, ship's master; cashbook (1930-1931) and portage book of the *Golden Eagle*, William H. Leyhe, ship's master; and minute books, ledger, journal, and cashbook of the Eagle Boat Store Company (1895-1950).

Cite as: Eagle Packet Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2674

Eason, Ralph Lee (1903- ).

Family History Sheet, 1951 July 16. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ralph Lee Eason, 2840 Watson Road, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ralph Lee Eason Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0429

Easton, Rufus (1774-1834).

**Collection, 1796-1897; [1949-1956].** 1 box; 3 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Rufus Easton was born in Washington, Litchfield County, Connecticut, in 1774. He practiced law in Rome, New York, and emigrated to St. Louis in the winter of 1803-1804. He was appointed judge of the Territory of Louisiana by Thomas Jefferson in 1805, and was named first postmaster for St. Louis in the same year. He had corresponded with Aaron Burr in Burr's conspiracy with Wilkinson against the government, but denied participation in the plan. In 1814, Judge Easton was elected a delegate to Congress from the Missouri Territory and in 1821, when the state was organized, he was appointed attorney general of Missouri. Easton owned the ground on which Alton, Illinois, is situated and which was named for his son Alton R. Easton.

Collection contains business, political, and personal correspondence and biographical material about Rufus Easton and his family, including three manuscript law books kept by Easton while he was reading for the law during the early 1790s; documentation regarding Easton's early legal career in New York; materials relating to St. Louis politics in the territorial days, including correspondence relative to the Burr conspiracy; a manuscript of religious and philosophical writings attributed to Easton in his later years; land documents; and papers relating to the estate of Rufus Easton. Also includes correspondence of his daughter Mary Easton Sibley and letters of Eliza Ott to his son Alton R. Easton about Lindenwood College and life in St.

Charles, Missouri; and documentation relating to the military career of Colonel Alton R. Easton. Correspondents represented in this collection include Moses Austin, David Barton, Aaron Burr, Daniel G. Bissell, John C. Calhoun, Henry Clay, Alton R. Easton, Henry S. Geyer, Gideon Granger, Ulysses S. Grant, Thomas Jefferson, Charles Lucas, James Madison, James Monroe, William Russell, William T. Sherman, and John Smith T ("T" for Tennessee). In part photostats and typescript copies.

Photostats of Easton letters may not be reproduced.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

### A0431

Eaton, B.D.M. (1839-1919).

**Papers, 1932.** 2 folders (approximately 20 items)

B.D.M. Eaton was a newspaper man who came to St. Louis in 1850 and worked for several different newspapers. He founded the *Home Journal*, which later was renamed the *Hotel Reporter*.

Papers contain notes on St. Louis history—hotels, schools, Jefferson Barracks, road houses, streets—1862-1863; local theatrical people, 1850-1869; Chouteau's Pond; and paper on the river transportation problem.

Cite as: B.D.M. Eaton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0430

Eaton, Alfred N., Family.

Papers, 1858-1911. 1 folder

Contains mostly genealogical papers of the Eaton, Dean, Flandrin, Drew, and Hollister families. Includes plat (1858) and deeds (1858, 1922) for property at Poplar and Second Streets in St. Louis owned by Francis Flandrin and transferred to his descendants; will of Alfred N. Eaton (1893) and letters testamentary (1897); Eaton family correspondence (1911); and genealogical data, including the extracts from Sarah Dean's family Bible and assorted obituaries. Cite as: Alfred N. Eaton Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0432

Eaton, Lucien (1831-1890).

**Papers, 1854-1892.** 8 boxes; 45 volumes

Lucien Eaton was born September 24, 1831, in Canton, Massachusetts, and moved with his family to Iowa while still a child. He graduated from Harvard Law School and settled in St. Louis in 1858. He served as a sergeant in the 3rd U.S.R.C. (3 months) from May to August 1861, and in July 1863 was commissioned captain in the 23rd Missouri Infantry and was on detached service at St. Louis. In July 1864 he was commissioned major and judge advocate. After the Civil War, he was appointed register in bankruptcy for the Eastern District of Missouri. He married Emily Partridge of St. Louis in 1861, and after her death in 1872, married Hannah O. Noyes of Bridgewater, Massachusetts, in 1876. He had two sons, George Partridge and Frances (Frank) H. Eaton, by his first wife; and three children, Clara, Lucien, Jr., and Theodore Eaton, by his second wife. He died March 7, 1890, near San Antonio, Texas, and is buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis.

Collection consists of the personal and business papers of Lucien Eaton, including four boxes of family correspondence and personal papers, 1854-1891; and two boxes of records from

bankruptcy and estate cases. Also includes 37 volumes of letters received, 1858-1889; eight volumes of letters sent, 1861-1888, that relate to personal, military, and legal matters; five annual diaries kept by Eaton during his college days and early years in St. Louis, dated 1855-1858, 1868; and six journals kept by his son George Partridge Eaton while a student at West Newton English and Classical School in Newton, Massachusetts, 1878-1882. Finding aid available.

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

### A0433

Ebert, Carl S.

Scrapbook, no date. 1 volume

Cut-out images of birds and children.

Cite as: Carl S. Ebert Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2675

Eberts, Ralph Thomas, Jr. (1921- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1966 Dec 31. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ralph Thomas Eberts, Jr., 107 Frontenac Forest, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ralph Thomas Eberts, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0434

Eckelmann family.

**Certificates, 1898-1928.** 1 box (10 items)

Collection includes marriage certificate and license of Henry Eckelmann and Minnie (Wilhelmine) Dieckmann of St. Louis, baptismal and confirmation certificates of the children, William Henry and Helen Minnie Eckelmann, and a certificate and program from the Central Wesleyan College's Epworth League Institute program in Warrenton, Missouri. Some German.

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

# A2676

Eddens, Susan Ann (1941- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 Mar 14.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Susan Ann Eddens (nee Schroeder), 11078 Patrina Ct., St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Susan Ann Eddens Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2394

**Eden Publishing House.** 

Collection, 1920. 6 items

The collection includes (1) typescript note of the Kinloch Telephone Company, St. Louis, Mo., to Eden Publishing House, 712 Chouteau Ave., St. Louis: "We are enclosing herewith executed copy of Private Branch Exchange contract, orders having been issued to install same at

the earliest date possible." (2) Private branch exchange contract between the Kinloch Telephone Company and Eden Publishing House, July 15, 1920. (3) two copies of typescript statement of costs for private branch exchange. (4) Business card of E.E. Widener, representing Private Branch Exchange Department, Kinloch Telephone Co. (5) Blank private branch exchange contract. (6) Copy of typescript letter of Eden Publishing House to Mr. E.E. Widener, July 14, 1920, requesting installation of a private branch exchange.

Cite as: Eden Publishing House Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2677

Edison, Ilene Janis (1931- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Dec 23. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ilene Janis Edison, 7542 Byron Place, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Ilene Janis Edison Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0435

Edlin family.

**Papers, 1924-1965.** 1 folder

Seven World War I—era photographs of unidentified members of the Edlin family; naturalization paper of Albert Judell Edlin, 1924; World War II selective service registration card, immunization, and adjutant general office identification card of 1st Lieutenant Joseph Jay Edlin; his appointment as captain of Air Corps, U.S. Army, 1946; service record, 1942-1946; discharge papers, 1946; a U.S. Army Air Force notepad, 1944; and an invitation to the inauguration of Missouri governor Warren E. Hearnes, 1965, addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Edlin.

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

### A0436

Edmondson, Charles L.

Papers, 1860-1870. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Charles L. Edmondson served as captain of Company K, 1st Missouri Infantry (Confederate), in the Civil War.

Collection consists primarily of returns and other official papers of Company K, 1st Missouri Infantry. Other notable items include letter of Edmondson to Foote, dated near Atlanta, Georgia, August 13, 1864, which discusses casualties in the regiment and action in the Atlanta Campaign; letter of Loyd A. Haynes to Edmondson, dated Montgomery, Alabama, July 14, 1864; letter of John K. Newman, dated near Atlanta, August 13, [1864], which briefly describes affairs of the 1st Missouri Infantry; undated lyrics of the song of the "Maryland Brigade"; charges brought against Corporal James Divine, Captain Sprague's Company, Louisiana Volunteers, dated July 25, 1861; discharge of Musician John W. Lewis, 1st Missouri Infantry, dated November 18, 1862; parole of J.M. Daughters [James M. Daughters], dated Vicksburg, Mississippi, July 15, 1863; account of pay and clothing of Private Thomas J. Ruddle, 1st Missouri Infantry, dated December 16, 1863; special orders regarding the transfer of Private Warwick F. Rhoades, dated Richmond, April 5, 1864; and undated newspaper clipping listing casualties of the 1st Missouri Infantry at the Battle of Shiloh. Collection also includes railroad and steamer tickets; and a badge of the St. Louis Fancy Dress and Mask, home circle, 1869-1870.

Cite as: Charles L. Edmondson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2678

Edmunds, Sterling Edwin (1880-).

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Sterling Edwin Edmunds, 33 Vandeventer Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Sterling Edwin Edmunds Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0437

**Edson Family.** 

Edson-Russ Family Papers, 1856-1883. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Papers include correspondence to Daniel and Rachel Edson from family members in Leavenworth, Indiana, and Oregon and Washington Territories, and papers regarding the Russ family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edson-Russ Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0438

**Educational Institute Library (Saint Louis, Missouri).** 

Book catalogues, 1894-1899. 2 volumes

Two book catalogues, arranged alphabetically by author and by title.

Cite as: Educational Institute Library Book Catalogues, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0439

**Educational Museum of the St. Louis Public Schools.** 

**Records, 1901-1999.** 20 boxes; 8 volumes

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Educational Museum of the St. Louis Public Schools Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2679

Edwards, Crawford Winston, Jr. (1934-).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1968 Jan 1.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Crawford Winston Edwards, Jr., 8838 Madge Ave., Brentwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Crawford Winston Edwards, Jr., Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0440

**Edwards Family.** 

Papers, 1873-1958. 2 folders (approximately 65 items)

Papers include correspondence, newsclippings of the Edwards family, mostly concerning Joseph R. Edwards, the nephew of Missouri governor John Edwards, circa 1870; and genealogical information of the Edwards and Jefferson families.

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

# A2232

Edwards, Julius J., Jr. (1916-2000).

**Papers, 1916-2000.** 1 folder (13 items)

Julius James Edwards, Jr., was born February 8, 1916, in Mississippi. His parents, Julius James Edwards, Sr., and Hermine G. (Scott) Edwards, moved to St. Louis in 1921. Edwards married Alice Julia Thompson in 1936, and they had four daughters. During World War II, Edwards served with the U.S. Army. He was awarded the Bronze Star and Good Conduct Medal for the Rhineland Campaign. After the war, he was the owner and operator of Edwards Refrigeration and Heating Service for over thirty years. Edwards died December 17, 2000.

The papers consist primarily of Edwards's military records, including a separation qualification record, a Veterans Administration certificate of eligibility, and a discharge certificate. The collection also includes a copy of Edwards's birth certificate and a program for Edwards's funeral.

Cite as: Julius J. Edwards, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0441

Edwards, Marcellus Ball (1828-1849).

**Journal, 1846-1847.** 1 volume; 1 folder

Marcellus Ball Edwards was born in Northumberland County, Virginia, orphaned at age seven, and raised by his uncle, T.H. Henry. In 1836, he moved with his uncle to Saline County, Missouri, where he worked as a deputy clerk in the county clerk's office in Marshall, Missouri. At the age of 18, during the Mexican War, he enlisted as a private in Capt. John W. Reid's company, Alexander Doniphan, captain. He returned to St. Louis after the war and worked as an assistant in compounding medicine to the inmates of the city hospital. He died of cholera July 29, 1849.

Second edition, by author, of original journal of expedition to New Mexico and the southern provinces under General Stephen Watts Kearny and later Col. Alexander W. Doniphan. Descriptive account of life on the marches. Map of Mexico, New Mexico, California, and Oregon, dated 1847. Also partial typescript of journal and biographical account by Edwards' brother

Cite as: Marcellus Ball Edwards Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0442

Edwards, Ronald.

**Architecture Collection, 1892-1988.** 11 tubes, 1 box

Drawings of various projects around Missouri. Includes projects from the firm of Harms and Kramer (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Ronald Edwards Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0443

Edwards, Ruth Katharine (circa 1898-).

**Papers, 1906-1930.** 1 box

Ruth Katharine Edwards resided at 7109 Page Ave. and later 6915 Page Ave. in St. Louis County, Mo. She married Claude M. Downer circa 1935.

Diaries, letters, school notebooks, and literary manuscripts of Ruth Edwards. Includes her

diaries and letters home while on cruises in Europe, the Caribbean, and Hawaii in the 1920s and 1930s.

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

#### A0444

Edwin P. Ambler (St. Louis, Missouri).

Account books, 1904-1953. 28 volumes; 7 folders

St. Louis heating contractor.

Records including 13 weekly time books, 1904-1933; four ledgers, 1906-1948; three cashbooks, 1913-1931; and three associated volumes belonging to Edwin P. Ambler, Jr., the "Official Bulletin of the National Association of Heating and Plumbing Contractors," 1923 and 1925, and undated "Handbook of Engineering" by H.C. Tully. An addendum to the collection consists of a ledger (1927-1952), two cashbooks (1943-1953); two checkbooks (1948-1952); trial balances (1936-1941); papers relating to the incorporation of Missouri Heating and Construction Company (1905) and to the Heating and Piping Investment Company (no date); papers relating to the remodeling of the Edwin P. Ambler building on the northeast corner of 13th and LaSalle in St. Louis (1929); documentation regarding fuel oil rationing during World War II; and bank statements (1952).

Cite as: Edwin P. Ambler Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2680

Eigel, Catherine Christine Rohan, Mrs. (1908-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Mar 30.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Catherine Christine Rohan Eigel, 3654 Flora Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Catherine Christine Rohan Eigel Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2563

Eikenberg, Charles F.

United States patent for a combined counter and foot-rail bracket, 1914 Jan 6. 1 item U.S. patent number 1083357 for a combined counter and foot-rail bracket granted to Charles F. Eikenberg of St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Charles F. Eikenberg United States Patent for a Combined Counter and Foot-Rail Bracket, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2682

Eisenbeis, Percy Oliver (1891-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1950s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Percy Oliver Eisenbeis, 29 Kingsbury Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Percy Oliver Eisenbeis Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2681

Eisendrath, Erna Rice (1909- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Oct 29.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Erna Rice Eisendrath, 4930 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Erna Rice Eisendrath Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2683

Elam, Alva G. (1887- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 June 24.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alva G. Elam, 6010 South Kingshighway Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Alva G. Elam Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0445

Eliot, Henry Ware (1843-1919).

Papers, 1862-1929. 12 folders (approximately 40 items)

Henry Ware Eliot was the son of William Greenleaf Eliot, the founder of Washington University and the father of T.S. Eliot. He was a wholesale grocer, manufacturing chemist, and president of Hydraulic-Press Brick Company. He was also a member of the Board of Directors of Washington University and affiliated with the Academy of Science and the Missouri Botanical Garden.

Collection includes official military papers relating to Eliot's service in the Enrolled Missouri Militia during the Civil War; papers concerning Mrs. Eliot's work for legislation regarding delinquent and destitute children; three notebooks of Mrs. Eliot's poetry and family correspondence with their sons, Henry Ware Eliot, Jr., and T.S. Eliot. Finding aid available.

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

### A0446

Eliot, William Greenleaf (1811-1887).

**Papers**, **1832-1886**; [**1887-1961**]. 2 boxes

William G. Eliot was born in 1811, and was ordained a Unitarian minister in 1834. He came to St. Louis in the same year and resided there until his death in 1887. He married Abigail Adams Cranch in 1837. A social reformer as well as minister, Eliot was a zealous worker in the St. Louis cholera epidemic of 1849, a founder of the Western Sanitary Commission in St. Louis during the Civil War, and a founder of Washington University and Mary Institute. He established the first Unitarian church, and was an early advocate of prohibition and of women's suffrage and the education of women.

The collection includes manuscript and published sermons and addresses of William G. Eliot including the following: "Loyalty and Religion" (1861); "The Lost Birthright: A Sermon for the Young" (1863); "Emancipation in Missouri" (1863); "Steadfastness and Change: A Sermon for the New Year" (1864); "Newsboys Home Lecture" (1871); "Mothers & Daughters" (1871); "Confirmation" (1871); "The Heavenly Voice" (1871); "The First Stone: A Sermon for Lent" (1871); "The Devil and the Angels" (1871); "Bread" (1871-1872); "Palm Sunday: The Sure Triumph" (1871); "Easter Sunday" (1871); "The Sabbath Worker" (1871); "Christian Work in the City" (1871); "Whitsuntide: Pentecost" (1871); "The Just Shall Live by Faith" (1871); "The Fire Shall Try Every Work of What Sort It Is" (references the Chicago fire, 1871); "The Broad Church" (1872); "Treatment of the Guilty" (1875); "Faith! Hope! Charity! A Practical Sermon" (1876); "Religious Truth Made Vital by the Life of Jesus Christ" (1882); "The Christian Law of

Life" (1885); "Washington's Birthday: Patriotism"; "An Address on the Life and Character of the Late Hon. Wm. H. Ashley" (1838); "A Discourse Delivered Before the Members of the 'Old Guard'" (1862); "Education as Connected with the Right of Suffrage" (1865); "Inaugural Address Before the Government and Alumni of Washington University" (1872); and "Education of Girls and Young Women" (1876). Collection also includes documents relating to the slave Archer Alexander; bills and receipts; documents relating to the Civil War; correspondence of William G. Eliot; photocopies of newspaper clippings; papers relating to the Eliot family genealogy; correspondence of William T. Sherman to William G. Eliot, 1863-1886; papers relating to Washington University; papers relating to the Western Sanitary Commission; and reminiscences of William G. Eliot, Jr., regarding life in St. Louis in the 1870s and 1880s, Smith Academy, and St. Louis institutions and neighborhoods. Finding aid available.

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

# A0447

# Elkington, Robert.

Architecture Collection, 1946-1985. 15 map drawers, 3.5 cubic feet

Residential, institutional, and commercial drawings; specifications; and limited job files. *Preliminary inventory available* 

Cite as: Robert Elkington Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1818

Elliot, Lucy Cable (1883-1972).

**Papers, 1923-1972.** 3 folders

Lucy Cable Elliot was born January 23, 1883, in Columbus, Ohio. She graduated from Mount Holyoke College (Massachusetts) in 1904. In 1912, Elliot took a job teaching mentally challenged children in South Orange, New Jersey. She moved to St. Louis in 1920 when hired as the supervisor of special education for the St. Louis Public School System. Elliot became a pioneer in the education of mentally and physically handicapped children in the city and received numerous awards and recognition for her years of service. In 1960, a building at the St. Louis State School and Hospital was named in her honor, and she was chosen to receive the "Woman of Achievement" Award from the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* in 1964. She died February 28, 1972, in St. Louis, and is buried in Columbus, Ohio.

The collection consists of correspondence, newspaper clippings relating to Elliot's career and awards, Elliot's resume, programs, certificates, information on the history of audio-visual education in St. Louis, and biographical information on the life of St. Louis educator Fannie L. Lachmund.

Cite as: Lucy Cable Elliot Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0448

Elliott, Newton G. (1812-1887?).

**Papers, 1833-1909.** 3 boxes; 8 volumes

Newton G. Elliott was justice of the peace (1837), sheriff of Howard County, Missouri (1848-1852), and state representative in Missouri (1852).

Collection includes correspondence relating to the mule, horse, and cattle trade, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Pike's Peak, and California. Also includes muster rolls and other materials of the 1st Company, 14th Regiment, 1st Battalion, Missouri Militia (183-) from the Mormon War of

1838, in which Elliott was commander; slave papers, land deals, and medical and merchandise bills; transactions concerning the outfitting of the Santa Fe trade; promissory notes; papers relating to Howard County, including materials regarding runaway slaves, estates, criminal matters, and a certified list of registered voters of Franklin election district (October 28, 1872); account books containing notes on mules purchased, expenditures, deposits, and other financial notes; figures on cattle shipment; a recipe book; some materials relating to the Civil War; several bound volumes that include two account books of C.L. Elliott in Quincy, Illinois, in partnership with Robert C. Spencer (after May 1, 1885), consisting of nine separate accounts of varied business interests, including livestock, grain and produce, real estate, and lumber, 1885-1886; four account books of Hugh Elliott regarding general store in Boonville (1848), Lyons (1849), and Estill (1870, 1899-1912), Missouri; a ledger of grocery and general merchandise accounts of the firm N.G. and J.W. Elliott, in Boonville, Missouri, 1837-1839, with clippings regarding 1844 Howard County elections; and a ledger of mule, horse, and cattle trade business of Elliott and Smith (Newton G. Elliott and William Smith, partners), Boonville, 1853, with partnership dissolution agreement, 1854.

Cite as: Newton G. Elliott Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0449

Elliott, Richard Smith (1817- ). Papers, 1868-1890. 1 box; 12 volumes

Richard Smith Elliott was born in 1817 in Lewistown, Pennsylvania. Initially, he worked in the newspaper field for several years in Pennsylvania and Kentucky. Appointed Indian agent in 1843, he went overland from St. Louis to accept the position at Council Bluffs, Iowa. He broke the first prairie sod in Iowa, met William Ashley and Bonneville, and went overland with Doniphan's expedition at the outbreak of the Mexican War. He later became a real estate developer in St. Louis and helped establish the community of Kirkwood, Missouri. He also became the industrial agent of the Kansas Pacific Railway. He survived the Gasconade River bridge disaster of November 1, 1855, and was author of *Notes Taken in Sixty Years* (St. Louis: R. P. Studley & Co., 1883).

The collection includes twelve letterbooks of business letters written while he was industrial agent for the Kansas Pacific Railway, 1868-1890. Also includes a collection of manuscripts and manuscript fragments, including some typescript drafts, circa 1875-1880, relating mostly to the Mississippi River system, with discussion of dredging, bars, jetties, levies, the physics and hydraulics of the river, and the delta; manuscript fragments on the Galveston Harbor and on the Charleston Harbor jetties; notes on the properties of water and heat; a manuscript on coal in the Raton Mountains; fragments on the state of Texas and the old Northwest Territories; and an essay titled "Statesmanship—From Two Railroad Authorities." Some of these manuscripts appear to have been drafts for portions of *Notes Taken in Sixty Years*.

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

### A2684

Elliott, Thompson Coit (1862- ).

Family History Sheet, after 1915. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Thompson Coit Elliott, Walla Walla, Washington. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Thompson Coit Elliott Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Elmore, William E. (1925- ).

Family History Sheets, 1972 July 7. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William E. Elmore, 3065 Blackwood Drive, Florissant, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes family history sheet filled out by William E. Elmore's wife, Betty L. Elmore (nee Fishback), July 7, 1972.

Cite as: William E. Elmore Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3121

# **Emerson Electric Manufacturing Company.**

# Airplane Gun Turret Plant Dedication Invitation, 1942. 1 folder

The Emerson Electric Manufacturing Company, founded in 1890, had plans to build another manufacturing facility at its 162-acre site in Florissant, Missouri, when Pearl Harbor was attacked in 1941. The company quickly converted from electric fan and motor production to war production. Once its new factory was complete at 8100 Florissant Avenue, it became the nation's largest producer of airplane gun turrets during World War II. By 1944, women comprised 40 percent of the workforce, and the company completed 2,200 turrets per month for B-17, B-24, and B-26 bombers. By 1945, production slowed as the Allied war effort progressed, and layoffs at the plant began. Most of the factory was demolished in 1995.

The collection contains one invitation and accompanying envelope to the dedication of the Airplane Gun Turret Plant built by the Emerson Electric Manufacturing Company on September 7, 1942. The ceremony included the unveiling of a portrait of Capt. Colin P. Kelly Jr. The invitation includes an engraving of Kelly's portrait and a tribute to the war hero written by Gen. Henry "Hap" Arnold.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Emerson Electric Manufacturing Company, Airplane Gun Turret Plant Dedication Invitation, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0450

# **Emmons family.**

Collection, 1796-1941. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Family of Benjamin Emmons (1777-1843), Missouri territorial and state legislator; Benjamin Emmons (1815-1885), colonel in the Missouri Militia; and Benjamin Linton Emmons (1861-1942), a local historian who was engaged in the abstracting business in St. Charles, Missouri.

This collection consists of materials related to the history of St. Charles, Missouri, and spans the lives of three generations of the Benjamin Emmons family. Persons involved in the early transactions include Edward Bates, Frederick Bates, Charles Dehault Delassus, John C. Edwards, Archibald Gamble, Hamilton Gamble, J. Mackay, William G. Pettus, Amos Stoddard, and Zenon Trudeau. Manuscripts include St. Charles land documents from the French and Spanish periods, including Zenon Trudeau's decree to the inhabitants of St. Charles (1796), materials relating to the Louisiana Purchase, and documents relating to the St. Charles Commons. Also includes a diary of a trip from Virginia to Missouri, and from Dardenne Prairie to Jefferson City by William M. Campbell (1830); correspondence and legal documents of Benjamin L. Emmons, attorney; tax assessments in St. Charles County for 1843; lists of lands and town lots and taxes thereon for 1842 (filed May 3, 1844); list of citizenship papers (1859); a muster roll of the St. Charles Home Guards (filed 1862); emancipation certificates for slaves released by Radical Emancipationist

owners in St. Charles (filed September 29, 1863); an annual report of the St. Charles Library Catholic Association (January 7, 1868); and a scrapbook. Some typescript translations. Some French.

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

### A0451

Engelhardt, Lloyd.

Papers, 1924-1970. 15 boxes

Lloyd Engelhardt was an aeronautical engineer with Curtiss-Wright and McDonnell Douglass.

Collection contains engineering data for specific airplanes; interoffice memos; space aeronautical information on the *Voyager* and the *Gemini*; some personal papers; blueprints, drawings of some aircraft; and photographs of cockpits and airplanes.

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

#### A0452

Engelmann, George Julius (1847-1903).

**Papers**, **1861-1883**; **1953.** 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

George Julius Engelmann was the son of noted scientist Dr. George Engelmann. The family moved to St. Louis in 1835 and Dr. George Engelmann helped to found the *Anzeiger des Westens* and a German academy of science. George Julius Engelmann was born in 1847 and received his A.B. degree in 1867 and an M.A. degree in 1870 from Washington University. He practiced medicine in St. Louis and married his distant cousin Emily Engelmann, who died March 28, 1890. Shortly thereafter he moved to Boston, Massachusetts, where he is known to have married a second time. He died November 16, 1903, in Nashua, New Hampshire.

Papers include genealogical information and the diary of George J. Engelmann, which he kept during the Civil War years while a student at Washington University. Although a Southern sympathizer, he still attempts to give a fair report of events as he saw them, or as he learned of them through newspapers, local rumors, or reports from friends. He divides his entries between local news and news from abroad, and occasionally summarizes the progression of battles and engagements by dates and months. He pastes in pertinent clippings, and comments on laws, political news, and local events.

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

# A0453

Engelmann, Lydia.

Advertising Card Scrapbook, no date. 1 volume

Cite as: Lydia Engelmann Advertising Card Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0454

Engelmann, Theodor (1808-1889).

Reminiscences, 1885. 1 volume

Theodor Engelmann was born in the Palatinate in Germany, and died in Belleville, Illinois. He studied law at universities in Heidelberg, Jena, and Munich. Forced to leave Germany after a student uprising, he arrived in St. Louis in August 1833. In 1835, he assisted in editing the *Anzeiger des Westens*. He founded the *Beobachter* in Belleville in 1840, which was St. Clair County's first German newspaper. He was also elected the deputy circuit clerk. In 1852, he

entered into the practice of law with Gustav Koerner. Upon his retirement he devoted himself to the study of grape culture. He married Johanna Kribben in 1845.

Typescript translation of original German volume written in 1885. Translation by grandson Joseph Casimir Kircher, 1950-1951. Recounts Engelmann's life both in Germany and in the United States; includes several pages of family history, a photograph of Engelmann, and a family tree that dates up to 1958.

Cite as: Theodore Engelmann Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2686

**English, Roger P. (1924- ).** 

Family History Sheet, 1960 Jan 25. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Roger P. English, 7 Ivanhoe Woods, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Roger P. English Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2687

English, William Francis (1903- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Sept 22.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Francis English, Columbia, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: William Francis English Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Enrolled Missouri Militia. 54th Regiment.

**Order book, 1862-1864.** 1 volume

Transferred to Missouri Militia Collection.

### A0456

**Ensor Family.** 

Papers, circa 1830-1883. 3 folders; 7 volumes

Dr. Sidney Rainford Ensor was born November 13, 1808, in London, England. He emigrated to the United States in the 1830s, settling in St. Charles County, Missouri. In 1840 he married Berilla Jane Jameson, and after her death he married Elvira Dyer. Dr. Ensor was a physician and surgeon. He died July 3, 1876, in St. Charles County.

The papers include correspondence, receipts, and papers relating to the estate of Dr. Sidney R. Ensor. The collection also includes seven ledgers of Dr. Ensor, many of which relate to his medical practice.

Finding aid available.

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

# A0457

# Envelopes collection, late 1800s-early 1900s. 1 box

Collection of assorted postal covers from the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Cite as: Envelopes Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3080

Epworth Children & Family Services (St. Louis, Mo.).

**Records**, 1864-2013 (bulk 1864-1982). 4 boxes; 9 bound volumes; 1 oversize folder

Epworth Children and Family Services has a long history related to four other significant child welfare organizations: the Central Wesleyan Orphans Home, the Methodist Children's Home (formerly the Methodist Orphans Home), and the Epworth School for Girls. In 1975, the Epworth School for Girls and the Methodist Children's Home of Missouri merged to form a single agency of the United Methodist Church, officially incorporated as the United Methodist Children's Service of Missouri but popularly known as the Epworth Children's Home. In 1996, the name changed to Epworth Children and Family Services.

The records are arranged alphabetically into three series: Methodist Children's Home, Epworth School for Girls, and Epworth Children and Family Services. There are no records from 1993 to 2012. The collection includes clippings, brochures, events, accounts, meeting minutes, and registers of children in the Central Wesleyan Orphans Home, Methodist Orphans Home, and the Epworth Children's Home. Registers and documents about the children admitted to the homes are closed to research for a period of 75 years after the date of creation. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Epworth Children & Family Services Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0458

**Equal Suffrage League of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri). Financial reports, 1910-1916.** 1 box

Women's suffrage organization founded in St. Louis, April 8, 1910.

Contains some treasurer's reports, office expenses, reports of legislative work, and a bankbook.

Cite as: Equal Suffrage League of Saint Louis Financial Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0459

Erdman, Loula Grace.

# "The Years of the Locust" / manuscript, circa 1947. 2 volumes

Loula Grace Erdman was born on a farm near Almo, Missouri, and received her B.S. from Warrensburg in 1931 and master's degree from Teachers College, University of Missouri, in 1941. In 1947, she was teaching at West Texas State College in Canyon, Texas.

Typed manuscript and unbound galley proofs with correction of a novel about rural life in Missouri.

Cite as: Loula Grace Erdman, "The Years of the Locust," manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2688

Ernst, Edwin Charles (1885- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1963 May 28.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edwin Charles Ernst, 2 Schultz Road, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Edwin Charles Ernst Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2689

Ernst, Lillie R., Miss (1870-1943).

# **Memorial Booklet, 1944.** 1 item (15 pages)

Booklet published by the St. Louis Bird Club includes a memorial tribute to Lillie R. Ernst written by Wayne Short, with a foreward by Luther Ely Smith. Includes a portrait of Miss Ernst. Cite as: Miss Lillie R. Ernst Memorial Booklet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2243

# Errante, Felice.

# Certificates, circa 1941-1943. 2 items

Contains two certificates of the State Board of Health of Missouri, issued to Felice Errante, 1021 Cass Avenue, St. Louis, stating that he is registered to practice medicine and surgery for the years 1942-1945.

Cite as: Felice Errante Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2690

# Espenschied, Clyde Charles (1897- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1965 July. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Clyde Charles Espenschied, 1609 Hunter, Richmond Heights, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Clyde Charles Espenschied Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0460

# **Estates collection, 1771-1864.** 9 folders (approximately 100 items)

The papers concern claims against estates of prominent people of St. Louis and other parts of the country. Names of those acting as administrators or having other legal interest in the estates include Auguste Chouteau, Charles Gratiot, Charles Dehault Delassus, Charles Sanguinet, Edward Hempstead, Henry von Phul, John Bent, H.S. Geyer, Robert Simpson, Frederick Bates, Kenneth MacKenzie, and John F. Darby. Also includes papers pertaining to the estates of Antoine Laframboise (October 12, 1771), Etienne Derouen (1798-1806), Mathurin Bouvet (October 9, 1800), Jean Baptiste Tardif (June 30, 1808), Joseph Robidoux (1809-1812), John Colter (1814-1815), Robert McClennan (1815-1817), Saint Paul Lacroix (1815-1822), Charles Sanguinet, Jr. (November 6, 1818), John McKnight (1821-1836), Aaron T. Crane (January 15, 1822), Pascal Pourpart (June 13, 1822), William Smith (December 18, 1824), William Shearer (February 26, 1825), Helene Chevalier (1831-1835), Alfred K. Stevens (1832-1852), Antoine Cerre (1834), Auguste P. Chouteau (1838-1852), Robert Paul Lucas (November 23, 1840), Hypolite Papin (1842-1847), James A. Hamilton Palmer (December 20, 1843), Joseph and Simon Philipson (1844-1845), Adam Martin (1845), Francisco Robledo (1848-1850), Sylvester Labadie (1852-1855), Henry Shaw (November 1889), Mrs. Alice B. von Versen (no date), Julien Dubuque (1811), and Pierre Barribeau (?-c. 1850).

Finding aid available

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

# A1843

# Estes, Ambrose W., and Carroll D. Wood.

# Mineral certificate, 1901. 1 item

General Land Office mineral certificate of placer mining claim in Marion County, Arkansas, granted to Ambrose W. Estes and Carroll D. Wood, April 20, 1901.

Cite as: Ambrose W. Estes and Carroll D. Wood Mineral Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2691

Evans, Alexander Edward, Sr. (1907-).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1969 Apr.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Edward Evans, Sr., 655 Colebrook Drive, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Mrs. Evans' maiden name was Ruth Wilson.

Cite as: Alexander Edward Evans, Sr., Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0461

**Evans, Augustus H. (circa 1789-1863).** 

Papers, 1818-1874. 5 folders; 2 oversize folders

Augustus H. Evans was born circa 1789 in Virginia, and became a successful and wealthy merchant in St. Louis. He died June 5, 1863, in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of business correspondence of George E. Walker, James Y. Sanger, David Sanger, and Lucian P. Sanger of Ottawa, Illinois, to Augustus H. Evans, and various legal papers mostly relating to land in St. Louis. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Augustus H. Evans Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0462

Evans, David Gwynne ( -1916).

**Papers, 1875-1918.** 1 box

David G. Evans was born in South Wales. He was with the J.G. Flint Co. in Milwaukee, and came to St. Louis in 1858 to begin operation of the Flint-Evans Co., which later became the David G. Evans Co., dealers in tea, coffee, and spices. He married Julia Durkee (died 1897), daughter of Dwight Durkee, and later Mary Archer O'Reilly.

Papers relate primarily to the estate of David G. Evans (died 1916). These estate papers include his will and an inventory of the estate (filed 1914-1916). Also includes insurance papers, stock certificates, and bonds of St. Louis companies; the wills of Dwight Durkee and his daughter Julia Durkee Evans (Mrs. David G. Evans) and papers relating to their estates (filed 1899); an antenuptial (prenuptial) agreement between David G. Evans and his second wife, Mary Archer O'Reilly (filed June 12, 1906); and a bankbook of Gwynne Evans (1917-1925), the son of David G. Evans.

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

### A2983

Evans, Elizabeth M. (1916-1998).

European Travel Journal, 1928 Oct-Nov. 2 items

Elizabeth M. Evans was born July 6, 1916, in Pittsburgh. She married Joseph Holliday Bascom, a St. Louis business executive. She died February 9, 1998, in Chesterfield, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Journal (24 pages) includes entries regarding a trip with her parents from New York to Europe via the *Steamship Roma*. Includes descriptions of activities on the ship and visits to Rome, Florence, and Paris. Also includes letter signed Elizabeth Evans Bascom, 50 Glen Eagles

Drive, St. Louis, Mo., to [the Missouri Historical Society], September 18, 1988, regarding the journal.

Cite as: Elizabeth M. Evans European Travel Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2329

# Evans, Jas. S.

# Letter to H.I. Murphy, 1854 Oct 11. 1 item

Letter signed Jas. S. Evans, Iron Mountain, to his friend H.I. Murphy, states that he is too busy to meet with him tomorrow.

Cite as: Jas. S. Evans Letter to H.I. Murphy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2475

# Evans, John.

# Naturalization Certificates, 1829-1830. 2 items

Naturalization certificate of John Evans, a native of Great Britain, in the circuit court held at Potosi, Washington County, Missouri, September 4, 1829; and naturalization certificate of John Evens, a native of Great Britain, in the circuit court held at Potosi, Washington County, Missouri, March 4, 1830.

Cite as: John Evans Naturalization Certificates, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis

### A2958

# Evans, John H.

# **Papers, 1928-1935.** 11 items

Collection contains the following items: (1) Receipt book of Nugents in account with J.H. Evans, 1711 Monroe Ave., 1928. Includes a directory for each floor of the store. (2) Deferred payment account book of Famous-Barr Co., Olive, Locust, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Sts., St. Louis, Mo.. in account with J.H. Evans, 2503 Benton, 1930. (3) Receipt of May, Stern & Co., furniture and carpets, southeast corner 12<sup>th</sup> and Olive Sts., to John H. Evans, 2503 Benton, December 3, 1930. (4) Receipt book of Nugents in account with J.H. Evans, 2503 Benton St., 1931. Includes a directory for each floor of the store. (5) Receipt of Union House Furnishing Company, 1120 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo., to J.H. Evans, February 21-April 23, 1931. (6) Account payment book of J.C. Geitz Sewing Machine & Furniture Co., 1315-1317-1319 Market St., in account with J.H. Evans, 2503 Benton, 1931-1934. Booklet includes an engraved illustration of the company's building on the cover. (7) Account payment book of Biederman Furniture Company, 801-811 Franklin Ave., St. Louis, Mo., in account with Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Evans, 5546 Ashland, 1934-1935. (8) Invoice of L.D. Roberts Co., 6101 Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo., to John H. Evans, 5546 Ashland, St. Louis, Mo., for Frigidaire, March 19, 1935. Attached Frigidaire order form and chattel mortgage, March 22, 1928. (9) Account payment book of Biederman Furniture Company, 801-811 Franklin Ave., St. Louis, Mo., in account with J.H. Evans, 5546 Ashland, October 1935. (10) Return envelope of Biederman Furniture Company.

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

# A0463

# Evens, John Cooper.

**Papers, 1858-1959.** 1 partial box (3 items)

John Cooper Evens was a brick mason in St. Louis.

Contains ledger of the Evens and Howard Fire Brick Co., 1858-1862; stock book of the

Evens and Howard Fire Brick Co., 1867-1938; several undated advertising pamphlets; and genealogical information on John Cooper Evens and family supplied by Marian King, 1959. Cite as: John Cooper Evens Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Everett Family.**

Diaries, 1863 Jan 11-June 27.

See Journals and Diaries Collection, 1863.

### A0464

**Everett House (Saint Louis, Missouri).** 

**Hotel registers, 1867; 1873-1874.** 2 volumes

The Everett House was a St. Louis, Missouri, hotel under the proprietorship of Isaac B. Gildersleeve, a riverboat captain.

Cite as: Everett House Hotel Registers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2692

**Evertz, Rose L., Miss (1905-).** 

Family History Sheet, circa 1970s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Miss Rose L. Evertz, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Miss Rose L. Evertz Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2693

**Ewerhardt Family.** 

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1953 Dec.** 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Karl Francis Ewerhardt, 736 South Hanley Road, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Also includes biographical data sheet filled out by his wife, Irene Helen Eberle Ewerhardt. These sheets includes genealogical data on the Ewerhardt and Eberle families.

Cite as: Ewerhardt Family Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# F.B. Chamberlain Company (Saint Louis, Missouri, and East St. Louis, Illinois).

Records, 1886-1936. 1 box; 2 volumes; 2 oversize folders

F.B. Chamberlain Company was founded in 1855 by Frederick Bradley Chamberlain. Located at 118 Vine, the firm dealt in flour, butter, and cheese, and soon became known for the extent of its operations. Frederick Chamberlain remained at the head of the firm until his death in 1897. In the 1930s the company began producing chemical products.

Records include corporate records, 1901-1936; financial reports, 1919-1943; World War I reports and licenses; trademarks and labels, information regarding patents and registrations, 1886 to 1931; advertising matter; examples of labels, trademarks, and packaging boxes. Also includes naturalization certificate of Eugene Gustave Ressencourt, dated Chicago, Illinois, March 27, 1893.

Cite as: F.B. Chamberlain Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2514

F.W. Humphrey & Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Memo Book, circa 1892. 1 item

Cite as: F.W. Humphrey & Co. Memo Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0466

Fackler, John G.

**Diary**, 1854-1864. 1 volume

John G. Fackler was a minister.

The first part of the diary (January 1, 1854, to May 19, 1855) was written at Jefferson City and tells of his preaching, trips to St. Louis, and his first ride on a railroad train. The second part (May 19–September 24, 1864) describes his trip across the plains from St. Joseph to Sacramento, California. The diary deals with the following subjects: H. Clay Ewing, Indians, Jefferson City Capitol Building, Mormons, railroads, Salt Lake City, steamboats, and western travel. Cite as: John G. Fackler Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0467

# **Facsimiles collection.** 2 flat storage boxes

Facsimiles of numerous historical documents among which are the Gettysburg Address; Lee's General Order No. 9; translation of the treaty conveying Upper Louisiana Territory to the United States; small volume of Anthony Wayne and George Washington letters; book of facsimiles of original documents relating to the events of the Revolution; 40 documents of the Freedom Train; the Thomas Jefferson letter (July 4, 1806) to Capt. Meriwether Lewis instructing him on the impending journey to the Pacific Ocean; and the *San Francisco Town Journal*, 1847-1848. Also includes newsclippings and articles regarding fakes and forgery.

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

# A2694

Faherty, William Barby, Father (1914- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1964 Dec 10.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Father William Barby Faherty, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript letter signed William B. Faherty, S.J., to Dr. George R. Brooks, director of the Missouri Historical Society, December 10, 1964.

Cite as: Father William Barby Faherty Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2994

Fahey, Daniel Cox, Jr.

Letter to Mr. Gerry Eppley, 1936 Sept 30. 1 item

Typescript letter signed Daniel Cox Fahey, Jr., acting executive officer, Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, to Mr. Gerry Eppley, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland. Letter states in part, ". . . . I have been in St. Louis since the latter part of June on the planning and construction of the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, which is a memorial dedicated to Thomas Jefferson and others who had to do with the westward movement in this country. The work here entails the acquisition of about thirty-seven city blocks along the Mississippi River on the location of the site of the original city. We will acquire the property, demolish the now existing buildings, prepare the plans and direct the construction under the National Park Service of which this office is a part. . . . Unfortunately, certain politically-minded individuals are attempting to publicize this work as an unnecessary New Deal extravagance. . . . We are proposing as components of this memorial two museums: one a museum having to do with the fur industry of this country in which the City of St. Louis has always taken the lead. . . . The second architectural museum would be a Museum of American Architecture in which a comprehensive history of the building activities and styles in this country could be chronologically arranged and exhibited. . . ."

Cite as: Daniel Cox Fahey, Jr., Letter to Mr. Gerry Eppley, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2695

Falk, O.P. Joseph (1894- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1959 Dec 1.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by O.P. Joseph Falk, 3 Southmoor, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: O.P. Joseph Falk Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2696

Fall, Grace Jones, Mrs. (1893- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Nov 6.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Grace Jones Fall, 454 West Jackson Road, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Grace Jones Fall Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0468

Fallert Brothers (Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri).

Farm records, 1940-1956. 1 box

Annual financial records of the Sainte Genevieve County, Missouri, farm of Thomas Fallert and Frank J. Fallert.

Cite as: Fallert Brothers Farm Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Falstaff Brewing Corporation.**

**Records, 1934-1974.** 8 boxes; 4 volumes

The Falstaff Brewing Corporation headquarters were located in St. Louis. The brewery was originally Griesedieck Brothers Brewery, located at 1900 Shenandoah, St. Louis. Falstaff Brewing Company acquired Columbia Brewing Company, July 31, 1948.

Papers include records from the marketing and sales departments, 1965-1973, including advertising, marketing plans, an analysis of the Chicago Market in 1965, and sales reports; product reports from the technical department including taste tests, 1964; records from brewery operations and distribution, 1964-1975; financial statements, budgets, 1957, 1964-1965; records of Master Brewers Association of America annual business meetings, 1939, 1953-1956; records of Master Brewers Association—St. Louis District: minutes, treasurer's reports, membership rosters; and correspondence of Joseph Griesedieck, Sr., Ralph Wier, William Healy, 1964. Bound volumes include Falstaff Brewing Corp., New Orleans, 1937; Omaha, 1935-1937; general account book for plant #1, 1933-1937, with accounts receivable, cash register, etc.; ledger of general beer sales, 1954, divided into sale regions and type of container. Also includes records of Columbia Brewing Co., 1938-1948: applications and reports filed with the U.S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol Tax Unit, and plats of Columbia Brewing Co. buildings, 20th Street and Madison, 1934-1948. These plans were submitted to the U.S. Treasury Department, Alcohol Tax Unit for approval.

Cite as: Falstaff Brewing Corporation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3022

Famous Barr Company. (St. Louis, Mo.).

Public Relations Records, 1905-2007 (bulk 1955-1994). 13 boxes; 1 volume; 2 oversize folders

In 1892, David May purchased the Famous Shoe & Clothing Company in St. Louis and continued to purchase stores in other cities. In 1905, May moved his family to St. Louis and made it the headquarters for the company that became the holding company known as the May Department Stores Company. The May Company operated two stores in St. Louis between 1904 and 1908: The May Company Store (1904-1908) and the Famous Department Store (1892-1910). In 1911, the May Company purchased the William Barr Dry Goods Company and established the Famous-Barr Company. The Famous-Barr Company operated a store in downtown St. Louis for decades before it began opening additional stores. In 2005, the Federated Department Stores purchased the May Company and folded all former May divisions, including Famous-Barr, into Federated's various Macy's branches. By September 2006, all stores retained by Federated, except Lord & Taylor, were united under the Macy's name.

The collection is comprised of public relations records from the Famous-Barr Company, including some records relating to the May Department Stores Company and to Macy's, Inc. There are three series in the collection arranged alphabetically: **Administrative**, 1905-2007; **Events**, 1963-2003; and **Stores**, 1955-2002. The files came from the office of Famous-Barr vice president for public relations and special events, Helen Weiss. She inherited some records from her supervisor, Joan Van de Erve, along with some 1990s records that belonged to Sherri Gwinnup, vice president of special events.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Famous Barr Company Public Relations Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

Fant Family.

**Papers, 1848-1910.** 3 folders (18 items)

Hamilton G. Fant was a banker who resided in Washington, D.C. Other Fant family relations resided in St. Charles County, Missouri.

The collection contains personal letters of the Fant family; tax receipts; and a title abstract for land in the city of St. Charles.

Finding aid available.

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

### A0471

# Fare devices collection, [1895-1940]. 1 box

Collection of transportation devices, mostly streetcar transfers.

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

### A2697

Faribault, William Richard (1846- ).

Family History Sheet, early 1900s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by William Richard Faribault, Normandy, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: William Richard Faribault Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2998

Farish, E.H.

Papers, 1919. 6 items

Papers contain a typescript letter signed E.H. Farish, Neuilly-sur-Seine, to his brother, July 2, 1919, written on stationery of the American Red Cross, which reads in part, "I am enclosing the pictures that I spoke to you about in my last letter. These pictures were an undeveloped film that an American driver who accompanied young Maritz, the architect of Saint Louis, found in an abandoned residence the day after the Germans departed from Charleville. Charleville, as you know, was the headquarters of both the Emperor William and the Crown Prince, particularly of the latter, and I doubt whether there are a dozen set of these pictures in the U.S. . . . I trust that you and Jane and the family are enjoying the best of health and if the Bar is still in operation at 5221 Westminster, just drink an extra one for me. . . . "Papers also include five photographs relating to World War I with the following captions on the back: "Residence of the Emperor at Charleville"; "Crown Prince receiving at Charleville the King of Saxony"; "Hindy [Field Marshal Paul von Hindenburg] watching the step"; "Crown Prince & General St. saluting the Emperor"; and "Crown Prince's House at Charleville 6 ft concrete slab over Bed Room & Iron beams with steel net on top of residence to guard against aviators."

Cite as: E.H. Farish Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0472

Farmers Mutual Insurance Company (Lawrence County, Missouri). Record books, 1909-1914. 1 box (5 volumes)

Cite as: Farmers Mutual Insurance Company Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Farrar, Bernard Gaines, Dr. (1785-1849).

# Account books, 1807-1836. 9 volumes

Dr. Bernard Gaines Farrar was one of the first physicians west of the Mississippi River, arriving in St. Louis circa 1807. He was in partnership with David V. Walker, 1812-1825 (Farrar and Walker), and with Dr. Martins after 1832 (Farrar and Martins).

Records of medical practice consist of six volumes of business ledgers of Farrar and Walker, 1807-1825; journal of Bernard G. Farrar, 1826-1832, with undated notes on hiring out slaves in front of volume; and journal of Farrar and Martins, 1833-1836.

Cite as: Bernard Gaines Farrar Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0474

# Farrar, Charles Thruston.

# **Correspondence**, **1876-1940**. 1 box

Charles Thruston Farrar was associated with Farrar and Tate Real Estate and Financial Agents.

Contains photocopies of typescripts of personal and business correspondence of Charles Farrar.

Cite as: Charles Thruston Farrar Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0475

Farrar, Christy M.

**Papers, 1849-1960.** 1 box

Christy M. Farrar was a St. Louis attorney and realtor.

Business correspondence, mainly pertaining to St. Louis real estate and law practice of Christy M. Farrar. Other topics discussed include Missouri politics, and Japanese-American prisoner exchanges during World War II. Earlier material relates to Farrar's ancestors. Includes illustrated promotional postcard for the community of Northwoods (in northwest St. Louis County) titled "Your Rent Money Will Buy a Home," circa 1937.

Cite as: Christy M. Farrar Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2698

# Farrington, Thomas Lovett (1891-).

Papers, 1944-1964. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Thomas Lovett Farrington, 625 South Skinker Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri, December 26, 1944, and two copies of a typescript memorial sketch of Farrington, who died April 16, 1964.

Cite as: Thomas Lovett Farrington Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0476

# Fashion Exhibitors of America, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# **Minutes, 1936-1955.** 1 box

Fashion Exhibitors of America, Inc., is an organization of wholesale apparel salesmen in the St. Louis area. Through most of its history the organization was restricted to the women's and children's clothing industry, but eventually opened up to include men's apparel. It was organized in 1934 partly as a reaction to the shortage of gasoline. The chief function of the organization was to provide a central point where wholesalers or "exhibitors" could show their wares to retail representatives or "buyers." Through most of the organization's history, members assembled four

or five times a year at the Statler Hotel in St. Louis. At these times, buyers converged on the hotel to view the exhibitors lines, and participate in parties and seminars. In most years the exhibitors and their wives also met for an annual banquet.

Minutes of the organizational meetings. See the Missouri Historical Society Prints and Photographs Collections for graphic materials.

Cite as: Fashion Exhibitors of America Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3176

# Fashions R Boutique (Dellwood, Mo.)

Fire Recovery Collection, 2014. 2 boxes

Juanita Morris opened Fashions R Boutique, a clothing boutique and alterations business, in 1988. She operated at 9844 West Florissant Road in Dellwood for 11 years until rioters looted and burned her business on November 24, 2014. The unrest followed the announcement that a grand jury did not indict police officer Darren Wilson in the fatal shooting of Michael Brown Jr. in Ferguson, Missouri. The boutique's building was destroyed along with its contents.

The collection contains charred papers salvaged from Juanita Morris's Fashion R Boutique building located at 9844 West Florissant Road by staff members of the Missouri Historical Society in January 2015. The papers represent the broad effect of the upheaval surrounding the 2014 shooting death of Michael Brown Jr. and the subsequent civil unrest in Ferguson, Missouri, and nearby municipalities. Due to the fragility of the items, they are housed in special boxes that allow viewing but reduce movement.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Fashions R Boutique Fire Recovery Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2699

Faure, Maurice Jerome (1877-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Maurice Jerome Faure, 310 North Skinker Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Maurice Jerome Faure Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2309

**Faust-Busch Family.** 

**Papers**, **1835-1965**. 1 box; 1 oversize item

Anthony Edward ("Tony") Faust (1836-1906) was born in Prussia, and came to the United States in 1853. He established a popular restaurant in St. Louis known as Faust's Restaurant. He married Elizabeth Bischoff in 1865. Their son Edward A. Faust married Anna Louise ("Tolie") Busch, daughter of St. Louis brewer Adolphus Busch.

Collection contains correspondence, menus, memorial cards, holy cards, newspaper clippings, and other papers of the Faust-Busch and allied families. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Faust-Busch Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0477

Fayette, Missouri.

**Collection, 1837-1843.** 1 volume (131 pages)

Daybook of unidentified outfitter.

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

### A2700

Feagan, Priscilla Katherine, Mrs. (1921-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1963 Jan 13.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Priscilla Katherine Feagan (nee Alden), 4905 Lindell, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Priscilla Katherine Feagan Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0478

Federal Barge Lines, Inc.

Property book for the steamer Mark Twain, 1932 Mar-1936 Dec. 1 volume

Record of unexpendable property and equipment.

Cite as: Federal Barge Lines Property Book for the Steamer *Mark Twain*, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1808

Federation of Missouri Trapshooters.

**Collection, 1934-1940.** 4 folders

The collection consists primarily of clippings and programs describing trapshooting events in Missouri and Illinois. Much of the material pertains to the Creve Coeur Gun Club.

Cite as: Federation of Missouri Trapshooters Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0479

Federer Realty Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1929-1963.** 17 boxes

Federer Realty Company was founded in 1914 by William A. Federer. The company was responsible for developing 40 residential subdivisions in St. Louis City and County, including Holly Hills, Berkshire, Richmond Hills, Radcliffe, Grand-Dover Park, and Hampton Hills. Federer was also a founder of the Jefferson–Gravois Bank and served on the City Zoning Committee (St. Louis). He also served one term on the St. Louis Board of Equalization. He died February 17, 1969.

Records include rent receipts, correspondence regarding the subdivisions; correspondence, briefs and newsclippings regarding James L. Fitzpatrick et al. vs. William Federer, et al.; correspondence and printed material regarding the Missouri Real Estate Association; correspondence, rent receipts, etc. regarding the Jefferson–Gravois Bank; blueprints for homes; plat maps for subdivisions.

Cite as: Federer Realty Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2701

Feehan, John Maver, Rev. (1905-).

**Biograpical Data Sheets, 1959 June.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Rev. John Maver Feehan, 3040 Hawthorne Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical

data on his family.

Cite as: Rev. John Maver Feehan Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2702

# Fehlig, Edward Keeler (1934- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1966 Jan 3.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edward Keeler Fehlig, 8463 Colonial Lane, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri, January 3, 1966, and undated family history sheet filled out by Fehlig's wife, Sarah Gatch Fehlig. These sheets includes genealogical data on the Fehlig and Gatch families.

Cite as: Edward Keeler Fehlig Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0480

# Felger, Isaiah S.

Account books, 1862-1881. 3 volumes

Isaiah S. Felger lived in Davenport, Iowa, and after 1864 in Geneseo, Illinois. He was employed by Christopher Sherwood Whistler in Davenport; in partnership with William Harbaugh (Felger and Harbaugh) in Geneseo, operating a general store.

One volume of personal accounts of Isaiah Felger in Davenport, Iowa, and Geneseo, Illinois (1862-1869), with memoranda of business transactions while in the employ of Whistler in Davenport (1862-1864). Two account books of Felger and Harbaugh, general merchandisers, in Geneseo, Illinois, 1867-1881.

Cite as: Isaiah S. Felger Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0481

# Fenian Brotherhood.

**Papers, 1869-1922.** 21 folders (66 items)

The Fenian Brotherhood was formed in the United States circa 1858 with its goal being the liberation of Ireland from English rule. The Fenians launched several unsuccessful raids into Canada (or British North America) from 1866 to 1871. John O'Keefe (or John O'Keeffe) was born in 1847 in Kilkenny, Ireland, and came to the United States as a boy. He served on the Union side during the Civil War, and became a captain in the regular army. He later fought as an officer in the 2nd Cavalry. He died January 25, 1923, in St. Louis.

The Fenian Brotherhood Papers contain several speeches of John O'Keefe; a couple of publications of the brotherhood; and a scrapbook that consists primarily of circulars, orders and correspondence of the Fenian Brotherhood.

Finding aid available

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

# A3067

# Ferguson (Mo.) Commission.

Collection, 2014. 1 folder

On August 9, 2014, a Ferguson, Missouri, police officer fatally shot an unarmed Michael Brown, Jr. The event sparked a reinvigorated movement focusing on issues of social justice that resonated throughout the region and nation and also attracted international attention. In a ceremony at the Missouri History Museum on 18 November 2014, Governor Jay Nixon signed

an executive order creating a sixteen-member Ferguson Commission. The Commission was given a September 2015 deadline to issue a report with policy recommendations.

The collection contains four items collected at the ceremony. It includes the five page press release listing the 16 members of the Commission, its task, its budget, and two pages of frequently asked questions. There is a program for the Ferguson Commission with photographs and brief biographies of all 16 members and the pen that Gov. Nixon used to sign the executive order. After the ceremony, Gov. Nixon sent a handwritten thank you note to Missouri History Museum president, Frances Levine.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ferguson Commission Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0482

Ferguson, Philip Gooch (1824-1887).

Diary, 1847-1864. 1 volume

Philip Gooch Ferguson was born in Prince Edward County, Virginia, and educated in Virginia and Missouri. By the age of 23, he had been involved in several newspapers before joining the 3rd Regiment of Missouri Mounted Volunteers, which was involved in the Mexican War. After the war he had a business interest in the St. Louis newspapers, the *Democrat* and the *St. Louis Herald*. Known as "Jenks" in the newspaper business.

The diary of day-to-day accounts of his expedition with the Mexican War effort, with good descriptions of places and the Mexican people he encountered. Continues with descriptions of his life in St. Louis after the war, with commentary on local events. Also includes some of his poetry.

Cite as: Philip Gooch Ferguson Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2703

Ferguson, William Clarence (1884- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding William Clarence Ferguson, filled out by his sister Gladys F. McCrary. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: William Clarence Ferguson Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2704

Ferring, Georgene Otto, Mrs. (1921-).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1959 Feb 18. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Georgene Otto Ferring, 9 Fielding Road, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Georgene Otto Ferring Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0483

Ferris, Ruth.

**Papers, 1948-1985.** 1 box

A widely reputed authority on the Mississippi River and steamboats, Ruth Ferris was a St. Louis teacher at the Community School at 900 Lay Road in Ladue, Missouri, for 35 years until her retirement as assistance principal in 1957. Thereafter, she worked as curator of the River

Room at the Missouri Historical Society until her second retirement in 1965.

Select papers, consisting of biographical data; a scrapbook documenting Ferris' tenure with the Missouri Historical Society (1958-1965); and printed matter from the Community School, consisting of a flier regarding the history of *Golden Eagle* pilot house and its purchase by the Community School (1948), newsletters (1985), alumni bulletins (1984-1985), annual report (1983-1984), undated brochure and programs commemorating the 70th anniversary of the school (1984-1985). The collection also includes a letter from Don Jones of CBS addressed to Ferris, April 25, 1960.

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

# A2705

Ferriss, Grace Moon, Mrs. (1886-).

Biographical Data Sheet, [no year] Feb 12. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Grace Moon Ferriss, 501 Clara Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Also includes *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* newspaper clipping, September 23, 1971, regarding the divorce of Mrs. Ann H. Ferriss and Judge Franklin Ferriss. (The Ferriss home was located at 217 Linden Ave., Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri.)

Cite as: Mrs. Grace Moon Ferriss Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2706

Ferriss, Marion Ford. (1921- ).

**Papers**, **1903-circa 1960s**. 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marion Ford Ferriss, 4610 Pershing, St. Louis, Missouri, February 11, [no year]; family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marion Ford Ferriss, circa 1960s; three-page typescript titled "Memoranda of Genealogy of the Callaways, Especially the Branch of Which Callaway Brown, Bedford City, Virginia, Is a Member," compiled March 3, 1903; and magazine clipping with portrait of Colonel William Callaway (1714-1792) of Bedford, Virginia. Cite as: Marion Ford Ferriss Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0484

Fetter, William W.

**Ledger, 1858-1859.** 1 volume (200 pages)

Ledger of accounts of general store in Fieldon, Illinois. Daily entries of goods sold for cash and goods sold on time at rear of volume.

Cite as: William W. Fetter Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0485

Fiala, John T. (-1871).

**Papers, 1860-1871.** 1 folder (12 items)

Colonel John T. Fiala was a Hungarian by birth, but was educated in an Austrian military school, and entered the Austrian service at an early period of his life. During the Hungarian revolution he enlisted in the Hungarian Army, served with distinction, and was promoted by Louis Kossuth to lieutenant colonel. After the collapse of the revolutionary cause he came to St. Louis, where at the outbreak of the Civil War, he had a position in the surveyor-general's office. He was one of the first to use his influence to organize the German-born residents of the city in

military units. He was elected lieutenant colonel of the 2nd Regiment, Home Guard, and was present with this regiment at the capture of Camp Jackson. He died June 2, 1871, in St. Louis.

The collection consists of letters written to Colonel Fiala during the period 1861-1871. Most of them were written by General Fremont, with one from his wife, Jessie Benton Fremont. While the earlier letters in the group refer to minor administrative problems, they do include such items as a report on the fortifications at Jefferson City, and other local affairs. After Fremont's removal from command at St. Louis, the letters provide interesting information on the general's plans and activities. Several letters concern Fremont's interest in the Union Pacific Railway, and one letter is an introduction of Fiala as engineer of the railroad.

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

### A2707

Fick, Anne L., Mrs. (1922- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1960s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Anne L. Fick (nee LaBarge), St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Anne L. Fick Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0486

Field, Eugene (1850-1895).

Papers, 1855; 1872-1955. 3 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Eugene Field was an author, poet, and newsman. He attended Missouri University, and later worked on newspapers in St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, and Denver. In 1883, he joined the *Chicago Morning News* (in 1890 renamed the *Record*) and remained until his death. While on the *News*, he wrote "Sharps and Flats" on the editorial page.

Papers consist mainly of proof sheets of works of Eugene Field, some signed; correspondence, theater programs, and newsclippings. A portfolio, notes of Eugene Field, corresponding secretary of the Missouri Press Association, 1878, giving a history of Missouri newspapers. Correspondents include William Barrett, Samuel L. Clemens, Zee James (Mrs. Jesse James), Sol Smith Russell, and Francis Wilson.

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

### A0487

Filley Family.

Papers, 1740; 1810-1953. 3 boxes; 2 volumes

Oliver D. Filley was born in 1806, came to St. Louis in 1829, and served as mayor of St. Louis, 1858-1860. Giles F. Filley (1815-1900) came to St. Louis in 1834. Chauncey Ives Filley (1829-1923) was born in Lansingburg, New York, and came to St. Louis in 1850. He was mayor of St. Louis in 1863; postmaster of St. Louis under Ulysses S. Grant; administrative chairman of the Missouri State Republican Committee; and chairman of arrangements for the opening of Eads Bridge. Augustus Filley was born in 1766.

Papers consist mainly of correspondence of Oliver D. and Giles F. Filley to their family in Connecticut, relating to early ventures in the tin and stove manufacturing business. Giles F. Filley's firm, the Excelsior Manufacturing Company, made the famous "Charter Oak" cooking stove. Also includes records pertaining to affairs and public service of Chauncey Ives Filley. These include Chauncey I. Filley's letterbook, 1862, containing only two letters, one of which discusses railway routes between St. Louis and Little Rock and Bismarck and Little Rock, and map of Berkshire Hills, Massachusetts. Also includes personal record book of Augustus Filley,

1874-1818, with information on the Filley family in Windsor, Connecticut, and other genealogical information. This collection contains much of political interest as well as social sidelights on St. Louis history, including data on James O. Broadhead, the Chartrand family, the Civil War, Gen. John B. Clark, the constitutional convention of 1865, the Eads Bridge, James A. Garfield, Samuel T. Glover, Judge Louis Gottschalk, William S. Harney, the growth of the post office in St. Louis, early railroads, Gen. Rosecrans, the early days of St. Louis, St. Louis Gas Company, the Sanitary Fair Commission, Carl Schurz, and transportation, waterways, etc. Cite as: Filley Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2708

Finch, Marie Elsie Donk (1896- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1960s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Marie Elsie Donk Finch, 404 Edgewood Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Marie Elsie Donk Finch Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0488

Finney, J.B.

Papers, 1871-1953. 1 folder

Collection includes correspondence, bills, obituaries, genealogical data of the J.B. Finney family, and a daybook of J.B. Rozier in account with J.B. Finney.

Inventory of collection with collection.

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

#### A2286

Fiorita Family.

**Papers, 1941-1965.** 2 boxes

Nicholas Rocco Fiorita, the son of Frank and Lina Fiorita and brother of Girolmina (Ina) Fiorita, attended St. Louis University High School. After graduating from SLUH in 1945, he was stationed with the army at Fort Knox, Kentucky, from 1945 to 1946. After his service, he attended the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy in Rolla, Missouri. In the fall of 1948, he began attending school at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C., where he was enrolled in the School of Foreign Service. Upon graduating, he went to work at the American Embassy in Tehran, Iran. After his work there, he began work in Bangkok. He later resided in Kansas City, Missouri. He died December 10, 2001.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence written to or from Nicholas Fiorita. Correspondents include girlfriends, army friends, former schoolmates, teachers, and family members. The letters include information about Nick's time spent stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky, his school years at Georgetown University, his travels and work in Tehran and Bangkok, and other personal affairs and activities of the letter writers. Primary correspondents include James Carow, LaDona Heieck (3901 Bowen St., St. Louis), and Fr. F.W. Benoit. The collection also contains account books of Frank Fiorita relating to the A.R. Fiorita Produce Company and letters to Lina Fiorita regarding her work with the Republican Women's Club of Missouri.

Finding aid available.

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

# First American Title Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Selected title abstracts, 1766-1927. 8 boxes; 1 oversize folder

First American Title Company was formed following a series of mergers of St. Louis area title insurance companies. In 1901, thirty-one title companies formed Title Guaranty Trust Co., and in 1927, merged with seven additional title companies to form the Title Insurance Corporation of St. Louis. In the 1960s Title Insurance Corporation became St. Paul Title, and finally, First American Title Company.

Collection consists of selected St. Louis title abstracts relating mostly to land in the Lafayette Square neighborhood in St. Louis. Abstracts were initially prepared by St. Louis Title Company; August Gehner, Titles and Real Estate; and Land Title Co. of St. Louis.

Arranged sequentially by abstract number.

Abstracts were given to donor by the First American Title Company, without restriction, in September 1991, when First American Title determined that maintenance of its vault of title abstracts had become too costly. Remainder of First American Title Company's abstracts were subsequently destroyed.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: First American Title Company Abstracts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2925

# First Presbyterian Church (University City, Missouri).

Papers, 1942. 1 folder

The First Presbyterian Church is located at 7200 Delmar Blvd. in University City, Missouri. Papers contain (1) two programs for Sunday church services, November 8 and November 15, 1942; (2) an invitation to the 125th anniversary celebration of the church to be held November 12-19, 1942; (3) script for the church pageant, November 1942 (19 pages) (4) and church newsletter titled "The First Church," Volume IV, Number 3, December 16, 1942. Cite as: First Presbyterian Church (University City, Missouri) Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0490

# First Trinitarian Congregational Church of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri). Minute book, 1857-1918. 1 volume

Established March 1852.

Minute book, with newsclippings, constitution, membership list, and bulletins. Cite as: First Trinitarian Congregational Church of St. Louis Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2709

Fischel, Virginia Elliot, Mrs. (1891-).

Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1950s. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Virginia Elliot Fischel, 4 North Kingshighway, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Also includes letter signed Virginia Fischel to Charles van Ravenswaay, May 13, [no year]. Cite as: Mrs. Virginia Elliot Fischel Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Fischer, Marilyn L. (1936-2018).

Monsanto Company Collection, 1954-2004. 1 box; 1 oversize folder.

Marilyn L. Fischer was born in Waterloo, Illinois. After graduating from high school, she attended Miss Hickey's Secretarial School in St. Louis and was hired by Monsanto Company in 1954. After nine years of rising through the ranks, Fischer attained the position of executive secretary to company president Edward Bock. She worked for the Monsanto Company in various managerial positions within their professional engineering department and retired after 37 years.

The collection includes materials collected by Marilyn Fischer about Monsanto Company during her 37-year career with the company. The collection dates from 1954 to 2004 with several date gaps. It is arranged alphabetically by topic.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Marilyn Fischer Monsanto Company Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3136

Fischer, Robert E. (1924-2004) and Lorraine D. (ca. 1926-). Letters, 1943-1946. 2 boxes.

Robert (Bob) E. Fischer graduated from Beaumont High School in 1942 and completed one year of college before he entered the U.S. Army Air Force (USAAF) at Jefferson Barracks in the fall of 1943. He remained at Jefferson Barracks for six weeks and then went to East Lansing, Michigan, for training. By August 1944, Bob flew as a navigator on missions from Italy with the 15th Air Force, 20th Squadron, 2nd Bomb Group. He completed fifty-one combat missions in approximately three months and returned to the United States in February 1945. He remained in the USAAF for the remainder of the war and joined the Air Transport Command flying out of the Municipal Airport in Memphis, Tennessee. Lorraine D. Fahien worked as a typist at the International Shoe Company and wrote to several acquaintances and friends serving in the military during World War II. She wrote to Bob Fischer, whom she knew from Pilgrim Lutheran Church where their families were members. When Bob returned home on leave in February 1945, the two dated and became a couple. Bob was discharged in October 1945 and earned a business degree from Washington University in 1948. He and Lorraine married in September 1946. Bob died March 12, 2004, and is buried at Jefferson Barracks Cemetery.

The collection is comprised of letters written and received by Lorraine D. Fahien and Robert E. (Bob) Fischer from 1943 to 1946. Most of the letters date from 1945. The letters are arranged chronologically with gaps occurring in December 1943, May through July 1944, February 1945, December 1945 through April 1946, and June through August 1946. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Robert E. and Lorraine D. Fischer Letters, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2481

Fisher Body Division, General Motors Corporation, St. Louis Plant. Circular Letter to Employees, 1954 Nov 12. 1 item

Circular letter signed B.H. Sweeney, plant manager, invites employees' families and friends to an open house to celebrate the production of General Motors' 50 millionth vehicle. Cite as: Fisher Body Division, General Motors Corporation, St. Louis Plant, Circular Letter to Employees, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Fisher, John W.

**Papers, 1850-1920.** 4 folders (70 items)

Deeds, instruments, etc. pertaining to land in Pemiscot County, property of Fisher family; checks and receipts; application for membership in Modern Woodmen of America. Cite as: John W. Fisher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0492

Fiske, John (1842-1901).

Papers, [1850-1920]. 3 folders (approximately 15 items)

John Fiske was born in Hartford, Connecticut, in 1842. He grew up in Middletown and remained there until he entered Harvard. He received the degree of LL.D. in 1865 and A.M. in 1866. In 1879, he devoted himself to writing and lecturing. He made himself known as a lucid expositor of Spencer and Darwin. He was one of the most sought-after lecturers in America. He was appointed professor of American history at Washington University in 1885 and had been a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, American Oriental Society, British Folklore Society, and the California Historical Society. He died July 4, 1901.

The papers contain maps drawn by Fiske for use in his books; essay by W.P. Trent titled "Mr. Fiske's Old Virginia"; proof sheets from "The Fall of New France," by John Fiske; bibliophile society proof of John Fiske's Astoria address, which was later given to William K. Bixby.

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

# A0495

Fitz-John Porter court martial collection, 1863-1891. 1 box (approximately 50 items)

Papers concern the re-opening of the case involving the court martial of Fitz-John Porter. Cite as: Fitz-John Porter Court Martial Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0493

Fitzgerald, William L.

Criminal law digest, circa late 1800s. 1 volume (478 pages)

William Fitzgerald was a St. Louis attorney, who began his career in the 1860s with the city marshal's office. During the 1870s and 1880s, he served as a clerk in the Court of Criminal Corrections. In the 1890s he practiced law as a private attorney.

This volume is a manuscript digest of criminal law in Missouri, arranged alphabetically by topic, with definitions and case citations, and an index of cases at rear of volume. It is unclear at what point in Fitzgerald's career this digest was compiled and used.

Cite as: William L. Fitzgerald Criminal Law Digest, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0494

**Fitzgibbon, James W. (1916-1985)** 

Papers, circa 1938-circa 1986. 21 boxes, oversize folders, 15 tubes

Drawings, prints, sketches, slides, films, photographs, watercolors, and newsclippings related to Fitzgibbon and Synergetics, Synergetics job files, correspondence with friend and business associate Buckminster Fuller, notes, and various teaching/research files. Finding aid available.

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

# A0496

# Fitzpatrick, Daniel Robert, 1891-1969.

Collection, 1954-1968. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Daniel Fitzpatrick was the political cartoonist for the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* from 1913 until 1958. During his 45-year tenure with the paper, he won two Pulitzer Prizes and was generally regarded as the preeminent editorial cartoonist of his day. He produced upwards of 14,000 cartoons.

Collection includes Daniel Fitzpatrick's correspondence to his friend William (Chub) E. Mueller, 1965-1968; newsclippings; and reproductions of photographs of Fitzpatrick, friends, and family; certificates, citations, etc., and birthday book compiled by staff members of KSD for Daniel R. Fitzpatrick, 1954-1966.

Cite as: Daniel Robert Fitzpatrick Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0497

# Fitzwilliam, Edgar J.

Papers, 1800-1926. 3 folders (approximately 80 items)

Papers include family correspondence; deeds; family records, etc. Also includes Bradford and Wash family genealogies.

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

## A0498

# Flad, Henry (1827-1898).

# Papers of Henry and Edward Flad, 1846-1940. 1 box

Henry Flad was born in Baden, Germany, in 1824. He graduated from the University of Munich in 1846 and emigrated to the United States in 1849 in the wake of the revolutions in Europe. He worked as an engineer for several railroads and upon the outbreak of the Civil War, he enlisted as a private in the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months). He later rose to the rank of colonel in the Engineer Regiment of the West. He was mustered out in November 1864. After the war he returned to St. Louis, where he served for several years as the president of the Board of Public Improvements. He died June 20, 1898, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. His son Edward Flad (1860-1935) was St. Louis city engineer, water commissioner, member of the Missouri Public Service Commission, and engineer in private practice.

Papers concern mainly Henry and Edward Flad, and include Flad genealogy, naturalization of Henry Flad, correspondence of Henry Flad and his wife, materials regarding St. Louis Water Works (including descriptions and blueprints, 1903), repeal of prohibition, decisions of Public Service Commission, reorganization of St. Louis Public Service Co., and work on smoke abatement in St. Louis. In part transcripts and translations.

Cite as: Papers of Henry and Edward Flad, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0499

# Flagg, Edmund (1815-1890).

# **Papers, 1825-1890s.** 12 boxes

Born in Maine in 1815, Flagg came to St. Louis in 1836 and studied law under Hamilton R. Gamble. After completing *The Far West*, a journal of his wanderings through Illinois and Missouri, he worked briefly for a Louisville, Kentucky, newspaper; practiced law in Vicksburg, Mississippi; served as editor of the *Marietta*, *Ohio*, *Gazette*; and published two novels. In 1845,

he returned to St. Louis to edit the *St. Louis Evening Gazette*, leaving that paper after a short while to become a court reporter for St. Louis County. He contributed stories to the *Missouri Republican*, and published several more novels and plays during his stay in St. Louis. Appointed consul at Venice in 1850 by President John Tyler, Flagg left St. Louis, returning to become editor of the *St. Louis Times* in 1853. He was appointed superintendent of statistics for the Department of State in 1856, at which time he wrote his "Report on the Commercial Relations of the United States with All Foreign Nations." Flagg's memoirs, written after his retirement from U.S. government service, recount a life of varied experiences and interests, and shed many highlights on events and personages in St. Louis. Flagg died in Virginia in 1890.

Correspondence, dated 1825-1890s, relates to Flagg's career as a journalist and author, and to his personal and financial affairs. Also includes notes on scenes along the Mississippi River, with a detailed sketch of Nauvoo in July 1846; the manuscript of an article on the early days of St. Louis, published in the *United States Illustrated* in 1853; scrapbooks of newsclippings of Flagg's writings for newspapers in St. Louis, Louisville, and Marietta, Ohio; the manuscript of unpublished portions of Flagg's book, *Venice: City of the Sea*; reviews of Flagg's best known novel, *De Molai*; manuscript and printed versions of newspaper carriers' New Year's addresses furnished by Flagg for the *Missouri Statesman*, 1847, the *Daily Missouri Republican*, 1853, and other papers; manuscript of Flagg's memoirs; and Bowdoin College notebooks and personal account books.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0500

# Flags collection, 1879-1967. 1 box

Correspondence, printed material, historical notes regarding flags of interest to the state of Missouri, organizations, military units, and individuals. Includes material regarding desecration of the flag and proper display of flags.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2710

# Flamingo Park (Florissant, Missouri).

Real Estate Brochure, circa 1962. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Real estate brochure published by Givens & Rolwes, Inc., 760 St. Francois, Florissant, St. Louis County, Missouri, promotes homes in the Flamingo Park neighborhood of Florissant. Cite as: Flamingo Park Real Estate Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0501

# Flanagan and Hatch (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Record book of United States government auctions, 1864-1865. 1 volume

This volume is a record of the United States government's auction sales of horses and mules, many of them condemned, which belonged to the United States Army, dated August 6, 1864, to July 27, 1865. The sales, conducted by Flanagan and Hatch of St. Louis, were held at Mattoon, Illinois, Franklin, Missouri, and perhaps other unnamed locations.

Cite as: Flanagan and Hatch Record Book of United States Government Auctions, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2711

# Flanagan, Ethel Leocadia.

Marriage Announcement, 1939 Apr 22. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Marriage announcement: "Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. O'Reilly announce the marriage of their sister Ethel Leocadia Flanagan to Mr. Edward Michel Stephanus, Saturday, the twenty-second of April, Nineteen hundred thirty-nine, Saint Louis Cathedral, Saint Louis, At Home, The Keystone, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania."

Cite as: Ethel Leocadia Flanagan Marriage Announcement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2712

Flanigan, Ann Russell Allen, Mrs. (1919-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Apr 15. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Ann Russell Allen Flanigan, 6166 Kingsbury Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Also includes undated letter signed Ann Allen Flanigan to Charles van Ravenswaay, Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Mrs. Ann Russell Allen Flanigan Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2713

Flemming, Flora Bogy, Mrs. (1879-).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Flora Bogy Flemming, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Flora Bogy Flemming Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0502

Flesh, Roy V.

Practice accounting books, 1906-1907. 2 volumes

Cite as: Roy V. Flesh Practice Accounting Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0503

Fletcher, Paul R., Dr.

**Papers, 1900-1957.** 2 boxes

Dr. Paul R. Fletcher was a graduate of the Homeopathic Medical College of Missouri, and served in the Philippines as acting assistant army surgeon, 1900, and in the medical corps of the Regular Army during World War I. He was chief surgeon and head of the Medical Department of Union Electric Company for 26 years. He married Hughine Coyle.

Collection contains certificates/army papers, 1900-1901, 1917; letterbook with extracts from letters written by Lieutenant Fletcher while serving as acting assistant army surgeon in the Philippines, 1900-1901; diary of Paul R. Fletcher, dated August 1900 to November 1901; and clinical records of patients of Dr. Fletcher at Josephine Heitkamp Memorial Hospital, St. Louis, 1937.

Cite as: Paul R. Fletcher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2351

# Flickinger Family.

# **Papers, 1844-1936.** 11 folders

Dr. Adam Flickinger was born in St. Louis in 1847 or 1848, and was a longtime dentist in St. Louis. On September 8, 1881, he married Ida Grace Heller. Dr. Flickinger died October 23, 1926, in Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. His wife died January 31, 1948, in St. Louis.

The collection includes legal papers, school certificates, school graduation programs, autographs books, photographs, postcards, receipts, and other papers of the Flickinger family of St. Louis, Missouri.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2714

# Flood, Robert Emmet (1926- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Mar 18.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Margaret Catherine Shelton Flood, wife of Robert Emmet Flood, 7838 Cornell, University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Flood and Shelton families.

Cite as: Robert Emmet Flood Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0504

# Florissant, Missouri.

Collection, 1792-1971. 12 folders (approximately 100 items)

Florissant was organized into a civil community in 1786 as the Village of San Fernando (Saint Ferdinand) by Francois Dunegant, and was settled by a hardy group of Frenchmen. The town was first incorporated in 1829. Its early history is closely associated with St. Louis, being 16 miles northwest of the city. The town of Florissant is also steeped in the development of religion, having Blessed Mother Philippine Duchesne as an early settler, founding a novitiate and an Indian school. Father DeSmet, a mission priest, made seven trips to Indian territory out of the Jesuit province, St. Stanislaus Seminary, which was located in Florissant. The seminary was established in 1823.

Collection relates to St. Ferdinand's parish and the history of Florissant. Contains land papers, copies of church records, newsclippings, and correspondence.

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

## A2715

Flynn, Warren C. (1883- ).

**Family History Sheet, after 1925.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Warren C. Flynn, 421 Westgate Ave., St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Warren C. Flynn Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

A0505

# Foden, William.

Foden-Hoskins Collection, 1890-1945. 36 boxes; 1 volume

William Foden was a composer and arranger of guitar music from St. Louis. Arthur Hoskins

was a student of Foden's who collected and donated a large percentage of the collection.

Collection of notes, jottings, etc., for history of guitar; correspondence about arrangements by Foden; original compositions, for guitar; manuscript music of Grand Sonata in G, by Foden. Also includes collection of published guitar and mandolin music, and guitar method books. Some German.

Cite as: Foden-Hoskins Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0506

# Foerstel Lithographing Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1911-1976.** 3 boxes; 5 volumes

Lithographing company located in St. Louis.

Contains financial records plus samples of lithographing work created by Foerstel Lithographing Company.

Cite as: Foerstel Lithographing Company, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2327

# Folk, Joseph W.

# Letter to Mr. Hapgood, 1907 Mar 2. 1 item

Letter signed Jos. W. Folk, Executive Chambers, Jefferson City, Missouri, to Mr. Hapgood. Clark apologizes for his delay in replying to Hapgood's note regarding the desirability of the state of New York having President Roosevelt in the senate when his term expires. Cite as: Joseph W. Folk Letter to Mr. Hapgood, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0507

# Fontaine, James Suffrein.

# Family history, 1827. 2 volumes

Manuscript of "A History of the Family of the Fontaines," by the Reverend James Fontaine, a protestant minister in France, who being persecuted for his religion, fled to England and later settled in Ireland where he wrote these memoirs in French. Translated into English in 1822 by James Fontaine, a descendant of the author. Volume 1 is in French with English translation. Volume 2 is a copy "written by Ann Maury, great-great granddaughter of this author commenced 4th June 1827."

French.

Cite as: James Suffrein Fontaine Family History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0508

# Foote, Arthur H.

# **Collection, 1783-1916.** 9 items

Collection includes letter of Illinois governor R.J. Oglesby; two newspapers; appointment of Winthrop Bailey to be chaplain of Massachusetts Regiment of Infantry; letter of acknowledgment of receipt of coin to the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Arthur H. Foote Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2417

# Forbes Bros. & White (St. Louis, Missouri).

# Circular letter to Joshua Buffum & Co., 1867 Feb 1. 1 item

Circular letter of Forbes Bros. & White addressed to Joshua Buffum & Co., announcing that they have opened a special wholesale tea house at 214 Locust Street, between Second and Third.

Cite as: Forbes Bros. & White Circular Letter to Joshua Buffum & Co., Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2717

Forbes, Edna Dorothy (1906- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Aug 19. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edna Dorothy Forbes (nee Bauer), 120 North Holmes, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Edna Dorothy Forbes Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2718

Forder, Ruth Warren, Mrs. (1900-).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1970 Jan 19. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Ruth Warren Forder, 2225 Telegraph Road, St. Louis County, Missouri, January 19, 1970. Also includes family history sheet filled out by Mrs. Forder's daughter Anna Conn Forder (born 1939), circa 1970. These sheets include genealogical data on the Forder and Warren families. Cite as: Mrs. Ruth Warren Forder Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum, St.

# A0509

Louis.

Fordyce, Samuel W., Mrs.

Graham-Frost family papers, 1798-1951. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Major Richard Graham (1770-1857) fought in the War of 1812, and later served as Indian agent. His daughter Lily was the first wife of Daniel M. Frost. Frost (1823-1900) fought in the Mexican War in 1846, was elected to Missouri State Senate, 1854, elected brigadier general commanding the First Military District of Missouri, and served as a general in the Confederate army.

Business and personal correspondence, and legal, military, and land papers of the Graham and Frost families. Names represented include Richard Graham, his daughter Lily Graham Frost, and his son-in-law Daniel M. Frost.

Cite as: Mrs. Samuel W. Fordyce Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2484

Foree Products Co. (Chicago, Illinois).

Circular, no date. 1 item

Circular titled "She wants all the buttons on her gloves" promotes Foree Products Co.'s glove fastener machine.

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

## **Forest Park Collection**

See Saint Louis, Missouri, Forest Park Commission. Correspondence regarding land claims for areas of Forest Park, 1876-1877.

#### A2935

Forest Park Residents Association.

# Constitution and By-Laws, circa 1910s. 1 item

Seven-page constitution and by-laws of the Forest Park Residents Association, which was organized "to protect the property lying west of Sarah street between Lindell boulevard on the north, Union avenue on the west, and the Wabash Railway tracks on the south from the establishment or maintenance of nuisances or other objectionable features which impair its value, or in any way render it undesirable as a location for the private residences. . . . "Officers of the association include Jacob Schaeffer, 4430 Forest Park Blvd.; Edward Baker; Gustav Bischoff; Dr. J. Lee Boogher, 4429 Laclede Ave.; William A. Haren, 4575 Forest Park Blvd.; Joseph M. O'Reilly; Frank H. Gerhart, 4900 Lindell Blvd.; Dr. Henry L. Wolfner; J. Van S. Barret; Harry P. Lynch; Daniel C. Bordley; Henry S. Higgins; George F. Rubelman; Edward Baker; Whitfield Russell; E.J. Kramer, 4517 Forest Park Blvd.; A.J. Gerhard; and George E. Raithel. Cite as: Forest Park Residents Association Constitution and By-Laws, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.Louis.

## A0510

Forsyth, Thomas (1771-1833).

Papers, 1790-1953. 4 boxes; 3 volumes; 1 oversize item

Thomas Forsyth was born in Detroit in 1771 and at the age of nineteen embarked in the fur trade with George Sharp. After the Americans took Detroit in 1796, Forsyth established a trading post near present-day Quincy, Illinois. In 1804, he formed a partnership with his half-brother John Kinzie, founder of Chicago. Thomas Forsyth lived at Peoria until the outbreak of the War of 1812 when he moved to St. Louis. In 1819, Forsyth was appointed agent for the Sauk and Fox Indians and retired in 1830. He later became one of the leading businessmen of St. Louis. His son Robert Forsyth (1808-1872) was in partnership with James Wilkinson Kingsbury.

Collection consists of business and personal correspondence of Thomas Forsyth and family; Forsyth's quarterly accounts as Indian agent, documents, ledgers, and genealogical material. The main part of the collection concerns the War of 1812 and Indian affairs (1820-1830). The later material includes some tax and estate settlement records, genealogical material, and reminiscences. Ledger "A" of Kinzie, Forsyth and Co., Peoria, Illinois, trading post general store, 1806-1815. Farm and business accounts of William Forsyth, St. Louis, including journal of dairy, and accounts of hay and wood sold, 1845-1849. Account book of Forsyth and Kingsbury, St. Louis, with records of real estate transactions and rents received, records of hay and wood sold and pasturage of cattle, and accounts of money received of James W. Kingsbury estate (after 1853) by Robert Forsyth. Account book of the Chicago office of Kinzie, Forsyth and Co., is at the Chicago Historical Society.

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

#### A2955

Forsythe School (Clayton, Mo.).

Final Assembly Program, 1931 June 6. 1 item

Program includes three exterior photographs of the school.

Cite as: Forsythe School Final Assembly Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0511

Fort Bellefontaine.

**Order book, 1808 July 10-1810 Aug 9.** 2 volumes

Fort Bellefontaine was founded around 1805 as the first American military installation to be

built west of the Mississippi River. It was also used as a trading post for the Indians. The fort was used until 1826 after which the post was moved to Jefferson Barracks.

Original (166 pages) and typescript (123 pages) volumes of orders issued from Fort Bellefontaine.

Cite as: Fort Bellefontaine Order Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Fort Chartres Collection.**

Moved to Forts Collection.

# Fort Scott Collection, 1848-1853.

Moved to Forts Collection.

## A0514

# Fortnightly Dance Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# **Records, 1927-1971.** 1 box

The object of the Fortnightly Dance Club was to promote social contacts for a selected group of children through dances. The members of the group were fifteen years of age prior to December 31 of the year the invitation was issued. The club was never to exceed more than 200 boys and girls. The members were suggested and selected by the chaperons of the group.

The records include minutes of the board of directors, the constitution of the club, programs, rosters of boys and girl members. Also includes correspondence with various groups regarding the preparation of the dances and general correspondence regarding the club.

Cite as: Fortnightly Dance Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0515

# **Forts Collection, 1751-1960s.** 1 box

"List of Forts and Military Posts in the United States and Adjacent Territory" by Edgar M. Ledyard, 1926; newsclippings, typescripts, printed material, and speeches regarding Arkansas River fortifications, 1751-1755; Fort Atkinson, Bent's Fort, Fort Bellefontaine, 1817-1935; specifications for construction of Fort Chartres, 1739; Fort Clark, 1936; Kaskaskia fortifications, 1753-1757; Forts Madison, Manuel, Orleans, Osage, Pierre, Sandusky, Smith, Snelling, Thonikas (1755), Tilton, and Vasquez; Ft. Scott; and St. Louis fortifications. Also includes journal written by Oscar W. Collet that contains historical notes, facts about Fort Chartres and the men involved in its operation, and notes about the Indians in the Illinois areas (footnotes give sources of information).

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

#### A0516

Foster, Walter B.

**Diary, 1840-1845.** 1 volume

Walter B. Foster was in his mid-twenties while he wrote the diary. He was a resident of Glasgow, Missouri, possibly a teacher there.

Diary describes an ocean voyage from Portland, Maine, to New Orleans, and voyages up and down the Mississippi River between New Orleans and St. Louis. Includes description of the burning of the passenger steamboat *Edna* on the Mississippi River on July 23, 1842. Also includes entries from his stays in St. Louis and Glasgow.

Cite as: Walter B. Foster Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0517

Foulks Family.

Foulks-Liggett family collection, no date. 4 folders

Genealogical information.

Cite as: Foulks-Liggett Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2716

# Fowler, J.J.

**Letters**, **1889 Jan.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

J.J. Fowler was a physician and surgeon in Washington, Missouri.

Letter signed J.J. Fowler, Washington, Missouri, to his brother Bloom Fowler, Sedalia, Missouri, January 17, 1889, mentions Rob Williams; briefly describes a student's impressions of "M.S.U." [Missouri State University or the University of Missouri]; and discusses the changes to the rates he charges for prescriptions and medicine. Letter signed J.J. Fowler, Washington, Missouri, to his brother Bloom Fowler, January 31, 1889, mentions a former University of Missouri classmate named G.C. Haydon, who is now a U.S. engineer on the Missouri River, and mentions Bathurst Smith.

Cite as: J.J. Fowler Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2719

Fox, Thomas Byrne (1935- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1970s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Thomas Byrne Fox, 6440 Ellenwood, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Thomas Byrne Fox Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2720

Francis, Charles W. (1836-1923).

**Family History Sheet, circa 1910s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles W. Francis. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Charles W. Francis Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0518

Francis, Charles Willing (1836-1923).

**Scrapbooks, 1879-1880.** 2 volumes

Charles Willing Francis was born in Wilmington, Delaware, and educated at St. Mary's College and Holy Cross College. He worked for the Northwestern Fur Company, came to St. Louis, and was involved in the mercantile business until 1873. From 1874 to 1877 he was a member of the city council in St. Louis. He was appointed the first health commissioner of St. Louis in 1877. He married Eulalie Maguire and Mary A. Provenchere.

Two scrapbooks relating to tenure as health commissioner, consisting of telegraphs received mostly regarding clearance for arriving and departing steamboats because of cholera, and newsclippings regarding public health in and around St. Louis.

Cite as: Charles Willing Francis Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0519

Francis, David Rowland (1850-1927).

Papers, 1868-1919. 57 boxes; 14 volumes; 7 oversize folders

David Rowland Francis was born October 1, 1850, in Richmond, Kentucky. He came to St. Louis in 1866 and entered Washington University, graduating with a B.A. degree in 1870. In 1877, he started the grain commission firm of D.R. Francis and Brothers Commission Company. In 1884 he became president of the St. Louis Merchants' Exchange. He served as mayor of St. Louis from 1885 to 1889 and governor of Missouri from 1889-1893. In 1896-1897 he served as secretary of the interior under President Cleveland. He was instrumental in bringing the Louisiana Purchase Exposition (1904 World's Fair) to St. Louis, and served as president of the Louisiana Purchase Expostion Company. In his later years he served as U.S. ambassador to Russia from 1916 to 1918. He died January 15, 1927, in St. Louis.

This collection consists of the business, political, and personal papers of David R. Francis in his capacity as governor of Missouri, ambassador to Russia, and president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company. The collection includes eleven indexed letterpress letterbooks, 1885-1892, that include official, semi-official, and personal correspondence written during his term as mayor of St. Louis and governor in Missouri; material relating to his gubernatorial candidacy and campaign and the Democratic National Convention in St. Louis (1888); letters of Michael A. Fanning, his secretary; correspondence of John S. Marmaduke, A.P. Morehouse, and their secretaries as related to official state of Missouri matters; personal checkbook, 1891-1893; and two minute books of D.R.F. Realty and Investment Company, St. Louis (1921-1940), and Francis Investment Company, St. Louis (1925-1961), holding companies formed to manage the estate of Francis and his heirs.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Papers related to Francis' ambassadorship in Russia were microfilmed by University Publications of America under the title "Russia in Transition: The Diplomatic Papers of David R. Francis, U.S. Ambassador to Russia, 1916-1918."

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

## A0520

Francisco, Hereford and Co. (Elmwood, Missouri).

Account books, 1871-1878. 2 volumes

Daybook and ledger of Elmwood, Missouri, general merchandise firm.

Cite as: Francisco, Hereford and Co. Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0521

Frank Blair Monument Association.

**Records**, **1879-1885**. 2 folders; 4 volumes

Records relating to the planning, construction, and placement of the Gen. Frank P. Blair statue in Forest Park. Includes correspondence and receipts files (1879-1885); letters received by John S. Griffin, secretary (1879-1885); account book (1880-1885); journal of proceedings (1880-1885); and letters sent (1879-1885).

Cite as: Frank Blair Monument Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Franklin, Elkin Leland (-1932).

Papers, 1867-1953. 2 boxes

William H. Clopton, Confederate veteran and U.S. district attorney, was born in Huntsville, Alabama. He interrupted his schooling at the outbreak of the Civil War to join the army, graduated from the University of Virginia in 1869, and moved to St. Louis that same year to begin his practice. He married Belle Bryan in 1872 (she died in 1893), and they had three children: Mrs. Elkin Franklin (Emily), Captain W.H. Clopton, Jr., and Dr. Malvern B. Clopton. Elkin Franklin was an army officer in the 13th U.S. Cavalry; for several years he was head of the military department of the New Mexico Military Institute. He was killed in a polo accident in 1932.

Letters of the William H. Clopton family, 1867-1941; letters from Elkin Franklin to his wife, Emily Clopton Franklin, in St. Louis from his posts in Fort Riley, Kansas, El Paso, Texas, and Oro, Mexico, 1912-1920; letters of Malvern B. and William Clopton (both in military service) to Emily, 1916-1918; newsclippings, programs, etc. regarding Elkin Franklin, Jr., at Georgetown Preparatory School and West Point; undated travel diary of daughter Helen Ruth Franklin of her ocean voyage and travel in England.

Cite as: Elkin Leland Franklin Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0523

Franz, Chester.

Collection, 1800-1920. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Collection includes group of Kaskaskia accounts of William and Elias Rector with Adrien Langlois; group of Ste. Genevieve papers, estate of Joseph Tessereau and accounts; Indiana and Illinois land papers and genealogical data regarding Dr. Dexter Hall Dean; Civil War papers, muster rolls and correspondence; Missouri and St. Louis business letterheads and cards, receipts, brochures, souvenir items, advertisements; German passports.

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

## A2479

Franzman, P., Mr.

# Membership certificate in the Bund der Freien Gemeinden und Freidenker-Vereine von Nordamerika, 1915 July 1. 1 item

Membership certificate of Mr. P. Franzman, East Germantown, Indiana, in the Bund der Freien Gemeinden und Freidenker-Vereine von Nordamerika [Society of the Free Parishes and Free Thinkers Societies of North America]. Certificate is dated St. Louis. Signed Wm. Petersen, president, and Fritz Gerecke, secretary.

Cite as: Mr. P. Franzman Membership Certificate in the Bund der Freien Gemeinden und Freidenker-Vereine von Nordamerika, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2721

Franzwa, Gregory Mathew (1926- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1965 Aug 9. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Gregory Mathew Franzwa, 9528 Old Bonhomme Road, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Gregory Mathew Franzwa Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Fraser, Donald Vincent (1896-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Nov 7.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Donald Vincent Fraser, 5357 Waterman Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Donald Vincent Fraser Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0524

# Frauds collection, 1873-1909. 1 folder

Materials related to various methods of fraud—counterfeit money, loaded dice, etc. Cite as: Frauds Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0525

Frazier Family.

Papers, 1797-1884. 3 folders (approximately 75 items)

Collection consists of early land grants in St. Louis (1800-1806), one with the signatures of J.B.C. Lucas, Clement B. Penrose, James L. Donaldson, first commissioners of land claims in Upper Louisiana; bills of sale of Negroes; land papers of property in the St. Louis County area. Includes information on the Frazier, Caulk, and Tippett families.

Some French.

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

#### A0526

Frech, Muriel.

Memory book, 1915. 1 folder; 1 volume

Memory book of Muriel Frech, 1915, from DeSoto High School, DeSoto, Missouri. Includes loose newsclippings removed from volume.

Cite as: Muriel Frech Memory Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Freedmen Bureau. Southern District of Mississippi (Natchez, Mississippi).

**Record books, 1864-1866.** 2 volumes

Transferred to George D. Reynolds Papers.

## A2723

Freeman, Elizabeth Lambdin, Mrs. (1928-).

**Family History Sheet, 1969 Apr 4.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Elizabeth Lambdin Freeman, 8 Rio Vista Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Lambdin family.

Cite as: Mrs. Elizabeth Lambdin Freeman Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3023

Freeman, Frankie Muse (1916-2018).

Papers, 1947-2018. 2 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Frankie Muse Freeman was born on 24 November 1916 in Danville, Virginia, the oldest of eight children to William Brown Muse and Maude Beatrice Smith Muse. She attended Hampton Institute and moved to New York City where she met St. Louis native, Shelby T Freeman, Jr., whom she married in 1938. Mrs. Freeman earned a law degree from Howard University in 1947 after her young family moved to Washington D.C. The Freemans moved to St. Louis in 1949 and Mrs. Freeman opened her own law practice. One of Freeman's first civil rights cases was Brewton v. Board of Education relating to the principal of separate but equal education offered at the two segregated technical schools in the St. Louis Public Schools system (Hadley Technical High School and Washington Technical High School). In 1954, she was the lead attorney for Davis v. St. Louis Housing Authority which ended segregation in public housing in St. Louis. From 1956 to 1970, she worked as general counsel of The St. Louis Housing Authority. In addition to a long law career, Freeman served her community and the nation by her service on local, state, and national boards and commissions. In 2017, The St. Louis NAACP commissioned and installed a life size bronze statue of Mrs. Freeman in Kiener Plaza in downtown St. Louis. For more information, please see Mrs. Freeman's autobiography, *The Song* of Faith and Hope: The Life of Frankie Muse Freeman (Missouri Historical Society Press, 2003).

The papers date from 1947 to 2018 and are arranged alphabetically by topic. The papers contain awards, speeches, small amounts of correspondence and law office documents, and a scrapbook prepared to celebrate Mrs. Freeman's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frankie Muse Freeman Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0528

Frei, Emil, Jr. (1896-1967).

Emil Frei, Jr., Collection, 1884-1969 (bulk 1955-1966). 74 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize box; 2 oversize folders

Emil Frei, Jr., was the son of Emil Frei, Sr., founder of the firm of Emil Frei, Inc., St. Louis, designer and manufacturer of stained glass windows, mosaics, and other liturgical arts. Born in Bavaria, Emil Frei, Sr. (1869-1942), founded the Emil Frei Art Glass Company in St. Louis in 1900. Initially specializing in Munich antique glass figured style windows, Frei also began to design mosaics, most notably for the new St. Louis Cathedral in the 1920s, when he co-founded Ravenna Mosaics, Inc. (later the Ravenna Company). In 1930, Ravenna Mosaics separated from Emil Frei Art Glass Company and moved to New York. Frei's firm then reorganized as Emil Frei, Inc. In the 1920s and 1930s, Emil Frei, Jr. (1896-1967), began to assert his influence in his father's firm, mostly through the design of colorful and vivid medallion-style windows reminiscent of the thirteenth century stained glass windows at the Cathedral of Chartres. After the death of Emil Frei, Sr., in 1942, Emil Frei, Jr., assumed the presidency of the firm. Under his leadership, a new generation of artists, namely Robert Harmon, Francis Deck, Milton Frenzel, William Schickel, Joan Velligan, Rodney Winfield, Siegfried Reinhardt, and Robert Frei, brought new techniques and modern artistic perspectives to the stained glass medium. In 1963, Emil Frei, Jr., retired from the presidency of Emil Frei, Inc., and served only as chairman of the board until his death in 1967. He was succeeded by his son Robert Frei, who in 1972 renamed the company Emil Frei Associates, Inc.

Collection consists of the business records of the firm of Emil Frei, Inc., during the tenure of Emil Frei, Jr., as artist, officer, and president of the company. The business records include correspondence, blueprints and shop drawings, original design sketches, photographs, printed matter, newsclippings, advertising materials, portfolios, and glass samples relating to jobs and proposed jobs undertaken by the firm. The collection also includes personal papers of Emil Frei,

Jr., and his father, Emil Frei, Sr. These papers include personal and family correspondence, diaries, journals, and sketch books.

Some German.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Emil Frei, Jr., Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0529

Freie Gemeinde Library (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record books, 1894-1899. 4 volumes

Book catalogues and record of borrowers.

Mostly German.

Cite as: Freie Gemeinde Library Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2724

Fremon, Richard Cromwell (1918-).

**Family History Sheet, 1978.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Richard Cromwell Fremon, Budd Lake, New Jersey. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript letter signed R.C. Fremon to Mrs. Stadler of the Missouri Historical Society, February 18, 1978.

Cite as: Richard Cromwell Fremon Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Fremont's Body Guard. Paymaster.

**Diary, 1861 Sept 23-Nov 29.** 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

## A2897

French Society of St. Louis.

**Dinner Menu and Card, 1930 Oct 3.** 2 items

Menu and accompanying card for a dinner in honor of the French aviators Major Dieudonne Coste and Lieutenant Maurice Bellonte by the French Society of St. Louis at the Hotel Statler, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: French Society of St. Louis Dinner Menu and Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0531

French-Spanish Treaty, 1795 July 22. 1 folder (5 pages)

Copy of treaty between France and Spain signed by Charles Delassus.

French.

Moved to Delassus-St. Vrain Family Collection

Cite as: French-Spanish Treaty, July 22, 1795, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3047

Frenzel, Milton (1913-1976) and Virginia (1913-2005).

Family Papers, 1888-2001 (bulk 1938-1953). 9 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Milton Frenzel married Virginia Louise Price on 25 November 1937. He was the youngest of three children born on 19 July 1913 to Albert Max (1881-1971) and Mathilda Frenzel (1885-

1972). Virginia Price Frenzel was born on 24 July 1913, the only child of Edna Isabell Nagel (1887-1996) and Andrew Jackson Price (1885-1950). Milton attended Washington University of Fine Arts for two years and after their marriage, he and Virginia traveled in Europe from July to October 1938. He worked for many years as a stained glass window designer with Emil Frei & Associates in St. Louis and with Minnesota firms. At age 59, Milton earned a Bachelor of Arts degree and taught art in the Arcadia Valley Elementary School from 1974 to 1984. Milton died of a heart attack on 27 June 1986 at age 72.

The collection spans from 1888 to 2001 and includes correspondence, two scrapbooks, and a small amount of subject files relating to Milton and Virginia Frenzel and their families. The correspondence dates from 1913 to 1976 and is arranged chronologically. The subject files are arranged alphabetically.

Findin aid available.

Cite as: Milton and Virginia Frenzel Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0532

Freund, Arthur J. (1891-1975).

Papers, 1884-1975 (bulk 1950-1975). 16 boxes

Prominent St. Louis attorney and civil rights advocate.

This collection consists of personal and professional correspondence, reports, and newsclippings. Correspondents include prominent politicians on both the local and national level, Supreme Court judges, ambassadors, lawyers, deans of law schools, and newspaper men, including Dean Acheson, James V. Bennett, Burton Bernard, William O. Douglas, Hugo Black, William J. Brennan, A.J. Cervantes, Thomas B. Curtis, Irving Dilliard, Jefferson Fordham, Erle Stanley Gardner, William T. Gossett, John Raeburn Green, Erwin N. Griswold, Norman Isaacs, Henry Jackson, Bolitha J. Laws, John Francis McDermott, Gene McNary, Wayne Morse, William Proxmire, William P. Rogers, Lawrence K. Roos, Eugene Rostow, Theodore Sorensen, Harry Truman, and Earl Warren. Civil issues predominate in the collection, including such topics as abortion, busing, constitutional convention and amendments, police conduct, prisons and prisoners, probation, race relations, Supreme Court appointments, Vietnam War, Watergate scandal, and conduct of prominent officials such as John F. Kennedy, Robert Kennedy, Hubert H. Humphrey, Richard Nixon, Gerald Ford, Spiro Agnew, Thomas Eagleton, Lyndon B. Johnson, Robert McNamara, Nelson Rockefeller, and John B. Connally. Also includes references to the American Bar Association, American Judicare Society, American Law Student Association, Council of State Governments, Jewish Community Center Association, Jewish Welfare Board, Legal Aid Society, St. Louis Scholarship Foundation, and Young Men's Christian Association.

The Missouri Historical Society does not own literary rights to letters received by Freund. Cite as: Arthur J. Freund Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2726

Freund, Sigmund Eugene (1919- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1957 Feb 17. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Sigmund Eugene Freund, 6253 Alexander Drive, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Sigmund Eugene Freund Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Freund, Stella Mayer.

Notebook, 1895-1904, 1907, 1918. 1 volume

Stella Mayer Freund was born in Kansas City, Missouri.

Notebook of school compositions and impressions of the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis. Also includes comments regarding attending President Roosevelt's address on October 2, 1907; the International Aeronautic Contests held in St. Louis later that month; the ending of World War I (November 11, 1918); and a clipping regarding the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago.

Cite as: Stella Mayer Freund Notebook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0534

Frey, Emil (1838-1922).

**Papers, 1860-1956.** 3 folders; 1 oversize folder (approximately 100 items)

Among the European idealists seeking a new life in America in the nineteenth century was Emil Frey of Arlesheim, near Basel, Switzerland. Arriving in New York in 1860, Frey made his way to Illinois, where he lived on a farm near Highland, studying farm methods and the English language, and preparing to become a United States citizen. After serving in the Civil War as a Union army officer and spending two years at Libby Prison, he returned to Switzerland, venturing abroad only once more, this time as a Swiss government emissary to Washington in the 1890s.

The papers consist of letters and a long dissertation by Frey titled "A Statement about the War of Secession, 1861-1865," which make up a significant body of information and impressions of American life as seen through the eyes of a highly educated and observant young man. These manuscripts, excerpted from the Emil Frey papers at the State Archives in Basel, were microfilmed by the Swiss government and presented to the Missouri Historical Society through the Swiss consul at St. Louis, Dr. Rudolph Scharer. Photocopies. German.

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

#### A2727

Fries, John William (1925- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1957-1958.** 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets and family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John William Fries and his wife, Clara Louis Fries (nee Ruester), 106 Frontenac Forest, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Fries and Ruester families. Cite as: John William Fries Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Frissell Family.

Papers, 1809-1917. approximately 150 items

Transferred to Willard Frissell Papers.

# A0535

Frissell, Willard ( -circa 1880s).

**Papers, 1789-1929.** 5 boxes

As a young teacher, Willard Frissell came from the Berkshires in Massachusetts, and lived on a Spanish land grant in the Big River Wilderness (western part of Jefferson County, Missouri).

He married the niece of Austin Moses, Ann Maria Austin (1808-1906), in 1831 and raised a family of nine children. On February 22, 1842, he was appointed school commissioner of Jefferson County. In later years he was a real estate agent in DeSoto, Missouri. In 1871, the family ranch was sold to a lead mining company, and the proceeds were invested in various DeSoto property. He was prominently connected with various enterprises in DeSoto's early history, and was a stockholder in the St. Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad. He died sometime in the 1880s.

Collection includes business, legal, and family correspondence; tax receipts; public land grants; deeds; and Frissell's account books, 1861-1882. Among the business papers is correspondence with Joseph Charless, William T. Blow, and L.L. LaBourgeois. Also contains a minute book of the Presbyterian Church of Hillsboro, Missouri, 1870-1878, 1881, 1901; two printed addresses (1868) of Charles D. Drake; correspondence of Mrs. Drake from Washington, D.C. (1874-1891), to family members, with frequent mentions of Mr. Drake. Some French.

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

# A2728

Fristoe, John Wallace (1858-).

Family History Sheet, early 1900s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Wallace Fristoe, 18 Washington Terrace, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: John Wallace Fristoe Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Fritch, Letitia. Travel Diary, 1892.

See Journals and Diaries Collection, 1892

## A2729

Fritsche, Frances Meier, Mrs. (1902-1964).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1964 Dec 3.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mrs. Frances Meier Fritsche, filled out by her widower, Charles E. Fritsche. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Frances Meier Fritsche Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1846

Fritschle Family.

**Papers, 1847-1975.** 6 folders

Charles Carleton Fritschle was born July 16, 1842, in Philadelphia, and married Augustine Raymond on July 12, 1866, in St. Louis. He served in Company B, Telegraph Corps, Missouri Volunteers, during the Civil War, and died June 21, 1930, in Fenton, St. Louis County, Missouri. His wife died November 1, 1940, in Kirkwood, St. Louis County. Their children were Jacob Charles Fritschle (born 1868), Joseph T. Fritschle (born 1874), William C. Fritschle (born 1876), and Erwin Raymonde Fritschle (born 1883). Jacob Charles Fritschle married Mollie Jones Sappington, widow of John Sappington, on February 12, 1890, in St. Louis. Jacob died March 10, 1956, in St. Louis; his wife died December 12, 1946, in Clayton, St. Louis County. One of their children was Charles Russell Fritschle, who was born November 24, 1894, in Kirkwood.

Charles attended the University of Missouri and served in the 10th Engineers (Forestry) regiment in France in World War I. He married Lila Harrison on October 5, 1944, in St. Louis. He died March 1, 1992, in St. Louis.

Collection contains several nineteenth-century deeds and related legal papers of the Sappington family, regarding land in St. Louis; personal correspondence of the Fritschle family, the bulk of which is dated 1916-1919, primarily from family and friends writing to Charles R. Fritschle while he attended the University of Missouri and while he served in the army in France during World War I; several papers relating to the military pension claim of Charles C. Fritschle's widow; and vital records and other genealogical material of the Fritschle family. Finding aid available.

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

## A2890

Fritzinger Family.

Papers, 1862-1892. 2 items

Civil War discharge certificate of Private John Fritzinger, Battery A, 2nd Missouri Light Artillery (Union), St. Louis, April 24, 1862, and pension certificate of Elizabeth Fritzinger, widow of John Fritzinger, 3980 Gratiot St., St. Louis, Missouri, July 13, 1892. Cite as: Fritzinger Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2730

Froemke, Gerald William (-1970).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 July 18. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Gerald William Froemke, 6 Fair Oaks, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Gerald William Froemke Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0536

Frost, Daniel Marsh (1823-1900).

**Papers, no date.** 4 folders (approximately 15 items); 4 volumes

Daniel M. Frost graduated from West Point in 1844, and was appointed to serve at Jefferson Barracks in 1846-1847. He went to Mexico in that same year and participated in battles from Vera Cruz to the City of Mexico. He returned to St. Louis after the war and married Miss Graham in 1853. In 1854, he was elected to the state senate. He was instrumental in establishing Camp Jackson and afterward was chosen brigadier general, commanding the militia in St. Louis County, being in command when Camp Jackson was captured by Gen. Lyon. In later years he maintained that the facts regarding Camp Jackson were never fully understood, and that the purpose of the militia was not disloyal. He afterward served in the Confederate army. He went to Canada and remained there until the end of the war and returned to St. Louis. He retired from active business life in 1876.

Collection contains a biographical sketch of Daniel M. Frost by Joseph Boyce and the memoirs of Daniel M. Frost in bound manuscript form, with typed version. Also includes two personal cashbooks, 1876-1900; two ledgers of personal and household expenses, and records of Hazelwood, Missouri, farm, 1854-1900; Civil War accounts of Eliza Graham Frost with Thomas J. Kennedy, 1862; and a list of securities owned and real estate records.

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

# Fru-Con Construction Corporation (Ballwin, MO).

Records, 1883-2004. 7 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Fru-Con Construction Corporation was founded in St. Louis in 1900 by Jeremiah Fruin (1831-1912) and his son-in-law, Redmond Stephen Colnon (1862-1927). The company was originally known as Fruin-Colnon Contractors. It operated several subsidiary companies and it reorganized and changed its name several times. In 1984, Germany's Bilfinger Berger took ownership of Fru-Con and renamed it Fru-Con Construction Corporation. In June 2011, Balfour Beatty Infrastructure, Inc. purchased Fru-Con Construction from Bilfinger Berger for \$20 million.

The records span from 1883 to 2004 and are divided into three series: **Administrative** (1883-2003), **Publications** (1968-1988), and **News** (1958-2004). The bulk of the records are dated 1968 to 2004. The **Publications** series is divided into two subseries: **Employee** and **General**. Many published newsletters and business catalogs are located in the Missouri Historical Society Library.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Fru-Con Construction Corporation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0537

# Fruth Family.

**Papers, 1862-1920s.** 3 boxes; 2 volumes

Andreas Fruth was born in Bavaria in 1850. He applied to become a citizen of the United States, December 29, 1870, and was naturalized February 3, 1875, in St. Clair County, Illinois. Fruth was a business partner of the firm Filsinger and Fruth, Marble and Granite Works. His son Otto, Jr., became a dentist and practiced in St. Louis for 65 years. Mr. Fruth became a Master Mason in 1875.

Family correspondence (in German), 1862-1873; correspondence and business papers of Andreas Fruth, 1874-1883; business papers pertaining to the operation of the firm of Filsinger and Fruth, Marble and Granite Works, 1872-1908; correspondence and documents regarding the building of the Fruth residence in Compton Heights on Hawthorne Ave., J.L. Wees, architect, 1896; papers regarding the building of brick office building and residence at 3060-3066 Hawthorne Blvd. and Accomac Street for Dr. Otto Fruth, son of Andreas Fruth, by Louis C. Spiering, 1908-1910; memorabilia from the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition; autograph and memory book of Helen Gempp (Mrs. Otto Fruth); student record book of the Dental Department of the National University of Arts and Sciences, St. Louis, for classes matriculating in 1912-1913. Two Indian Bowling Club record books, 1902-1909; scrapbooks of various trips; autograph and poem books of Fruth family. Also includes several account books: the Copier and Tagebuch des Andreas Fruth (Belleville, Illinois), dated March 1868 to January 1873; Cassa Buch of A. Fruth (St. Louis, Missouri), 1878-1893; two volumes of personal cashbooks of Otto J. Fruth (3066 Hawthorne Blvd, St. Louis), 1894-1901; 1902-1914; ledger of Filsinger & Fruth Marble Works, dated July 8, 1872, to 1889; book of sales (with index), 1895-1906; daybook, Filsinger & Fruth Marble Works, 1872-1921; and ledger of Filsinger & Fruth, Marble and Granite Works, 1880-1890.

Some German.

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

Fry, Aaron S. (1798- ).

**Notebook**, **1833-1844**. 1 volume

Aaron S. Fry was born in Fayette County, Kentucky. Cabinet maker by profession. Moved to Missouri in 1827 and settled in Hannibal, Missouri, in 1837.

Notebook containing genealogical notes in the front of the volume, with entries concerning life in Hannibal, Missouri, such as illnesses, religious revivals, emigrant arrivals, and slave uprisings. Are also philosophical notes and general thoughts.

Cite as: Aaron S. Fry Notebook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2731

Fry, Thomas Walker (1868- ).

Papers, 1934-1942. 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include (1) invitation of Thomas Walker Fry to the marriage of his daughter Fanita Anne to Eugene John Schneider, June 27, 1934. (2) Announcement of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kerstine regarding the marriage of their daughter Alice Marian to William Willcox Fry, January 25, 1940. Includes calling card, 47 Berrywood Drive, Glendale, Missouri. (3) Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Thomas Walker Fry, 6420 Cecil Ave., St. Louis County, Missouri, December 15, 1942. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Thomas Walker Fry Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2086

Fry, W. Alva.

Architectural drawings, circa 1912–circa 1920. 2 boxes; oversize folders

Cite as: W. Alva Fry Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2732

Fuerbringer, Ludwig Ernst (1864- ).

Family History Sheet, after 1924. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ludwig Ernst Fuerbringer, 2619 Winnebago Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ludwig Ernst Fuerbringer Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0539

Fulcher, William.

**Diary, 1904.** 1 folder (approximately 30 pages)

William Fulcher was a policeman with the London police force who was assigned to guard the Queens' Jewels at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Diary (photocopy) describes Fulcher's personal views of the World's Fair and St. Louis. Some descriptions of working conditions for the guards.

Cite as: William Fulcher Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2400

Fuller, Walter.

Letter to Mr. Tuckerman, 1914 Feb 24. 1 item

Letter signed Walter Fuller, Chicago, to Mr. Tuckerman. Discusses desire to set up a time to

meet Mr. Tuckerman in St. Louis that will not conflict with the recital planned by Miss Powell. Letter is written on stationery of the Auditorium Hotel, Michigan Boulevard and Congress Street, Chicago. Includes engraved illustration of hotel.

Cite as: Walter Fuller Letter to Mr. Tuckerman, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2733

**Fulton, Truman R. (1912- ).** 

**Family History Sheet, circa 1970s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Truman R. Fulton. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Truman R. Fulton Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2426

Funk, Eugene Edgar.

# **Papers, circa 1897-1966.** 5 items

Eugene Edgar Funk graduated from the State Normal School at Kirksville, Missouri, in 1897, and from the University of Missouri in 1907. He died August 5, 1910, in Columbia, Missouri.

Collection contains the State Normal School diploma awarded to Eugene E. Funk, June 10, 1897; membership certificate of Mr. E.E. Funk in the History Club of the University of Missouri, December 16, 1906; University of Missouri diploma awarded to Eugene Edgar Funk, June 5, 1907; University of Missouri diploma awarded to Eugene Edgar Funk, August 7, 1907; and photocopy of student record of Eugene Edgar Funk compiled by the Office of the Director of Admissions, University of Missouri, circa 1966.

Cite as: Eugene Edgar Funk Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0540

# Fur trade collection, 1686; 1766-1850; 1906-1976. 3 boxes; 1 volume

This subject-based collection includes items relating to the fur trade. It consists of actual fur trade papers (1686-1850), and correspondence, newsclippings, and other materials (1906-1976) concerning the early fur trade and descendants of the men involved. Includes agreements and correspondence between fur traders, explorers, frontier guides, and businessmen relating to the Rocky Mountain area, revealing the nature of the fur trade activities of the day. Also includes photostats (1766-1790) and abstracts (1767-1776) of Indian trade licenses in the Canadian Archives; correspondence regarding the calendar of American Fur Company papers in the Canadian Archives; and a logbook of the Pierre Chouteau, Jr., and Co. supply boat from St. Louis to the headwaters of the Missouri River (1841-1847). Includes some reproductions. Some French.

Reproductions from the Canadian Archives may not be further reproduced. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

# A0541

# Fur trade ledgers, 1804-1871. 72 volumes

Ledgers, journals, and minute books relating to the fur trade operating out of St. Louis. Includes records of the American Fur Company in St. Louis (1822-1829); the American Fur Company Western Department, St. Louis, including records of the Upper Missouri Outfit (1823-1836); the American Fur Company Northern Department, Michilimackinac (1816-1820, 1834-1851); the American Fur Company Chicago Outfit, Chicago (1818-1823); Bernard Pratte and

Company, St. Louis (1822-1833); Pratte, Chouteau and Company, St. Louis (1834-1841); Pierre Chouteau, Jr., and Company, St. Louis (1839-1871), Fort Pierre (1842-1848), and New York (1852-1864); Pierre Chouteau, Jr., & Co. Sac Outfit (1843-1846); Missouri Fur Company, St. Louis (1809-1812); Charles P. Chouteau and R.H. Cole St. Louis "Nut Factory" (1856-1859); Pacific Fur Company, Astoria, Columbia River (1810-1813); Chouteau, Harrison and Valle (Laclede Rolling Mills); and personal account and record books of fur traders Pierre Chouteau, Sr. (1802-1819); Pierre Chouteau, Jr. (1821-1855); and Wilson Price Hunt (1840-1841).

This collection of fur trade ledgers was microfilmed in 1991 by University Publications of America as Part 2 of the "Papers of the St. Louis Fur Trade" microfilm set. This microfilm set, available on 23 reels, includes three volumes that are from other collections: Journal C of Bernard Pratte and Company, St. Louis (1826-1828) is in private hands; the journal (1804) and letterbook (1804-1819) of Pierre Chouteau, Jr., are part of the Chouteau Family Papers. Includes a typescript copy of the Missouri Fur Company record book (1809-1812). This microfilm set also includes a name index titled "Index to the Microfilm Edition of the American Fur Trade Ledgers at the Missouri Historical Society" (published in 1984) (microfilm reel 23). Some French.

Printed index and list of ledgers and their corresponding microfilm reel numbers available at archives reference desk.

Cite as: Fur Trade Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2734

Fusz, Louis James (1919- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1950s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Louis James Fusz, 50 Joy Ave., Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Louis James Fusz Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0542

Fusz, Louis Philip (1839-1924).

Diary (typescript copy), 1862-1916 (bulk 1862-1868). 1 volume

Louis Philip Fusz was born May 2, 1839, in Hericourt, Haute Saone, France, the son of Francis Henry Fusz and Marie Reine Tschaen. In 1853, the family emigrated to St. Louis, where Louis Fusz's aunt, Rosalie Tschaen, was working for the Maffitt family. Louis Fusz worked for the business firm of Chouteau, Harrison and Valle for several years before becoming a partner in the firm Imbs, Meyer and Fusz. In 1873, he formed a partnership with Mathias Backer known as Fusz and Backer. In 1867, he married Josephine Desloge. Louis Fusz died June 2, 1924.

Diary contains detailed descriptions of events and people in St. Louis, including many prominent families; commentary on the progress of the Civil War; family matters, including extensive writing on the imprisonment of his brother Paul Fusz in Gratiot Street Prison; and Fusz's social and business life.

Cite as: Louis Philip Fusz Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Gaebler, Adolph Nelson (1863-1954).

Gaebler-Knight family papers, 1883-1954. 12 boxes

Adolph Nelson Gaebler was born in St. Louis in 1863, the son of Ernest Gaebler, a native of Saxony, Germany. At the age of 15, Adolph Gaebler left public school and went to work for the Haydock Brothers Carriage Co. as a bookkeeper. In 1883, he became the assistant bookkeeper at Todds & Stanley Mill Furnishing Co. and began his own stenography correspondence school. Soon thereafter he took up the study of medicine and graduated from the American Medical College in St. Louis in 1890, after which he set up in medical practice. In 1900, he engaged in the chemical business, especially the manufacture of cosmetics and pharmaceuticals. He launched his first chemical business, the Hall Chemical Co., in that year. In 1906, he expanded this business, forming the King Manufacturing Co., a more diversified mail-order firm. In 1921, Gaebler took over another chemical company, R.H. Hunstock Chemical Co. In addition to the chemical business, he invested heavily in real estate in St. Louis and in California, purchasing his first St. Louis property as early as 1895. Gaebler married twice, first to Clara Converse of Vermont in 1886. She died in 1887. He married his second wife, May Borngesser of St. Louis, in 1890. Their only child, Anita, was born in 1892. May Gaebler died in 1940. Adolph Gaebler remained active in business until his retirement in 1950 at the age of 87. He died four years later in 1954. His daughter Anita, who authored several historical plays, married Walter J. Knight (1881-1951), an engineer and native of Evergreen, Alabama, in 1914. Anita Gaebler Knight died in 1977. The Knights made their home in St. Louis, and had three children.

Collection contains papers of Adolph Nelson Gaebler, his daughter Anita Gaebler, and her husband, Walter J. Knight. Adolph Gaebler's papers are predominantly business records and correspondence, and real estate papers. His business papers record a long series of entrepreneurial ventures that he launched and companies that he headed. They include the records of his stenography correspondence school, 1883-1888; an order book from A.N. Gaebler & Co., which distributed "Independent" stylographic and fountain pens, 1887-1888; minute books, two catalogues, an order book, and an accounts ledger of King Manufacturing Company, 1943-1954. His business papers also include eight formula books, dating from 1890, for the manufacture of his cosmetic and pharmaceutical products; applications, permits, and correspondence with the Food and Drug Administration and the Department of the Treasury regarding the regulation of his manufactures; correspondence and canceled stock certificates from the R.H. Hunstock Chemical Company; and papers relating to his personal and business property investments in St. Louis. The papers of Anita Gaebler and Walter J. Knight comprise personal correspondence, mostly between the two of them before their marriage in 1914. Includes a series of correspondence to each of them from their friends, dating back to 1904, and a series of letters to Walter from his father between 1912 and 1916, as well as their courtship correspondence prior to 1914. An addition to the collection contains papers of Anita Gaebler Knight, which include clippings and memorabilia regarding the 100th anniversary (1930) of the Oregon Trail and the St. Louis connection; clippings and pamphlets regarding St. Louis social scene in the 1930s; family newsclippings; and some personal correspondence. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gaebler-Knight Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0544

Gaines Family.

**Papers, 1850-1878.** 1 box

Original and typescripts of Gaines family letters, 1850-1878, particularly letters of William

Henry, Lucius, and Richard Gaines of Saline County, Missouri. Also includes typescript copy of notes on the Gaines family by Nancy P. Allan, great-great granddaughter of the mother of the Gaines brothers, December 29, 1986.

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

## A0545

Gale, Daniel B. (1816-1874).

Papers, 1823-1926. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 2 volumes

Daniel B. Gale (1816-1874) came to St. Louis in 1838 and in March of that year helped to organize the firm of Greeley and Gale, wholesale grocers. Carlos S. Greeley was a native of Gale's birthplace, Salisbury, New Hampshire. Gale was prosperous in business, active in civic works, and contributed substantially to charity. He married Caroline E. Pettingill of Salisbury, New Hampshire, and had five children: Charles, Theodore Freeley, Ella, Arthur, and Mary. Ella married Charles W. Barstow of Boston, Massachusetts.

The collection consists of correspondence, business papers, receipts, and other papers of Daniel B. Gale and his family. The collection includes a composition book of Ella Gale; composition books of Theodore Freeley Gale (1861); material regarding the Second Baptist Church of St. Louis, travel descriptions; Civil War letters; family correspondence; and a school account book of a student (1830s). Also includes Charles and Ella's correspondence and that of their children.

Cite as: Daniel B. Gale Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis. Finding aid available.

# A0546

Gale, Grace.

**Scrapbook, 1917-1918.** 1 volume

Grace Gale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gale of St. Louis, married Charles Lucien Humann, and lived in a suburb of Paris, France, during World War I. She opened her home, known as the Furlough House, to American soldiers during the war.

Contains newsclippings concerning Mrs. Humann's service to the soldiers, and the talks she gave in St. Louis to help raise money for her services. Also includes photographs of soldiers at her home in Paris, and her passport and visa.

Cite as: Grace Gale Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0547

Gale, Leone C.

Collection, 1850-1919. 2 folders (approximately 40 items); 1 volume

Leone C. Gale is a great grandson of Daniel Bailey Gale who was a wholesale grocer in St. Louis from 1838 to his death in 1874.

Papers include correspondence, receipts, papers of the family of Daniel B. Gale, Leone C. Gale; statements of Sudders-Gale Grocery Co.; genealogical data ledger of D.B. Gale, 1863-1878. Indexed personal accounts of Daniel B. Gale, 1863-1878; includes records of real estate investment, bonds and securities, and records of charitable activities, especially regarding Second Baptist Church, St. Louis.

Cite as: Leone C. Gale Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0548

Gale-Sobel Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Collection, 1951-1990 (bulk 1966-1990). 2 boxes; 1 volume

Gale-Sobel Co. was a manufacturer of men's slacks and by the early 1960s also manufactured big and tall men's sizes. In the 1980s the company tried manufacturing clothes for tall women with the addition of the Willow Collection for Tall Women. The company was started circa 1919 as Gale-Sobel-Spizel Co., and in 1920 changed its name to Gale-Sobel. The founders were Harry Gale and Benjamin Sobel. Located at 1021 Lucas Ave. in 1921. The company later moved to 1015 Washington Ave. in St. Louis.

Collection consists primarily of manufacturer's catalogs and workbooks with fabric swatches, 1966-1990. It includes manufacturer's catalogs and fabric swatches for the Willow Collection for Tall Women, 1981-1983; a scrapbook of newsclippings of men's fashions, 1951-1955; and advertising materials and newsclippings.

Cite as: Gale-Sobel Co. Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2888

Gallaher Boiler Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Circular, circa 1922. 1 item

Circular of The Gallaher Boiler Co. promoting the Gallaher gas fired tubular boiler for hot water vapor and steam heating. Circular includes an illustration of the boiler; a partial list of St. Louis users of the boiler for house heating purposes; and illustrations of five homes equipped with the boiler.

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

## A2745

**Galt Family.** 

Papers, 1944-1953. 6 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers contain family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Martin Epler Galt and his wife, Carrie Noel Scott Galt, 123 North Ferguson Ave., Ferguson, St. Louis County, Missouri, April 29, 1952, which include genealogical data on the Galt and Scott families. Papers also include four marriage announcements of the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin Galt: Mary Chauncey Potter Galt to Eugene Pettus, Jr., September 26, 1950; Frances Serena Franklin Galt to Martin Schweig, Jr., January 6, 1951; Anne Kennett Galt to Per Johan Aschan, July 18, 1953; and Agnes Potter Galt to William Glasgow Clark, July 29, 1954. Cite as: Galt Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0549

Gamble, Hamilton Rowan (1798-1864).

Papers, 1787-1876; 1907; 1961-1964. 11 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Hamilton R. Gamble was a lawyer, secretary of state of Missouri (1824), and provisional governor of Missouri during the Civil War (1861-1864). He married Caroline J. Coalter, sister of Mrs. Edward Bates, in 1827. He was a member of the Whig party, and in 1851 he was elected to the Missouri Supreme Court. He resigned in 1855 because of ill health. He moved to Philadelphia to educate his children, but returned to Missouri when the political situation became critical in 1861.

Papers consist of deeds and other early land papers, correspondence, etc. The materials prior to 1861 relate mostly to land affairs in Missouri Territory and Missouri and other legal affairs that stem from Gamble's career as an attorney and judge. Also includes material on the founding of Marion College at Palmyra, Missouri, by the Presbyterian Church (1838-1842); a St. Louis docket book (1818-1827); and business papers of Pitzer and Price of Fincastle, Virginia, and St.

Louis (1816-1833). The papers dated 1861 to 1864 relate mainly to correspondence about Missouri's part in the Civil War and the political activities of Gamble as provisional governor of Missouri. Correspondents of these years include Abraham Lincoln, Edward Bates, John C. Fremont, and Charles Gibson.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Hamilton Rowan Gamble Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2746

Gamble, Theodore Robert (1924- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Dec 11.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Theodore Robert Gamble, 9 Lindworth Drive, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Theodore Robert Gamble Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2316

Ganss, Anthony (Tony) (1900-1989).

**Papers, 1919-1998.** 5 items

Papers include the following three accounts of cycling trips of Tony Ganss and his friends in 1919: (1) Eleven-page typescript account titled "A Ride Through God's Country, the Ozarks," written by "Joe," recounts a cycling trip of four young men—the author, Joe [Ganley?]; Joe Braun; Tony Ganss; and Ray Faveere—from south St. Louis to House Springs, Jefferson County, and the return to St. Louis on May 17-18, 1919. They traveled out Lemay Ferry Road through Mattese and Mehlville, crossed the Meramec River, and continued on to Kimmswick, Bulltown (or Antonia), and House Springs. In House Springs the group was met by Joe's brother, Jack (or John) [Ganley?]. They stayed over night at Siever's Hotel, and the following morning rode back to St. Louis via Byrnesville or Burns' Mill [Byrnes Mill], High Ridge, Fenton, and Bulltown. (2) Seven-page account titled "The Dedication of Frisco Hill. The Moonlight Riders Minus the Moonlight." Recounts a recent cycling trip of four young men—an unidentified author; the author's brother, Jack; Ray [Faveere]; and Tony Ganss—from south St. Louis to Jefferson County and the return to St. Louis on October 18-19, 1919. The occasion of the trip was to participate in the St. Louis Cycling Club's dedication of Frisco Hill (also known as Seckman Hill) on Lemay Ferry Road in Jefferson County, in honor of the first rider who had made the trip via bicycle from St. Louis to Desoto over Lemay Ferry Road. The group departed from south St. Louis, rode out Lemay Ferry Road, crossed the Meramec River, and continued on through Maxville to Frisco Hill, and returned to St. Louis. Mentions Al (Skinny) Schreiner (pages 1 and 4), Joe Braun (pages 1 and 7), Johnnie Wagner (page 2), Mrs. Havlik (page 2), Jansky (page 4), Peg Martin (page 4), Fred Hunicke (page 4), Old Man Butler (page 4), Old Man Wolzendorf (known as Dorfey) (page 4), Roth (page 4), Brady (page 4), Rodgers (page 4), Pappa Barr (page 4), and Rotty (pages 4 and 5). (3) Five-page typescript account recounts a recent cycling trip of four young men—the author, J.M. (Jack) Ganley; Tony Ganss; Ray Faveere; and J.J. (Jim) Ganley—from south St. Louis to Frisco Hill in Jefferson County on October 18-19, 1919. Includes brief biographical notes of the four riders. Papers also contain three articles from the Southside Journal, January 9, 1994: "Historic 'Digger': Research Reveals Impulsive Side of Family Patriarch," "Ganss Among Adventurers to Conquer the 'Frisco Hill," and "St. Louis Cycling Club Is Oldest in Country"; and an article from St. Louis Senior Circuit, March 1998, titled "The Tony Ganss Bicycle Club."

Cite as: Anthony (Tony) Ganss Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2747

Garamella, Andre James (1945- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1967 Apr 12. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Andre James Garamella, 5202 Holly Hills, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Andre James Garamella Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0550

Garden Theatre (University City, Missouri).

Records, 1912-1950. 3 folders (approximately 150 items)

The Garden Theatre was located in University City, Missouri, 1925-1929, and was promoted largely by St. Louisan Flint Garrison. The 1925 season opened with Margaret Anglin as Electra. The final season of the theater, 1929, opened with Leon Errol in "Louis XIV," followed by Charles Ruggles, Roger Gray, and Gloria Foy. The last of the Garden Theatre fashion shows took place in 1927.

The collection contains stock certificates, insurance policies, canceled notes, and other papers relating to the Garden Theater. Also includes some personal papers of Flint Garrison. Cite as: Garden Theatre Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0551

# Gardner, Frederick Dozier.

Papers, 1807-1953. 2 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 oversize folder

Frederick Dozier Gardner came to St. Louis from Tennessee when he was 17, worked for a casket-making firm, and eventually became president and sole owner of the St. Louis Casket Co. In 1913, he was elected a member of the Board of Freeholders of St. Louis, and aided in drafting the city charter and sponsored the city budget plan which was adopted. He left his business in 1916 and went to Jefferson City to become governor. He endorsed the League of Nations and Woodrow Wilson and in 1922 took the stump in Missouri for Senator James A. Reed in his victorious campaign for re-election to the senate.

Collection contains papers of Frederick Dozier Gardner, including a patent for a swivel screw signed by Thomas Jefferson and James Madison; letter of Woodrow Wilson, Frederick Kreismann, mayor of St. Louis; first day covers for Gardner Post Office Station, St. Louis, 1938; passport of Gardner; Masonic certificate; and correspondence, which includes political discussions.

Cite as: Frederick Dozier Gardner Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2917

# Gardner Family.

Papers, 1846-1928. 3 folders [formerly Alphabetical File]; 1 oversize folder

Benjamin Gardner (born circa 1772 in New Jersey) and his wife, Elizabeth Gardner (born circa 1779 in Pennsylvania), resided in Clarion County, Pennsylvania, in the mid-19th century. One of their children, Hiram Gardner, resided in Van Buren County, Iowa.

Papers contain Gardner family correspondence.

Finding aid available.

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

# Gardner, Samuel B.

**Diary, 1854-1855.** 1 folder (1 volume).

Diary of trip from Columbia, Missouri, to Fort Leavenworth and the return, dated December 31, 1854, to February 21, 1855. Description of towns along the way, St. Louis and its approach from St. Charles. He left on the steamboat *Ben Bolt* homeward bound for Virginia, on February 21, 1855.

Cite as: Samuel B. Gardner Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0553

# Garesche Family.

Papers, 1870-1905. 5 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include genealogical notes; family correspondence; Garesche family accounts with St. Louis firms; 1893 constitution and bylaw of the Veteran Volunteer Fireman's Historical Society of St. Louis; and information on Vandeventer Place.

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

## A3040

**Garesche, Gladys M.** (1898-2001)

**Papers, 1941-1949.** 1 box (17 folders)

During World War II, Mrs. Garesche served on the local draft board, on the ration board, and as a Red Cross aid in Springfield, Pennsylvania. She made care packages for service men and women stationed in the U.S. and around the world.

The collection is comprised of letters, postcards, and greeting cards written to Gladys and Creighton Garesche by service men and women and also by their son and daughter in-law. The letters range from 1941 to 1949 and are arranged chronologically. The bulk of the letters date from 1944 to May 1945, during World War II. There are also three photographs that were enclosed with letters.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gladys M. Garesche Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0554

Garfield School Association (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Ledger, 1895-1897.** 1 volume (120 pages)

Indexed fee book of a St. Louis public school association.

Cite as: Garfield School Association Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3179

Garlington, Elizabeth White (1909-2006).

**Papers, 1961-2004.** 1 box, 1 oversize folder.

Elizabeth White Garlington was born May 31, 1909, in Abbeville, South Carolina, to William M. and Elsie (White) Garlington. She finished high school and earned a master's degree in social work at Atlanta University in Georgia. She worked with Family and Children's Services, where she specialized in working with children, from 1945 to 1980. She worked with the St. Louis chapter of the NAACP for decades. From 1977 to 1998, she chaired its ACT-SO (Academic, Cultural, Technological, Scientific Olympics) program, which prepares talented youth for a national scholarship competition. Garlington also worked with the United Negro

College Fund, the Girl Scouts, and her church. She served on a multitude of national and local boards, which led to her being selected as a community hero torchbearer for St. Louis in the 1996 Olympic torch relay at age 84. Garlington died February 16, 2006, in St. Louis at age 96.

The papers are comprised of certificates of awards, biographies, newspaper clippings, one oral history interview transcript, and some correspondence relating to the life and accomplishments of Elizabeth White Garlington. The papers date from approximately 1961 to 2001 and are arranged alphabetically by topic/type of document. The bulk of the collection dates from 1980 to 2004, with the following date gaps: 1962-1969 and 1976-1979. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Elizabeth White Garlington Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A3074

# **Garment Industry**

**Oral History Project Records, 1902-1995 (bulk 1990-1991).** 2 boxes.

The Missouri Historical Society initiated an oral history project in 1990 as a research component for an exhibition on the garment industry in St. Louis entitled, *From Carriage Trade to Ready-Made: St. Louis Clothing Designers*, 1880-1920. Curator Sharon Fivel wrote a catalog with the same title which accompanied the exhibit. However, this project is an extension of the exhibit, examining the fashion industry in St. Louis from the 1920s to the 1970s, with a special focus on the 1930s, 1940s, and 1950s.

The collection spans from 1902 to 1995 and is arranged alphabetically into two series: Interviews and Research. The Interviews series is comprised of the transcripts, notes, interview summary sheets, and tape indexes relating to the interviews conducted by Sister Prince in 1990 and 1991. The Research series contains: notes for interviews; photocopies of newspaper clippings, articles, and book excerpts; and research on individuals who were not interviewed for the project.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Garment Industry Oral History Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0555

Garneau, John B.

**Notebook**, **1891-1893**. 1 volume (359 pages)

St. Louis representative of the Street Railway Journal (New York).

Indexed; letters and notes (especially trade and equipment notes) regarding St. Louis businesses as they relate to street railways. Possibly notes to be submitted to *Street Railway Journal*.

Cite as: John B. Garneau Notebook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0556

Garrels, Arthur (1873-1943).

Certificates, circa 1908-1938. 1 volume

Collection of certificates of appointment to diplomatic posts; honorary membership certificates; and certificates of appreciation awarded during Garrels' thirty years of service in the United States foreign service.

Cite as: Arthur Garrels Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Garvin, William Everett (1860-1926).

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding William Everett Garvin, who resided at 4221 Westminster Place, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: William Everett Garvin Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3077

# **Gaslight Square Oral History Project.**

**Tape Summary.** 1 folder

From May to August 1988, Jeff Ritter was a summer intern at the Missouri Historical Society doing an oral history project on Gaslight Square for a program he produced at KMOX radio station.

Gaslight Square Oral History Project (5 pg.) briefly summarizes the interviews conducted during the project, provides technical notes on the recordings, and interview numbers. Interviewees include: Charles (Lady Charles) Perrine, Jorge Martinez, Jack Carl, Ed Bishop, Singleton Palmer, Chris King, Al Murphy, Nora McDermott, Myron and Becky Levy, Bobby Betts, and Jack Parker.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gaslight Square Oral History Project Tape Summary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0557

# Gasoline ordinances scrapbook, 1840-1903. 1 volume

Typed copies and newsclippings of gasoline, gas, and electric light ordinances of the city of St. Louis, with table of contents.

Cite as: Gasoline Ordinances Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3158

Gateway M.C. Inc. (Saint Louis, Mo.).

Records, 1973-2009. 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder.

Gateway M.C. was one of the earliest leather clubs founded in Missouri, operating from 1973 to 2014. Members were primarily gay men, especially those who considered themselves to be relatively masculine and who were drawn to the leather scene. While founded as a club for men interested in motorcycles, the club evolved and motorcycle ownership was not required, becoming peripheral to the club's activities. Gateway M.C. was a local example of a kind of gay men's social club that appeared in many other American cities beginning in the 1970s.

The collection contains the records of Gateway M.C. Inc. dating from 1973 to 2009. The records are divided into three series: Administrative, Events, and Newsletters. The bulk of the records date from 1990 to 2001.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gateway M.C. Inc. Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A0558

Gateway National Bank of St. Louis.

Records, 1962-1999 (bulk 1962-1966). 19 folders

Gateway National Bank of St. Louis was the first African American bank in Missouri, founded 1965. Founders included Melvyn Harrington and George L. Montgomery, Jr.

Records relate primarily to the founding of Missouri's first African American bank. They include Gateway National Bank's feasibility study, March 1964; its prospectus and charter, 1964; by-laws, October 13, 1964; and trust agreement, April 15, 1965. Also includes correspondence and documentation from Douglass State Bank (Kansas City, Kansas) and Riverside National Bank (Houston, Texas), two other African American banks whose officers assisted with the founding of Gateway National Bank. Other records include some minutes and committee reports; limited correspondence regarding operations; annual reports from 1984, 1989, and 1990; newsclippings; and biographical information on George L. Montgomery, Jr. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gateway National Bank of St. Louis Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3100

# **Gateway Skeptics.**

# **Records, 1988-2004.** 13 folders

Stephen R. Best (1926-2014) and Carl Hoffsten (1941-2008) co-founded the Gateway Skeptics at a preliminary meeting in November 1988. The club stated its plan to integrate with the St. Louis Association for the Teaching of Evolution (SLATE). The Gateway Skeptics adopted a constitution and by-laws very similar to those of SLATE: "To promote and advance the teaching of science in the public schools, and to educate and inform the public about issues concerning science education through the dissemination of informative materials. . . ." The club opposed "pseudo-science, anti-science, invalidated new age phenomena, and irrational concepts." The group gained members and supported meetings from 1988 to 2004. Due to poor meeting attendance and a lagging membership, the club voted to disband in November 2004.

The records include newsletters, correspondence, membership lists, and meeting program information for the Gateway Skeptics club arranged alphabetically by type of document. These records are from the files of Stephen R. Best, one of the club's founders and officers, and date from the initial meeting in 1988 to the club's disbanding in 2004. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gateway Skeptics Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0559

# Gault, James R.

# **Papers, 1891-1894.** 1 folder (7 letters)

James R. Gault came to St. Louis from Michigan to find work. (The city directories list him as a carpenter.) He lived in a boarding house at 1125 Chambers Street, possibly above a printing shop. He was also a children's Sunday school teacher.

The letters are written to his sister in Detroit, and are very descriptive of life in St. Louis. James Gault attended several public functions and described them in his letters. He attended the opening of Union Station in 1894, and describes it in a letter dated September 9, 1894. He mentions the Veiled Prophet parade in a letter dated September 9, 1893. Two letters dated July 24, 1891, and September 9, 1893, mention the illumination of the city streets by electric lights. A letter dated July 24, 1891, mentions presidential decorations and a huge globe on Broadway. A letter dated July 2, 1892, mentions that the business Mr. Gault works for is on strike. The demands the laborers are asking for are mentioned. The collection also includes a small broadside advertising a "Cheap Restaurant for Ladies and Gentlemen at 618 Franklin Ave." Two of the letters are written on the back of receipts for Jacob J. Witt, commercial job printing, 1125 Chambers Street. Several letters discuss his Sunday school teaching.

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

# A0560

# Gaylor, Carl.

# **Engineering notes and accounts, 1879-1893.** 3 volumes

Carl Gaylor was a civil engineer with the St. Louis Street Department. He built the Grand Avenue bridge.

Journal of accounts (1879-1893); and two volumes of engineering notes, specifications, sketches, and estimates, mostly regarding the Grand Avenue bridge, but includes references to other jobs as well (1886-1889 and 1888-1889).

Some German.

Cite as: Carl Gaylor Engineering Notes and Accounts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2432

Gaylord, Clifford W. (1883-1952).

Papers, 1935-1952. 8 items

Papers include (1) resolution of appreciation of the corrugated and solid fibre shipping container industry to Clifford W. Gaylord, a member of the Container Code Authority, November 20, 1935; (2) commission of Clifford W. Gaylord as colonel on the governor's staff, Jefferson City, Missouri, February 26, 1941; (3) commission of C.W. Gaylord as admiral in the Great Navy of the State of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska, August 30, 1944; (4) certificate of award of the Conference of American Legion Posts of St. Louis, Missouri, to General Clifford W. Gaylord, October 19, 1945; (5) printed document titled "The State Guardsman," honoring the history and service of the Missouri State Guard, which is celebrating its third birthday, September 1943; (6) satirical diploma of the Missouri College of Hunting & Fishing awarded to Clifford Gaylord, June 1, 1948; (7) commission of Clifford W. Gaylord as a member of the Conservation Commission, Department of Conservation, state of Missouri, Jefferson City, July 29, 1949; and (8) booklet compiled by the Board of Directors of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, memorializing the life of Clifford W. Gaylord who died January 7, 1952. Cite as: Clifford W. Gaylord Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0561

Gazzam, Joseph Parker (1861-1954).

Papers, 1788-1953. 1 box; 4 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Joseph Parker Gazzam was born January 26, 1861, in St. Louis. He worked as a mining engineer in Missouri, Colorado, and South Africa, before returning to St. Louis. He witnessed the Leadville, Colorado, miners' strike of 1896. He died January 27, 1954, in St. Louis.

The collection includes Gazzam and Ewing family genealogy; early correspondence of the Hogg and Ewing families (1788-1865); letter from author Winston Churchill (1905); an essay on the Leadville strike of 1896; and correspondence and other material regarding South African mining ventures and the import and use of Chinese laborers. Also includes *Transactions of the Institute of Mining and Metallurgy*, Volume XI, Parts I and II, 1901-1902; a recipe book; and a loose leaf Chinese/English grammar workbook and lexicon. In part copies.

Cite as: Joseph Parker Gazzam Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2895

Gemmer, John P.

# Papers, 1848-1874. 7 items

Collection includes (1) letter signed Chas. L. Tucker [Charles L. Tucker], St. Louis, to Saml. Davis, Jr. [Samuel Davis, Jr.], Cincinnati, Ohio, February 7, 1848. Tucker proposes to construct a pork house connected to a warehouse that he is renting, and includes the plan for the new building with accompanying questions about its construction. (2) Letter signed Wm. Russell [William Russell], St. Louis, to R. Emerson & Co., Alton, Illinois, January 26, 1852, offering to sell the two buildings in Block 51 and stating that he would not be able to remove Hart's stable. (3) Letter signed Dutcher & Co., St. Louis, to Marsh & Luzadder [or Marsh & Luzadder], Warsaw, Illinois, November 20, 1852. "We are to day in receipt of 30 bales hay for your a/c [account], now landing. The hay has been wet and some of it is hot inside—will not be able to obtain full price for it. . . . " (4) Letter signed C. Seigler [or C. Siegler], Nashville, Illinois, to Mr. Gemmer [John P. Gemmer], August 10, 1874, requesting Gemmer to send him a gun. (5) Letter signed Leonard Ryan, Medora, Illinois, to J.P. Gemmer [John P. Gemmer], St. Louis, Mo., August 15, 1874, asking if Gemmer can fix his shotgun. (6) Note signed C. Siegler [or C. Seigler], Nashville, Illinois, to J.P. Gemmer [John P. Gemmer], St. Louis, Mo., August 15, 1874, regarding guns. (7) Note signed A. Pasler, Centralia, Illinois, to Mr. Gemmer, September 22, 1874, regarding shipment of cartridges and buckshot. (Note is in German with English translation.)

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

# A2527

General Grocer Co. (St. Louis, Missouri). Magazine clipping, circa 1930s. 1 item

The General Grocer Co. was composed of the Scudders-Gale Grocer Co., Amos-James Grocer Co., Haas-Lieber Grocer Co., and Tibbitts-Hewitt Grocer Co. The company officers were August E. Gilster, president and treasurer; Bert Newburger, vice president; G.A. Metz [Gustavus A. Metz], vice president; J.O. Amos [Joseph O. Amos], vice president; W.J. Kaffenberger [William J. Kaffenberger], secretary; and Walter C. Landmann, assistant treasurer.

Clipping from unidentified magazine titled "General Grocer Co. Enlarges" includes a photograph of the company building at Spruce Street, Clark Avenue, 8th Street and 9th Street in St. Louis.

Cite as: General Grocer Co. Magazine Clipping, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

General Land Office (Washington, D.C.) Office of the Surveyor General of Missouri and Illinois (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1825-1863.

See Missouri Land Records Collection.

# A0563

General Steel Industries, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1890s-1974.** 13 boxes

General Steel Industries, Inc., is the parent company of a group of several smaller steel companies.

Collection includes corporate records, stock certificates, catalogues, etc. of subsidiary companies. Of note are an annual report of General Steel Industries (1974) and an excellent collection of Ludlow-Saylor Wire Cloth Company catalogues (1890s-1950s). The subsidiary company records that are included are General Steel Castings Corporation, Wilmington, Delaware; National Roll and Foundry Company, Ohio (1909-1956 [bulk 1944-1956]); National

Roll and Foundry Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1957); Cardinal Aircraft Corporation, St. Louis (1928-1929); Saint Louis Aircraft Corporation, St. Louis (1929-1960); Saint Louis Car Company, Wilmington, Delaware (1960-1961); Commonwealth Steel Company, New Jersey—includes dissolution papers (1927-1929, 1944); Commonwealth Steel Company, Illinois (1929-1960); Commonwealth Sales Corporation, Missouri (1948-1962); Ludlow-Saylor Wire Cloth Company, St. Louis—includes catalogs (1890s-1966); Star Wire Screen and Iron Works, Los Angeles—includes catalogues (1953-1966); Flex-O-Lite, Inc., Paris, Texas (1959-1964); Industrial Beads, Inc., Affton, Missouri (1959-1964); L.B.B. Corporation, Paris, Texas (1959-1964); Flex-O-Lite Manufacturing Corporation, Affton, Missouri (1946-1964); Missouri Glass Bead Company, Affton, Missouri (1963-1964); Standard Pipeprotection, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware (1948-1965); and W.S. Tyler Company, Ohio—includes catalogues (1913). Finding aid available.

Cite as: General Steel Industries Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0564

**General Warehousing Company.** 

**Records, 1919-1958.** 2 boxes

General Warehousing Company was formed in 1920, acquired subsidiary warehousing, storage, moving and auction companies. Became General Van and Storage Company in 1937.

Minute books, auditors' reports and other records of parent and subsidiary companies. Finding aid available.

Cite as: General Warehousing Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0565

Gentry Family.

**Papers, 1848-1930.** 1 folder; 5 volumes

Collection consists primarily of Gentry family financial records including Thomas Benton Gentry's expense book, 1903-1911; cashbook, 1880-1906; Columbia, Missouri, account book, 1875-1884; income statements, 1850-1873; and various household records. Also includes William R. Gentry's account book, 1903-1929; an account book for the law firm of Watts, Gentry and Lee, 1922-1929; and three photographs of William R. Gentry. Cite as: Gentry Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0566

Gentry, Richard (1788-1838).

Papers, 1808-1947. 6 folders (approximately 50 items)

Richard Gentry moved to Missouri in 1816 and was appointed captain of the Missouri militia in 1828, and to offices of various ranks until 1832, when he was appointed major general of the Missouri militia, which he held until the time of his death. He spent one year in St. Louis County after coming to Missouri, and in 1817 he moved to Franklin, Boonslick country. In 1826, he was elected state senator from Boone, and in 1830 President Jackson appointed him postmaster at Columbia. He held this office until his death, after which his widow was appointed in his stead and she held the office for about 30 years.

Collection includes various items including order book of General Richard Gentry (1832-1837)—Missouri volunteers in Florida Campaign of Seminole Indian War; letter of Thomas H. Benton to Mrs. Gentry, dated January 16, 1838, giving particulars of the death of General Gentry and wounding of her son; commission to Richard Gentry as lieutenant in 19th Regiment of Kentucky Militia, March 27, 1808; commission to Richard Gentry as ensign in volunteer

detachment in militia in Kentucky, September 1, 1813; commission of Richard Gentry as captain of 4th Company in 2nd Battalion of 14th Regiment, 1st Brigade in 1st Division of Missouri militia, April 20, 1821; appointment of Richard Gentry as postmaster of Columbia, Missouri, January 12, 1830; diary of Colonel Justus Post, agent of fortifications at Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, June 14-October 18, 1814, during the War of 1812.

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

#### A2510

Geo. Kinsey & Co. (Cincinnati, Ohio).

Price List, circa 1880. 1 item

Price list of Geo. Kinsey & Co. for galvanized sheet iron.

Cite as: Geo. Kinsey & Co. Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0567

George D. Barnard Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Ledgers.** 27 volumes

St. Louis, Missouri, stationery company.

Cite as: George D. Barnard Company Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2749

George, Helen Mary Mudd, Mrs. (1912- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1969 May 22. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Helen Mary Mudd George, 26 Carrswold, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Helen Mary Mudd George Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2750

George Rogers Clark Memorial Commission of Indiana.

**Invitation and program of events, 1929 Feb 25.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Invitation and program of events for the 150th anniversary of the surrender of Fort Sackville to George Rogers Clark, Vincennes, Indiana, February 25, 1929.

Cite as: George Rogers Clark Memorial Commission of Indiana Invitation and Program of Events, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0568

George Rogers Clark sesquicentennial celebration collection, 1928-1936. 3 folders

The George Rogers Clark sesquicentennial celebrated the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Vincennes (in present-day Indiana) of February 1779, during the American Revolution.

Collection consists of correspondence, much of it with Luther Ely Smith, a member of the George Rogers Clark Commission; printed matter; and newsclippings regarding the sesquicentennial celebration.

Cite as: George Rogers Clark Sesquicentennial Celebration Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2066

George W. Simpkins & Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# **Letter, 1870 Jan 20.** 1 item

Letter signed Geo. W. Simpkins & Co., St. Louis, to Henry D. Meyer, St. Charles, Missouri, regarding receipt of payment.

Cite as: George W. Simpkins & Co. Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2940

Gephardt, Richard A. (1941- ). Papers, 1940-2007 (bulk 1971-2004). 1,799 boxes

Richard A. Gephardt was born in St. Louis on January 31, 1941. His father Louis was a former union truck driver and a real estate broker; his mother Loreen worked as a secretary to earn money to put her sons through college. Richard and his older brother Don grew up on Reber Place in south St. Louis, attending nearby Mason Elementary School and supporting his hometown Cardinals baseball team. After graduating from Southwest High School in St. Louis, Gephardt attended Northwestern University High School Summer Institute in drama before attending the University for his undergraduate studies. He became involved in student government while there, serving as president of his fraternity, the junior men's honorary society, and the Student Senate. It was also at Northwestern that he met his future wife Jane Ann Byrnes. After completing his law degree at the University of Michigan in 1965, Gephardt moved back to St. Louis and became a member of the law firm of Thompson & Mitchell. He also joined the Missouri Air National Guard and in 1966 married Jane Byrnes. While in St. Louis, young Gephardt became involved in local politics. In 1971 he ran for and won election as St. Louis Alderman for the 14th Ward, then in 1976 he ran for Leonor K. Sullivan's newly-vacated Missouri 3rd District Congressional seat and won. During his 28 years in Congress, Gephardt served on several influential committees, including Ways and Means and the Budget. In 1984 his fellow Democrats elected him Chairman of the House Democratic Caucus, making him the youngest person ever to serve in that position and the only one elected unanimously. The next year his colleagues elected him Majority Leader (later Minority Leader) and House Democratic Leader, positions he would hold throughout the rest of his tenure in office. He ran for President in 1988 and again in 2004. Upon leaving Congress he formed his own international consulting company, the Gephardt Group. In 2006 he established the Richard A. Gephardt Institute for Public Service at Washington University in St. Louis.

This collection includes papers related to Richard Gephardt's congressional career and campaigns, photographs, and audio/visual records. The congressional and campaign papers contain congressional correspondence; correspondence with constituents; administrative files related to staff and Gephardt's district office; information regarding the Health Camporee in St. Louis and the Soviet Union delegation to St. Louis, both in 1979; records relating to Gephardt's legislative activities including sponsored and co-sponsored bills; press files; transcripts of Gephardt's television or radio appearances; travel information; correspondence and records relating to the 2004 presidential race; briefing books focusing on debates against Michael Dukakis; various biographical write ups; information from the University of Michigan; and the tribute to Gephardt at the end of his political career. The collection also includes photographs from his congressional campaigns and the 1988 and 2004 presidential campaigns, personal and family photographs, photographs relating to Gephardt's election as St. Louis alderman, and photographs covering the length of his congressional career. The audio/visual materials contain Gephardt's campaign commercials, announcements, and tour footage from his congressional and presidential campaigns; raw footage from Robert Shrum, political strategist; videos relating to the campaigns of Gephardt's opponents; Gephardt's speeches and press conferences; family videos; focus group recordings; C-SPAN coverage; a collection of oral history interviews with

Richard Gephardt and his staff; and national broadcast and local news coverage of Gephardt. The audio/visual materials are available in various formats, including VHS, audio reels, audio cassettes, and CDs.

Cite as: Richard A. Gephardt Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0569

Gerber, Fred A. (1878-1954).

**Collection, 1940-1951.** 7 folders (approximately 150 items)

Fred Gerber was associated with Ganahl Lumber Company and later Wiles-Chipman Lumber Company, both of which are located in St. Louis. He was a member of the Order of Hoo Hoo, a lumbermen's organization, and several other organizations including the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Association and the Missouri Historical Society.

Collection contains excerpts (one folder, typed) of letters of Col. L.J. Sverdrup from New Guinea to his wife, 1940-1942; correspondence with others on business, political, legal, personal wartime matters; and several postcards from various places and people to Mrs. Gerber and others.

Cite as: Fred A. Gerber Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0570

Gerdemann Family.

Papers, 1870-1936. 3 folders (approximately 25 items); 7 volumes

Cappeln, Missouri, family of German origins. Operated Gerdemann General Store, Heinrich W. Gerdemann, proprietor; later operated by Henry T. Gerdemann and then Mrs. Henry T. Gerdemann.

Family and business papers of the Gerdemann family, operators of a general store and post office at Cappeln, Missouri. Also includes five ledgers of Gerdemann General Store under the proprietorship of Heinrich W. Gerdemann (1841-1864); one daybook of business under Henry T. Gerdemann (1885); and one ledger of business under Mrs. Henry T. Gerdemann (1899-1902). Many entries in ledgers are in German handscript.

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

## A0571

Gerhard, Albert.

Practice ledger, circa 1883-1884. 1 volume (118 pages)

Ledger used in unidentified commercial college, St. Louis.

Cite as: Albert Gerhard Practice Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2738

Gerhard Family.

Papers, 1884-1915. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include letters of Albert J. Gerhard to his family and other family papers. Finding aid available.

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

#### A0572

German Sunday School Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1868-1878.** 1 volume

Records of the Deutscher Sonntag Schulverein, which includes minutes and a list of churches

for various years. Materials inserted include a copy of the organization's constitution; two copies of a presentation by the German Sunday School Teachers Association, dated October 21, 1878; several penciled notes; and a list of Sunday school teachers from St. Louis with addresses. In German handscript.

Cite as: German Sunday School Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0573

# Germania Colonization Company.

# **Papers, 1904-1905.** 1 box

The Germania Colonization Company was founded July 25, 1904, with 20 shares of capital stock at \$100 per share. Its purpose was "to procure lands and homes for German colonists or persons of German extraction or persons speaking and understanding the German language of any or whatever dialect, either by purchase and sale or as agents . . . to provide and prescribe rules and regulations for the government of such colony or colonies . . ." This group was supposed to help German settlers and to create a community for them in Missouri and other parts of America.

Papers relating to the organization of the company, sale of stock, names of stockholders; correspondence relating to settlement of immigrants, accounts and receipts, land plats in Arkansas; articles of association, July 25, 1904; correspondence addressed to Paul Max, who headed the organization; minute book, March 1904 to August 1905; account book, January to August 1905; and membership ledger.

Some German handscript.

Cite as: Germania Colonization Company Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0574

# Germanistic Society of Saint Louis.

# **Records, 1926-1935.** 1 box

The purpose of the Germanistic Society of St. Louis, founded in 1926, was not only "for the advancement of friendly relations between scholars from Germany," but to encourage them to visit St. Louis once they were in America. The Germanistic Society would then pay their expenses from New York to St. Louis in return for a talk by the dignitary. The society was dissolved in 1934 because many members were against the politics of the Hitler regime in Germany.

Records include minutes of meetings, 1926-1934; correspondence, 1926-1935; and list of members.

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

## A2751

Gibbs, Perla Bowman, Mrs. (1870-).

Family History Sheet, circa 1930s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Perla Bowman Gibbs, 835 Oleta Drive, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Bowman family. Insert includes genealogical data on her Funk, Mast, Sheets, Gray, Cary, and Tankersley family lines.

Cite as: Mrs. Perla Bowman Gibbs Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2752

Gibson, Arrell Morgan (1921- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1959 Aug 3.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Arrell Morgan Gibson, Norman, Oklahoma. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Arrell Morgan Gibson Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0575

Gibson, Charles (1825-1899).

**Papers, 1829-1915.** 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Charles Gibson was a nationally known lawyer from St. Louis. He was active in local city politics. He was the commissioner of Lafayette Park, and he was the author of the acts of the legislature that resulted in the establishment of Forest Park. He also drafted the act establishing the land court in St. Louis and was one of the men who set on foot the movement resulting in the building of the Southern Hotel. He married Miss Virginia Gamble, daughter of Archibald Gamble.

Collection contains correspondence of Archibald Gamble to Hamilton Gamble in St. Louis; incomplete copies of Charles Gibson's diary (typed); correspondence of Gibson when in Washington, D.C., regarding political issues, circa 1860s; act of 1874 establishing Forest Park; and autobiography of Charles Gibson.

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

# A2321

Gibson, George.

# Papers, 1819 May-Oct 4 items

Collection contains four official military letters to Colonel George Gibson. (1) Letter signed Robert Butler, Adjutant General's Office, Nashville, to Colonel George Gibson, May 25, 1819: "Enclosed is a copy of a communication just received from Gen. D. Bissell, which I think it necessary to forward, for your information." Postscript reads, "Our old general has been on the brink of bidding us farewell, but is now fast mending—all friends well and no news." (2) Letter signed Robert Butler, Adjutant General's Office, Nashville, to Colonel George Gibson, June 15, 1819, enclosing a communication from Colonel Chambers relating to the projected expedition up the Missouri. Butler also states, "I hope the arrival of Col. Atkinson will give rise (under his instructions) to a new state of things." (3) Letter signed Colonel T. Chambers, Rifle Camp at Fort Osage, to Colonel G. Gibson, commissary general, August 1, 1819, recommending that Lieutenant Loring Palmer be promoted. (4) Letter signed Isaac Clark, Asst. Com. of Sub. [Assistant Commissary of Subsistence], Belle Fontaine, to Colonel George Gibson, commissary general of subsistence, Washington City, October 19, 1819, asking for instructions relative to provision returns of soldiers of the Rifle Regiment. Also requests that some provision be made for an additional allowance of fuel for the winter months.

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

#### A0576

Gibson, George Rutledge (1810-1885).

**Diary, 1846-1848.** 1 volume

George Rutledge Gibson was born in Christianburg, Virginia. Studied law in Vincennes,

Indiana. In 1844, moved to Independence, Missouri, and published the *Independence Journal*. Later in 1844, moved to Weston, Missouri, and published the *Weston Journal*. At age 36, during the Mexican War, he joined the Platte County infantry volunteers. After the war he remained in Santa Fe and edited its first American newspaper, *The Santa Fe Republican*. Died in Woodland, California.

Mexican War diary, with preface, and muster roll of Capt. Murphy's company. Volume covers the march from Fort Leavenworth under Gen. Stephen W. Kearny to Santa Fe for the occupation of New Mexico, July-August 1846; recollections of the state of Chihuahua, including the march of Col. Doniphan from El Paso Del Norte to Chihuahua, winter of 1847; and the return trip from Santa Fe to Fort Leavenworth in the spring of 1848.

Cite as: George Rutledge Gibson Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0577

Gibson, Robert E. Lee (1864- ).

Papers, 1893-1917. 7 folders (approximately 200 items)

Robert E. Lee Gibson was associated with the St. Louis insane asylum in an official capacity. Correspondence regarding his poetry and discussion of current literature; newsclippings; and handwritten copies of his poems.

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

# A2307

Giddings, Salmon.

Letter to S.S. Woodhull, 1821 May 13. 1 item

Letter signed S. Giddings [Salmon Giddings], Cor. Sec. Miss. B. Soc. [Missouri Bible Society?], St. Louis, to S.S. Woodhull, Sec. for Dom. Cor. of American Bible Society. Giddings states that he has made arrangements with the editor of the *Edwardsville (Illinois) Spectator* to print extracts from the proceedings of the American Bible Society, and hopes to make similar arrangements with newspapers in St. Louis and Jackson, Missouri. He also reports on his efforts to sell bibles. Includes typescript extract of most of the letter.

Cite as: Salmon Giddings Letter to S.S. Woodhull, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2753

Giebler, Marie Gratiot, Mrs. (1908-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1968 Feb 10.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Marie Gratiot Giebler, 7525 Washington, University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Marie Gratiot Giebler Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2754

Gifford, Florence A., Mrs. (1920-).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Florence A. Gifford (nee Campbell), 4824 Sigel Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Florence A. Gifford Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St.

Louis.

# A2755

**Giger, Emma May, Mrs. (1904- ).** 

**Biographical Data Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Emma May Giger, 7172 Pershing, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Mrs. Emma May Giger Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0578

Gildersleeve, Isaac B.

**Papers, 1851-1865.** 1 box

Isaac B. Gildersleeve resided in St. Louis in the 1850s and 1860s. He worked as a steamboat man and later became a steamboat owner. In the late 1860s he was proprietor of the Everett House in St. Louis.

The collection contains correspondence, receipts, promissory notes, accounts, newspaper clippings, and five notebooks.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Isaac B. Gildersleeve Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0579

Gill, McCune (1883-1965).

**Papers, 1914; 1940-1965.** 2 boxes

McCune Gill was born March 20, 1883, in Mexico, Missouri. His family later moved to St. Louis and he attended Webster Groves elementary schools and Central High School in St. Louis. He entered Washington University and received a degree of Bachelor of Laws in 1904. On June 6, 1912, he married Peggy Shannon. He became the president of the Title Guarantee Trust Company and was chairman of the board in 1958. He was the author of a number of professional books and papers including *Gill on Missouri Titles*, *Gills's Missouri Real Estate Forms*, and *A Treatise on Real Property Law*. He also wrote a three-volume history of St. Louis titled *The St. Louis Story*. He was active in the Missouri Historical Society and served on the board of trustees from 1934-1953 and was the second vice president in 1945 and the first vice president in 1946. He died in 1965.

Papers include insurance and pension plans and various papers regarding McCune Gill, 1965; manuscript of a novella and poems by May Berely Shannon including notes and drafts; and genealogy of Wright family. Manuscript of novella titled "The Ivory Fan." Manuscripts of historical novels; *Apples of Gold*, originally titled, *Love and Hope Made America and These Three*.

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

# A2916

Gillespie, Andrew.

**Papers, 1802-1877.** 7 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include the following items: (1) Typescript copy of inventory of the estate of Sarah Thornhill, at a court in Bedford County, February 22, 1802. (2) Certificate of the Loyal Orange Association, County Down, Ireland, October 8, 1849, stating that Andrew Gillespie has received a degree. (3) Marriage certificate of Andrew Gillespie and Mary Ann Lanabaugh [Mary Ann

Longabaugh], both residents of Juniata County, Pennsylvania, July 27, 1854. (4) Naturalization certificate of Andrew Gillespie, recorded at Mifflintown, Juniata County, Pennsylvania, September 7, 1855. (5) Letter signed Jane Gillespie to her son Andrew, December 1, 1858[?]. Mentions that Andrew's brother David Gillespie is now on a voyage to Australia, and describes his departure from Belfast. Mentions prices of butter and pork, and mentions several deaths at home. (6) Letter signed Cyrus Longabaugh, Sabbath Rest, Blair County, Pennsylvania, to Andrew Gillespie, March 10, 1869. (7) Letter signed John M. Longabaugh, Antistown, [Blair County, Pennsylvania], to his sister, August 10, 1877[?]. Mentions the death of brother Henry and where the various family members are living.

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

## A0580

Gilmer, Francis W. (1790-1826).

**Papers, 1814-1826; 1942-1944.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Francis W. Gilmer was a lawyer and author and an educational diplomatist. He declined an offer of a professorship of law at the University of Virginia and undertook, at Thomas Jefferson's request, a mission to Great Britain to procure professors, books, and equipment for the university.

Papers consist of 49 letters of F.W. Gilmer to Thomas Jefferson, one letter (copy) of Gilmer to Thomas H. Key, dated May 26, 1825. Includes discussions of political issues of the day; mention and interpretation of Treaty of St. Ildefonso; Treaty of Cambray; and mentions of mutual friends, DuPont de Nemours and Joseph Correa de Serra. Correspondence of 1824 and 1825 related to Gilmer's attempts and final results of procuring professors, books, and materials for the University of Virginia. Also includes correspondence regarding the collection. Cite as: Francis W. Gilmer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0581

Gilpin, William (1813-1894).

**Letters, 1835-1838.** 1 volume

William Gilpin resigned from West Point in 1835. Studied law briefly, joined the dragoons in 1836. Resigned from the dragoons in 1838 and took up the practice of law in Missouri and at one time was the chief clerk for the House of Representatives. While he was in St. Louis, he edited the *Missouri Argus*. In 1843, went west with William Ashley and fought in the Mexican War. He eventually became the first territorial governor of Colorado. He died in Denver.

Bound volume of original letters and typescript copies, of correspondence from Gilpin at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, Mobile, Alabama, New Orleans, Philadelphia, and Washington, D.C., to his family in Delaware.

Cite as: William Gilpin Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0582

Giraldi, Marie Louise Sauvageau.

Journal, 1932. 1 volume

Born in Quebec and lived most of her life there (La Prairie and Montreal) and also New York City. Her great-grandfather Larent LeRoux was an agent for the Hudson Bay Company. Her father was a Tory member of parliament.

Typescript journal describing home life in French Canada (1854-1905), in New York City, with mention of family in St. Louis. Also includes some genealogical notes and photographs. Cite as: Marie Louise Sauvageau Giraldi Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2756

Girolami, Angie, Mrs. (1895-).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Jan 24. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet (dated January 24, 1964) and undated family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Angie Girolami (nee Petrucco), 543 North and South Road, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Angie Girolami Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0583

Glasgow American Brass Band.

Record book, 1867 Sept 18-Oct 19. 1 volume

Organized September 18, 1867; C.S.T. Southworth, secretary, Prof. Chas. Rannell, instructor. Constitution, by-laws, minutes, and resolutions.

Cite as: Glasgow American Brass Band Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0586

Glasgow, Carlotta.

**Collection, 1796-1907.** 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers consist of letters and autographs of famous people, including George Rogers Clark, William Clark, Meriwether Lewis, Thomas Hart Benton, Ralph W. Emerson, and H.G. Hosmer. Cite as: Carlotta Glasgow Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0584

Glasgow Family.

Papers, 1843-1903. 3 folders (approximately 30 items); 1 oversize folder

Papers include genealogical information on Kimmel and allied families; land and deeds in St. Louis; various Kimmel family letters, with some dating during the Civil War; wills of Sarah Glasgow, and Anne Ewing Lane; and a William Glasgow family tree.

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

# A0585

**Glasgow Family.** 

# William and James Glasgow Papers, 1833-1872. 1 box

William and James Glasgow were merchants from St. Louis involved in the Santa Fe trade, 1846-1848. The brothers returned to St. Louis in 1848 and opened a grocery wholesale business.

Collection includes correspondence to various family members from William and James Glasgow. Also includes a letterbook by William Henry Glasgow of a trip through Mexico in 1842-1843, with a typescript by Prof. Ralph Bieber. Most of the collection consists of photocopies of original letters.

Cite as: William and James Glasgow Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0587

Glasgow, Shaw and Larkin (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Journal, 1835-1842.** 1 volume (206 pages)

St. Louis commission merchants, William Glasgow, Thomas H. Larkin, and John R. Shaw,

partners.

Receipt book.

Cite as: Glasgow, Shaw and Larkin Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0588

# Glatfelter Family.

Papers 1854-1924. 5 folders (approximately 100 items)

Noah Miller Glatfelter (1837-1911) taught in Lebanon, Missouri, began the study of medicine, and in 1862 enlisted in the Union army, but was excused from military duty to complete his medical studies. Received his degree of medicine from the University of Pennsylvania in 1864. He was commissioned by the president as assistant surgeon of United States Volunteers. At this time he married Mary Hegarty of Philadelphia, who accompanied him to Alexandria and City Point, Virginia, while he was stationed there. At the end of the Civil War he was sent to Dakota Territory to serve as army surgeon in the Crow Creek agency. He was mustered out of service in 1867 and he and his wife settled in St. Louis. He maintained a successful medical practice and continued his interest in botany.

Papers include correspondence of the family of Noah M. Glatfelter of Pennsylvania and St. Louis. Consists primarily of letters of Noah M. Glatfelter to his parents from school and the Civil War, and to his wife from Crow Creek Agency, Dakota Territory.

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

#### A0589

# Godbey, Allen Howard.

# **Papers, 1832-1946.** 2 boxes

Allen Howard Godbey was an archaeologist and orientalist; pursued research into ancient history and in clarifying ethnological problems, particularly those related to the origin of the Jewish race; sometime professor of Old Testament study at Duke University; permanent executive secretary of the Historical Commission of the M.[Methodist] E.[Episcopal] Church Society, 1943; 31 years executive secretary of the St. Louis Conference Historical Commission. He was also a scholar on the subject of cuneiform inscriptions. His works include *The Lost Ten Tribes A Myth* and *New Light on The Old Testament*.

The smaller portion of the collection, containing approximately 75 items, includes correspondence of Allen H. Godbey with Ms. Stella M. Drumm (1937-1939) in regards to early Methodism in Missouri and genealogical information about his family, namely the John Smith family of Virginia, the Pleasant family, John Russell family, Storrs family, etc.; Bridgeton Sunday School minute book, 1832-1853; open letter of Dr. Godbey to Dr. C.W. Tadlock of the Methodist Board of Pensions, 1940-1941; "What Rabbi Yeshua Thought of Soldiers and Ante-Nicene Christian Soldiers," 1941; open letter to Bishop John C. Broomfield titled "Worthless Compilations of Early St. Louis Methodist History," September 21, 1940; several other open letters regarding Methodist church history. A larger portion (addition) contains genealogical information regarding his family; sketch of Dr. Godbey, Archaeologist and Orientalist, from Town and Country Review, August 1935; prospectus of book titled The Lost Tribes A Myth, 1930; prospectus of book titled New Light on the Old Testament advertising the third edition, September 1936; record book of Recording Stewards of Union Circuit, St. Louis Conference, John Arnist, 1859; minutes of the Quarterly Meetings of the Union Circuit Conference of Missouri, 1849-1881; minutes for years 1835-1846 in back of book; Bridgeton Sunday School Minute Book, 1832-1853; correspondence with Jesse H. Kern, 402 Joe Ave., Kirkwood, Missouri, 1938-1943; and religious manuscripts, many of them open letters of Dr. Godbey to

Methodist Church officials; correspondence and material regarding the history of early Methodism in Missouri.

Cite as: Allen Howard Godbey Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2757

Godchaux, Leon Gumbel (1894- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1958.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Leon Gumbel Godchaux, Chicago, Illinois. Also includes typescript letter signed Frank Moran, Chicago, Illinois, to Mrs. Dana O. Jensen, editor, Missouri Historical Society, regarding the enclosed biographical data sheet.

Cite as: Leon Gumbel Godchaux Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0590

Goddard Family.

Papers, 1839-1850. 1 folder (approximately 10 items)

Letters from members of the Stephen Goddard family in Clay County, Missouri, to relatives in Pennsylvania, dealing with the early customs and farm life in Missouri, especially Clay County. Discusses Mormonism and politics of the day. These are photostat copies; the original documents are at the Minnesota Historical Society.

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

# A0591

**Godefroy Manufacturing Company.** 

**Records, 1935-1955.** 2 boxes

Godefroy Manufacturing Company, founded in 1882 by Alexandre F. Godefroy, for the manufacturing of cosmetics. Charles W. Godefroy succeeded his father as president of the firm.

Business correspondence, directives, employment data, memos, price control regulations and materials, World War II quota notices, and technical instructions concerning the Godefroy Manufacturing Company.

Cite as: Godefroy Manufacturing Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2164

**Godfrey-Morton Family.** 

**Papers, 1838-1960.** 1 box

J.W. Godfrey and family were from McLean County, Illinois, during the late 1830s to 1870s. John Washington Godfrey ran for overseer of the poor and won on April 6, 1858, for McLean County. The Morton family was from Dickens County, Georgia. Evelyn Tate and Isaac P. Morton were married in Dickens County, Georgia, in 1906. The Morton family relocated to St. Louis, Missouri, circa 1920. The Morton family descends from John Alston and family in 1711 in Gater County, North Carolina, which was formerly Chowan County. A.H. Eilers, who was born around 1844, was married to Agnes Coudy. He had two sons, Roy M. and Ralph H. A.H. Eilers was the founder of Church and Sunday School Supply House. A.H. Eilers was born in Germany and made his home in Milwaukee. Roy Eilers was an attorney for Century Electric Co. and Ralph Eilers was an alderman from the twenty-sixth ward.

The papers contain personal letters, promissory notes, receipts, tax receipts, legal documents,

and manuscripts.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Godfrey-Morton Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3001

Goebel Family.

Papers, 1917-1952. 3 folders; 1 oversize item

Anthony G. Goebel (died September 24, 1968), the son of Henry Frank Goebel, resided in St. Louis with his wife, Anna R. Goebel. Gilbert R. Loewenstein was born February 28, 1894, in St. Louis, and died July 11, 1960, in St. Louis. He served in the U.S. Army. The relationship of Loewenstein to the Goebel family could not be determined.

The papers contain six World War II—era ration books of Anthony G. and Anna R. Goebel; two stock certificates of Henry Frank Goebel in the International Aerial Navigation Co., 1923; and several Goebel family photographs. The papers also contain military documents and photographs of Gilbert R. Loewenstein.

Finding aid available.

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

## A0592

Goebel, Gert (1816-1878).

"Laenger als ein Menschenleben in Missouri" / by Gert Goebel; manuscript translation by M. Heinrichsmeyer, [1956]. 1 box

Gert Goebel, born in 1816 in Coburg, Germany, son of David Goebel (1787-1872) and Henrietta Kessell who died in 1860. The family came to Missouri in 1834, settled in Newport, Franklin County. David was county surveyor, 1849-1851, his son acting as his deputy, and succeeding him in office. He taught school both in the county and in St. Louis and after the death of his wife he returned to Germany. Gert Goebel married Caroline Becker, St. Louis County, 1842. Originally a Benton Democrat, the younger Goebel became an ardent Republican and abolitionist at the beginning of the Civil War. Elected to the state house of representatives in 1862, to the state senate in 1864, serving until 1869. In 1870, he became chief clerk of the state register office, and was a correspondent for the *Westliche Post* for many years. He died in 1878.

Manuscript translation of original volume in German by Gert Goebel, 1877, concerning early days in Franklin County, with descriptions of Missouri, St. Louis, Washington, Newport, Franklin County; information about early settlers, Germans in Missouri, hunting, farming, grape culture, Civil War in Missouri, etc. Volume was translated by M. Heinrichsmeyer, and edited by Mrs. Dana Jensen.

Cite as: Gert Goebel, "Laenger als ein Menschenleben in Missouri," manuscript, translated by M. Heinrichsmeyer, [1956], Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2758

Goessling, Virginia H., Mrs. (1908-).

Family History Sheet, 1964 Mar 10. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Virginia H. Goessling (nee Hemenway), 17 Upper Ladue Road, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Virginia H. Goessling Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3155

# Goetsch, Gustav Frederick (1877-1969).

# Art Notes, no date. 1 folder

Gustav Fredrick Goetsch was born March 15, 1877, in Gaylord, Minnesota. In 1917, he returned to St. Louis and to the faculty of Washington University's St. Louis School of Art. Goetsch married Hazel Elizabeth Weedell (1892-1984) in Montana on July 9, 1918. The couple had two children: Elizabeth Hazel (1924- ) and Gustav Frederick Jr. (1924- ). Goetsch was a prolific painter and etcher, his works on display in museums and private collections. Two of his etchings, Minneapolis Street and On the Harlem River are included in the Smithsonian American Art Museum.

The collection is comprised of ten handwritten pages by Goetsch concerning mordant recipes; notes on uses of oils, varnishes, and etching and printing supplies; and color compositions and recommendations. The notes are not dated. All but two small pages are from a notebook with page numbers and include a brief table of contents. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gustav Frederick Goetsch Art Notes, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0593

# Goldberg, Julius J.

# **Collection, 1847-1939.** 13 folders

The collection covers such subjects as family history, political events and personalities, the theatre, Civil War, business and transportation. Includes letters concerning St. Louis theater matters, dated 1847-1880; several dozen letters written to Col. Burkham, 1920-1930, by Dwight Davis, Sam. A. Baker, and others; letters written by Dabney Carr from Hazelwood, St. Louis County, 1849-1850; Civil War letters, quartermaster returns, other data concerning the Union army in Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, and Kentucky, 1861-1865; letters written by Robert C. Day, president of the St. Louis Republican Club, St. Louis, 1902-1906; personal and business correspondence of William P. Howard, a St. Louis merchant, 1857-1880; correspondence of Breckenridge Jones regarding public affairs during 1921-1926; Jacob M. Lashly letters relating principally to political affairs, 1928-1929; and Missouri Association for the Relief and Control of Tuberculosis, office correspondence for 1911-1922.

Cite as: Julius J. Goldberg Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3073

# Golden Gateway: Asian Americans in St. Louis. Oral History Collection, 1979-1990. 8 folders.

The Missouri Historical Society initiated an oral history project in conjunction with a photograph exhibition entitled, *Golden Gateway: Asian Americans in St Louis*. The exhibition opened on 31 May 1990 and closed on 3 September 1990. It focused on six nations: China, Japan, Korea, Laos, Thailand, and Vietnam. Vida "Sister" Prince volunteered her time to interview 32 people during 23 interviews for the project.

The collection is arranged alphabetically by topic and personal names. It dates from 1979 to 1991; interviews took place from March to June 1990. The collection consists primarily of a single Tape Information Sheet completed by Vida Sister Prince following each interview. There are transcripts for four of the 23 interviews conducted for the project. There are five additional items in the collection: exhibition labels, a brief biography of Sherwin Liou (March 1979), Paul Maruyama's obituary (1995), Joseph Tanaka's obituary (1991), and a letter to editor written by Takuri Tei (1990).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Golden Gateway Oral History Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0594

# Goldsmith and Griesedieck (New York City and Cleveland, Ohio).

Account books, 1859-1861. 2 volumes

Commission merchants, partnership of Joseph H. Griesedieck and J. H. Goldsmith.

Two volumes of business records from New York and Cleveland, includes ledger, cashbook, and journal. Also includes records of the steamer *James Howard*, trip #1 from St. Louis to New Orleans and return, February 1879.

Cite as: Goldsmith and Griesedieck Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2759

# Golterman, Elizabeth.

Biographical Data Sheet, 1968 Apr 22. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elizabeth Golterman, 3436 Laclede Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Elizabeth Golterman Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2908

# Goltra, Edward F.

# Motor Car Log Book, 1908. 1 item

Title page reads, "Log Book of the Motor Car owned by Edward F. Goltra, being a record of mileage, incidents and cost of operation, presented by the Accident and Liability Dep't., Aetna Life Insurance Company." The log book includes a printed table of state registration requirements and speed laws. Recorded in this book is a log of an automobile trip from St. Louis to Mt. Washington, New Hampshire, July-September 1908 (14 pages).

Cite as: Edward F. Goltra Motor Car Log Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0595

# Goltra, Edward Field (1862-1939).

**Papers**, **1853-1949**. 18 boxes; 10 oversize folders

Edward Field Goltra was born December 29, 1862, in Jacksonville, Illinois. He graduated from Princeton University in 1887 and married Kate Brown the following year. They moved to St. Louis soon thereafter. Edward F. Goltra's business career included stints as president of the American Steel Foundry Company, the Sligo Furnace Company, the Missouri Iron Company, and the Mississippi Valley Iron Company. He also operated the Goltra Barge Line. He served as Democratic national committeeman from 1910 to 1924, and was involved in St. Louis civic affairs including the Municipal Commission on Tuberculosis of St. Louis and the St. Louis Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis. He and his wife had two children: Edward Field Goltra Jr. and William Brown Goltra. They lived in St. Louis at 4416 Lindell Blvd. and later 4487 Lindell Blvd. Edward F. Goltra died April 2, 1939, in St. Louis.

The collection includes personal and family correspondence of Edward F. Goltra; papers relating to the various companies he ran; papers relating to his work as a Democratic national committeeman; and papers relating to his civic interests.

Collection is partially name indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edward Field Goltra Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2471

# Gomes, Jno. M.

# Letter to Park Commissioner Cunliff, 1919 July. 1 item

Letter signed Jno. M. Gomes [John M. Gomes], St. Louis, to Park Commissioner Cunliff, complaining about the early closing of the Jefferson Memorial. (Letter is written on stationery of the Godfrey Street Car Fender Co.) Verso contains letter signed Jno. M. Gomes, 112 North 7th or 5866 Bartmer Ave., proposing investment in streetcar fenders in Boston or Philadelphia. Cite as: Jno. M. Gomes Letter to Park Commissioner Cunliff, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0596

Goode, George W. (1815-1863).

Papers, 1811-1895. 7 folders (approximately 100 items)

George W. Goode studied law in Virginia and later settled in St. Louis. He formed a law partnership with T.R. Cornick but it dissolved because of Cornick's health. Goode confined himself to but a few cases and obtained a reputation as a land lawyer. He married Fanny Wash, daughter of Judge Robert Wash, 1846.

Collection contains papers relating to leases and land papers in the St. Louis area. Also includes a certificate for bounty land to Judge Robert Wash and various correspondence. Cite as: George W. Goode Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2760

Gooding, Julia Papin, Mrs. (1898-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Jan 7. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Julia Papin Gooding, Concord, Massachusetts. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Mrs. Julia Papin Gooding Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0597

Gore family.

# Gore-Helfenstein papers, 1817-1932. 1 box

John P. Helfenstein was born in Frederick, Maryland, in 1816, and died in Webster Groves, Missouri, in 1890. He came to St. Louis in 1838; soon after he married Mary Gore. His first job was with Robert Campbell and he stayed there until Campbell's death. In 1840, Helfenstein and Stephen Gore went into the wholesale grocery business on the levee under the name Helfenstein, Gore and Co. They dissolved the partnership in 1860. Helfenstein spent the remainder of his life at his home in Webster Groves, which he had built on Rock Hill Road in 1857. Stephen D. Gore, born Boston 1817, died St. Louis 1900. Came to St. Louis as a young man, married daughter of his partner. Made his home in Webster Groves. Lived comfortably off his income after retiring.

Letterpress book of Helfenstein, Gore and Co. (October 11, 1849-September 30, 1851); journal of Katie W. Gore of trip from St. Louis to Boston (June 20-27, 1854); Katie W. Gore journal (January 21-April 30, 1860); manuscript essay by Mary Howard Miles, Louisville Female High School (186-); personal accounts of John W. Slaughter, "Cedar Grove," King

George County, Virginia; Civil War diary of Samuel Peck Reid, Camp Sullivan, Missouri, Ironton, Missouri, and camp near Richmond, Kentucky (May 13, 1861-March 20, 1864); diary of John W. Slaughter, Culpeper Minute Men, Company B, 13th Virginia Infantry (Confederate); Helfenstein Park real estate maps, Webster Groves, Missouri; and family correspondence to Mary Howard Miles (1857-1871).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gore-Helfenstein Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2761

Gore, Samuel Joseph (1925- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1964. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Samuel Joseph Gore, 3390 Rockingham Drive, Florissant, St. Louis County, Missouri. (He formerly resided at 1235 Odessa Drive, 7408 Haywood Drive, and 2811 Carson Road.) Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Samuel Joseph Gore Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2928

**Goss-Emerling Family.** 

**Papers, 1838-1948.** 2 folders

Henry Goss was born circa 1820 in Florissant, St. Louis County, Missouri. He married Jane Martin, who presumably died in the 1850s. Henry Goss married Octavia Street (nee Brazeau) on February 5, 1857, in St. Louis County. He died circa April 24, 1869, near Florissant at the age of 49. His daughter Adeline married Wendel Emerling December 8, 1874, in St. Louis County.

Collection contains family correspondence, business papers, and newspaper clippings of the Goss and Emerling (or Emmerling) families of St. Louis. Notable items include the daybook of Henry Goss' general store at Florissant, 1838-1842; discharge papers of Ohio Civil War soldier Wendel Emerling; and World War II ration book of Irene Ella Emmerling. Collection also includes two family letters written to James and William H. Luke, who possibly were related to the Goss-Emerling family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Goss-Emerling Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2762

Gottfried, Friederike (1903- ).

**Family History Sheet, circa 1960s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Friederike Gottfried (Pocahontas, Illinois), widow of John Gottfried.

Cite as: Friederike Gottfried Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2763

Gottschall, Alvin Gosman (1922- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1969 Mar 29. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alvin Gosman Gottschall, 1000 North Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Alvin Gosman Gottschall Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0598

# Governors collection, 1771-1976; no date. 1 box

Mostly original manuscripts (with some copies) of and relating to the Spanish, territorial, and state governors of Missouri. Collection was assembled, in part, as an autograph collection that contains representative examples of the correspondence of each Missouri governor. Collection also includes a list of Missouri governors, with the terms of service, and examples of their autographs.

Some French and Spanish.

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

#### A0599

Gowans, Andrew.

Account book, 1863. 1 volume (100 pages)

Account book contains accounts of guns and equipment received by members of Company H, 94th Ohio Infantry; and recipes of Maggie Gowans added later (1892).

Cite as: Andrew Gowans Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2431

**Grace School of Dancing (St. Louis, Missouri).** 

# Program for "The Woman in the Shoe," 1938 May 20. 1 item

Four-page program for "The Woman in the Shoe," second annual recital presented by pupils of the Grace School of Dancing, 4055 Concordia, at Concordia Turner Hall, 13th and Arsenal Streets. Music furnished by Norman Sauter and his dance orchestra. Story by teacher Grace Niebuhr, 4093 Burgen.

Cite as: Grace School of Dancing Program for "The Woman in the Shoe," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2914

Graham, George.

**Papers**, **1885-1907**. 5 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include the following items: (1) Notes of recommendation for George Graham, signed by Charles E. Nixdorff and Charles Schwendinger, St. Louis, August 20 and 29, 1885. Written on the stationery of Charles E. Nixdorff, corner Main and Brooklyn Streets. (2) Circular of the Office of Inspector of Boilers and Elevators, City Hall, St. Louis, Mo., 189-, announcing four city ordinances relating to steam boilers. (3) Letter signed Robt. P. Dunn [Robert P. Dunn], St. Louis, to Mr. Graham, September 21 1907. Written on the stationery of the N.K. Fairbank Company. (4) Undated advertising card and accompanying envelope provides "directions for calculating diagrams of steam engines, by Roper's simple process," and promotes "Roper's simple process of estimating the horse-power of steam engines, from indicator diagrams, or the work an engine is performed at the time the diagram was taken." Copyrighted by Stephen Roper, Philadelphia, Pa.

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

#### A2764

**Graham, Helen L., Mrs. (1922- ).** 

# Family History Sheets, 1969 Mar 5. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Helen L. Graham (nee McGrath), 8880 Woodpark Drive, Sunset Hills, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Helen L. Graham Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0600

Graham, John.

**Journal, 1837-1850.** 1 volume

Volume of sketches of houses, recipes for cooking, directions for whitewashing, etc. Cite as: John Graham Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2457

Graham. Reverend Sister.

**Circular, circa 1959-1963.** 1 item

Circular of Reverend Sister Graham, 7940 Collinsville Road, East St. Louis, Illinois, states in part, "God sent. God's messenger. You've seen her on television, read about her in the papers, now see her in person. Rev. Sister Graham. God sent. All prayers and healing free. Touch of her hand will heal you. Rev. Sister Graham has the God-given power to heal by prayer. Everyone welcome, white or colored, at Rev. Sister Graham's home. What you see with your eyes, your heart will believe. Are you suffering? Are you sick? Do you need help? Do you have bad luck? Bring your problems to Rev. Sister Graham today and be rid of them tomorrow.

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

# A0601

Graham, Richard (1780-1857).

**Papers, 1795-1896; 1933-1938; no date.** 20 boxes

Army officer and Indian agent.

Correspondence, accounts, daybook, bills, pay records, and muster rolls of the 1st Regiment of Infantry and papers of its paymaster William S. Harney, records of the 7th Regiment of Infantry, and other papers relating to military affairs (1839-1853) of Graham's son-in-law Daniel M. Frost, the management of Graham's estate, family business affairs, the family's Hazelwood plantation, and partition of the estate of John Mullanphy, the father of Graham's second wife. Includes Graham's instructions from the War Department as Indian agent in Illinois Territory, letters and accounts (1813-1815) of Graham while at Lexington, Kentucky, with the 17th U.S. Infantry, and correspondence with Daniel Vertner, a contractor of Washington, Kentucky. Addition to collection consists of materials related mostly to Richard Graham's estate and the finances of the family's Hazelwood farm.

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

# A0602

Grand Army of the Republic.

Collection, 1886-1931. 9 boxes; 9 volumes; 2 oversize folders

Founded at Springfield, Illinois, in 1866, the Grand Army of the Republic was the largest and most influential organization of Union veterans of the Civil War. The first G.A.R. post for Missouri was established at St. Louis in 1880.

Collection contains records of the following posts of the Department of Missouri, G.A.R.:

John A. Logan Post No. 304 (St. Louis), Ransom Post No. 131 (St. Louis), Frank P. Blair Post No. 1 (St. Louis), Thomas J. Brouster Post No. 233 (Clayton), and John W. Rollins Post No. 247 (West Plains). Also includes general records of the G.A.R. for the Department of Missouri and the national headquarters.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Grand Army of the Republic Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0603

# Grand Opera House (New Orleans, Louisiana).

# **Record book, 1881-1882.** 1 volume

For the 1881-1882 theatrical season, the Grand Opera House of New Orleans was managed by the firm of Brooks, Norton and Conner. Norton is presumed to be John W. Norton, formerly manager of DeBar's Opera House in St. Louis. George B. Berrell, also formerly with DeBar's Opera House, served as stage manager.

This volume is a time book of the Grand Opera House in New Orleans for the season running from October 6, 1881, to March 18, 1882, with notes on performances and plays running at other New Orleans theaters as well, namely the St. Charles Theatre, the Academy of Music, and the French Opera House. The volume also includes a recapitulation of the season, a list of plays and operas produced at both the Grand Opera House and the St. Charles Theatre, and a catalogue of plays and dramatic works at the rear of the volume.

Cite as: Grand Opera House, New Orleans, Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2420

# Grand View Consolidated Mining, Milling, Tunnel and Drainage Co. (Colorado Springs, Colorado).

# **Papers**, **1911**. 2 items

Collection contains (1) prospectus of the Grand View Consolidated Mining, Milling, Tunnel and Drainage Co. of Colorado Springs, Colorado, 1911 (15 pages) and (2) undated flyer of the Grand View Consolidated Mines Co., Colorado Springs, promoting investment in the company. Cite as: Grand View Consolidated Mining, Milling, Tunnel and Drainage Co. Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1821

Grant, Lee W. (1863-1948).

**Papers, 1854-1954.** 2 folders

Lee Wiley Grant was born January 17, 1863, in St. Louis, Missouri, the son of Barton S. Grant and Frances A. Palmer Grant. He graduated from Washington University in 1885, and was admitted to the bar the following year. He practiced law in St. Louis for 58 years. In 1891 he married Zoe Romaine Nelson, the daughter of William S. Nelson and Diana Nelson. Their children were Barton N. Grant, Lee Donald Grant, Irma Grant, Mrs. Romaine P. Bassett, and Mrs. Esther Brown. Lee W. Grant died September 9, 1948; his wife died March 18, 1952.

Collection includes Grant family correspondence, receipts, invitations, stock certificates, and other papers. Notable content includes a letter written by famed engineer James B. Eads and a letter written by Emily W. Grant, providing an eye-witness account of the San Francisco earthquake of 1906.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0604

# **Grant Monument Association of Missouri.**

**Records, 1885-1888.** 1 box

Cashbook and record book, with minutes, articles of agreement, etc., regarding the erection of memorial to Ulysses S. Grant.

Cite as: Grant Monument Association of Missouri Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2765

Grant, Samuel Becker (1896- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Feb 13.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Samuel Becker Grant, 96 Aberdeen Place, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data about his family.

Cite as: Samuel Becker Grant Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0605

Grant, Ulysses Simpson (1822-1885).

Papers, 1791-1801; 1858-1973; no date. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

This is an artificial collection of documents from a variety of sources. The documents and other items in this collection cover a wide range of dates and subjects. The documents in the collection that were written by or to Grant cover the period 1858-1884. The remainder of the documents relate to personal business and family matters. Also includes several letters from Julia Grant that indicate she was still using mourning stationery as late as 1898, and an 1870 letter from Gideon Welles to an Ohio representative containing strong criticism of Grant. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ulysses Simpson Grant Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0607

**Gratiot, Charles (1752-1817).** 

**Papers, 1769-1933.** 3 boxes

Born in 1752 in Switzerland, Charles Gratiot became a St. Louis pioneer and trader. He trained under an uncle in London, then under another uncle in Canada where he learned the fur trade. In 1777, he established himself in Cahokia, Illinois, where he opened a store. In 1781, he moved to St. Louis where he married Victoire Chouteau, daughter of Marie Therese Bourgeois Chouteau. After the 1804 transfer of the Louisiana Territory to the United States, Governor William Henry Harrison appointed Gratiot first presiding justice of the court of quarter sessions. He was elected trustee of the town of St. Louis when it incorporated in 1809. He died April 20, 1817, in St. Louis.

Correspondence, land papers, ledger (1777-98), "Journal des Cahos" (1778-1781) of David McCrae, Charles Gratiot, John Kay, and Pierre Barthe, engaged in the fur trade in Cahokia, Illinois, Charles Gratiot letterbooks and account books, and other papers. See *The Letterbooks of Charles Gratiot, fur trade: the nomadic years, 1769-1797*, edited with an historical introduction by Warren Lynn Barnhart, in the Missouri History Museum Library (St.L. 816 G772) for transcriptions of the Charles Gratiot letterbooks.

The original Charles Gratiot Letterbooks cannot be paged to researchers due to the fragile condition of the items. Preservation photocopies are available for review.

In part French.

Finding aid available.

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

# A0608

Gratiot, Henry Terry (1830-1919).

**Journal, 1859-1868.** 1 volume (365 pages)

Grandson of Charles Gratiot, and great grandson of Pierre Laclede.

Diary of a trip west in 1860 with assorted accounts dated 1859-1868.

Cite as: Henry Terry Gratiot Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0606

Gratiot Square Realty and Improvement Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Collection, 1854-1936.** 1 box; 1 volume

The Gratiot Square Realty and Improvement Company was a St. Louis real estate development company established by Charles B., Henry T., Paul B., and Maria T. Gratiot in 1907 and dissolved in 1936.

Minute book contains the minutes of the stockholders meetings (1907-1936) and anundated list of land assessments on lands belonging to the Gratiot family. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gratiot Square Realty and Improvement Company Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0609

**Gratz Family.** 

**Papers, 1750-1850.** 27 volumes

The Gratz brothers, Barnard and Michael, were merchants based out of Philadelphia during the eighteenth century. Their heavy involvement in the fur trade took them and others into the American West.

Bound, multi-volume series, with table of contents in each volume, of Gratz brothers papers. Collected by William Vincent Byars from different libraries across the United States to give an appreciation of life in early America and to document the first waves of westward expansion. Series assembled in 1915. Volumes include some originals, essays, newsclippings, photographs, and photocopies of maps pasted or bound into the volumes. The first volume explains the development of the collection, and the last, titled "First American Movement West," is an historical overview by Byars.

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

# A2766

Gravely, Joseph Jackson, Mr. and Mrs.

Marriage Invitation, 1947 June 14. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

"Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson Gravely request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Marjorie [Marjorie Gravely] to Doctor James Cash Sisk on Saturday, the fourteenth of June one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven at eight o'clock in the evening, First Congregational Church, Saint Louis." Also includes reception reply card: "The favor of a reply is requested, 7134 Maryland Avenue."

Cite as: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson Gravely Marriage Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0610

Graves and Henton.

# Business papers, 1870-1881. 4 boxes

Graves & Henton, druggist, cutlery, and fancy goods store, Canton, Missouri, 1870s.

Correspondence and business papers including billheads, statements, and receipts related to the firm of Graves & Henton.

Cite as: Graves and Henton Business Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2230

Gray Lady's.

Prayer, no date. 1 item

Gray Ladies were American Red Cross volunteers who provided non-medical services to patients in hospitals and private homes. The service began at the Walter Reed Army Hospital in 1918, but it did not become officially known as the Gray Lady Service until after World War II. The Gray Lady Service ended in the late 1960s.

Undated, printed verse titled "A Gray Lady's Prayer."

Cite as: Gray Lady's Prayer, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0611

Gray, Melvin L. (1815-1904).

**Collection, 1774-1871.** 1 folder (approximately 10 items)

Melvin Gray came to St. Louis in 1842 and was admitted to the bar in 1843. He married Ruth C. Bacon in 1851; she died in 1893. He retired from the practice of law in 1893.

Collection includes documents concerning Pelham, Hampshire County, Massachusetts; also issues of the *Massachusetts Gazette*.

Cite as: Melvin L. Gray Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2443

Great Busch Gardens Balloon Rally, The.

Poster, [1975] Sept 20-21. 1 item.

This annual balloon race, held in Forest Park (St. Louis, Missouri), later became known as the Great Forest Park Balloon Race.

Cite as: The Great Busch Gardens Balloon Rally Poster, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1617

# "The Great Migration: A Discussion of Personal Life Histories During 1930-1950." Oral History Project, 1995. 11 folders

Collection contains transcripts of interviews of African-American senior citizens in St. Louis regarding their personal life histories. Topics discussed include relocating from the South to St. Louis; farming and sharecropping; working on the railroad; segregation; education; housing; religious and family life; and general memories regarding life in St. Louis. Interviews were conducted by students from St. Louis Community College-Meramec. Interviewees include Brown Bogan, Leomia Harrell, Rosie Lee Claypool, Jessie Hill, Ollie Griffin, Mae Louise Black Coleman, James Dorsey, Mabel Corynn Foog, Paul Porter, and Mrs. Sarah Yarber. The latter

interview contains a brief typescript history of the Singleton family.

Cite as: "The Great Migration: A Discussion of Personal Life Histories During 1930-1950" Oral History Project, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3117

# **Greater St. Louis Independence Celebration and Exposition of Industrial Progress. Invitation, 1926.** 1 folder

The St. Louis Chamber of Commerce planned the Greater St. Louis Independence Celebration and Exposition of Industrial Progress to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence and to display St. Louis products to thousands of visitors. The event was held in Forest Park, across from the Forest Park Highlands, from September 4 to 19, 1926.

The collection is comprised of one invitation booklet printed by Ideal Motor Sales Company (2812 Iowa Avenue) to advertise its tractors. The new line of tractors included Five Ton Allwork Tractors and Cletrac Tractors (Models A, K and W). Ideal encouraged visitors to "make our exhibit your headquarters while at this celebration." Finding aid available.

Cite as: Greater St. Louis Independence Celebration and Exposition of Industrial Progress Invitation, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2767

Green, Allen Percival (1875- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Nov 25. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Allen Percival Green, Mexico, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Allen Percival Green Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0612

Green, Caleb (1837-1901).

**Collection, 1767-1886.** 3 folders; 5 volumes (approximately 50 items)

Caleb Green was born in England and came to America in 1854 with a group of English Mormons who were heading for Salt Lake City. In August 1856, he was engaged by Abraham O. Smoot to cross the plains as a clerk and assistant commissary to the church train. In 1857, he escaped from the Mormons, and came to St. Louis. In July 1859, he became a citizen of the United Sates and the following August he married Jane E. Brown of St. Louis. He was a broker by trade.

Collection includes genealogical records of the Green and Essex families; Caleb Green's citizenship and marriage certificates; journals of Edwin F. Green describing a trip abroad, 1886 and 1891; journal (1862) reviewing the trip of the English Mormons who came to America in 1854, headed for Salt Lake City, and Caleb Green's account of the trip from Atchison, Kansas, beginning in August 1856; journal of Caleb Green's escape from Mormonism and Salt Lake City and arrival in St. Louis, 1857; notebook of travels in America, 1882; and undated autobiography of James C. Essex, most of it devoted to life in St. Louis, circa 1825.

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

# A2768

Green, Edwin F. and George A.

Family History Sheets, 1927. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheets of George Arnold Green (born February 16, 1901), 821 Belt Ave., St. Louis, Missouri, and his father, Edwin Frederick Green (born October 17, 1865), 5295 Waterman, St. Louis, Missouri. Sheets include genealogical data on their family. Cite as: Edwin F. and George A. Green Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0613

Green, Ernest A. (1884-1938).

Papers, 1895-1939. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Ernest A. Green was born January 12, 1884, in Hillsboro, Missouri, the son of Judge and Mrs. James F. Green. He graduated from the University of Missouri Law School in 1905, was the prosecuting attorney of Butler County, Missouri, 1906-1910, and the assistant attorney general of Missouri, 1912-1914. In 1916, he was an unsuccessful candidate for the Democratic nomination for attorney general of Missouri. Governor Elliott W. Major appointed him in 1916 to fill the unexpired term on the Circuit Bench in St. Louis. He served as president of the Bar Association of St. Louis, 1926, and the president of the Missouri Bar Association, 1927. He died November 21, 1938, as a result of a fall at the Clayton courthouse.

Personal and professional correspondence; speeches and legal documents; financial documents; and printed material. Correspondence with prominent political figures includes Franklin D. Roosevelt, Senator Bennett Champ Clark, and Missouri governor Lloyd C. Stark. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ernest A. Green Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0615

Green, John, Dr. (1835-1913).

Papers, 1855-1973. 11 boxes; 4 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Physician in Boston, Massachusetts, and in St. Louis, Missouri, was the first eye doctor in St. Louis. Graduate of Harvard, came to St. Louis after the Battle of Shiloh to work with the Western Sanitary Commission. Married Hattie Jones; had a daughter Elizabeth Green.

Correspondence, journals, medical notes, records and notes, writings and printed pamphlets of Dr. Green, his wife, Hattie (Jones) Green, and his daughter Elizabeth Green, relating to medical problems, early St. Louis medical schools, and St. Louis social life (1855-1913). Dr. Green's records include two indexed volumes of patient records, 1858 and May 1861 to September 1865, containing names of patients, their ages and national origins, their sickness, and their progress and treatments. One volume of records of the St. Louis Medical Fund Society, 1872. "History of Toxicology and the Vegetable Poisons," written by John Green. The collection also includes the papers of Elizabeth Green in relation to her work with artists connected with the Works Progress Administration Professional Worker's Program, the People's Art Center for Negroes in St. Louis, and the development of art in St. Louis (1914-1956). Includes letters of Joe Jones and programs and invitations to his shows (1933-1956).

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

# A0614

Green, John Raeburn (1894- ).

Papers, 1876; 1893-1972. 104 boxes

John Raeburn Green was born March 30, 1894, in St. Louis. He graduated from Westminster College at Fulton, Missouri, in 1914 and received his law degree from Harvard University in 1917. In 1917, he was commissioned in the army, serving until 1918. After his discharge, he

became a legal drafting officer for the Department of State. In 1919, he formed his own law firm in St. Louis. He was a member of the legal section of the Secretariat of the League of Nations in 1920 and 1921. In 1944, he gained national attention after his appointment by the United States Supreme Court to represent habeas corpus petitioners. He was an early advocate of ensuring the right of defendants in criminal cases to be represented by legal counsel. He was a member of the Westminster College board of trustees and was elected its president in 1953. He was given an honorary doctor of laws degree from Westminster College in 1954 and also from Washington University in 1959. Both awards were in recognition of his work with civil liberties. In 1969, he was elected a fellow of the American Bar Foundation. He was a member of the law firm Green, Hennings, Henry, Evans and Arnold. Mr. Green served on many boards, including: director, secretary of St. Luke's Episcopal Presbyterian Hospital, 1947-1953; member of the Washington University Council, 1957-; Advisory Council of St. Louis University, School of Law, 1958-; member of the board of trustees, Jefferson National Expansion executive committee; director of the Better Business Bureau of St. Louis; and member of the board of trustees of the Missouri Historical Society. He was also a Democratic nominee for Congress in 1928. He was the author of the book, Liberty Under the Fourteenth Amendment, 1942. He married Elisabeth Haskell Cox, December 24, 1917. He died in St. Louis, 1973.

The papers include both personal and business correspondence; diaries; publications from the League of Nations; newsclippings and printed matter concerning legal and social issues; household and business receipts; personal photographs; and two scrapbooks of St. Louis streetcar transfers.

Some French.

Finding aid available.

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

# A0616

Green, Thomas Marshall.

**Collection, 1804-1895.** 6 boxes

Collection contains letters and other documents of prominent Kentucky and national families collected for the use in writing his book, *The Historical Families of Kentucky*.

Cite as: Thomas Marshall Green Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2769

Greene, Arthur Nelson, Jr. (1921- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Dec 9. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Arthur Nelson Greene, Jr., Columbus, Ohio. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Arthur Nelson Greene, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2770

Greenfield, Milton, Jr. (1910-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Dec 6. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Milton Greenfield, Jr., 625 South Skinker, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Milton Greenfield, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2771

# **Greenleaf-Miller Family.**

Family Tree, 1956. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Handwritten family tree includes entries for Thomas Miller (1799-1866) and his wife, Agilia C. Helm Miller (1807-1837). One of their children, Sara Elizabeth Miller (died about 1919) married David N. Greenleaf (1827-1870), who was the son of John Greenleaf (1780-1849) and Ann Evans Greenleaf (1790-1862).

Cite as: Greenleaf-Miller Family Family Tree, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0617

Greensfelder, Albert P.

**Papers, 1896-1943.** 1 box

Albert P. Greensfelder was a civil engineer who worked at improving St. Louis, University City, and St. Louis County.

Papers relate mainly to the creation of the Rockwoods Reservation, St. Louis County, 1896-1943. Includes Missouri Conservation Commission memoranda and reports, correspondence, clippings, and photographs.

Cite as: Albert P. Greensfelder Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0618

Greensfelder, Moses Bernard ( -1937).

**Papers, 1893-1929.** 1 box

Moses B. Greensfelder moved to St. Louis from the East in 1877. He acquired numerous parcels of land in the county, among them a tract on Ladue Road, which he donated to the Boy Scouts. For many years he resided on a farm at Old Bonhomme and Olive Street Roads, and for the last ten years of his life, in the city of Clayton. He was a founder and first president of the St. Louis County Bank; a founder and charter member of the Old Settlers' Association of St. Louis County; a booster of agricultural interests (he constructed his own private canning plant on his farm), and was always interested in public parks.

Collection contains ten volumes of the diaries of Moses B. Greensfelder covering the years 1904-1905, 1911-1915, and 1917-1919. Brief entries describe the weather, daily gardening and farming activities, and family happenings. Clippings of personal or agricultural interest and memorabilia have been inserted in the diaries.

Cite as: Moses Bernard Greensfelder Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2449

# Gregory, J.F.

# Magic Fish Lure Circular, circa 1908-1918. 1 item

Circular of J.F. Gregory [James F. Gregory], 3319 Oregon Ave., St. Louis, Missouri, promoting the Magic Fish Lure: "This truly wonderful bait is the product of a practical fisherman after years of study and research, and has won for itself the enviable reputation of being the best fish-luring bait ever discovered. . . ."

Cite as: J.F. Gregory Magic Fish Lure Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2919

Grether, John, Jr. (circa 1829-1899).

**Papers, 1856-circa after 1896.** 1 folder; 1 oversize folder [formerly Alphabetical File] John Grether, Jr., was born circa 1829 in Germany, and came to the United States with his

parents as a young child. He engaged in the real estate business, and served as a justice of the peace in St. Louis in the 1850s and 1860s. He died October 29, 1899, in St. Louis.

Collection contains several commissions of John Grether, Jr., as a notary public and other professional and personal papers.

Finding aid available.

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

## A0619

Greve, Clifford (1907-1975).

Papers, 1934-1937. 5 folders (approximately 75 items)

Clifford Greve was born in St. Louis and graduated from Washington University Law School in 1928. He served on the legal staffs of American Telephone and Telegraph Co. and Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. before entering private practice in corporation and tax law. He served as counsel for the Supreme Court Disbarment Committee and as special counsel for the St. Louis Bar Association in Supreme Court hearing. He was a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court of Missouri, the Bar of the United States Treasury Department, and the Bar of the Federal Court and the District of Columbia where in 1936 he won a land authority suit that enabled plans for the St. Louis riverfront beautification to go forward. In 1936, he married Mary Douglass Carpenter. Greve was a director and chairman of the maintenance fund development program for the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra Society and was associated with the Big Brothers organization.

Papers include list of owners of property \$40,000 and over, 1934 assessment; property holdings of opponents to Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, including owners, leasees and tenants; combined assessments on real estate located between Eads Bridge, Poplar Street, Third Street, and the Mississippi River; correspondence, newsclippings, legal papers regarding vote on September 9, 1935, for proposed St. Louis riverfront memorial; and legal papers regarding the passage of the bill.

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

# A2933

Grier Family.

Papers, 1859-1938. 9 boxes, 2 oversize folders, 1 volume

David Perkins Grier was born on December 26, 1836, in Danville, Pennsylvania, the son of John Cooper Grier (1808-1891) and Elizabeth Perkins Grier (1813-1892). In 1851, the family moved from Pennsylvania to Peoria, Illinois, where John C. Grier ran a grain business. When the Civil War broke out in 1861, D.P. Grier, then aged 24 and serving as a representative of his father's business, assembled a company of his fellow Peoria men and attempted to enlist as infantry in the state of Illinois. Because Illinois's quota of soldiers had already been reached, the company was turned down, and they crossed into Missouri instead. Grier was made Captain in Company G of the 8<sup>th</sup> Missouri Volunteer Infantry. The 8<sup>th</sup> Missouri fought in the campaigns of Fort Henry, Fort Donelson, Corinth, and Shiloh. Grier was recalled by Illinois Governor Richard Yates in September 1862, and then commissioned Colonel of the 77<sup>th</sup> Illinois Volunteer Infantry. The 77<sup>th</sup> Illinois fought in the battles of Chickasaw Bluff, Arkansas Post, Port Gibson, Raymond, Jackson, Champion's Hill, Big Black River, Vicksburg, Sabine Crossroads, Pleasant Hill, Fort Gaines, Fort Morgan, Mobile Bay, Spanish Fort, Blakely, and Mobile. During the battle of Fort Morgan in August 1864, Grier was given command of the Union land forces. On March 26, 1865, he was promoted to Brigadier General by brevet, and honorably mustered out on July 10, 1865. On September 17, 1863, while on furlough in Peoria, Grier married Anna McKinney, who

had been born in Hopewell Township, Pennsylvania, on August 12, 1840. She was the daughter of Abraham Smith McKinney (1791-1862) and Margaret Reynolds McKinney (1801-1886), who had moved to Peoria from Shippensburg in 1856. Anna's brother David McKinney (1829-1903) was a friend of D.P. Grier, and served with him as quartermaster in the 77<sup>th</sup> Illinois. D.P. and Anna had seven children: Smith McKinney "Mac" Grier (1866-1908); John Perkins Grier (1868-1939); William Reynolds "Will" Grier (1869-1951); Margret Grier Todd (1872-?); Robert Cooper Grier (1875-1940); David Perkins Grier, Jr. (1878-1947); and Annie McKinney Grier (1881-1940). After the war, D.P. Grier formed a grain business in Peoria with his brother, Robert Cooper Grier (1835-1912), under the name Grier and Company, which built the first grain elevator in Peoria. In 1879 Grier moved to St. Louis and established the Grier Brothers firm there; the rest of the family came to St. Louis in 1881. He attempted to corner the grain market but the firm collapsed, sweeping away the family fortune. Grier repeatedly attempted to recover his losses through the Grier Commission Company (1885-1889) and the D.P. Grier Grain Company (1890-1891). Grier was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic (G.A.R.), a Civil War Union veterans' organization, and headed the G.A.R.'s Ransom Post in St. Louis. When the G.A.R.'s national encampment met in St. Louis in 1887, Grier was chairman of the executive committee and Grand Marshal of the parade. He died on April 21, 1891, after a yearlong illness. Anna McKinney Grier remained in St. Louis after D.P. Grier's death, although most of her children had by then moved away from the city. She was supported by her son John P. Grier, who had moved to New York and become a successful businessman. She died on December 30, 1918.

The collection consists of papers of David Perkins Grier and Anna McKinney Grier. The David Perkins Grier papers include Civil War military records, personal correspondence, photographs, newspapers and newspaper clippings, a scrapbook, and miscellaneous material. In addition to archival material, there are also elements of a G.A.R. uniform, a military sash, Civil War or G.A.R.-related medals and badges, a G.A.R. parade-marshal sash, a 34-star Union flag, and a regimental (?) flag. The archival material is arranged into five series: Civil War Records, Civil War Letters, Post-War Letters, Anna McKinney Letters, and Miscellaneous. Finding aid available.

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

# A0620

Griesedieck Distilling Co.

Account books, 1917-1919. 4 volumes

St. Louis, Missouri, distillers, 1885-1957.

One volume of form 338 records of alcohol disposal for the U.S. Department of Revenue, 1919; one volume of Griesedieck bottle labels, no date; and two volumes of revenue books (nos. 52a and 52b) detailing production and disposal of alcoholic beverages for the U.S. Department of Revenue, 1917-1919.

Cite as: Griesedieck Distilling Company Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2772

Griesedieck, Edward Joseph, Sr. (1895-1955).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Mar 18.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Edward Joseph Griesedieck, Sr., 39 Lake Forest, Richmond Heights, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Edward Joseph Griesedieck, Sr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2773

Griesedieck, Laura K., Mrs. (1887-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1967 July 8.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mrs. Laura K. Griesedieck, 512 Woodleaf Court, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Laura K. Griesedieck Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2430

Griffin, Mary, Mrs.

Papers, circa 1900. 2 items

Papers contain postcard portrait of Mrs. Mary Griffiin, 3509 Shenandoah[?], St. Louis, Mo., and postcard portrait of two unidentified young men.

Cite as: Mrs. Mary Griffin Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2774

Griffin, Ralph Dustin (1878-1956).

Family History Sheet, 1954 Mar 5. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ralph Dustin Griffin, 4406 McPherson, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ralph Dustin Griffin Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1887

Griffith, Thomas Hawkes (1816-1900).

Papers, 1878-1949 (bulk 1886-1900). 4 folders

Thomas Hawkes Griffith was born September 18, 1816, in London, England. His family immigrated to the United States in 1827, locating briefly in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh before settling in Cincinnati. In 1834 he moved to Louisville, and two years later moved to St. Louis, where he worked as a steamboat clerk, captain, and secretary-treasurer of the Northern Line Packet Company. On January 18, 1843, he married Elizabeth Wilson. They had six children who lived to adulthood: Sarah, William, Caroline, Isabella, Robert, and Thomas. Thomas Hawkes Griffith died April 10, 1900, in St. Louis; his wife died September 14, 1900, in St. Louis.

Collection consists primarily of letters of Thomas H. Griffith of St. Louis to his niece Mrs. Belle Resor in Cincinnati, which mostly discuss family news. Collection also contains two biographical sketches and an autobiographical sketch of Griffith. (This collection was transferred from the Steamboats Collection in November 2004.)

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas Hawkes Griffith Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0621

Grimes, Absalom Carlisle.

Collection, 1919-1960; no date. 3 folders (approximately 10 items)

Collection contains typescript sketches of Charlotte Grimes Mitchell, a Y.M.C.A. worker and

morale aide to the U.S.N., and daughter of Absalom Carlisle Grimes, secessionist spy; typescript sketch of Albert Carlisle Mitchell, Alabama, infantry band musician in World War I; and *Post-Dispatch* newsclipping of Absalom Carlisle Grimes, dated October 16, 1960.

Cite as: Absalom Carlisle Grimes Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2775

Grindell, James Clarence (1893- ).

Family History Sheets, 1941 Feb 26. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two copies of family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Clarence Grindell, 901 North Kirkwood Road, St. Louis County, Missouri. Sheets include genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript letter signed James C. Grindell to Miss Marjory Douglas, Missouri Historical Society, February 26, 1941. (This letter is written on stationery of the Killark Electric Manufacturing Company, Vandeventer and Easton Avenues, and includes an illustration of the company's building.)

Cite as: James Clarence Grindell Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2964

**Groot Family.** 

**Papers, 1836-1886.** 1 box

James P. Groot was born circa 1820s-1830s in Schenectady County, New York, and worked as a teacher in Schenectady in the late 1840s and early 1850s. In 1857 he ventured to the West, settling in Effingham County, Illinois, before relocating to St. Louis, Missouri, a few years later. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War, he enlisted as a private in the 6<sup>th</sup> Iowa Infantry but was discharged after suffering sunstroke. He died February 24, 1863, of congestion of the brain at Lawson General Hospital in St. Louis. Among his siblings were Dick Groot, Maria Groot, and Rachel Groot. On December 29, 1853, Rachel Groot married Barney Mull in Watervliet, New York. On December 29, 1869, she married Charles Troy in Effingham County, Illinois.

The collection consists primarily of Groot family correspondence. Most of the letters were written by James P. Groot. Notable content includes three letters signed Rachel Mull to her sister Maria—dated September 2, 1855, April 5, 1856, and February 25, no year—that describe the abusive relationship with her husband, Barney Mull. The collection also includes 12 Civil War–era letters signed James P. Groot describing affairs in St. Louis and his military service in the 6<sup>th</sup> Iowa Infantry.

Finding aid available.

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

## A2776

Grosch, Carolyn Rose (1935- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1961 Feb 3. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Carolyn Rose Grosch (nee Blake), 4250 Neosho, St. Louis, Missouri. Her husband was Richard Alvin Grosch. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Mrs. Carolyn Rose Grosch Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2777

Grossenheider, Richard.

# **Press Release, 1961 Jan 27.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Press release of KMOX-TV Information Services announcing that Richard Grossenheider, artist-naturalist and broadcaster, has joined the teaching staff of KMOX-TV's "PS 4." Cite as: Richard Grossenheider Press Release, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0622

Grossman, Betty, Dr.

**Appointment calendars, 1959-1969, 1976-1978, 1980-1993.** 1 box (28 volumes); 1 oversize folder

Appointment calendars of Dr. Betty Grossman (Mrs. Edwin) and a certificate for the Mycenaean Foundation, a Greek government grant of honorary citizenship to Dr. Grossman, May 25, 1969.

Cite as: Dr. Betty Grossman Appointment Calendars, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2778

Grossman, Edwin, Mr. and Mrs.

Papers, 1962-1975. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edwin Grossman, 329 Belt Ave., St. Louis, Missouri, March 26, 1962. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes flyer promoting a presentation by Edwin Grossman's wife, Dr. Betty Grossman, titled "Mycenae, Rich in Gold," November 11, 1975.

Cite as: Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Grossman Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2228

Grote, Hulda.

# Autograph book, 1900-1902. 1 item

Autograph book of Hulda Grote with signatures and poems of her school friends. Some German.

Cite as: Hulda Grote Autograph Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0623

Groves, Albert B. (1866-1925).

**Architecture Collection, 1910-1913.** 1 folder; 2 volumes

Plans, elevations, and sections for the Mercantile Building by Groves (seven sheets, 1910) and one volume (2 copies) of bound drawings for additions/alterations to the Century Building at 9th and Olive (1913), which includes some original floor plans of the building by Raeder, Coffin & Crocker (1895).

Cite as: Albert B. Groves Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0624

"Growing Up in Saint Louis" Exhibit.

**Collection, 1988-1991.** 1 box

"Growing Up in St. Louis" was an exhibit at the Missouri Historical Society. It depicted childhood experiences in St. Louis. At the end of the exhibit patrons were invited to write down their own experiences of growing up in St. Louis.

The papers from the exhibit are the writings of patrons who have viewed the exhibit and have

written down their remembrances of growing up in St. Louis. The experiences are written down on a form that asked for the patron's reminiscences about everyday life as well as special events that figured prominently in their childhood memories. The person's name, approximate date of the remembrance, childhood neighborhood, size of family and type of family home are also asked. Many of the people who participated recall their growing up experiences in the city and surrounding areas. Many mention similar memories of St. Louis landmarks such as the Arch, Highland Park, Forest Park, Jefferson Memorial, Art Hill, and the St. Louis Art Museum. Many also mention similar memories of events such as Cardinal baseball games and the Veiled Prophet parade and ball. Also includes a series of letters from an elementary school class at Old Bonhomme School in Olivette, Missouri. These letters are from the children in the class describing their everyday chores, dress, and hobbies.

Cite as: "Growing Up in St. Louis" Exhibit Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2779

Gruber, Dorothy Anne, Mrs. (1911- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 Mar 26. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Dorothy Anne Gruber, 5314 Tamm, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Mrs. Dorothy Anne Gruber Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0625

Gruenwald family.

# Gruenwald and Helbig family papers, 1854-1924. 1 box

Letters between family in Germany and relatives in St. Louis. The letters consist of family news and the settling of estates, 1854-1904. Also includes letters from Mother Ursula (Carolina Gruenwald) to various members of the family, 1883-1924; letters from Christian Helbig to his wife, Alvina, 1872-1886; and a family tree and family documents. All photocopies.

Cite as: Gruenwald and Helbig Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0626

Guenelle Family.

**Papers, 1820-1833; no date.** 3 folders (approximately 30 items)

Papers of the Guenelle and Derouen families, mostly of Francois Guenelle. Includes bills, receipts, licenses (1794-1845); notebook of Francois Guenelle, Jr. (1849), kept on journey to California, mainly a table of distances; two land grants to daughters of John Baptiste Pacquette, May 17, 1860, per the conditions of an 1829 treaty between the United States and the Winnebago Indians at Prairie Duchine; two letters to Francois Guenelle, Jr. (1873 and 1883) regarding Winnebago claims and land in St. Louis; and genealogy notes.

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

# A0627

Guibord, [P. or O.?].

Diary, 1825. 1 volume and 1 folder

Born in the Louisiana Territory, possibly Ste. Genevieve, studied in France. Diary of voyage down the Mississippi River and up the Ohio en route to France, with handwritten and typed translations. Included also is an undated account of a return trip from LeHavre to New York describing the ship and its passengers, written in the form of a letter. Original in French.

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

## A0628

# Guibourd, Louis.

Papers, 1752-1832; no date. 3 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 volume

Collection contains land, estate and legal papers mostly in the district of Ste. Genevieve. Also includes indexed ledger of Guibourd and Co., Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, general store, 1799-1801.

Mostly French.

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

# A0629

# Guignon, Simon A.

Account books, 1825-1829. 2 volumes

Business accounts of general store in Fredericktown, Missouri; consists of "Ledger B" (1825-1827) and daybook (1828-1829).

Cite as: Simon A. Guignon Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3045

# **Guignon-Miltenberger-Ziegler Family.**

**Collection, 1797-c.2009.** 3 boxes; 4 oversize folders (1 in AMD)

The son of Simon A. Guignon (1806-1891) and Marie Camelite (Bossier, 1814-1896) of Ste. Genevieve married the daughter of Eugene (1819-1879) and Mary Anne (Bogy) Milternberger (1829-1908) of St. Louis: Emile Simon Guignon (1856-1941) and Julia Miltenberger (1864-1949). Conrad C. Ziegler (1814-1863), also of Ste. Genevieve, married Elvine Bossier (1824-1873), the sister of Marie Camelite Guignon. Mary Anne Miltenberger was the niece of Lewis V. Bogy (1813-1877).

The collection is divided into two series: **Family** and **Business**. The **Family series** is arranged chronologically and relates to the Guignon and Miltenberger families. It spans from 1863 to circa 2009 and contains correspondence, articles about family members, clippings, and a memoir (photocopy). There are no letters for the years 1887 or 1892 through 1894. The **Business series** spans from 1797 to 1922, and is arranged alphabetically by the names of the businessmen and by type of document. It is comprised of deeds, accounts, and various legal and business documents relating to Simon A. Guignon, Joseph Guignon, Lewis V. Bogy, and Conrad C. Ziegler.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Guignon-Miltenberger-Ziegler Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2780

Gummersheimer, August John (1892- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1961 Mar 14.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by August John Gummersheimer, 7724 Shirley Drive, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Sheets include genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: August John Gummersheimer Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2149

Gummersheimer, Walter.

Enrollment certificate in the Mystic Order Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm, St. Louis, 1918 Nov 25. 1 item (oversize)

Cite as: Walter Gummersheimer Enrollment Certificate in the Mystic Order Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0630

Gundlach, John H.

Collection, 1850; 1888-1926. 5 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 1 volume

Collection includes material relating to St. Louis city planning, Missouri Centennial Celebration (1921), Gundlach Realty Co. papers; Free Bridge Bond election (August 1912); American Civic Association Convention (1917); materials regarding municipal bond election (1922); and an unidentified journal of a trip to California, May to August 1850. Finding aid available.

Cite as: John H. Gundlach Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0631

Gundlach, William Justus.

Certificates, 1887-1891. 1 oversize folder

Diploma from Smith Academy for completion of the Classical Course, June 7, 1887; certificate of membership in the American Institute of Homeopathy, June 23, 1889; and diploma of Doctor of Medicine, May 1, 1891; and undated diploma of Doctor of Medicine, St. Louis Medical College.

Cite as: William Justus Gundlach Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0632

**Gunn, Thomas Butler (1826-1903).** 

Diaries, 1818-1902 (bulk 1849-1863). 24 volumes

Thomas Butler Gunn was born February 15, 1826, in Banbury, England. He had early experience working in an architectural office in London before coming to America in 1849. He spent most of the 1850s in New York City working as a freelance writer and illustrator and later as a news reporter for various newspapers and magazines. During the Civil War he was a war correspondent for the *New York Tribune*, and was a secret correspondent for the *New York Evening Post* in Charleston during the time of secession in December 1860. He published two books while residing in America: *Mose among the Britishers* in 1850 and *The Physiology of New York Boarding-Houses* in 1857. He returned to England in 1863 because of his father's failing health, and married his longtime fiancée Hannah Bennett that same year. He died in Birmingham, England, in April 1903.

The collection consists of twenty-two volumes of diaries dating from July 7, 1849, to April 7, 1863, which include newspaper clippings, letters, photographs, sketches, and various other items inserted by Gunn. Gunn wrote extensively about his experiences with the New York publishing and literary world, encounters with well-known literary personalities, New York and world events, the lives of his friends and neighbors, boarding house living, his travels throughout the United States as far west as Lake Superior and Louisiana, and his experiences on campaign with

the Federal army as a Civil War correspondent.

Conservation funding for this collection provided through a grant from the Institute of Museums and Library Services.

Cite as: Thomas Butler Gunn Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2781

Guth, Juanita Nora, Mrs. (1914-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1960 Oct 6.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mrs. Juanita Nora Guth, 99 South Clay, Ferguson, St. Louis County, Missouri, filled out by her husband, James B. Guth.

Cite as: Mrs. Juanita Nora Guth Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0633

Guy Family.

Papers, 1861-1872. 2 folders (approximately 57 items)

William E. Guy attended Miami University in Ohio and also enlisted in the 86th Ohio Infantry (three months). He later graduated from Princeton University and went abroad after graduation to study civil and mining engineering at Heidelberg, Freiberg, and Paris. He returned and received a law degree from Cincinnati Law School. In 1871 he was made the assistant state geologist of Missouri. He founded the St. Louis Bolt and Iron Company and organized and became president of the St. Louis and Eastern Railway and the Madison Coal Co. He married Catherine Lemoine in 1894.

Collection includes letter of William E. Guy to his sister Mrs. S.E. Peabody, St. Louis. The letters are from his student years at Oxford, Ohio (1861-1863), Princeton University (1863-1864), Heidelberg and Freiburg, Germany (1865-1869). Also includes correspondence from his time as a mining engineer and assayer in Denver, San Francisco, Grass Valley, California, Georgetown, Colorado, and his return to Oxford, Ohio, 1870-1871.

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

## A3147

Guyton, Theonis K. (1928-2018).

**Collection, 1946-2018.** 2 boxes.

Theonis Kathleen Guyton was born February 24, 1928, in St. Louis to Marion Emanuel Guyton and Anna May Ford Guyton. The Guytons were prominent members of Scruggs Memorial Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, and Theonis remained a lifelong member, serving as Sunday school superintendent and as a member of the Angelic Choir. She attended Dunbar Elementary School, graduated from Vashon High School in 1946, and graduated from Lane College in 1954. For 34 years, she worked for Missouri social services and retired in 1990. Although Guyton was not well known outside of her community, she was representative of African American women with a strong sense of advocacy who work on behalf of their communities.

The collection is comprised primarily of St. Louis civic and religious event programs and individual memorial service programs collected by Theonis Guyton during her service in many church and philanthropic organizations in the St. Louis African American community from 1948 to 2017. The bulk of the collection dates from 1993 to 2018. There are several notable date gaps: 1952-1953, 1955-1956, 1958-1962, 1966-1968, 1970-1973, 1976-1980, and 1989-1992. The

collection is arranged alphabetically by name of organization and individual. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Theonis K. Guyton Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2782

Gwinn, Dorothea Wildt (1911- ).

Family History Sheet, 1946 Nov 22. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dorothea Wildt Gwinn, Vienna, Virginia, who married Joseph Matley Feigley. Includes genealogical data on the Gwinn family.

Cite as: Dorothea Wildt Gwinn Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0634

## H. Konert and Son (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Ledger, 1921-1935.** 1 volume (516 pages)

Accounts of merchant tailors.

Cite as: H. Konert and Son Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# H. Lowenstein and Company (Marshall, Missouri)

See Lowenstein, Julius.

### A0635

Haarstick, Henry C.

**Papers, 1881-1917.** 4 boxes

President of St. Louis and Mississippi Valley Transportation Company.

Will (photocopy), 1910; bank statements of H.C. Haarstick; deeds, land titles, tax receipts for St. Louis properties, including properties on Kingsbury Place and Vandeventer Place; stock certificates, investments statements, leases, loans, etc., relating to business interests and investments; letterbook, 1900-1903; and minute book of St. Louis and Mississippi Valley Transportation Company, 1881-1904.

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

## A2783

Hachtman, Corine May (1906- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1964 Mar 15.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Corine May Hachtman, 5620 South Kingshighway, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Corine May Hachtman Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2784

Hacker, Alden Gerock (1918- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1964.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alden Gerock Hacker, 1617 Beaucaire Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri, April 26, 1964. Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alden Gerock Hacker's wife, Eileen Smith Hacker, March 8, 1964, which includes genealogical data on the Smith, Humes, and Gilmore families.

Cite as: Alden Gerock Hacker Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0636

Hacker, W. Philip.

Architecture Collection, 1911. 5 folders

Blueprints, specifications, and numerous bids for a flats building at 4000 Greer Avenue (St. Louis) for Dr. L.H. Crapages.

Cite as: W. Philip Hacker Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3119

## Hackworth, Leeman (1938-).

# "Memoirs of the Hippy Era" Reminiscence, ca. 2017. 1 item

Leeman Hackworth Jr. grew up in St. Louis, attended Beaumont High School, and served in the Air Force from 1955 to 1960. After his discharge, he had a variety of jobs including work in small manufacturing; a detective with the Pinkerton Detective Agency; an insurance agent; a salesman; and a police officer with the Ferguson, Missouri, police department from April 1967 to April 1978.

The collection contains a four-page, typed reminiscence titled "Memoirs of the Hippy Era" written by Leeman Hackworth about his experiences with the Ferguson, Missouri, police department in the late 1960s and 1970s. The memoir focuses on teen activities centered around Wabash Park during the hippy/anti-war era, circa 1969.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Leeman Hackworth, "Memoirs of the Hippy Era" Reminiscence, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0637

Hadley, Herbert Spencer (1872-1927).

Papers, 1825-1949. 3 boxes

Herbert Spencer Hadley was governor of Missouri, 1909-1912, and chancellor of Washington University, 1923-1931.

Family correspondence, Hadley and Beach families. Typescripts of letters from Herbert Hadley to father and other members of the family. Notebook, church records and sermons, of Rev. Isaac Beach (1828-1829). Additional materials consist of papers of Herbert S. Hadley during his term as governor of Missouri and as chancellor of Washington University until the time of his death. They include typescript copies of Hadley letters and essays, publications containing articles regarding Hadley, and typescript University of Missouri master's thesis titled "Political Career of Herbert Spencer Hadley" by Hazel Tutt Long, 1939 (185 pages). Cite as: Herbert Spencer Hadley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2785

Haeussler, Herman A.

Membership Certificate in the Merchants Exchange Mutual Benevolent Society of St. Louis, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Herman Haeussler Membership Certificate in the Merchants Exchange Mutual Benevolent Society of St. Louis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0638

Hagaman Family.

**Collection, 1849-1921.** 3 folders

Correspondence of Alexander M. Black of Springfield, Illinois, to his sister Jane Black in Lee, Massachusetts, discussing current political events; receipt book of American Express Co., St. Louis, for William M. Black, St. Louis grocer; and correspondence of Abraham Hagaman, including a number of St. Louis business letterheads.

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

## A0639

[Hagan, Henry?].

**Ledger, 1843-1861.** 1 volume (160 pages)

Records of St. Louis carpenter, with weather observations from 1872-1874 in rear. Cite as: Henry Hagan Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2786

Hagen, Jackson J. (1884- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1956 June 1.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Jackson J. Hagen, 7728 Shirley Drive, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Sheets include genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Jackson J. Hagen Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2787

Hagnauer, Hilbert William (1891- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1963 Oct 17.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Hilbert William Hagnauer, 816 South Hanley Road, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Hilbert William Hagnauer Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3090

Hale, Philip Henry (1850-1927).

**Papers, 1896-1927.** 1 box

Philip Henry Hale was born in 1850 in England and emigrated to the United States in 1869. In February 1880, he married Margaret Miriam Strong. The couple had two children: Philip Henry Hale, Jr. and Nettie Hale Rand, who married Frank C. Rand of the International Shoe Company. The St. Louis Live Stock Exchange asked Hale to move to St. Louis in 1890 to establish a daily live stock market report. For ten years, the Hale Publishing Company, at 3550 Vista Avenue, published the *National Live Stock Reporter*. In 1900, Hale published the *National Farmer & Stock Grower* (later the *Farmers Home Journal*). From 1920 until his retirement in 1925, he published the *National Fruit Growers Magazine*. Upon his retirement, Hale channeled all his attention to music publishing. Philip Henry Hale died in May 1927.

The collection is comprised mostly of correspondence with newspaper clippings, typescripts of Hale's writings, and a few photographs. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic and range in date from 1896 to 1927. The correspondence has several gaps between 1896 and 1926, with the largest between 1905 and 1913. There is not a large amount of correspondence in the papers, but the letters reveal bits of information about several facets of Hale's life. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Philip Henry Hale Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0640

Hale, Nettie Lumpkin.

**Scrapbook, 1901-1926.** 1 volume

Scrapbook containing personal memorabilia; 1901 graduation programs, etc. from Mary Institute; Veiled Prophet material; postcards and written experiences from travel. Cite as: Nettie Lumpkin Hale Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0641 Hall, Corinne Steele. Collection, 1841-1953. 4 boxes

Corinne Steele Hall was born and educated in St. Louis. After marrying Dr. Frederick Bagby Hall, they lived in the Ozarks for three years; they subsequently maintained a country home in Potosi. She was a member of the Wednesday Club and the Missouri Federation of Women's

Potosi. She was a member of the Wednesday Club and the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs, and stimulated the cultural activities of the clubs and schools throughout the state by sponsoring exhibitions of all Missouri art.

Correspondence, receipts, deeds/indentures for land in Potosi, and business papers of the Hall-Steele families; correspondence and newsclippings pertaining to the Missouri Artists' Exhibition, 1927-1928; scrapbooks of newsclippings and magazine articles (many written by Hall) relating to Missouri art, artists and club activities; minutes of the St. Louis Society for Crippled Children, 1949-1953, the years Mrs. Hall served as vice-president of the organization; and manuscript book of poetry of Corinne Steele Hall, illustrated in water color sketches by Dionysius Dooley, 1942.

Cite as: Corinne Steele Hall Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2132

Hall, Mary T. (1911- ). Papers, 1888-2003. 43 boxes

Mary Bolland Taussig was born February 21, 1911, to Frederick J. and Florence Gottschalk Taussig. She attended Bryn Mawr College in Pennsylvania from 1929 to 1933 and then worked for Jane Addams at Hull House in Chicago during the summer of 1933. She graduated from the George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in 1938 after writing her master's thesis on factors influencing school attendance in Washington County, Missouri. Following graduate school, she began a long career of public service with various organizations involved with child welfare, race relations, public health, and world peace, including the 1946 Missouri Children's Code Commission, the Missouri Association for Social Welfare, the Urban League and the United Nations Association. She also worked with several political campaigns in the region. She married Louis Benoist Tompkins in 1941 and they had two children. Her husband died suddenly of a heart attack in 1950. She then married Thomas Hall, a dean and professor at Washington University, in 1952.

The papers consist of correspondence, minutes, reports, flyers, pamphlets, newspaper clippings, and other types of material that document her work with various social welfare and world peace organizations. The papers from the Missouri Children's Code Commission document the formation of the group, the recommended bills, the final report, and the efforts to pass all the bills. The collection also includes papers regarding Child Welfare Services and the Board of Children's Guardians. The papers from the Urban League primarily relate to the Industrial Committee and efforts to get jobs for blacks during World War II. They also include a survey of beauty parlor operators with completed questionnaires, and various reports on services for blacks. The collection also contains papers regarding the United Nations Association, political campaigns for Adlai Stevenson and George McGovern, Lindenwood College, and the Barnard Free Skin and Cancer Hospital. The collection also includes several boxes of correspondence to Hall.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mary T. Hall Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## Hall, Willard P. (1820-1882).

# Papers, 1841-1869; 1889. 2 folders

Willard Preble Hall was born in Harpers Ferry, Virginia, on May 9, 1820. He moved to Missouri in 1840 with his parents John Hancock Hall and Statira Preble Hall and siblings William A., George H., Mary, and Anna Hall. His sister Lydia Hall Marmion stayed behind in Virginia with her husband Dr. Nickolas Marmion. After studying law and opening a law practice in Sparta, Missouri, Willard P. Hall served in the First Missouri Cavalry Regiment in the Mexican-American War. He married Anne Eliza Richardson on October 29, 1847. Hall's political career began when he served as a Democratic representative from Missouri in the United States House of Representatives from 1847-1853. Following his terms, he moved to St. Joseph, Missouri, to continue practicing law in 1854. Anne Richardson Hall passed away on December 22, 1862, and he remarried Olitippa L. Oliver on June 22, 1864. During the Civil War, Hall served as lieutenant governor under Hamilton Gamble, and became the governor himself for a year after Gamble died in 1864. After the war, Hall continued practicing law in St. Joseph. He died in early November 1882.

The collection contains primarily letters of Hall family members to family in Virginia and Missouri discussing family news, farming, their enslaved labor, their legal and political careers, the Mexican-American War, the California Gold Rush, and the John Brown raid on Harpers Ferry. Correspondents include Willard P. Hall and wife Anne E. Richardson Hall, mother Statira Hall, and siblings William A. Hall, George H. Hall, Mary Hall, and Anna Hall. Cite as: Willard P. Hall Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2298

# Halleck, Henry W.

## Letter to Brigadier General L. Thomas, 1862 Jan 2. 1 item

Letter of Major General Henry W. Halleck, St. Louis, Headquarters, Department of the Missouri, to Brigadier General Lorenzo Thomas, adjutant general of the army, Washington, D.C., states, "I have the honor to request that Capt. N.H. McLean may be assigned to duty as Asst. Adjt. Genl. of the Dept. The duties of this office are so onerous that an additional Asst. Adjt. Genl. is very necessary."

Cite as: Henry W. Halleck Letter to Brigadier General L. Thomas, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2492

## Hallenbeck, Charles F.

## Marriage certificate, 1917 Mar 2. 1 item

Marriage certificate of Charles F. Hallenbeck, St. Louis, Missouri, and Miss Edna D. Knobeloch, St. Louis, Missouri. Married by Boyd Coxe, rector of Trinity Church. Cite as: Charles F. Hallenbeck Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2788

## Hamilton, Aubrey Bertrand (1915- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1971 Dec 16. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Aubrey Bertrand Hamilton, 6105 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Aubrey Bertrand Hamilton Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum

Archives, St. Louis.

## A2789

Hamilton, Emily Beck, Mrs. (1893-).

Family History Sheet, 1967 Nov 14. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Emily Beck Hamilton, 322 East Lockwood, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Emily Beck Hamilton Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2790

Hamlin, Alice Louise, Mrs. (1909-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1966 May 11. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Alice Louise Hamlin (nee Vogel), 6659 Winnebago, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Alice Louise Hamlin Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0643

Hamma, Carl.

**Collection, 1919-1973.** 1 box

Carl Hamma served in Battery D, 14th Artillery, with Captain Harry S. Truman.

Collection contains a scrapbook with mementoes of Battery D, 14th Artillery, and President Harry S. Truman. Also includes inaugural invitations, etc. for the Truman inauguration, 1949; and an information booklet, circa 1961, "Independence and the Opening of the West," a mural painted by Thomas Hart Benton.

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

### A2791

Hammerstein, Robert Waldemar (1902- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1963 Feb 18.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Waldemar Hammerstein, Imperial, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert Waldemar Hammerstein Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2273

Hammond, Elton Edward (1916-1964).

**Papers, 1944-1945.** 1 box

Elton Edward Hammond was born March 31, 1916, the son of Arthur Schaeffer and Martha Waldermeyer. His mother remarried after his natural father died, and he was adopted by his mother's second husband. He lived at 6518 Walsh Street, St. Louis. He was inducted into the United States Army's Air Corps in the spring of 1944 and served until approximately May 1945. After he joined the military he left St. Louis by train on May 20, 1944, with the destination of Greensboro, North Carolina. After training in Greensboro for a short period, he traveled to New York for deployment overseas in June 1944. He spent a short period in Egypt before being

assigned to the Persian Gulf Command in Sharjah, which is located on the Persian Gulf in one of the Trucial States in the United Arab Emirates. He attained the rank of corporal and served as a cook in the Persian Gulf Command. He left the Persian Gulf region in approximately December 1944, returning at first to Egypt. In approximately April 1945, he was hospitalized with a nervous disorder at Brentwood, New York Mason General Hospital. In July 1945, he moved to the Veterans Administration facility in Wadsworth, Kansas. He died May 23, 1964.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence from Corporal Elton Hammond to his mother and brother in St. Louis. The collection also includes a few letters from his mother or other family or acquaintances.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Elton Edward Hammond Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0644

Hammond, Samuel.

Papers, 1808; 1927. 1 folder

First commandant of District of St. Louis under American rule.

Correspondence between archivist regarding Hammond research; typed biography; document signed Samuel Hammond, October 14, 1808, bond to Jeremiah Connor, sheriff of the District of St. Louis for \$1,600; and typed copies of his correspondence.

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

### A0645

Hand Family.

**Papers, 1805-1903.** 34 items

The papers consist primarily of the correspondence of Henry Hand, Jr., and family. Also includes two Bible records of the Hand family with exact dates and locations of births, deaths, and marriages; receipts between family members for money from estates; and Henry Hand, Jr.'s, copybook containing copies of his business correspondence, poems, and speeches. Finding aid available.

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

## A0646

Handy, W.C.

Papers, 1947-1979. 1 folder

Several letters from W.C. Handy to Fonda Mackintosh Irwin, 1947, the granddaughter of Dr. Sadie Mackintosh, who gave Handy his first books; clippings regarding Handy, 1947-1977; and one piece of sheet music, "Saint Louis Blues."

Cite as: W.C. Handy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2792

Hangge, Emma, Miss (1909-).

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Miss Emma Hangge, 3521 Harris Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Miss Emma Hangge Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0647

## Hanley Family.

Papers, 1874-1930. 8 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Collection consists of papers found in the old Martin E. Hanley home, a farm house built circa 1855 at what is now 7600 Westmoreland Avenue. The Hanley House is a museum, restored by the city of Clayton. Papers include diaries, ledgers, and correspondence of various branches of the Hanley and Yore families as well as of a grandson of Martin Hanley, Leonidas Rutledge Whipple. Whipple taught English at the University of Missouri and the University of Virginia and was instrumental in the founding of the School of Journalism at the latter institution. He was also a reporter for the *St. Louis Republic*. His papers, dating from about 1904 to 1930, include six manuscript books and correspondence, including St. Louis editor William Marion Reedy, Harris M. Lyon, a Missouri-educated short story writer, and Homer Croy, Missouri humorist. Additional papers in the collection refer to the Chase Bag Co.

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

## A0648

Hanna, Charles M.

**Papers, 1887-1888.** 3 boxes

Family correspondence to Charles M. Hanna from relatives in Kansas, 1887-1888. Cite as: Charles M. Hanna Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2793

Hannaway, George Christopher (1891- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Mar 10. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by George Christopher Hannaway, 15 Hortense Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: George Christopher Hannaway Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2293

Hardesty, John Franklin (1887-1953).

Papers, 1867-2007. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder (in AMD)

John Franklin Hardesty was born December 30, 1887, in Winfield, Lincoln County, Missouri, to Benjamin Franklin and Evaline Frances (Overall) Hardesty. He earned a bachelor of science and doctorate of medicine degree from St. Louis University in 1914. In June 1917, he entered the U.S. Army Medical Corps and volunteered to serve as a surgeon with the British Army during World War I. He transferred to the 51st Division of the British Army, or the "Seaforth Highlanders," and was captured at Amiens in March 1918. He was imprisoned at Ratstatt and Villingen Prisoner of War camps for eight months. After his release, he returned home and returned to private medical practice and was considered one of the foremost ophthalmologists in the country. He was a specialist in diagnosis and treatment of the eye and became an instructor, later department chair, of ophthalmology at St. Louis University. He married Lucille Hetzel in September 1927, and later married Lena Lou Dahl in October 1937. He died June 20, 1953, in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence, military records, diaries, photographs, newspaper clippings, journal articles and other types of material that document his medical career and his military experiences, including his time as a prisoner of war at Villingen prison camp in Germany. The collection includes correspondence from Henry Pinckney McCain and Champ Clark regarding Hardesty's status as a prisoner of war. The collection also includes a

folder of papers regarding Edouard Victor Michel Isaacs (Izac), who was imprisoned with Hardesty at Villengen prison camp.

Finding aid available.

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

### A3149

Haren, Sophia von Leveling (1805-1863). Autograph Album, 1832-1900. 2 folders.

Sophia Victoria von Leveling was born December 24, 1805, in Munich, Germany. In February 1833, she married Georgius Eduard Haren (1809-1880). In 1834, the couple had their first child, Edward Haren (1834-1915), in Edgar County, Illinois. The Harens had three more children: Eliza (1836-1921), Cecilie (1838-1852), and Adele (1841-?). By 1838, they made St. Louis their home.

The autograph album is comprised of one bound volume and several loose pages containing notes written to Sophia von Leveling by various individuals from October 1832 to February 1833. There is also one photograph of Sophia and Edward Haren's grave marker in Bellefontaine Cemetery dated circa 1900. The album and its loose items are arranged chronologically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Sophia von Leveling Haren Autograph Album, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0649

Harlan, George ( -1922). Papers, 1810-1922. 5 boxes

George Harlan was an educator and minister who was concentrated in St. Francois County, Missouri. He died July 11, 1922, in Farmington, Missouri.

Collection contains records of the Presbyterian church in Farmington, Missouri, 1810-1922; correspondence of George W. Harlan at Illinois College, 1848; Civil War correspondence (some Confederate, not all Harlan); papers and programs of Elmwood Seminary (George Harlan was superintendent, 1866-1815); information regarding the Presbyterian orphanage of Missouri founded in 1915 (it was located at the former home of Elmwood Seminary); several written histories of the school, lessons, rolls, 1866; genealogy of Harlan family; obituary notices for Harlan family and other residents of Farmington, 1890-1900; due book of John Kennedy, 1822; various journals, records of marriages made by George Harlan at the Presbyterian church, 1851-1920; handwritten census records of St. Francois County, 1870; account books, journals, daybook of George Harlan; and records of Women's Missionary Union of Presbytery of Potosi, 1920-1921.

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

# **Harless and Company**

See A. Harless and Company.

### A0650

Harlow, J., Dr.

**Ledger, 1881-1891.** 1 volume (592 pages)

Records of medical practice of Elsberry, Missouri, obstetrician and pediatrician. Cite as: Dr. J. Harlow Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0651

Harney, William S.

**Papers, 1819-1887.** 7 folders

Military officer.

Correspondence regarding collection; genealogical material on Harney and Selby families; Selby family tree; photographs; newsclippings; and Harney family correspondence. Cite as: William S. Harney Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2794

Harper, Ashby Taylor (1916- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 June 11.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ashby Taylor Harper, 5600 Country Day Lane, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ashby Taylor Harper Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0652

Harper, Roy W., Judge (1905-1994).

**Papers, 1947-1990.** 7 boxes

Collection contains cases, judgments, and opinions of Judge Harper, United States District Court, Eastern District of Missouri, Eastern Division.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Judge Roy W. Harper Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2390

Harrigan, Mrs.

Receipt of K.G. Jansson, 191-. 1 item

Receipt of K.G. Jansson, carpenter and builder, 8 Dartmouth Avenue, University City, Missouri, to Mrs. Harrigan, 2840 Accomac St., dated 191-, for completion of garage. Cite as: Mrs. Harrigan Receipt of K.G. Jansson, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0653

Harrington, George R. (1815-1892). Papers, 1842-1895; 1908. 4 boxes

Assistant secretary of the treasury under Salmon P. Chase, W.P. Fessenden, Hugh McCulloch. During President James K. Polk's administration, Harrington was appointed clerk in the U.S. Treasury Department, subsequently becoming chief clerk under personal friend Chase. In 1861, he was appointed assistant secretary; minister to Switzerland, 1865-1869; after retirement engaged in literary writing. Author of treatise on financial policy of United States during Civil War.

Correspondence, copies of Harrington's writings, and other papers relating to problems of the United States during the Civil War and after the war, financial policy during the war, and funeral arrangements for President Lincoln. Includes the original draft of funeral procession, list of pallbearers, list of diplomatic corps, and a note from Mrs. Lincoln to Harrington. Correspondents include Salmon P. Chase, W.P. Fessenden, Hugh McCulloch, and William H. Seward. Reminiscences (filed 1842); other essays, including essay on the Ku Klux Klan; Congressional Republican Committee Journal, 1860.

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

## A2795

Harrington, Lenore Wehking, Mrs. (1907-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1965 Oct 4.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Lenore Wehking Harrington, 125 West Bodley, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Lenore Wehking Harrington, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2796

Harris, Alfred Garrett (1907- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1962 Nov 1. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alfred Garrett Harris, 5855 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Alfred Garrett Harris Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0654

Harris, C.C.

Harris family papers, 1815-1873. 2 folders (approximately 40 items)

Collection contains letters, papers, regarding lands in Missouri and Kentucky; reports of fines, courts martials, regiment of Kentucky militia, 1820-1825.

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

## A2894

Harris Family.

**Papers, 1834-1851.** 6 items

Papers contain (1) deed of sale of Leander Harl and his wife, Melissa C. Harl, to Baldwin Harl of Mason County, Kentucky, of the right, title, and interest in the estate of Melissa C. Harl's father, William Gates, Sr., May 6, 1834. (2) Invitation to Miss S.E. Harris to a party at Mr. Reeble's Saloon, September 18, 1838. Lists the following managers: J.H. Woods, N.W. Wilson, S. Kirtley, J.W. Harris, W.S. Truitt, W. Huston, W.T.B. Sanford, M. Cornelius, S.J. Duncan, W.T. Hickman, W. Lenoir, Noah Johnson, C.C. Branham, T. Porter, W. Bellamy, and J.W. Donally. (3) Letter signed Arethusa Woods, White Hall, [Kentucky], to her cousin Miss Elizabeth Harris, Columbia, Missouri, August 16, 1840. Describes the deaths of aunt Rachel and uncle Alexander Henderson; discusses family news; and mentions that she may go to Texas. (4) Unsigned letter to Miss S.E. Harris, Boone County, Mo., June 8, 1842. Discusses family news, and mentions Mr. and Mrs. Woodson. (5) Document signed Jeremiah Masterson and Phebe True, widow of James True, of Mason County, Kentucky, appointing William E. Harl of Saline County, Missouri, as their attorney to locate their military bounty land certificates, July 5, 1851. (6) General Land Office letter of transmissal to Baldwin Harl, Marshall, Mo., for a patent on a military bounty land warrant, November 17, 1851.

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

## A2797

Harris, Gustav Leon (1897- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1967 Apr 18. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Gustav Leon Harris, 917 Lay Road, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data regarding his family. Cite as: Gustav Leon Harris Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2798

Harris, John Charles (1896-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1962 June 18.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding John Charles Harris, 27 Picardy Lane, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: John Charles Harris Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2799

Harris, Louis (1889- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Oct 4. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Louis Harris, 108 North Kingshighway Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Louis Harris Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2800

Harris, Whitney R.

Newspaper Clipping, 1964 Feb 25. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

*St. Louis Post-Dispatch* newspaper clipping regarding the wedding of Whitney R. Harris and Jane Freund Foster. They resided at 2 Glen Creek Lane, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri. Cite as: Whitney R. Harris Newspaper Clipping, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0655

Harris, William Torrey (1835-1909).

**Papers, 1855-1909; 1932; 1951; no date.** 21 boxes

Educator, author, philosopher. Taught in St. Louis public schools (1857). At one time superintendent of schools in St. Louis (1868-1880). Later U.S. commissioner of education (1889-1906). In 1880, helped establish Concord (Massachusetts) School of Philosophy. Founder of the Philosophical Society of St. Louis.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence with members of the St. Louis Movement. Also includes resolution of teachers of St. Louis public schools on the retirement of Harris in 1880; a scrapbook of 46 letters to J.E. Yeatman in regard to his proposed testimonial; Harris' diaries (1857-1892); notebooks of memoranda while at Clay School (1863-1865); a book of early writings (1851-1859); essays, apparently the originals of some copies in shorthand into the "Book of Early Writing"; early essays of Harris (1855-1859); printed clipping of address before Missouri State Teachers' Association (1859); circulars of Phonetic Institute (1857); notebook of questions in History, etc., while principal at Clay School, St. Louis; correspondence relating to Hegel manuscripts and translations; and Henry C. Brokmeyer's manuscript translation of Hegel's *Larger Logic*. Correspondents include Frank Louis Soldan, Louis J. Block, Susan E. Blow, Benjamin Paul Blood, Eugene C. Brokmeyer, Henry C. Brokmeyer, Thomas Davidson, Sarah Denman, Ira Divoll, James Edmunds, Samuel H. Emery, Jr., Louise M. Fuller, James M. Greenwood, J.Z. Hall, S.K. Hall, Thomas M. Johnson, Hiram K. Jones, Elizabeth Peabody, Denton Jacques Snider, Charles Louis Bernays, James B. Eads, and David H. Harris. Microfilm

of Boxes 4-6, Susan Blow letters, Archives microfilm reels 1 and 2.

Translation of Hegel's "The Science of Logic," believed to be by Henry C. Brokmeyer (3 volumes), is located at Illinois College Library (Jacksonville, Illinois).

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

### A0656

Harrison Family.

Papers, 1799; 1827-1904; 1948; no date. 2 boxes

Howard County, Missouri, family.

Material includes letters of Louis Agassiz to Edwin Harrison; letter and license while a merchant in Santa Fe; memberships in Fire Wardens, St. Louis; biographical and genealogical notes; newsclippings. Notes on coral by Edwin Harrison. Wedding cost of Cordelia Harrison; letters of condolence upon death of James Harrison. Also includes genealogical notes and manuscripts of Florence Harrison Bill (Mrs. Harry Satterlee Bill) on the Harrison, Bill, McClanahan, Strother, McMillan, White, Hoge, Trimble, and Prewett families. Also nine manuscripts by Mrs. Bill for publication in the *Bulletin of the Missouri Historical Society*, and correspondence with Charles van Ravenswaay.

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

### A2801

Hartmann, Alexis Frank (1898-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1959 Feb 9. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alexis Frank Hartmann, 7433 Teasdale Ave., St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Alexis Frank Hartmann Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2921

Hartnett Family.

Papers, 1900-1926. 2 items

Papers include naturalization certificate of John Hartnett recorded in the St. Louis Court of Appeals, October 15, 1900, and typescript letter signed C.G. Bentley, treasurer, National Union Assurance Society, Cleveland, Ohio, to Mrs. Nora Hartnett, 2953 Montgomery St., St. Louis, Mo., April 3, 1926, stating in part, "Enclosed find our Protection Fund draft No. 4595 drawn in your favor for \$1000.00 in settlement of your claim on account of the death of John J. Hartnett, late member of Bunker Hill Council No. 469, N.U.A.S. . . ." (Draft is not included.) Cite as: Hartnett Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2425

Hartnett, Richard.

# Certificate of remittance of fine, 1898 May 13. 1 item

Certificate issued by the state of Missouri: "By virtue of authority in me vested by law, and for good and sufficient reasons appearing, I, Lon V. Stephens, Governor of the State of Missouri, do hereby remit the fine imposed upon Richard Hartnett who was, February 23, 1898, by a judgment of the Circuit Court of St. Louis City (Criminal Division), fined \$100 for the crime of common assault and I do hereby entitle the said Richard Hartnett to all the rights, privileges and immunities which by law attach and result from the operation of these presents, he paying all

costs that may have accrued in the prosecution of the case in which he was found guilty." Cite as: Richard Hartnett Certificate of Remittance of Fine, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0658

# Hartrich, Mary Whyte.

# Rombauer-Hartrich correspondence, 1943-1973; no date. 1 box

Mary Whyte Hartrich, known as "Mazie" or "Maizie," was friend and secretary to St. Louisan Irma S. Rombauer, author of *The Joy of Cooking*, and assisted Rombauer in the testing and cataloguing of recipes, and the preparation and editing of multiple editions of that cookbook and others. Over the years Hartrich received a share in the proceeds of *The Joy of Cooking*, even though there was no written agreement between the two women. As Marion Rombauer Becker, the daughter of Irma S. Rombauer, began to assume more and more responsibility for *The Joy of Cooking*, Hartrich continued to be involved. In 1973, several years after the 1962 death of Irma S. Rombauer, the Bobbs-Merrill Company sold the paperback rights to *The Joy of Cooking* for \$1.5 million. When Hartrich received no portion of the proceeds, she successfully sued, establishing her claim to an interest in *The Joy of Cooking* by using her personal correspondence with Irma S. Rombauer and Marion Rombauer Becker as evidence of legal entitlement.

This collection consists mostly of correspondence from Irma S. Rombauer and Marion Rombauer Becker to Mary Whyte Hartrich, 1943-1962. It reveals the history of the relationship between the three women and their respective roles in the preparation and publication of *The Joy of Cooking*, and their division of the proceeds from the sale of the book. Also includes a few letters between Hartrich, Becker, and Bobbs-Merrill Company, Inc., dated 1952, relating to the editing of the book; correspondence between Becker and Hartrich that relate to the death of Irma S. Rombauer in 1962; a memorandum by Hartrich detailing the history of her financial arrangement with Rombauer; and newsclippings about Irma S. Rombauer, 1948-1962, and about the 1973 sale of the paperback rights to *The Joy of Cooking*. Much of the material in this collection was used in Mary Whyte Hartrich's 1973 lawsuit for a share of the proceeds from the sale of the paperback rights, and bears evidence stamps and notations relating to the case. Missouri Historical Society does not possess the literary rights to the letters of either Irma S. Rombauer or Marion Rombauer Becker.

Cite as: Rombauer-Hartrich Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2926

## Hascall Family.

Papers, 1838-1904. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]; 2 oversize items

Friend P. Hascall was born in Connecticut in 1799, and married Elizabeth Fairyer in 1839 in Ralls County, Missouri. They had a child named Joseph D. Hascall. Friend P. Hascall died February 21, 1877, in Ralls County.

The papers consist primarily of Hascall family deeds and receipts, mostly relating to land in Ralls County and Monroe County, Missouri. Also includes a couple of personal letters and other family papers.

Finding aid available.

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

## A0659

Hatch, Frederick T. (1855- ). Hatch family papers, 1904-1916. 2 boxes Frederick T. Hatch was born November 21, 1855, in Haverhill, Massachusetts. He married Gertrude Hill of Steubenhill, Ohio, August 13, 1884. Four children were born of the marriage: Frederick Nathaniel, Alice Katharine, William Sherman, and Edward Flint. Frederick Hatch's job as superintendent of the Peoria Division, Vandalia Line, took his family to Terre Haute, Indiana, circa 1904. Due to poor health, Mrs. Hatch and the younger children wintered in Florida, September 1904 until her death in February 1905, at which time the children returned to St. Louis where Frederick Hatch had just moved. Young Edward died April 1910. Alice, a librarian, maintained the family home for her father for many years.

Correspondence of the Frederick T. Hatch family; letters between Frederick and his wife, Gertrude, while she wintered in Florida due to poor health (September 1904-February 1905). The bulk of the collection is letters from William and Frederick Hatch (sons) to their sister Alice in St. Louis, in which they discuss family matters, jobs, social life, etc.; genealogy material. Finding aid available.

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

### A2892

## Hatfield, H.

# **Letter, 1930 Sept 27.** 1 item

Typescript letter signed H. Hatfield, 1517a Marcus Ave., St. Louis, Mo., to Anne, September 27, 1930. Briefly discusses his job. Handwritten note states, "Raph Kappels is getting married next week to a Jewish girl named Margie Bialock." Letter is written on stationery of the Franklin Furniture Co., 11th and Franklin Ave., and includes an illustration of the company's building. Cite as: H. Hatfield Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0660

## Hatton Family.

## **Hatton-Hof family papers, 1881-1977.** 1 box

Papers include correspondence, telegrams, playbills and memo book regarding the Hazelton (or Hazaelton) Sisters vaudeville act, 1910; A.B. Hatton papers, including correspondence, business and membership cards, memo book, 1917-1926; Claudia Phelps Hatton papers, including correspondence, financial records, memorial record of her death, 1927-1951; Eda Lucille Hatton papers, including booklet of Business Women's Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis, 1947; and memorial record of her death, 1974; Myrnabelle Hatton Hof and Paul Alexander Hof and family papers; including autograph book of Regina Knapp Hof, 1881-1883; family and genealogical records of Joseph P. and Margaret T. Hof; Veiled Prophet Ball admission card to Myrnabelle Hatton, 1930; fraternity, retirement and death certificates of Paul A. Hof, 1915-1977; program and menu: dinner given to Marshal Foch on the occasion of his visit to St. Louis, November 3, 1921.

Cite as: Hatton-Hof Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2802

Hauer, Henrietta May, Mrs. (1884-1964).

Biographical Data Sheet, circa 1960s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Mrs. Henrietta May Hauer (nee Birnbaum), 6621 Oleatha, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Henrietta May Hauer Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0661

# Hawken-Sappington Family Collection, 1881-1978. 3 folders

John Sappington was born in Virginia in 1753 and served in the 13th Virginia Volunteers during the Revolutionary War. Sappington fought at the Battle of Brandywine, was at Valley Forge in 1778 as a body guard to General George Washington, and was present at the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, 1781. He came to St. Louis in 1804 and purchased a Spanish land grant in present-day Sappington, St. Louis County, Missouri. He died there in 1815. [NOTE: John Sappington should not be confused with Dr. John Sappington of Arrow Rock, Missouri. Dr. Sappington's papers can be found in the Sappington-Marmaduke Papers.] Thomas Sappington was the son of John Sappington. He constructed the historic Sappington House in St. Louis County in 1808. Thomas's granddaughter Mary Ann Kinkead Eads was the daughter of Granville and Lucinda Sappington Eads. Mary Ann married Christopher Hawken, establishing the Hawken-Sappington line. Thomas died May 15, 1860, in Sappington, Missouri.

The collection consists of assorted material related to the Hawken, Sappington, and Mauro families of St. Louis. Materials include a Hawken-Sappington family tree (photocopy); genealogy of the descendants of John and Jemima Sappington; an inventory of the estate of John Sappington (typed copy); Perry Sappington's constable ledger, 1852-1884 (Perry Sappington, son of Zepheniah and Margaret Parke Sappington, married Jane Ann Ferris, and was an official [justice/constable] in St. Louis County, 1874-1883); unidentified family photographs (photocopies); a notebook produced by Langenberg Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, Missouri, with a drawing of Front Rank Steel Furnace; Pierce's Memorandum and Account Book almanac, 1893, 1894; and a Famous Barr Co. Spirit of St. Louis tag.

Cite as: Hawken-Sappington Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0662

### Hawken, Otis R.

## **Scrapbooks, no date.** 2 volumes

Scrapbook with two photographs of Hawken and various cut-outs of flowers, ladies, birds, etc.; and advertising card scrapbook.

Cite as: Otis R. Hawken Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0663

## Hawken, Samuel.

## **Jacob and Samuel Hawken Papers, 1822-1873; 1924-1959; no date.** 1 box

Jacob Hawken (1786-1849) is listed as a gunsmith in St. Louis' first city directory in 1821. Samuel Hawken (1791-1884) joined him in 1822, and together they operated a gun shop on the banks of the Mississippi River. Hawken guns were used to supply wagon trains and the expeditions of Paul Anderson, William Ashley, John C. Fremont. The Missouri Fur Company bought Hawken guns, as did Kit Carson, Buffalo Bill, and Jim Bridger. After Jacob's death, Samuel provided the guns. In 1862, he sold the business to J.P. Gemmer, who continued until 1915. Samuel Hawken was a soldier in the War of 1812, and originated Union Fire Co. No. 2, St. Louis, in 1832.

Correspondence and papers; receipts, accounts, and miscellany; genealogical material, clippings; and scrapbook compiled by Mrs. Martha R. Hawken Jenkins; mainly about Hawken family relationships.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Jacob and Samuel Hawken Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0664

Hawks, Cicero Stephen (1812-1868).

Papers, 1801-1897. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Cicero Stephen Hawks was ordained as a priest of the Episcopal church in New York in 1836. He came to St. Louis in 1844 as Missouri's first Episcopal bishop.

Papers include documents, ordination certificate, bills, letters, and biographical information of Rev. Bishop Hawks.

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

### A2803

Hawley, Marie Duchesne, Miss.

Newspaper Clipping, 1948 Oct 10. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

St. Louis Post-Dispatch newspaper clipping regarding the wedding of Miss Marie Duchesne Hawley, 52 Hillvale Drive, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri, to Dr. Huston Glenn Kellogg. Cite as: Miss Marie Duchesne Hawley Newspaper Clipping, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0665

Hawley, Ozita.

Maheu family papers, 1784-1923. approximately 20 items

Nicholas Marie Maheu (1784-1853) served under Napoleon at the Battle of Waterloo. His second wife was Seraphine Eleonore Victoire Finel. The Maheu family emigrated to Gallipolis, Ohio, in 1827 and later came to St. Louis.

The papers include genealogy of Maheu, Finel, Pinatel families; papers (1808-1827) relating to military record of Lieutenant Nicholas Maheu; deed of gifts, marriage contract, permit to change residence of Lieutenant Maheu, diploma of midwife Seraphine V. Finel de Maheu and her commendation by the mayor of Dieue for her work as midwife all issued in France. French

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

### A0666

Hawley, Thomas S. (1837-1918).

Papers, 1856-1867. 13 folders (approximately 100 items)

Thomas S. Hawley was born February 20, 1837, in Dayton, Ohio. Following his graduation from the St. Louis Medical College in 1861, he served in the Civil War with Captain Hill's Company of the American Zouaves, the 111th Illinois Infantry (Union), and later with the 11th Missouri Infantry. In 1865, he married Caroline Joy in Delaware, Ohio. Following the war, he returned to St. Louis where he practiced as a surgeon. He died July 24, 1918, in St. Louis.

Papers consist of letters of Thomas S. Hawley to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. Hawley of Olney, Illinois, mentioning his graduation from medical school, enlistment with the Union forces during the Civil War and his service as a surgeon with the 11th Missouri Infantry, and his subsequent return to St. Louis where he established his medical practice. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas S. Hawley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2543

Haves Family.

## **Papers, circa 1890-1905.** 1 folder

Mrs. M.M. Hayes resided in Paducah, Kentucky, in the early 1900s.

The collection includes advertising material of the Hy-Mol Drug Co. (St. Louis, Missouri), the National Toilet Co. (Paris, Tennessee), and The Lanola Co. (Paducah, Kentucky). A couple of these items are addressed to Mrs. M.M. Hayes of Paducah, Kentucky. Finding aid available.

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

### A2804

Hayes, Mary Gerald, Sister (1935-).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1965 Jan 28. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Sister Mary Gerald Hayes, 3825 West Pine Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Sister Mary Gerald Hayes Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0667

Haynes, Aubrey DeVere.

**Papers, 1928-1935.** 1 box; 1 volume

Riverboat captain.

Diary, dated January 1 to April 2, 1928, with some mention of river travel; notebook with quotes and some notes; scrapbook with photographs of river travel, 1935, and life on a boat; scrapbook of newsclippings regarding Haynes and riverboats.

Cite as: Aubrey DeVere Haynes Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2374

Haynes Family.

Papers, 1872-1923. 5 items

William Johnson Haynes was born March 16, 1851, in North Carolina. He came to Missouri in the 1860s, and became the president of the Haynes-Langenberg Manufacturing Company in St. Louis. William J. Haynes died December 20, 1923, in St. Louis. His son, William J. Haynes, Jr., resided in San Antonio, Texas.

Collection includes the following five items: (1) Letter signed Will, Pleasant Hill, Missouri, to "Dear Bro. & Sister," September 28, 1872. Discusses family members who have had the chills; mentions the death of Mrs. James Cooley; and mentions that he has been teaching. (2) Letter signed Papa, Haynes-Langenberg Manufacturing Co., 4045-4057 Forest Park Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri, to "Dear Will" (Will J. Haynes, Colorado Springs, Colorado), August 18, 1910. Briefly states his travel plans. Letterhead includes engraved illustration of the Haynes-Langenberg Manufacturing Co.'s building. (3) Letter signed W.J. Haynes, Haynes-Langenberg Manufacturing Co., 4045-4057 Forest Park Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri, to "Dear Will" (W.J. Haynes, Jr., c/o Hotel Lanier, San Antonio, Texas), August 7, 1923. Discusses family news and financial matters. Mentions Paul Simmons. (4) Undated, printed card of the Kansas City Furnace Co., Kansas City, Missouri, advertising the Haynes furnace fan (patent pending). (5) Undated, four-page advertising brochure for the Haynes bungalow heater, printed by W.J. Haynes, San Antonio, Texas.

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

### A0668

**Hayward, Florence (1865-1925).** 

**Papers, 1880-1941.** 4 boxes; 4 volumes

Florence Hayward was a St. Louis native. She began her career as a journalist writing articles for the St. Louis publication, *The Spectator*. She later became the London contributor to the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* and the *St. Louis Republic*. Throughout her career, she wrote extensively for American and English magazines. In November 1902 she was appointed special commissioner of the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair to Europe, the only woman appointed to such a position. From King Edward VII she obtained the loan of the late Queen Victoria's jubilee presents to be exhibited at the fair. She also obtained an exhibit from the Vatican for the fair. She successfully campaigned to discontinue the tradition of having a separate woman's building at the St. Louis World's Fair. She was elected an officer in the French Academy in 1904, and a member of the Royal Society of Arts of England in 1913. She was also one of the founders of the St. Louis Artists Guild.

Four scrapbooks of newsclippings, some of which are clippings of her articles; musical compositions written for her; souvenirs from her journeys; and autographs. Of special interest are sketches (in volume 1); Hayward's newspaper articles from London, and a 1892 watercolor portrait of her by Martha Hoke (in volume 3). The manuscript collection contains genealogy material of Mrs. Ellen Erwin Hayward (wife of George Hayward); correspondence in relation to articles she wrote—editors, etc.; diploma titled United States Universal Exposition, St. Louis, Commemorative Diploma, Special Commissioner to European Countries, Commission of History Department of Anthropology, 1902; list of jubilee and diamond jubilee presents of the late Queen Victoria, 1903; letters and correspondence regarding securing the exhibits for the St. Louis World's Fair; series of essays, possibly articles on a variety of subjects, no date; written (typed) account of her venture to secure Vatican exhibit by Florence Hayward; newspaper articles written by or about Florence Hayward; complete issue of *Country Life*, which is an English society newspaper, Volume III, Number 5, May 1896, and Volume IV. Number 10, December 4, 1896.

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

#### A2350

Haywood, Wm. Dallas.

Broadside announcing public meeting to honor Lieut. Francis T. Bryan (reproduction), 1847 Apr 29. 1 item

Broadside states, "PUBLIC MEETING. The citizens of Raleigh are requested to meet at the COURT HOUSE, on SATURDAY next, at 10 o'clock, A.M. for the purpose of considering the eminent and distinguished services of our fellow-townsman, LIEUT. FRANCIS T. BRYAN, in the late battle of Buena Vista, and to adopt some mode of paying a suitable tribute to the gallantry so conspicuously displayed by him on that glorious occasion. WM. DALLAS HAYWOOD, Intendant of Police, Raleigh, April 29, 1847."

Cite as: Wm. Dallas Haywood Broadside Announcing Public Meeting to Honor Lieut. Francis T. Bryan, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0669

Head, Idress.

**Record books, 1903.** 2 volumes

Missouri Historical Society librarian.

Data regarding early Missouri land owners, compiled by Idress Head, 1903.

Cite as: Idress Head Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0670

**Headlee Family.** 

**Papers, 1848-1940; no date.** 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include correspondence, clippings, and pamphlets concerning the Methodist Episcopal church in early Missouri; genealogy of the Headlee family; data on Rolla Fletcher Headlee.

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

#### A0671

Heald family.

**Papers, 1817-1945.** 3 boxes

Genealogical and personal papers of Heald family. A few items regarding settlement in St. Charles County, Missouri. Materials regarding Fort Zumwalt, Missouri, Fort Dearborn (Chicago, Illinois). Material regarding the Daughters of the American Revolution; Daughters of 1812; St. Louis Society of Medical Research; Friday Club; Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. Cite as: Heald Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0672

Heath, Anna Barnes.

Papers, 1869-1951. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Daughter of Joseph K. Barnes, surgeon general of the army from 1864 to 1882. She was the maid of honor for Nelly Grant.

Collection contains souvenirs of social life at the White House; invitations to the Grant-Sartoris wedding; first and second Grant inauguration and ball invitation; newsclippings of the Grant-Sartoris wedding, menus and place cards from wedding and reception; correspondence from Mrs. Truman's secretary regarding papers in the collection.

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

#### A0673

Heil Chemical Company.

**Letterbook**, **1893-1895**. 1 volume

Letterpress letterbook, mostly in German handscript.

Cite as: Heil Chemical Company Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2805

Heil, Robert H.T. (1918- ).

**Family History Sheets, circa 1970s.** 4 items [formerly Alphabetical Files]

Family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Robert H.T. Heil, Los Angeles, California. Includes genealogical data on the Heil, Haymann, Hemmelmann, and Mills families. Robert H.T. Heil's father, Frederick John Heil, and his grandfather, Henry Heil, Sr., resided at 3608 Connecticut St., St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Robert H.T. Heil Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2887

Heiman, Jacob.

Papers, 1894-1901. 2 items

Receipt of J. Heiman for contribution to the St. Louis World's Fair Fund, November 2, 1901, and photocopy of *Clayton Argus* newspaper clipping, dated 1894, containing a biographical sketch of Florissant merchant Jacob Heiman.

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

### A2237

Heiman, Sidney J.

**Papers, 1920-1930.** 1 folder (7 items)

Sidney J. Heiman was born April 16, 1900. He resided in St. Louis, and in 1919 founded the International Oil Burner Co., which later became Intertherm. He died January 27, 1980, in St. Louis, and was survived by his wife, Ruth. Sidney Heiman's high-school friend Harry Kessler was born May 21, 1901, in St. Louis. He attended the Missouri School of Mines in Rolla, and later worked in the field of metallurgical engineering, in which he made a fortune. As a hobby he served as a referee of professional boxing. He died in 1986.

The collection contains five letters of Harry Kessler to Sidney Heiman, dated 1920-1921, written while he was a freshman at the Missouri School of Mines. The letters discuss his course work, school sporting events, and social life. One of the letters mentions the recent death of a senior football player, Eddie Bohn, who died as a result of a football injury sustained in a game between the Missouri School of Mines and the Warrensburg Normal School. The collection also contains two postcards from London and Paris, dated 1930, written by Aunt Florence to Sidney Heiman.

Finding aid available.

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

### A2807

Hein, Clemence L. (1898-).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1955-1972.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Clemence L. Hein, 7023 Westmoreland, University City, St. Louis County, Missouri, December 12, 1955, and family history sheet filled out by Clemence L. Hein, 14 North Kingshighway, St. Louis, Missouri, October 10, 1972.

Cite as: Clemence L. Hein Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2808

Heinecke, Walter F., Mrs. (1900-).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Walter F. Heinecke, 625 South Skinker, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Mrs. Walter F. Heinecke Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2809

Heinrichsmeyer, Martin William (1883- ).

Family History Sheet, 1945 Feb 19. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Martin William Heinrichsmeyer, 6122 Tennessee Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Martin William Heinrichsmeyer Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0674

Heitz, Charles.

Exercise book, 1854. 1 volume (98 pages)

Accounting exercise book of Charles Heitz while at Jones Commercial College, St. Louis. Cite as: Charles Heitz Exercise Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0675

Heller, Otto (1863-1941).

**Papers, 1905-1941.** 1 box

Otto Heller was born July 15, 1863, in Tietsch, Saxony. After completing his course at a Dresden gymnasium, he attended the universities at Prague, Munich, Vienna, and Berlin. In 1883, he came to America where he began his teaching career at LaSalle College, Philadelphia, in the field of Greek. Later he moved to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as instructor of modern languages. In 1892, he was appointed to the chair of German at Washington University and later served as dean of the graduate school and editor of *Washington University Studies*. He was the author of numerous books and articles, and was a frequent speaker at Chautauqua lectures and before literary clubs. Heller died July 29, 1941.

Drafts, reprints, clippings, and notes of essays and speeches of Otto Heller, dean of graduate studies, Washington University, 1905-1941.

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

#### A2381

Hellman, Louis M.

**Papers, 1899-1900.** 2 items

Four-page printed form of the Contract Department of the Bell Telephone Company of Missouri, 10th and Olive Sts., St. Louis, 1899, which describes "domestic" telephone service, and a Bell Telephone Company of Missouri contract for telephone exchange service, signed by Louis M. Hellman, 4633 Lindell Boulevard, St. Louis, May 30, 1900.

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

## A0677

### Hellmuth.

## Architecture Collection, circa 1900-1930. 37 boxes

Over 200 residential, commercial, and institutional projects. The collection includes the work of George W. Hellmuth (1870-1955), Hellmuth & Hellmuth Architects (George W. and Harry I.), and Hellmuth & Spiering (Louis J.).

Access restricted to some parts of the collection due to fragility of the materials. Please consult the archives staff.

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

# A0676

## Hellmuth, George W.

# Hortense Place architectural drawings, circa 1902-1910. 2 roll storage boxes

Plans for the Hortense Place (St. Louis) residences of Isaac Cook, Jr.; F.V. Hammar; Albert Lambert; Marion Lambert; and Amedee V. Reyburn. Also unidentified floor plan for an

apartment or condominium. Copies. Missouri Historical Society does not own the original drawings.

Cite as: George W. Hellmuth Hortense Place Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2452

# Helmbacher Forge and Rolling Mills (St. Louis, Missouri).

## **Price List, circa 1879-1881.** 1 item

The Helmbacher Forge and Rolling Mills manufactured common and refined iron; hammered car and locomotive axles; and railroad, steamboat and machine forgings. The office and warehouse was located at 817 and 819 North Main Street; the works were located at Columbus Street, between Lami and Barton. Geo. H. Cole was the agent. The company officers were M. Helmbacher, president; A. Helmbacher, treasurer and superintendent; and G.L. Goetz, secretary. Cite as: Helmbacher Forge and Rolling Mills Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2508

## Helmering, Henry C.

# Certificate, 1900 Apr 18. 1 item

Document signed Henry C. Helmering, clerk of the St. Louis County Court, Clayton, Missouri, certifying the amount of money from taxes and licenses collected by H.W. Karrenbrock, county collector.

Cite as: Henry C. Helmering Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0678

## Hempelmann Family.

Papers, 1845-1890. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Papers and tax receipts of Dude H. Janssen. Autograph and poetry manuscripts of Franz Tolle.

Some German.

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

### A0679

# Hempen, H. Joseph.

## Missouri sesquicentennial collection. 1969-1972. 4 boxes

H. Joseph Hempen worked for Opticomm, Inc., in St. Louis. He collected material on the Missouri sesquicentennial celebration for a documentary history.

Collection includes correspondence, newsclippings, photographs, graphic materials, fliers, brochures and other printed matter regarding state-wide and local celebrations of the Missouri sesquicentennial celebrated in 1971 for a documentary history of Missouri sesquicentennial. Includes material on local celebrations in St. Louis, Lexington, Florissant, Columbia, Hermann, Charleston, Cole County, Independence, Jefferson County, and St. Charles; celebration sponsored by the First State Capital Restoration and Sesquicentennial Commission. Includes layouts and proposed text for book. Also sesquicentennial issues of Missouri newspapers. Cite as: H. Joseph Hempen Missouri Sesquicentennial Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0680

# Hempstead, Stephen (1754-1831).

# Papers, 1787-1846; 1853; 1874; 1917. 2 boxes; 1 volume

Stephen Hempstead, born 1754, New London, Connecticut; married 1831, St. Louis. Served in the Revolutionary War; answered first call for troops May 6, 1775. In 1811, he and his wife and several of the younger children moved to St. Louis. He helped to establish the Presbyterian faith in the territory, and was active in civic affairs.

Papers consist of correspondence of Stephen Hempstead family, early religious leaders, and others. Correspondence between Manuel Lisa and Mary Hempstead Lisa. Papers of Stephen, Edward, Charles, and William Hempstead. Diary, 1813-1831, of Stephen Hempstead, dated 1813-1831, which includes accounts regarding farming of land north of St. Louis, comments on the weather, farm tasks, occupation of his slaves, births, deaths, marriages of family and friends, and information on the establishments of missions in the Missouri Territory; and weekly records of Stephen Hempstead's Presbyterian church attendance, 1787-1821, in New London, Connecticut, and St. Louis. Letterbook, 1805-1830, of original letters to Stephen Hempstead from Salmon Giddings, Timothy and Abel Flint, others, and with an account, in hand of Hempstead, of trip to St. Louis with his family in 1811. In part photostats and typescript copies. Diary published in nine parts in *Bulletin of the Missouri Historical Society*, Volume XIII, Number 1 (October 1956)—Volume XXII, Number 4, Part 1 (July 1966). Some French.

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

#### A1827

Henderson, Edwin W.

Collection, 1873-1952. 2 folders (approximately 45 items)

The collection consists of family correspondence; church programs of Second Baptist Church, St. Louis; receipts; invitations; postcard from the Life of Christ exhibit, 1904 World's Fair; list of popular songs of the American Expeditionary Force, World War I; menu from Christmas dinner for the Third Instruction Company, Camp Meade, Maryland, 1918; photograph, calling card and death notice of Monsignor Capel; program of Hickory Council No. 766, Royal Arcanum, St. Louis, 1884; school report card of William G. Pettus, Smith Academy, 1888; prospectus of the Miss M.E. Brooks School for Young Ladies, 1887; and eighteen business cards from St. Louis businesses and four *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* receipt cards. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edwin W. Henderson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0681

Hennard, John F.

Journal, 1858. 1 volume

Journal, dated February 22 to December 18, 1858, describes the operation of the St. Louis Fire Alarm Telegraph, which went into operation February 22, 1858, listing responses to fires, etc.

Cite as: John F. Hennard Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0682

Hennings, Thomas C. (1875-1952).

Papers, 1899-1961. 1 box

Member of the Missouri constitutional convention, 1943-1944.

Papers pertaining to the 1943-1944 constitutional convention of Missouri, 1943-1961;

correspondence with Charlton and Dorothy Ogburn on authorship of Shakespeare plays; speeches made by Henning; invitations; etc. Other correspondence of Henning's from prominent St. Louisans, including A.B. Lambert, Kenton R. Reaves, Daniel R. Fitzpatrick, Ethan A.H. Shepley, Daniel K. Catlin, Ernest Kirschten, Harry R. Burke, Douglas V. Martin, Jr., Gale F. Johnston, Clark M. Clifford, Curtis A. Betts, Jacob M. Lashly, Samuel H. Liberman, Guy A. Thompson, and Herbert S. Hadley.

Cite as: Thomas C. Hennings Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0683

Hennings, Thomas C., Jr. Papers, 1951-1973. 3 boxes

Correspondence of Thomas C. Hennings, Jr., U.S. senator from Missouri, with John Raeburn Green, St. Louis, and with the Missouri Historical Society, 1951-1960. Approximately 200 pieces, covering personal affairs, legal business matters, discussion of civil rights defense of Communists, restoration of Jefferson Barracks, etc. Additional 100 pieces concerning disposition of bequest of Hennings for charitable foundation (1962-1966), and about 1,200 pieces, 1951-1966, consisting of Hennings' correspondence with John Raeburn Green. Larger portion of collection closed until 1990.

Cite as: Thomas C. Hennings, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3087

Henry, Beverly Walter (1834-1916).

Family Letters, 1848-1910 (bulk 1861-1862). 3 folders

Beverly Walter Henry was born on 28 May 1834 in Shelby County, Illinois to Bushrod Washington Henry (1805-1879) and Elizabeth Hudson Henry (1808-1835). He had an older brother in the U. S. Army during the Mexican-American War, Brice M. Henry. Beverly practiced law in Vandalia, Illinois for most of his life. In 1861 he raised Company G of the 35<sup>th</sup> Illinois Infantry and fought in southern Missouri, Arkansas, and Mississippi until he contracted malaria and was discharged in July 1862. Upon his return from service, Beverly married Sarah Johnson and the couple had two daughters: Carrie Belle Collins and Waverly Houston.

The collection is comprised of letters written by Beverly Walter Henry and his family including his brother, Brice M. Henry; his wife, Sarah (Sallie); his daughter, Carrie Belle; and his cousin, Mattie Sue Molloy. The letters are arranged chronologically and date from 1848 to 1910. The bulk of the letters were written by Henry during the Civil War in 1861 and 1862. Finding aid available.

Cites as: Beverly Walter Henry Family Letters, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A2810

Henry, Della R., Mrs. (1860-1928).

**Memorial Tribute, 1928.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Printed memorial tribute read at the funeral of Mrs. Della R. Henry, who was born December 27, 1860, and died June 3, 1928.

Cite as: Mrs. Della R. Henry Memorial Tribute, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2811

Henry, Franklin Redman (1867-).

Family History Sheets, 1926[?]. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Franklin Redman

Henry and his wife, Mary Aurelia Voden Henry, 4953 West Pine Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Henry and Voden families.

Cite as: Franklin Redman Henry Family History Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0685

Henry, Jesse P., Mrs.

Family papers, 1841-1910; no date. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

Maiden name Prudence Lucas, daughter of James. H. Lucas.

Papers include Civil War correspondence of the Hunt family, William and Mrs. P.B. Hunt, and others in Kentucky and Tennessee; biographical data of Jesse H. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse P. Henry. Reminiscences (dated 1905) and newsclippings of Patrick Ahearn (2633 Locust St.) serving in the Civil War under Captain George Hunt.

Cite as: Mrs. Jesse P. Henry Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0684

Henry Townsend Project.

**Henry Townsend Discography, 1929-1990.** 1 volume (looseleaf)

Compilation of correspondence, recording history, and recording catalogue of the Blues music of St. Louisan Henry Townsend.

Cite as: Henry Townsend Discography, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis, Missouri.

### A2812

Hensley, David Rust (1912- ).

**Papers, 1957.** 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by David Rust Henry and his wife, Apphia Hack Hensley, Mason Road, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Also includes typescript "resume of background of David R. Hensley." Cite as: David Rust Hensley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0686

Henze, Frederick W.

Account books, 1869-1919. 4 volumes

St. Louis baker, joined the firm of Hamburger and Co. (Edward H. Hamburger, proprietor) in 1872. Business became Henze's bakery in 1875. Renamed Henze's Old Rock Bakery Co. in 1894, with Frederick W. Henze as president until 1905. Succeeded in that position by George F. Gaertner.

Two ledgers (1869-1871 and 1888-1890) and one cashbook (1871-1873) of Hamburger and Co., with recipes and holograph correspondence. One volume of correspondence with the U.S. government regarding emergency food survey, licensing, and new recipes using white flour substitutes during World War I, 1917-1919.

Cite as: Frederick W. Henze Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0687

Hequembourg, Alexander (1830-1911).

**Papers, 1858-1865; 1907; 1917.** 4 folders (approximately 30 items)

Alexander G. Hequembourg was born September 22, 1830, in New York City. In 1839, his

family moved to St. Louis. He served in the Mexican War, and at the outbreak of the Civil War he organized Company B, 4th United States Reserve Corps (3 months). He next served as captain of Company G, Bissell's Engineer Regiment of the West, from October 1861 to July 1862, when he resigned due to illness. From September 1864 to August 1865 he served as lieutenant colonel of the 40th Missouri Infantry. He died March 16, 1911.

Papers include commissions, muster rolls, orders, correspondence, and vouchers concerning Alexander Hequembourg and the Civil War.

Finding aid available.

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

### A2737

## Hequembourg, Hilda, Miss.

**Papers, 1853-1939.** 6 items

Papers include six documents. (1) Printed document: "As an expression of esteem and affection we, the undersigned, present this appropriate gift to our tutor, E.M. Avery, December 25, 1853." Includes the names of 88 contributors. (2) Printed document: "To E.M. Avery, as a small reward for the zealous, impartial, and honest discharge of his duty in the capacity of tutor, we, the following contributors, offer this gift, December 25, 1855." Includes the names of 54 contributors. (3) Receipt of the Public School Library Society, St. Louis, to Mrs. E.H. Thurber, December 11, 1866, thanking her for donating "Plan of the Creation," by Rev. C.L. Hequembourg. Signed James Richardson, president, and Jno. Jay Bailey [John Jay Bailey], librarian. (4) Typescript note signed F.R. Darling, superintendent of schools, Department of Education, Dunkirk, New York, to Miss Stella M. Drumm, Missouri Historical Society, July 31, 1939, regarding Darling's donation of documents on behalf of Miss Hilda Hequembourg. (5) Two undated typescript school lesson assignments on civil government.

Cite as: Miss Hilda Hequembourg Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0688

Hermann, Missouri.

Collection, 1838-1928; no date. 6 folders (approximately 25 items); 4 volumes

Collection includes 1838-1840 reports of German Settlement Society in Hermann; reports of trustees and city council, Hermann, 1839-1856; shares in Hermann Erholung issued to Edward Muehl and Fer. Raempf, March 15, 1848; 1852 constitution and minutes of Society of Free Man, Hermann; letters of residents of Hermann. Ledgers of unidentified Hermann, Missouri, general store, 1841-1847 and 1865-1867.

German.

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

## A0689

Hermon, Ralph (1904- ).

**Income tax papers, 1958-1991.** 1 box

Papers relate to income taxes paid by Ralph and Virginia Hermon, 1958-1991. Includes receipts (beginning in 1980), tax schedules with breakdown of expenses for the year, and a short autobiographical statement written by Hermon.

Cite as: Ralph Hermon Income Tax Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0690

Herr, Ferdinand.

## Papers, 1903-1904; 1918-1919. 2 folders

Collection includes three letters from Garfield School, St. Louis, and Samuel Cupples Envelope Company, recommending Ferdinand Herr for employment at the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition. Collection also includes seven letters and one postcard written by Ferdinand Herr, stationed at Edgewood Arsenal in Edgewood, Maryland, during the latter months of World War I, to his mother in St. Louis.

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

### A2223

Herthel, John W. (1843?-1929).

Sketches and Drawings, 1913-1928. 1 flat storage box

John W. Herthel was an architect who designed different homes and buildings around St. Louis. He was a sometime associate of George I. Barnett. He married Louise Genia Conrad in or around 1869. He was an engineer who worked on the Eads Bridge. He designed plans for a building in 1872 that would have been jointly used by the Missouri Historical Society and the St. Louis Academy of Science. It was to have been on a lot on Locust near 13th St., but funding fell through and the plan was dropped. He won a \$50 prize in 1867 for designing the second-place plans for fence and gateposts in Lafayette Park. He designed the T.A. Conrad house, 1897, at 6005 West Cabanne Place.

Sketches and drawings consist of 28 pencil and watercolor images done by John W. Herthel. They include drawings of himself and his two sons, buildings in and around St. Louis, drawings of rooms, and park scenery.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: John W. Herthel Sketches and Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## Hertzog, Joseph. Journal.

See Wilt, Christian. Papers.

## A2813

Hervey, Thomas (1798-1882).

Family Group Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family group sheet provides genealogical data on the family of Thomas Hervey (1798-1882) and his wife Catherine Weems (1806-1869).

Cite as: Thomas Hervey Family Group Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0691

Herwegh Saengerbund (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1909-1941.** 2 boxes

St. Louis chapter of Arbeiter Saengerbund, a national German workingmen's singing organization.

Collection contains account books, membership lists, minutes, printed stationery, programs, invitations, music, and correspondence relating to the Harwegh Saengerbund.

German

Cite as: Herwegh Saengerbund Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0692

Hesse, Herman T. (1822-1900). Papers, 1851-1901; no date. 1 box Herman T. Hesse was born in 1822 near Mulhausen, Saxony, Germany. He migrated to the United States, settling in St. Louis in 1848. In the Civil War he served as captain of Company I, 1st United States Reserve Corps; captain of Company E, 5th Missouri Cavalry; and colonel of the 3rd Regiment Infantry, St. Louis City Guards. He died September 27, 1900.

Personal and family correspondence; business papers pertaining to St. Louis Domicil Saving and Loan Association, Western Glass Co., Belleville Clay Mining and Washing and Pottery Co., kaolin mining; Civil War papers, morning reports, lists of prisoners, rules governing operations of sutlers, passes, ordnance forms; correspondence concerning veterans' activities, pensions, sick benefits; writings of Herman T. Hesse on reorganization of the U.S. Army, Battle of Pea Ridge, Prussian Army.

Some German.

Cite as: Herman T. Hesse Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2740

## Hessin Family.

Papers, 1843-1851. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

William Hessin resided in Upper Alton, Illinois, with his wife, Anne A. Hessin. William died in 1845. William's brother Henry Hessin resided in New Lisbon, Ohio.

The papers contain correspondence of Henry Hessin in New Lisbon, Ohio, to his brother William Hessin and William's widow, Mrs. Anne A. Hessin, in Upper Alton, Illinois. Finding aid available.

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

## **Hettel Jewelry Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri)**

See C.R. Hettel Jewelry Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

#### A2905

Hewes, Charles Goodwin (1910-2001).

Baby Book, 1910-1925. 1 item

Charles Goodwin Hewes, the son of Clarence and May Hewes, was born September 26, 1910, in Sedalia, Missouri. He died January 4, 2001.

Baby book includes information such as the date of his first smile and laugh, his weight and height, and other notes about his childhood.

Cite as: Charles Goodwin Hewes Baby Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2380

## **Hewitt-Neff Family.**

**Papers, 1867-1925.** 5 folders

Mrs. Cynthia Neff (nee Gillespie) married Manlius Hewitt July 1, 1868, in St. Louis, Missouri. Cynthia A. Hewitt died November 2, 1896, in St. Louis; Manlius Hewitt died in July 1912 in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of personal correspondence of the Hewitt-Neff family, including several letters sent to Mrs. Cynthia A. Hewitt and several letters of Frank Adam Neff to his mother. The collection also includes business cards and invitations. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Hewitt-Neff Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2816

# Hiatt, Ettus Mae Murry, Mrs. (1926-).

Family History Sheet, 1964 Sept 5. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Ettus Mae Murry Hiatt, 14 Hedgewood Lane, Manchester, St. Louis County, Missouri. Also includes ancestor chart.

Cite as: Mrs. Ettus Mae Murry Hiatt Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0693

## Hibler, Andrew J.

**Account book, 1853-1866.** 1 volume (32 pages)

Personal accounts of St. Louis County resident, includes contract labor and guardianship records.

Cite as: Andrew J. Hibler Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0694

Hickcox, Truman V.

**Daybook, 1852-1865.** 1 volume (172 pages)

Accounts of day labor; wood, hay, and other commodities sold; and horse pasturage in Boonville, Missouri. Records of accounts settled and outstanding at rear of volume.

Cite as: Truman V. Hickcox Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2817

Hickel, Oliver William, Jr. (1917-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1970 Mar 24. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Oliver William Hickel, Jr., 13 Granada Way, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Oliver William Hickel, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2818

## Hickenlooper Family.

Papers, 1936-circa 1980s. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers contain a *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* obituary of Carlos Hickenlooper, 4545 Maryland Ave., dated January 13, 1936; *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* article, dated July 7, 1938, regarding the awarding of the Belgian Order of the Crown to Madam Olga Samaroff Stokowski, daughter of Mrs. Carlos Hickenlooper (includes a portrait of Olga Samaroff); and ancestral chart showing the ancestry of George Loening Hickenlooper, Jr., dated circa 1980s.

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

## A2819

Hickey, Margaret, Miss.

Newspaper Clipping, 1945 Feb 8. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

St. Louis Globe-Democrat newspaper clipping regarding the marriage of Miss Margaret Hickey to William Alan Ratz.

Cite as: Miss Margaret Hickey Newspaper Clipping, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0695

Hickman Family.

**Papers, 1814; 1839-1854; 1918.** 1 folder (approximately 15 items); 1 oversize folder Correspondence of a family living in central Missouri regarding family matters; correspondence regarding Mrs. Grace Hickman [Swarker] sponsoring launching of the *S.S. Hickman*; letter of John J. Pershing, etc.; commission appointing Llewellen Hickman 1st lieutenant in the 2nd Regiment of Riflemen.

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

## A0696

Hickman, Theodore.

Papers, 1814-1917. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Papers include papers from estate of Theodore Hickman, commissions, military papers, correspondence of William Lewellyn Hickman, circa 1820. Capt. William Lewellyn Hickman biographical data.

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

## A2820

Hicks, Frank (1870- ).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Frank Hicks. Sheet contains little data.

Cite as: Frank Hicks Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2821

Hicks, Irl R., Rev. (1844-1916).

Newspaper Obituary, 1916 Oct 13. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Obituary of Rev. Irl R. Hicks, astronomer, weather forecaster, and publisher of *Hicks' Almanac*, who died at his home, 6209 Garfield Ave., Wellston, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes a portrait of Hicks.

Cite as: Rev. Irl R. Hicks Newspaper Obituary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2962

Hicks, Presley N. (circa 1829-1919).

**Papers, 1876-1909.** 7 folders

Presley N. Hicks was born circa 1829 in Bowling Green, Kentucky. He worked as a steamboat engineer for many years, and in 1902 he invented and patented a steamboat propeller. His brother Milton Hicks was killed by Indians circa 1839. Presley N. Hicks resided primarily in St. Louis, Missouri, from the 1870s until his death on September 3, 1919.

Collection consists primarily of legal papers and correspondence relating to the claim of the heirs of Milton Hicks to bounty lands in Texas. Also includes legal papers relating to the claim of Eliza Langlais to bounty land in Texas due to her deceased husband, Ferdinan Louis Langlais. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Presley N. Hicks Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0697

Hicks, Vera.

## **Papers, 1936-1965.** 1 box; 2 volumes

St. Louis dress designer with Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney.

Collection consists of two scrapbooks, clippings and notes about Vera Hicks fashions and other dress designs, correspondence, program from the 1936 St. Louis Junior League Follies, program and song from the 1941 Bundles for Britain Ball by the Claytonshire Coaching Club, issue of *Town and Country Magazine* (September 1952) illustrating the Scruggs, Vandervoot & Barney dress collection, and invitations to Vera Hicks fashion shows.

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

### A2806

Hiemenz, Frank.

**Papers, 1883-1885.** 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include two private scale receipts of St. Louis city register Nicholas Berg, certifying the number of bushels of stone coal in a wagon received by Mrs. E. Hiemenz, February 23, 1883 (verso of receipts are signed Frank Hiemenz, 3054 Salina St. [3054 Salena St.]); receipt of Frank Hiemenz for goods purchased from F. Schifferle, dealer in stoves, tin, copper and sheet iron ware, 1244 South 5th St., St. Louis, Mo., December 15, 1883; and receipt of Frank Hiemenz, 3022 Saline St. [3022 Salena St.?], for goods purchased from F. Schifferle, 1244 South Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., April 1, 1885. (The latter receipt includes an engraved illustration of the building at 1244 South Broadway.)

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

### A0698

Hiffman Family.

Papers, 1967. 1 folder

In April 1861 Albert Hiffman enlisted as a private in Company C, 2nd Missouri Infantry (3 months) (Union). After his term of service was up, he reenlisted with the 12th Missouri Infantry as a bugler.

Compilation of Hiffman family genealogy by Dorothy Clark, 1967. Typescript memoirs of Albert Hiffman's Civil War service, April 22, 1861, to December 24, 1864. Memoirs detail movements and operations of regiments in which Hiffman served.

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

## A0699

Higgins, C.P.

Papers, 1913-1925. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

C.P. Higgins was a sergeant-at-arms in U.S. Senate, 1912-1918. He was from St. Louis. Papers include photographs during time in office, a photograph of his office after a bomb exploded there in hopes of killing President Wilson, July 2, 1915; typescripts, elaborate booklet containing reproduction of autographs of the signers of the testimonial to Abraham Lincoln which was placed in Lincoln Memorial cornerstone; booklet listing officers and employees of the Senate giving name, office and salary of each; newsclippings, correspondence regarding the death of C.P. Higgins. (The photographs in this collection were transferred to the Photographs and Prints Department.)

Cite as: C.P. Higgins Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2496

**Higgins Family.** 

## Papers, 1852-1872. 1 folder

Tom Higgins resided in Cedar Fork, Franklin County, Missouri. His brother Peter resided in St. Louis, Missouri.

Papers contain Higgins family correspondence, receipts, and certificates.

Finding aid available.

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

### A2822

Higgs, Gary Kent (1941- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1971 Jan. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Gary Kent Higgs, Okemos, Michigan. Includes genealogical data on his family. His father, Rolland Bradford Higgs (born 1912), resided at 819 North Hills Drive, Normandy, St. Louis County, Missouri; his grandfather, Walter Edward Higgs (1888-1970), resided at 917 North Hills Drive.

Cite as: Gary Kent Higgs Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0700

Hill, Amelia Leavitt.

Papers, 1957-1962. 2 folders

Manuscript titled "The Development of French Furniture in America" by Amelia Leavitt Hill; preliminary notes for manuscript; and correspondence with Charles van Ravenswaay, 1957-1962.

Cite as: Amelia Leavitt Hill Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1804

Hill & Kistner, Architects.

First Methodist Episcopal Church (Granite City, Illinois) Architectural Records, circa 1927. 4 tubes; 1 folder

Hill & Kistner had offices in Edwardsville, Granite City, and Carlinville, Illinois.

The collection consists of four tubes of blueprints for the church and one folder containing specifications for the project, which was located at 20th and "D" Streets.

Cite as: Hill & Kistner, Architects. First Methodist Episcopal Church Architectural Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1842

Hill, Frederick, Dr.

Broadside, 1887 May 30. 1 item

Broadside advertisement announcing the administrator's sale of property of the estate of the late Dr. Frederick Hill to take place May 30, 1887.

Cite as: Dr. Frederick Hill Broadside, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2823

Hill, James Boyd (1905- ).

Family History Sheet, 1952 Oct 17. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Boyd Hill, 410 North Newstead, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: James Boyd Hill Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2824

Hill, Walker, Jr. (1892- ).

Papers, 1925-1949. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers contain two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Walker Hill, Jr., 6416 Cecil Ave., Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri, December 3, 1949. Also includes printed announcement of Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Cravens regarding the marriage of their sister Lela Cochran to Maury Hill, October 24, 1925, at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, St. Louis.

Cite as: Walker Hill, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2825

Hillard, Robert E.

Typescript Biographical Sketch, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typescript biographical sketch of Robert E. Hillard, a partner in the firm of Fleishman, Hillard & Associates, St. Louis, Missouri. He resided at 434 Clemens Ave., Kirkwood, Missouri. Cite as: Robert E. Hillard Typescript Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0701

Hilliker, Frank T. (1899-1972).

**Papers, 1959-1972.** 1 box; 1 bound volume

Frank Thul Hilliker was born April 11, 1899, in St. Louis, to Benjamin Johnson and Adele Thul Hilliker. He established the Kirk Manufacturing Company, which was involved in the production of kitchen equipment. This company was in operation from 1929 until 1935, when it was succeeded by the food service consulting company of Frank T. Hilliker and Associates. Frank Hilliker was one of the original founders of the Landmarks Association of St. Louis and the Citizens Old Post Office Committee.

The papers include assorted correspondence from the Landmarks Association of St. Louis and the Citizens Old Post Office Committee relating to their struggle to save the Old Post Office of St. Louis; photographs of original correspondence, 1870-1872, from various government officials regarding the construction of the St. Louis Post Office and Custom House; newsclippings and material relating to the Old Post Office; and a scrapbook of newsclippings regarding the Old Post Office.

Cite as: Frank T. Hilliker Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0702

Hillsboro, Missouri.

School records, 1909-1921. 2 volumes

These records consist of two volumes of "The Welch System of Close Supervision" for maintaining school records. The information contained therein relates to school attendance, standing, and classification of students in the Hillsboro, Missouri, public schools; daily programs; lists of graduates and visitors; and monthly summaries for the years 1909-1915. School records that contain confidential student data are closed to the general public for seventy-five years.

Cite as: Hillsboro, Missouri, School Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Hilts, Erwin P. (-1939).

Newspaper Clippings, 1940 Apr 18. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

St. Louis Post-Dispatch and St. Louis Globe-Democrat newspaper clippings regarding the inventory of the estate of Erwin P. Hilts, a St. Louis capitalist who died October 21, 1939. Cite as: Erwin P. Hilts Newspaper Clippings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0703

Hines, David E. (1942-1991).

**Collection, 1968-1969.** 1 folder

David E. Hines was a St. Louis native, prominent jazz trumpeter, and teacher. He attended Sumner High School and the St. Louis Institute of Music, and received a degree in music from the Chicago Conservatory of Music. He began his career locally with Oliver Sain and Fontella Bass, and later organized the David Hines Ensemble. He toured nationally and internationally with James Brown, Lena Horne, Ray Charles, Patti LaBelle, and Ike and Tina Turner. He taught music appreciation in the St. Louis and University City public schools. He was voted into the International Who's Who of Music in Cambridge, England, in 1991. He was killed in a motorcycle accident.

Collection includes a telegram dated December 4, 1969, to David Hines from Bill Byrne of the Woody Herman Orchestra; his U.S. passport, issued April 3, 1968; a labor permit England issued to David Hines in England, April 10, 1968; and photocopies of photographs and newsclippings, etc. pertaining to Mr. Hines.

Cite as: David E. Hines Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2896

Hirsch, Helen Margaret.

**Papers, 1909-circa 1987.** 8 items

Papers include (1) two-page typescript history of Fountain Park Congregational Church, November 15, 1909. (2) Certificate of scholarship granted by the Board of Education of the City of St. Louis to Helen Margaret Hirsch for completion of the eight district school grades, and is therefore qualified for admission to the high school, June 16, 1922. (3) Jennings High School (Jennings, Missouri) diploma awarded to Helen Margaret Hirsch, June 11, 1926. (4) Brown's Business College report card of Helen Hirsch, March 11, 1927. (5) Brochure of Sanford-Brown's Business College, Easton and Blackstone Aves., St. Louis, Missouri, 1928. (6) Brown's Business College diploma awarded to Helen Margaret Hirsch, January 18, 1928. (7) Typescript genealogical notes regarding the life of Helen Margaret Hirsch, circa 1987.

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

## A2827

Hirschberg, Francis D. (-1908).

**Memorial Announcement, 1908 Dec 15.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Printed announcement of the St. Louis Underwriters Agency regarding the recent death of Francis D. Hirschberg and the continuance of the firm of F.D. Hirschberg & Co. Mentions Christopher J. Kehoe.

Cite as: Francis D. Hirschberg Memorial Announcement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0704

## Historic preservation collection, 1958-1978. 1 box

Extensive materials, correspondence, literature, and related papers from assorted seminars and programs on historic preservation. Also includes material concerning the activities of the National Trust for Historic Preservation and allied organizations; and data on historic sites and homes in Missouri, and on the Pensoneau-Caillot house in East St. Louis, Illinois. Cite as: Historic Preservation Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Historic preservation collection.

See also Bryan, John Albury. Notes on historic buildings. Saint Louis Historic Preservation Collection.

### A2152

"History of Tower Grove Foundry Co."

Manuscript, 1969. 1 box

The Tower Grove Foundry Company was incorporated in 1904. It was sold to Laclede Stoker Company in 1932 and later became part of Michigan General Corporation in 1969.

The collection consists of a typed manuscript history of the Tower Grove Foundry Co. written by Paul W. Kluge and a Tower Grove Foundry Company Catalog of Construction Castings.

Cite as: History of Tower Grove Foundry Co. Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0705

## Hitchcock Family.

**Papers, 1786-1926; 1950; no date.** 6 boxes; 2 oversize folders; 2 volumes

Henry Hitchcock (1829-1902) was the son of Henry and Anne Erwin Hitchcock. Henry Hitchcock, II, was born in Alabama, graduated from Yale in 1848, was admitted to the St. Louis bar in 1851, and married Mary Collier in 1857. He was a founder of the Washington University law school and later a professor. He was also an aide to General Sherman on his Civil War march through Georgia in 1864.

Correspondence, journals, manuscripts of writing, and genealogical tables of the Hitchcock family. Persons represented include Ethan Allen; Samuel Hitchcock (1755-1789); Henry Hitchcock (1791-1839); Ethan Allen Hitchcock (1798-1870), St. Louis judge and financier Henry Hitchcock, II (1829-1902); Henry Hitchcock, III (1858-1933); and George Collier Hitchcock (1867-1949). Some of the specific material relating to Henry Hitchcock, II, includes philosophical and literary discussions; Civil War correspondence; legal materials; letterbook related to the transactions of the Crystal Plate Glass Company, 1880-1895; and autograph album signed by Yale classmates, 1848.

Partial list of papers in folder at beginning of collection.

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

## A0706

Hobart, Edgar (1870-1928).

**Papers, 1823-1865; no date.** 4 boxes

Member of Missouri Historical Society. He married Harriett Emily Kimball and later Christine Oertal. He operated a cafeteria at 316 Locust. He died May 26, 1928, in St. Louis.

Collection contains correspondence, genealogical information, family photographs, and the front page of the *New York Herald*, April 15, 1865, concerning President Lincoln's assassination.

Collection also contains a typed manuscript of the Hobart family history. Also includes some correspondence and related materials within the papers.

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

### A2828

## Hobart, John Edward (1873- ).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by John Edward Hobart, Coffeyville, Kansas. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: John Edward Hobart Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0707

## **Hobson Family.**

# Genealogy, no date. 3 boxes

Family history and genealogy of the John William Hobson family, the Charles William Hobson family; the Joab Hobson family; and the John Arlando Hobson family. Also includes typescript Hobson genealogy titled "Hobson Cousins," 1978; a published genealogical pamphlet; and a framed photo montage of family members.

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

#### A0708

## Hockaday Family.

Papers, 1821-1891; no date. 3 folders (approximately 105 items); 3 volumes

Irvine O. Hockaday was the proprietor of Hockaday general store in Fulton, Missouri. Rev. Nathan Lewis Rice (1807-1887) was an early Presbyterian minister in Kentucky and Missouri, later pastor of Second Presbyterian Church in St. Louis, writer and polemicist on religions topics.

Papers include family letters of the Hockaday, Rice, Mills and Stephens families; Nathan L. Rice, John L. Waller correspondence concerning their religious debates. Also includes two volumes of account books of Hockaday general store (1838-1867); diary (1829-1832) of Nathan L. Rice, with several undated essays and notes on religious topics. Essays are titled "Church Government"; "Future Prospects of the Heathen"; "Pastoral Theology"; "Biblical Criticism"; "Polemic Theology"; "Questions on Modern History"; and "Notes on Church History from Dr. Miller."

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

### A0709

## Hodges, William Romaine (1840-1921).

Papers, 1887-1920. 1 folder; 1 volume

William Romaine Hodges was born August 23, 1840, in South Hero, Vermont. He moved to Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, in 1856, and during the Civil War served as captain of Company B, 32nd Wisconsin Infantry. He was honorably discharged in December 1864, and came to St. Louis the following year. He served as recorder in the Missouri Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States from 1885 until his death July 27, 1921, in St. Louis.

Collection contains one volume of records kept by William Hodges for the Grand Army of the Republic, the Society of the Army of the Tennessee, and the Loyal Legion. Records in this volume include minutes of the finance committee of the 21st National Encampment, G.A.R.,

held at St. Louis, 1887 (pages 1-8); minutes of members meetings of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee, held at St. Louis, 1908 (pages 71-97); paid subscriptions list for *War Papers*, Volume 1 (pages 171-188); and other financial accounts for these veterans' organizations. Collection also contains photocopy of memoirs of Hodges, written circa 1920, which recounts his experiences while serving in the 32nd Wisconsin Infantry. Memoirs include accounts of the Battle of Jonesboro, Georgia (pages 8-9), operations against Hood's army in northern Georgia (pages 9-12), and affairs in the Savannah Campaign (pages 12-17).

Memoirs may not be reproduced or published without the permission of the donor who retains the original.

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

### A2375

**Hoefle-Scholl Family.** 

**Papers, 1908-1967.** 1 folder

Anton Hoefle (1850-1915), a native of New Jersey, married Caroline (or Kate) Scholl (1858-1926), a native of Missouri and daughter of John Scholl. Anton and Kate's son Charles died February 13, 1909, at age 27. John Scholl had another daughter named Ida Scholl (or Ida Showles).

The collection includes family correspondence, photographs, and other papers of the Hoefle-Scholl family of St. Louis and New Jersey. Includes correspondence of Miss Ida Showles of Long Branch, New Jersey.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Hoefle-Scholl Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3150

Hoehn, Ernest B. (1891-1960).

**Collection, 1917-1957.** 1 folder.

Ernest B. Hoehn was a registered pharmacist in the state of Illinois and worked for the Ralph Valentine Drug Store in East St. Louis. He and Fremont Hoehn opened the Hoehn Drug Company, a pharmacy and chemical analyst company in the property formerly occupied by Ralph Valentine at Collinsville and St. Clair Avenues. Eventually, it became the E.B. Hoehn Drug Store. In 1957, Hoehn was forced to close the business due to the plans for the East St. Louis Expressway.

The collection contains items relating to Ernest B. Hoehn and his drug store located in East St. Louis, Illinois. The items are arranged chronologically and include Hoehn's pharmacist license, 1917; a business card for the Hoehn Drug Company; a bank book, 1951-1960; a letter written to Illinois congressman Melvin Price by Dr. Robert Hoehn in 1957; and newspaper clippings about the drug store and its closing.

Finding aid available

Cite as: Ernest B. Hoehn Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0710

Hoehn, Gottlieb A. (1865-1951).

Papers, 1887-1936; 1942. 2 boxes

Labor and socialist pioneer; editor and general manager of the *Arbeiter Zeitung*, Germanlanguage weekly, and its English companion, *The Labor News*; secretary of the Socialist party in Missouri and the group's candidate for governor in 1932 and secretary of state in 1928 (was expelled from the Socialist party for life in 1912 [?]); secretary, Midwest Amalgamated Union

Label Committee.

Contains 24 speeches and articles on labor problems, 1931-1936; minutes of the *St. Louis Arbeiter-Zeitung*, 1905-1910; Collection of Poems, Quotations and Reports in three languages by Hoehn, 1887-1948; article titled "The Hitler Government in Germany," April 23, 1933; book of clippings, 1931-1936. Biographical data and Hoehn's daybooks, 1939-1947, are filed with the Labor Papers.

German.

Cite as: Gottlieb A. Hoehn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2829

## Hoener, Esther L.

Certificates, 1917-1918. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Certificate of the American Red Cross that Esther L. Hoener has completed courses on elementary hygiene and home care of the sick, issued at Washington, December 12, 1917, and certificate of the American National Red Cross that she has completed a course in first aid to the injured, issued at Washington, D.C., January 24, 1918.

Cite as: Esther L. Hoener Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2830

Hoerr, Roland M. (1892-1957).

**Typescript Memorial Sketch, [1957].** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typescript memorial sketch of Roland M. Hoerr, who died July 12, 1957, following a stroke at his home, 8 St. Andrews Drive, Ladue, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Roland M. Hoerr Typescript Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2831

**Hoester, Robert Gordon James (1924-).** 

Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Aug 30. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert Gordon James Hoester, 691 West Washington, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert Gordon James Hoester Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3118

Hoffman, Arthur H. (1877-1923).

Letters, 1898 Oct-Nov. 1 folder

Arthur H. Hoffman served in the U.S. Army, 6th Missouri Infantry, Company C, during the Spanish-American War. He never married, worked as guard at the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, and died December 24, 1923.

The collection consists of two letters written by Arthur H. Hoffman to his sister, Gladys Hoffman (Byrne), while he served in the U.S. Army in 1898. In the first letter, dated October 8, 1898, from Camp Cuba Libre (Jacksonville, Florida), he explains that his unit has been ordered to Cuba as soon as the transports arrive at Savannah, Georgia. In his second letter, written from Camp Onward (Savannah, Georgia) on November 26, 1898, he describes Thanksgiving dinner and discusses mutual friends and family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Arthur H. Hoffman Letters, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A3012

**Hoffmeister Family.** 

Postcards, 1892-1910. 4 items

Contains (1) postcard signed Amelia O'Brien, Desoto, to Hoffmeister & Co. Undertakers, South St. Louis, Mo., August 2, 1892, asking Mr. Hoffmeister to send his bill. (2) Postcard signed Chas. to Fred Hoffmeister, 7806 South Broadway, June 29, 1894, which states in part, ". . Steve Duggan, 3918 South Broadway, has moved they say & could not be found. Can you locate his address. . . ." (3) Postcard receipt of Carl Hoffman Music Co., Kansas City, Mo., to Mrs. Hoffmeister, 7806 South Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., April 19, 1909, in receipt of payment for violin. (4) Postcard signed Mrs. A. Rathmann, St. Louis, to Mr. C. Hoffmeister, 7816 South Broadway, April 12, 1910, promising to make a payment next month.

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

### A2832

Hofling, Charles Kreimer (1920- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 Jan 12. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles Kreimer Hofling, 45 Westmoreland Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Charles Kreimer Hofling Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2229

Hofmeister, Stanley.

**Letter, 1944.** 1 item

Letter from Stanley Hofmeister, San Francisco, to his brother Harvey, wishing him a merry Christmas, 1944. Also includes four photographs of Hofmeister and his friends. Cite as: Stanley Hofmeister Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3089

Hogan, John V. (1848-1903).

**Diary**, **1868**. 1 volume

John V. Hogan was born in St Louis in 1848 to John (1805-1892) and Harriet (Garnier) Hogan (1813-1889). He was the oldest of four sons. John's younger brothers were: Thomas, Charles, and Benjamin. His father had two daughters from a previous marriage: Mary Hogan and Sophie Hogan Boogher. On 2 January 1868, John married Cora Brooks, daughter of Isabella (Condit) and Thomas Brooks. The couple had one daughter, Cora, born in 1883.

John V. Hogan kept a daily diary between January 1 and December 31, 1868. Entries included activities for each day of the year spent either in St. Louis or travelling to New Orleans for their honeymoon and to New York. There are also notes and lists on the front and back covers and on the end papers. Hogan also listed receipts and expenses for each day. Finding aid available.

Cite as: John V. Hogan Diary, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0711

Hoiles, Charles.

**Business receipts, 1844-1848.** 1 folder (100 items)

Business receipts of Charles Hoiles who ran a store in St. Louis County. Cite as: Charles Hoiles Business Receipts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2833

Hollis, Carl Virgil (1904-1965).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1965 Dec 6.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Carl Virgil Hollis, 2839 Bartold, Maplewood, St. Louis County, Missouri. The form, filled out by his sister June Savage, includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes note signed June Savage regarding her brother's death on November 10, 1965.

Cite as: Carl Virgil Hollis Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2834

Holman, Charles L. (circa 1881-1941).

Newspaper Obituary, 1941 June 23. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

St. Louis Globe-Democrat newspaper obituary of Charles L. Holman, former president of the Laclede Gas Light Company, who died June 21, 1941. Includes his portrait.

Cite as: Charles L. Holman Newspaper Obituary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2835

Holmes, Mary Brooks, Mrs. (1880-1965).

Typescript Memorial Sketch, 1965 Mar 18. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typescript memorial sketch of Mrs. Mary Brooks Holmes, wife of John Howard Holmes, who died March 17, 1965.

Cite as: Mrs. Mary Brooks Holmes Typescript Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3025

Holthaus Family.

**Papers**, **1903-1946**. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

August J. Holthaus was born on January 26, 1882. He worked as a farmer on his father Henry's vineyard and fruit farm, H. Holthaus & Co., and later became owner. He married Otillie A. Roemer (1891-1981) in 1910, and they had three children: Helen, Lucile, and August R. Holthaus. August J. Holthaus later became an automobile insurance salesman. He died on April 30, 1952.

August R. "Bud" Holthaus was born on February 21, 1921, in Gray Summit, Mo. He attended Washington High School and later Ranken Technical School. He worked on his father's farm until he enlisted in the Army Air Force Air Transport Command (A.A.F.A.T.C.) at Jefferson Barracks on October 14, 1942. He served as a Flight Officer and Co-pilot with the 14th Air Force based in Chongqing, China, and participated in the South-East Asian Theater during the Second World War. He was one of the pilots who flew C-46 transports from Burma and India over the Himalayas to China in dangerous missions known as flying over "The Hump." During his service, he was promoted to Lieutenant. He was discharged in 1946. August R. Holthaus was a member of the Boles Fire Department for more than 60 years and later became a chairman. He also owned Cedar Lane Cabinet Shop. On May 26, 1951, he married Laurene Bartold (1927-2008) in Manchester. They had two daughters, Laura Lee (Taylor) and Darlene (Meyer). August R. Holthaus died on March 8, 2009.

The collection contains items relating to the operation of the H. Holthaus & Co. winery in Gray Summit, Mo., by August J. Holthaus and his family; a postcard depicting the Liberal Arts Building at the 1904 World's Fair in St. Louis; poll books for 1936, 1938, and 1942 elections in Gray Summit, Mo.; a flier of the St. Louis Municipal Opera for the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Season, 1944; and a scrapbook regarding the service of August R. Holthaus in World War II, containing postcards, photographs, letters, newspaper clippings, and miscellaneous memorabilia from his time serving in China and India as part of the Army Air Force Air Transport Command. Some Chinese and German.

Finding aid and transcriptions available.

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

### A0712

Holtman, Allen P., collector.

# Research materials regarding St. Louis tornadoes, 1895-1988. 2 folders

Collection of material compiled by Allen P. Holtman relating to the history of three major St. Louis tornadoes: 1896, 1927, and 1959. This material was gathered to support the hypothesis that St. Louis tornadoes occur every 31 years. The material includes a printed map of St. Louis, 1987, with paths of these three tornadoes marked by hand. (Map is filed in the library with the rolled maps.)

Cite as: Allen P. Holtman Research Materials Regarding St. Louis Tornadoes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2836

Holtzman, Edward George (1912- ).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1955 Dec 22.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edward George Holtzman, 4600 Maryland Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Edward George Holtzman Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0713

Homan, George (1846-1928).

**Papers, 1888; 1908-1920.** 5 folders (approximately 75 items); 1 volume

Former president of the St. Louis Medical Society. Educated at St. Louis Medical School. Served internship at St. Louis City Hospital. Contributed extensively to medical journals.

Correspondence from doctors, ministers, editors and lay persons regarding Dr. Homan's monographs, *Luke the Physician* and its sequel, *Luke the Greek Physician*. Volume of questionnaires sent out from the office of the St. Louis health commissioner in 1888 to county clerks of each Missouri county concerning county boards of health, with correspondence about the questionnaires in the back.

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

### A2837

Honey, Elias F. (1859- ).

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Elias F. Honey, 752 Hamilton Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Elias F. Honey Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Honeywell, Harry Eugene (1871-1940).

Papers, 1893-1947; 1957. 3 boxes; 5 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Papers include log (6 pages) of first balloon flight of Capt. Honeywell, his wife, Miss Ada Miller and Miss Van Fertig, July 17, 1909, from St. Louis to Weingerather, Ste. Genevieve County, Missouri. Six letters of Honeywell to Ms. Ada Miller, 5066 Morgan St., St. Louis, 1909-1910, regarding trips, wreck of the "Dauntless" balloon and of flying with the Wrights (letters were written on stationery of the French-American Balloon Co., 3958 Cottage Ave. and 4460 Chouteau Ave., St. Louis). Addition to collection includes correspondence of Capt. Honeywell during the Spanish-American War, 1896-1899; family papers, 1893-1940; drawings, maps, scrapbooks, material regarding ballooning.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Harry Eugene Honeywell Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0715

Hood, Washington (1808-1840).

Papers, 1839; 1925. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder (5 items)

Captain of engineers under Colonel Abert, U.S.A., chief of corps. Graduated from the U.S. Military Academy in 1827, assigned to Jefferson Barracks, and remained there until 1831. Resigned his commission as engineer in 1835. In 1836 he re-entered the army as captain of the topographical engineers. He died while on an expedition to correct earlier surveys of lands of various Indian tribes.

Original and negative photocopy of practicable route for wheeled vehicles across the Rocky Mountains, draft of report by Hood. Photocopy of the map of the Rocky Mountains by Hood, proposed route sketched in red ink. Two letters of John G. White, dated 1925, about locating the Washington Hood maps.

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

### A0716

Hooke, James A.

**Papers, 1880-1905; 1929-1933.** 13 boxes; 79 roll storage tubes; 3 volumes; 6 oversize folders Director of Public Utilities in St. Louis, 1915-1924, and consulting engineer for the St. Louis Electric Terminal Railway Company subway and elevated project, 1929-1933.

Collection includes St. Louis city plats from Department of Public Utilities, showing utility services (gas and electric), 1880-1905; topographical maps of Forest Park, 1900; and Street Railways Atlas of the City of St. Louis of Grand Avenue, 1910. From the subway project are transportation surveys, blueprints, plans, city plat maps, office files, and correspondence. Also includes a bound volume titled "A Proposed Improvement for St. Louis Electric Terminal" by James A. Hooke, with architectural drawings, circa 1930, and photographs of St. Louis City street scenes and railroad yards.

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

## A2838

Hoover, Herbert Lee, Jr. (1906-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Dec 16.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Herbert Lee Hoover, Jr., Springfield, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Herbert Lee Hoover, Jr., Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2839

Hopkins, Edward Newton (1864- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1926. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Edward Newton Hopkins, Lexington, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Edward Newton Hopkins Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2840

Horack, Frank Edward (1873- ).

Family History Sheet, 1926. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Frank Edward Horack, Iowa City, Iowa. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Frank Edward Horack Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2841

Horgan, James Joseph (1940- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Apr 28. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James Joseph Horgan, 12344 Winnsboro Drive, Bridgeton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: James Joseph Horgan Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2842

Horine, Julia Crocker, Mrs.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1957.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Julia Crocker Horine, Waterloo, Illinois. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Julia Crocker Horine Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3006

Horn Family.

Papers, 1918-1930. 5 items

Leslie William Horn, the son of Thomas Lora Horn and Blanche Lawing Horn, was born January 6, 1893, in St. Louis. He rose to the rank of second lieutenant during World War I, and was killed in action October 1, 1918, in the Argonne Forest in France. In 1930 Mrs. Blanche Lawing Horn visited France as part of a Gold Star mothers delegation. She died November 23, 1950, in St. Louis. Thomas Lora Horn died March 27, 1955, in St. Louis.

Papers contain the following five items: (1) Letter signed Lieut. L.W. Horn to the directors and employees of the T.R. Horn Trunk Co., 1122 Washington Ave., St. Louis, Missouri, which reads in part, "If making trunks and suit cases is as good as killing Germans then I will look for a dividend on my stock next year. . . ." Letter is postmarked September 22, 1918. (2) United States

Army memorial certificate of 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant Leslie W. Horn, 110<sup>th</sup> Infantry, who was killed in battle October 1, 1918. (3) Typescript letter signed H.J. Conner, Office of the Quartermaster General, War Department, Washington, to Mr. T.L. Horne, Clayton, Mo., August 14, 1923, informing him of the location of the grave of 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant Leslie W. Horne in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France. (4) Undated Meuse-Argonne Cemetery booklet containing six views of the cemetery. (5) Diary of Mrs. Blanche Lawing Horn regarding her trip to France with a group of Gold Star mothers, August 16–September 20, 1930 (56 pages). Diary describes the train trip from St. Louis to New York; ocean voyage to Cherbourg, France, on the ship *George Washington*; the train trip from Cherbourg to Paris; sightseeing in Paris; visit to Verdun, the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, and other nearby cemeteries, memorials, and battlefields; and the return to New York.

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

### A0717

Horn, Thomas S. (1894- ).

Papers, 1922-1947. 8 folders (approximately 100 items)

Thomas Horn served in the foreign service.

Papers include correspondence, etc. of Thomas Horn while in foreign service.

Cite as: Thomas S. Horn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2843

Hornbein, Leonard (1899-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1962 Apr 11. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Leonard Hornbein, 547 Sherwood Drive, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Attached newspaper clipping announces his retirement from Famous-Barr. Cite as: Leonard Hornbein Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2844

Hornbein, Thomas F., Dr.

**Papers, circa 1961.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Dr. Thomas F. Hornbein of the Washington University School of Medicine participated in the 1960 American Pakistan Karakoram Expedition. He resided at 1085 Terrace Drive, Richmond Heights, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Papers include circular titled "Himalayan Adventure: The 1960 American Pakistan Karakoram Expedition" and circular titled "Adventure in the Himalayas: Climbing Masherbrum," which promotes a presentation by Dr. Hornbein.

Cite as: Dr. Thomas F. Hornbein Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2845

Hornsby, Francis Evremont (1881-).

Family History Sheet, 1951 Apr 12. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Francis Evremont Hornsby, 4453 Laclede Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Francis Evremont Hornsby Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## Hornstein Family.

Papers, 1872-1886. 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include Public School Library life membership certificate awarded to Chas. E. Hornstein, St. Louis, September 12, 1872; confirmation certificate of Olga B.T. Hornstein, Evangelical Protestant Church, St. Louis, April 7, 1872; certificate of the Bryant and Stratton College, St. Louis, awarded to Julius O. Hornstein, February 15, 1886, entitling him to pursue a course of instruction; and undated St. Louis Public Library life membership card of Charles E. Hornstein

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

### A0718

**Horses collection. 1959-1974.** 9 folders (approximately 25 items)

Series of articles, typed and printed, and correspondence of Franklin Reynolds of Canyon, Texas, concerning the history of the horse "King" and American quarter horses, August-September 1959. Collection provides valuable data on the horse breeding industry in southwest Missouri.

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

### A2847

Horton, Alton Easton (1900-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1969 Feb 21.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Alton Easton Horton, 471 Hawthorne Ave., Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Alton Easton Horton Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2848

Horwitz, Louise McMahan.

**Biographical Sketch, 1955 Nov 23.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typescript biographical sketch of Louise McMahan Horwitz, compiled by McMahan-Horwitz Advertising Company.

Cite as: Louise McMahan Horwitz Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0719

Hoskins, Arthur C.

**Collection, 1860-1963.** 1 box

Collection includes some personal and family correspondence and miscellany of J.H. and Arthur C. Hoskins. In large part, it also includes correspondence of J.H. Hoskins relating to the work of the Methodist Church and mission groups in the St. Louis area. Specific materials include contracts for building Carondelet Methodist Church, 1915; Notes on City Evangelization Union; information about work of the Wesley House (1889-1921); information about the "Four Minute Men," a group of volunteer speakers on World War I bond drives, 1918-1919; a notebook for instructing young girls in household administration; notebook of charter, minutes, of Big Stone Construction Company; and pages from family Bible.

Cite as: Arthur C. Hoskins Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Hosmer, Charles Bridgham (1932- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Mar 18. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Charles Bridgham Hosmer, Elsah, Illinois. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Charles Bridgham Hosmer Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2850

Hosmer, James Kendall (1834- ).

**Biographical Sketch, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Typescript biographical sketch of author James Kendall Hosmer.

Cite as: James Kendall Hosmer Biographical Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1618

Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1893-1937. 1 box; 4 volumes

The Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association was organized November 20, 1893, to provide funding for indigent hospital patients in St. Louis. It joined the Community Fund in 1923 and disbanded on July 14, 1937.

The collection consists of four volumes of minutes (1893-1900 and 1904-1937) of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association of St. Louis; and two copies (original and carbon) of a manuscript by Miller Hageman titled "History of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association of St. Louis," circa late 1930s.

Cite as: Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association of Saint Louis Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0720

## Houck, Louis.

## "Papers from Spain" transcripts, [1767-1805]. 4 boxes

Handwritten transcripts of original manuscripts in the Archivo General de Indias, Seville, Spain, that relate to the Spanish administration in the Mississippi Valley. Numbered 1 to 101, these transcripts are thought to have been made for historian Louis Houck, and were published in English translation in his book, *The Spanish Regime in Missouri* (Chicago: 1909).

Collection is arranged sequentially by instrument number, presumably assigned by Houck. Spanish.

Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Louis Houck "Papers from Spain" Transcripts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2910

Hough, Warwick (1836-1915).

Papers, 1852-1961. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include (1) letter signed Warwick Hough, Columbia, Missouri, to his father, November 2, 1852. Discusses his studies at the University of Missouri, and mentions the text books that he needs to buy. Letter is written on stationery of the University of Missouri, and

includes an illustration of campus buildings. (2) Military pass of the headquarters of the Department of Alabama, Mississippi and East Louisiana, Selma, Alabama, October 23, 1864, permitting Capt. W. Hough to pass within the limits of the department. (3) Printed biographical sketch of Warwick Hough, from *The National Cyclopoedia of American Biography*, 1897. (4) Typescript letter of Warwick Hough, St. Louis, to Mrs. LaSalle Corbell Pickett, Washington, D.C., February 14, 1900. Introduces his eldest son, Warwick Massey Hough. Thanks her for the book she has written about her husband, Civil War general George E. Pickett. (5) Unidentified newspaper clipping, [1915], titled "Warwick Hough Dies at 80. Was Once Chief Justice of Missouri Supreme Court." (6) Family history sheet and biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Orville Louis Hough, Denver, Colorado, November 25, 1961, which include genealogical data on his family.

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

## A0721

Houwink, Eda (1903-1995).

**Papers, 1902-1994.** 32 boxes

The daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Houwink, Eda Houwink was born in St. Louis on June 23, 1903. She attended Washington University and the University of Chicago, receiving her Ph.D. in social work in 1933, whereupon she worked as a field instructor, Fulbright lecturer, and professor of social work at several universities until her retirement in 1968. During her retirement she continued to be active in her field and also embarked on a second career writing poetry. She died in St. Louis in 1995.

The papers of Eda Houwink mainly document the development of her career as a professor of social work. They include five personal diaries (1929; 1931-1940; 1971); personal and professional correspondence that includes discussion of current social issues such as abortion, and professional issues such as student curricula; Dr. Houwink's published and unpublished articles and manuscripts on social work; and records of her faculty appointments and awards. In addition, this collection contains published and unpublished poetry written following her retirement.

Some correspondence in Dutch.

Personal diaries and academic correspondence relating to students are closed until death of donor.

Finding aid available.

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

# Houx and Co. (Lexington, Butler and Marshall, Missouri).

See O. Houx and Co.

### A0724

Howard, C.A., Mrs.

Poetry copybooks, circa 1888. 2 volumes

Formerly Mrs. Byron.

Cite as: Mrs. C.A. Howard Poetry Copybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2851

Howard, Clarence H.

**Circular, 1918.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Circular titled "A String of Pearls," compiled by Clarence H. Howard, St. Louis, Missouri.

The circular states, "During a period of many busy years, crowded with problems, I have tried to gather, in condensed form, those sayings, or 'proverbs,' which have been most helpful to me. These I call my "String of Pearls," gems more valuable than silver or gold—for they have been the guiding influence in the solution of many perplexing problems, and have enriched my life. . . "

Cite as: Clarence H. Howard Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0722

## Howard County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1817-1961.** 7 folders (approximately 150 items)

Papers include receipts, promissory notes, other business transactions of the county; poll book of election held in Franklin, Howard County, 1821; notes of a trip to Boonville from St. Louis in the 1830s; minutes, discussion topics of Monday preachers meetings, given by Luther Laws, Glasgow, 1872; accounts of Civil War battles in Glasgow (typescript); information on Central College; and information on Glasgow, Missouri.

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

#### A0723

## **Howard Funeral Home.**

Records, 1894-1975. 13 volumes; 2 manuscript boxes

Edward F. Howard operated a livery stable at 423 South 12th Street in St. Louis in 1890. Edward's sons eventually joined the business and the firm became known as Edward F. Howard & Sons, undertakers, and later Howard Funeral Home. In 1918 the business was located at 3226 Park; it later moved to 4212 St. Louis Ave.; and from the mid-1940s to the mid-1970s, it was located at 1619 South Grand. Edward F. Howard died December 11, 1939.

Collection contains six account books, dated 1894 to 1938, and nine record books of funerals, dated 1913-1975. Funeral records in these latter volumes contain the decedent's name, age, date of death, place of death, place of interment, and other information. Collection contains other material relating to the operation of the funeral home. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Howard Funeral Home Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2852

Howard, Inez (1905- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1968. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Inez Howard, 1042 Sanford Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Inez Howard Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2853

Howard, Mary Zarilda (1893- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Dec 10. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mary Zarilda Howard, 330 West Lockwood, Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Mary Zarilda Howard Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0725

## Howard, Williamson P. (1822-1900).

## **Papers, 1830-1912.** 2 boxes

Williamson P. Howard was born September 3, 1822, in Charlottesville, Virginia. When he was still young, his family moved to Saline County, Missouri. In the early 1840s Howard moved to Savannah, Missouri, where he opened a general merchandise store, and in 1857 he moved to St. Louis and organized the W.P. Howard Commission Company. He died January 27, 1900, in St. Louis.

Collection consists primarily of business records and business-related correspondence of the firm of W.P. Howard and Company, commission merchants, St. Louis, including steamboat bills of lading, railroad shipping orders, and correspondence related to shipments; some family correspondence and accounts; and assorted correspondence relating to cultural and athletic clubs. Cite as: Williamson P. Howard Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0726

Hudson, Thomas B. (1814?-1867).

Record books, 1836-1867. 4 volumes; 1 folder

Thomas B. Hudson was born in Davidson County, Tennessee. He married Elizabeth Brown Chambers. A lawyer and politician, Hudson was for some years among the prominent members of the Democratic party in Missouri. At one time he was president of the North Missouri Railroad Company. During the Mexican War, he organized a company of volunteers that served under General Doniphan. In his later years, he dedicated his time to the improvement of his Florissant estate, "Glen Owen." He died May 22, 1867.

Collection includes four volumes that appear to have been kept by Thomas B. Hudson. The first volume includes the meeting notes of the Committee of the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis on Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, Thomas B. Hudson, chairman. The meeting notes are dated May 4, 1837, to March 23, 1838. This volume also includes summaries of law cases (circa 1849-1854, with index) and notes regarding steamboat laws. Also includes brief accounts of the sale of hay, horses and cows. The second volume is an account book, with index, dated 1843-1844. The third volume is an account book of hay sold (1863-1866), with descriptions of stacks of hay. This volume also includes a list of the names of the heirs of Thomas B. Hudson. The fourth volume includes accounts of the sale of household furnishings (1836-1838), accounts of horse breeding (1861-1864), and accounts of law cases (1847-1854). Also contains one folder of family papers, including a city of St. Louis Water License, 1848; receipt of Frederick Bolte, 1867; and obituary of Mrs. Marie Reine Fusz.

Cite as: Thomas B. Hudson Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2377

Hufnagel, Carl.

Marriage certificate, 1880 May 15. 1 item

Illustrated marriage certificate commemorating the marriage of Carl Hufnagel, of Seeheim, Hessen, and Maria Barbara Enderlin (nee Anstedt), of St. Louis, Missouri, which occurred on July 27, 1855. Witnesses, John Schmidt and Wilhelm Hufnagel.

Cite as: Carl Hufnagel Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2854

Hughes, Clara Mae, Mrs. (1900-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1954 Feb 13.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Clara Mae

Hughes, 12 Hanley Downs, Richmond Heights, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Clara Mae Hughes Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2855

# Hughes, H.L.

Note, 1904 June 2. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Note signed H.L. Hughes to "Gentleman," which states, "The enclosed may be of some historical value as showing some houses that did business here a half century ago that are not now in existence. I can send you some that are in better condition if you so desire." Enclosures are not included. Note is written on stationery of the business office of the *Alienist and Neurologist*, 3857 Olive Street, St. Louis.

Cite as: H.L. Hughes Note, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0727

## Hughes, Price.

Collection, 1812-1849. 4 folders (approximately 60 items); 2 oversize folders

Collection includes indentures, personal correspondence of the William Hughes, Sr., family in Howard County, Missouri. Genealogical information of the Hughes and Swan families. Cite as: Price Hughes Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2918

## Hulick, Harriet Clark, Miss.

Circular, circa 1928-1930. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Circular of Miss Harriet Clark Hulick, "a Universal Metaphysical Practitioner [who] has taught applied Truth for many years, and is also a Truth Councilor of the All-Inclusive Movement of Universal Individualism." Circular advertises her literature and lessons. Includes order form, to be mailed to Miss Hulick at the Laclede Hotel, St. Louis, Missouri. Cite as: Miss Harriet Clark Hulick Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0728

## **Hull Family.**

Papers, 1839-1869. 4 folders (approximately 125 items)

Correspondence of Joseph and William Hull family; receipts, checks, bills and various business papers; very few personal items.

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

## A0729

## Humane Society of Missouri (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1914-1989.** 15 boxes; 1 volume

Records include minutes, 1944-1963; constitution; trust fund; booklets; scrapbook of newsclippings regarding animal rescues and the society, 1947-1970. An addition to the collection consists of financial statements, 1932-1940; minutes of annual and board of director meetings, 1914-1949; deed of land, William C. Carr addition to block 551 of St. Louis, November 1923; city dog pound file, 1981; work schedules, staff job descriptions, budgets, operating expenses, 1986-1989; and Humane Society publications ("Humane Society News," 1951-1975; "Gentle Journal," 1976-1988; and "Tale-Waggers," 1987, 1989).

Cite as: Humane Society of Missouri Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2856

**Humber**, **Robert A.** (1900- ).

Family History Sheet, circa 1970s. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Robert A. Humber, 633 Norfolk Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Robert A. Humber Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0730

Hume, John R.

**Collection, 1786-1919; 1935; 1967.** 14 folders (approximately 60 items)

Collection includes items of the William Hume family; diary of John Hume during navy experience in World War I, 1917-1918, typed and original copies; poems by Hume in booklet form; newsclipping and genealogical notes on Davidson, Hume, De Journet, and Brevard families.

Cite as: John R. Hume Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2857

Humphrey, William Richardson (1889-1953).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Mar 19. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding William Richardson Humphrey, 7316 Pershing Blvd., University City, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: William Richardson Humphrey Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0731

Humphreys, Thomas K.

**Diary, 1835-1842.** 2 volumes

West Virginia farmer who came to Missouri and settled in St. Louis County.

Original diary (267 pages) and typescript copy of diary (75 pages, plus 6-page index) describing life in West Virginia, the journey down the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers to St. Louis, and the search for and purchase of suitable farm land in St. Louis County near Chesterfield. Also describes raising subscriptions for Bonhomme Church.

Cite as: Thomas K. Humphreys Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2858

Hunicke, Henry August (1861-1909).

Memorial Sketch, 1909. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Memorial sketch (12 pages) of Henry August Hunicke, who died April 5, 1909, compiled by the St. Louis Chemical Society. Includes his portrait.

Cite as: Henry August Hunicke Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0732

Hunnewell Bank (Hunnewell, Missouri).

Daily bank balance book, 1900 Jan 6-1901 Nov 17. 1 volume (160 pages)

Records of daily balances of depositors.

Cite as: Hunnewell Bank Daily Bank Balance Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0733

Hunt and Paddock (St. Louis, Missouri).

**Journal, 1837-1839.** 1 volume (336 pages)

General store of Orville Paddock, 1805-1867.

Cite as: Hunt and Paddock Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0734

Hunt, Henry (1818- ).

**Journal, 1818-1894.** 1 folder (100 pages)

Henry Hunt was born July 31, 1818, in Leesburg, Louden County, Virginia. In the 1830s he moved with his mother to Newark, Ohio. In the 1850s he relocated to Illinois, first to Bloomington, and then to Sullivan. In September 1862 he enlisted in Company G, 126th Illinois Infantry (Union). He mustered out in July 1865.

Reminiscences of life in Virginia, Ohio, and Kentucky, with commentary on nineteenth-century American politics, and his involvement in the Civil War in Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas. St. Louis is mentioned.

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

#### A0735

Hunt, Wilson Price (1783?-1842).

Hunt family papers, 1758-1949. 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Wilson Price Hunt (1783?-1842) was the leading partner of the Pacific Fur Company and commander of the overland Astoria expedition in 1811. He came to St. Louis in 1804. In 1836, he married Anne Lucas Hunt, the widow of his cousin Theodore Hunt. Theodore Hunt (1778-1832) was a naval officer, merchant, farmer in St. Louis, and recorder of land titles in Jefferson City, Missouri. He came to St. Louis in 1814, and married Anne Lucas, the daughter of Judge John B.C. Lucas.

The collection includes a letterbook of Wilson Price Hunt (1834-1842); letters to Hunt from Donald MacKenzie concerning the will of John Day, property in St. Louis, Canadian border difficulties, and a description of the Red River Settlement; articles of agreement and other papers (1810-1813) of the Pacific Fur Company. There are also materials related to Theodore Hunt, including material on his naval activities; his account book for Hannibal (1810-1812); tax lists; his commission as recorder of land titles; and the Hunt's Minutes, consisting of testimony taken by Theodore Hunt, as recorder of land titles in Jefferson City, Missouri, in relation to colonial land claims. In addition there are other family papers including some correspondence of Charles Lucas Hunt and papers pertaining to his appointment as Belgian consul (1850-1869); family letters of Jane McDonald and John Mayo Patterson; a letter from W.T. Sherman expressing his admiration for Major John Fitzgerald Lee; and typed copies of letters of John B.C. Lucas, Anne Lucas Hunt and Theodore Hunt. Also: genealogical materials, deeds, and receipts of the Hunt, Lucas, and allied families. Some of the names appearing in the collection include Jose Arguello, Hon. W.T. Barry, Joseph C. Brown, Russell Farnham, Joel Finch, Simon Gratz & Brother, Adam Konigmacher, William Carr Lane, Donald McKenzie, William Milburn, Alexander Ross, and the Red River Settlement. Additional names include Michael Amoureaux, Thomas Auldjo, Duncan Brown, John Cassin, Isaac Chauncey, Jacques Clamorgan, Charles DeLaureal, John H. Dent, Abraham Dumont, George Dyson, Samuel Elbert, Charles Gordon, Joseph Guinard, J. Montrison Haswell, Francois William Hodges, John Baptiste Hortiz, Isaac Hull, Nat. Ingraham, Louis LaBeaume, Dr. William Carr Lane, Elias T. Langham, James Lawrence, Lewis F. Linn, Charles Lucas, James H. Lucas, Augustus C. Ludlow, Rufus Mayrant, Phillip Miller, New Bourbon, New Madrid, Benjamin Ogden, Dr. Physic, William Pinkney, George Ruddell, Pierre Saboerre, Ste. Genevieve, Gregoire Sarpy, Charles Stewart, James Watson, Charles Welling, Francois William, C. Wistar, Jr., R.T. Spence, Paul Hamilton, John Mullanphy, Frederick Dent, Charles Lucas, William L. Long, Charles E. Crawley, Nathaniel Pope, and C.G. Houts. In part typescripts and photostats, including typed transcripts of originals in the Land Office, Jefferson City, Missouri. Cite as: Hunt Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2859

# Hunter, Stephen Ben (1871- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1957 Sept 4. 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheets and family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society regarding Stephen Ben Hunter and his wife, Mary Medley Hunter, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Hunter and Medley families.

Cite as: Stephen Ben Hunter Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0736

## Hurtgen, Max.

# Cleveland High School Class of 1925 Collection, 1925-1991. 7 boxes

Max Hurtgen, a longtime resident of Affton, St. Louis County, studied accounting and auditing while employed with Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, 1925-1936. After working with the Chevrolet Division of General Motors Corporation for several years he joined Anheuser-Busch Brewery in 1939, and worked as an auditor for 32 years before until his retirement in 1972. Hurtgen graduated from Cleveland High School in 1925, and after the first class reunion in 1930, the class decided to meet at five-year intervals. Max Hurtgen volunteered to keep track of the members and was responsible for the reunions, along with the assistance of a reunion committee, until his death in 1991.

The collection includes files for each of the members of the 1925 class of Cleveland High School (St. Louis). They contain correspondence and questionnaires that provide information pertaining to the location and activity of each person over a sixty-year period. The reunion files for each of the ten class reunions held from 1935 to 1990 include correspondence and financial records, newsclippings, class photographs, and a report providing class statistics and an update on the activities of each member. The collection also includes the June 1925 Cleveland High School yearbook, *The Beacon*.

Cite as: The Max Hurtgen Cleveland High School Class of 1925 Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1828

# **Hutchins**, James

## Collection, 1829-circa 1895. 1 folder

The collection consists of typescripts of letters by Lt. R. Holmes, U.S. Army, to Major H.H. Hook describing drawings by frontier artist Peter Rindisbacher, hunting on the Illinois prairie, and collecting Indian curiosities; a photocopy of a story about Holmes that was printed in the *American Turf Register*; and a photocopy of an excerpt taken from *What Life has Taught Me* by E.L. Gallatin.

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

## A0737

Hutchinson, John C., Mrs. Collection, 1849-1976. 1 box

Collection contains correspondence; printed matter; a scrapbook of Mrs. Frederick B. Hall, 4903 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, circa 1927-1936, which includes several issues of *The Missouri Club Woman*; folder of military records of Commander Ralph Cole Hall, U.S. Navy,1945; folder of documents related to the marriage of Frederick Bagby Hall and Corinne Steele in 1896, and a memorial service of Corinne Steele Hall who died in 1966; Missouri Historical Society family history form filled out by Helen Hall Hutchinson, 470 Lake Ave., St. Louis, April 1, 1968; typescript will and attached codicil of Helen P. Steele, 2 Parkland Place, St. Louis, 1920-1921; and six folders of family and genealogical papers of the Hall, Steele, and Bagby families. Cite as: Mrs. John C. Hutchinson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0738

# Hutchinson, Robert Randolph.

**Scrapbook**, **1749-1860s**. 1 volume

Robert R. Hutchinson was born August 28, 1837, in Petersburg, Virginia. He was captured at Camp Jackson (St. Louis), and soon afterward went to Memphis, Tennessee, where he enlisted in the 1st Missouri Infantry (Confederate). He rose from the rank of lieutenant to major and assistant adjutant general of Bowen's Brigade, and later of the division. After the surrender of Vicksburg, he served as adjutant general of paroled prisoners. In the fall of 1863 he joined the Army of Northern Virginia. He rose to the rank of lieutenant colonel before his capture at the Battle of Cedar Creek, Virginia, in the fall of 1864. He was held prisoner at Fort Delaware until June 1865. Following the war, he returned to St. Louis where he died November 21, 1910.

Scrapbook regarding Hutchinson family history, includes documents dating back to 1749, photographs, newsclippings, and Civil War letters.

Cite as: Robert Randolph Hutchinson Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0739

**Hyatt Family.** 

Hyatt-Hume family papers, 1764-1880. 6 folders (approx.. 100 items); 2 oversize folders Hyatt family correspondence and Hyatt estate and business papers; Lewis Hume papers; B. Harris estate papers; Joseph Hyatt papers; genealogical notes and charts of Hyatt and Hume families.

Cite as: Hyatt-Hume Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0740

Hyatt, Fielding B.

**Papers, 1819-1876.** 2 folders (4 items)

Steamboat captain and engineer.

Letter of T. Hyatt to Frederick Hyatt dated July 15, 1819; scrapbook of Fielding B. Hyatt that contains names of steamboats and notations of important news of the day; marriage license of Barney Seaman and Sarah B. Hyatt, dated St. Louis, May 30, 1869; and letter of Barney Seaman, Colorado Springs, to wife, dated July 19, 1876, describing Pikes Peak.

Cite as: Fielding B. Hyatt Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Hyde, Arthur M., Governor and Mrs.

Christmas cards, 1924-1925. 2 items

Two greeting cards from Governor and Mrs. Arthur M. Hyde extending greetings for a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

Cite as: Governor and Mrs. Arthur M. Hyde Christmas Cards, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2909

Hynes, Andrew ( -1849).

Papers, 1848-1849. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include a letter signed Andrew Hynes, Plantation, Plaquemine, La., to his son Willie R. Hynes, care of E.J. Gay, St. Louis University, April 29, 1848. Encourages his son to remain in school. Also includes a funeral card announcing the funeral of Col. Andrew Hynes at the First Baptist Church, January 22, 1849.

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

Icarians Colony collection, 1857-1967. 6 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 oversize folder The Icarians were members of a Utopian communist society founded by Etienne Cabet in France. In 1840, Cabet published a Utopian romance, *Voyage en Icarie*. Icaria was his vision of a perfect communist society. There all men worked, and all property was owned in common; production was regulated according to a national plan, and goods were distributed according to need. Cabet chose to establish an Icaria in America. After an unsuccessful start in Texas, Cabet's Icarians settled in Nauvoo, Illinois, in 1849. Cabet was elected its president, and in 1854 he became an American citizen. Patriarchal and authoritarian, he was deposed in 1856 following a violent schism. With a band of followers he moved to St. Louis where he died November 8, 1856. Icarian communities later were established in Missouri, Iowa, and California, but all were abandoned by the late 1890s.

Papers include bond of the Colonie Icarienne aux Etats Unis D'Amerique (in French), dated 1857; notes made by Ms. Stella Michel on Icarian movement; brochures and pamphlets on Nauvoo, Illinois; clippings photographs, etc. collected on movement.

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

### A0742

Ignatius Wathen and Company (Sainte Genevieve, Missouri).

**Daybooks**, **1811-1814**. 2 volumes

General merchandise firm of Ignatius Wathen.

Records of sales.

Cite as: Ignatius Wathen and Company Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2860

Igoe, William Leo (1879- ).

**Papers, 1917; no date.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Undated biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding William Leo Igoe, 6226 Devonshire, St. Louis, Missouri, which includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript note signed Wm. L. Igoe, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C., to Miss Stella Drumm, Missouri Historical Society, May 2, 1917.

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

## A0746

[Illinois].

**Justice of the peace record book, 1833-1835.** 1 volume

Record book kept by J.T. Hudson.

Cite as: [Illinois] Justice of the Peace Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0743

Illinois Coal Company (Caseyville, Illinois).

**Journal, 1849-1853.** 1 volume (300 pages)

Journal of payments and receipts. Unidentified accounts of property and estate sales (1868-1874) added later.

Cite as: Illinois Coal Company Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## **Illinois collection, 1790-1929.** 5 folders (approximately 100 items)

Papers dealing with real estate speculation in Illinois, chiefly around Pittsfield, Pike County, 1834-1858; correspondence, tickets to Chicago Columbian Exposition, 1893; newsclippings and miscellany.

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

### A0745

## Illinois State Bank. Alton Branch.

**Cashbook**, **1840-1850**. 1 volume (600 pages)

Branch bank cashbook in front of volume (1840-1850). Records of Shurtleff College (Alton, Illinois) endowment funds at rear (1865-1870).

Cite as: Illinois State Bank, Alton Branch, Cashbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0747

# Immigration to Missouri collection, 1834-1947. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include printed and typescript material, all relating to immigration to Missouri. Copies of speeches, news stories, printed items; undated printed circular in German, "Guide to the Emigrant," by William C. Lange; two letters describing the new country, 1834, 1844; address by Judge Julius Muench, "The German Contribution to Missouri," 1947.

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

## A0748

## Independent Evangelical Protestant Church (Saint Louis, Missouri).

## **Record book, 1884-1903.** 1 volume

Independent Evangelical Protestant Church was located at Tyler and 13th Streets, St. Louis. Record of marriages performed at the Independent Evangelical Protestant Church, 1884-1903, by Pastor J.F. Jonas. Includes 19 marriage certificates, 1900-1903. Index at back of book. It is thought the church served the German community.

Some German.

Cite as: Independent Evangelical Protestant Church Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### **Indians Collection**

See Native Americans Collection.

### A3101

# Indigenous People's Day.

# Candlelight Vigil Program, 2017 October 9. 1 folder

The Brown School of Social Work at Washington University officially recognized the second Monday of October as Indigenous People's Day (formerly Columbus Day). The first candlelight vigil was held in 2012.

The collection consists of one program, a single piece of paper, handed to participants at the candlelight vigil for Indigenous People's Day held on October 9, 2017. The program contains the agenda, messages of thanks, an overview of the movement, a poem by Tom Ellis, and a prayer. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Indigenous People's Day Candlelight Vigil Program, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0750

**Insurance collection, 1837-1959; no date.** 3 folders (approximately 50 items)

Insurance policies on St. Louis properties issued mainly by St. Louis insurance companies. Cite as: Insurance Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0751

**Invitations collection, 1819-1979.** 4 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Collection contains invitations to various balls, commencements, dances, festivals, etc. Cite as: Invitations Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0752

Iron County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1858-1959.** 1 folder (6 items)

Appointment of Richard H. Harvey as postmaster of Pilot Knob, Iron County, Missouri, 1858; appointment of John H. Delano as lieutenant of 24th Regiment, Missouri Militia, October 28, 1867; and typescripts of sketches of Iron County.

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

#### A0753

Isaac Cook Real Estate Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Rental Property Cards, circa 1928-1960. 2 boxes

Cards filed by street name describing rental property in St. Louis.

Cite as: Isaac Cook Real Estate Company (Saint Louis, Missouri) Rental Property Cards, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0754

Isaacson, Abraham.

"From the Russian Ghetto to the Heart of the Mississippi Delta" / by Abraham Isaacson, manuscript, circa 1947. 2 folders (243 pages)

Russian Jewish immigrant who settled in Clarksdale, Mississippi.

Manuscript describes life in Russia, the customs and characteristics of the Russian Jewish community; life of a new immigrant in New York City and life of a Jew in the Southern United States.

Cite as: Abraham Isaacson, "From the Russian Ghetto to the Heart of the Mississippi Delta," manuscript, circa 1947, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3076

I, Too, Sing America.

Oral History Project Records, 1949-1994 (bulk 1987). 8 folders.

In 1987, the Missouri Historical Society began an oral history project to provide background for an exhibition which opened in February 1988: *I, Too, Sing America: Black St. Louisans in the 1940s.* The exhibit title was taken from a Langston Hughes poem of the same name. Vida Sister Prince, a volunteer, interviewed 11 people for the project in from May to August 1987. Topics discussed include segregation in employment and housing, discrimination,

and civil rights activities. Most of the interviews moved beyond the exhibit's 1940s parameters and explored St. Louis race relations into the 1950s.

The collection spans from 1949 to 1994 and is arranged alphabetically by interviewee name. It is comprised primarily of project documentation: tape information sheets and tape indexes. The bulk of the collection dates from 1987. Additional materials include a few obituaries, clippings about the interviewees, and only two transcripts (M. Oldham, Williams). The first folder contains a brochure about the exhibition and related programs and clippings about the exhibit.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: I, Too, Sing America Oral History Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0755

Ives, Halsey C. (1847-1911).

Papers, 1893-1907; no date. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Halsey C. Ives was a member of the city council of St. Louis and a member of the staff of the Department of Art for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition (1904). After the close of the exposition, he devoted himself to building up the City Art Museum of St. Louis.

Papers include correspondence about art and artists and the interest on the subject in St. Louis, mainly concerning exhibitions at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. Includes a bound manuscript book concerning projected museum of architecture to be combined with the St. Louis Art Museum, 1900-1905.

Cite as: Halsey C. Ives Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## J.C. Vorbeck Laboratories (Ventura, California).

**Promotional article on the Vorbeck Radioactive Water Generator, circa 1941.** 1 item (11 pages)

The Vorbeck Radioactive Water Generator was invented in 1927 by J. Chester Vorbeck, M.D., a retired physician. The article claims that the generator "charges ordinary water for drinking or bathing with atomic energy or natural electrically charged light rays called radioactivity – in the form of the gas radium emanation of radon – the water being made to contain an 'an activity as high as some of the more radioactive spring waters whose radioactive properties have been extolled' by the United States and other leading governments and by the world's highest recognized authorities in this field of science – radio-activity." In 1925, in St. Louis, Missouri, Dr. Vorbeck "established his own laboratories in which were processed the radium bearing ores for the recovery of the Radium employed in his own professional work." Cite as: J.C. Vorbeck Laboraties Promotional Article on the Vorbeck Radioactive Water Generator, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0756

## J. Murphy and Sons (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Stock book, 1881-1892.** 1 volume (220 pages)

Year-end inventories of wagon makers.

Cite as: J. Murphy and Sons Stock Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0757

## J. Pratte and Sons (Perryville, Missouri).

**Daybook, 1835-1836.** 1 volume (244 pages)

General store, J. Pratte [Joseph Pratte?], proprietor.

General merchandise accounts.

Cite as: J. Pratte and Sons Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0758

## J.M. Jegglin Co. (Boonville, Missouri).

Account books, 1868-1897. 6 volumes

Stoneware manufacturing and wholesale firm of John Michael Jegglin, founder and proprietor. Firm succeeded by E.A. and H. Jegglin, operated by Jegglin's brother Herman and his son E.A. Jegglin.

Ledger of J.M. Jegglin and Co. (1868-1869); expense and receipt book kept by E.A. Kuhn, an employee of J.M. Jegglin and Co. (1875-1878); four account books of E.A. and H. Jegglin (1892-1897).

Cite as: J.M. Jegglin Co. Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0760

## Jackson, Andrew.

Papers, 1808-1948. 6 folders (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes correspondence to Jackson on the following subjects: New Orleans campaign, the Creek Indian War, his presidency and political issues of the day. Includes frequent mentions of his residency at The Hermitage, Nashville, Tennessee, and its rebuilding in 1835. Originals with mostly photostatic copies.

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

## Jackson, Christopher.

"Urban affairs: the Musical with Brains" / manuscript, 1989. 1 folder (27 pages).

Musical adaptation of book, Urban Affairs, written by Elaine Viets, 1988.

The musical describes customs, familiarities, etc. of life in south St. Louis. Photocopy. Author retains copyright.

Cite as: Christopher Jackson, "Urban Affairs: the Musical with Brains," manuscript, 1989, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0759

Jackson County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1836-1901.** 1 folder

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

## A2863

Jackson, George Edwards (1828- ).

Family History Sheet, no date. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding George Edwards Jackson, 4400 Morgan St., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes 3-page supplement that contains additional genealogical information.

Cite as: George Edwards Jackson Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0762

Jacob U. Payne and Brothers (Columbia, Missouri).

**Account book, 1828-1829.** 1 volume (150 pages)

Accounts of merchandise bought and sold by Columbia, Missouri, general retailers. Cite as: Jacob U. Payne and Brothers Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0763

Jacobs Brothers and Company (Osage Mission, Kansas).

**Letterbook**, **1888-1893**. 1 volume

Dry goods firm in Osage Mission, Kansas, called Swimmer and Company until January 1889.

Cite as: Jacobs Brothers and Company Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2915

Jacobson, Augustus.

Papers, 1887-1891. 9 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers include the following items: (1) Letter signed Rutherford B. Hayes, Fremont, Ohio, to Colonel Augustus Jacobson, November 15, 1887. Compliments Jacobson on his lecture, and states that he is trying to introduce manual training into two colleges with which he is connected. (2) Letter signed W.T. Sherman [William Tecumseh Sherman], New York, to Gen. Augustus Jacobson, Chicago, Ill., December 8, 1888. Thanks Jacobson for his words of comfort during Sherman's "deep affliction." (3) Letter signed J.D. Bingham, headquarters, Division of the Missouri, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Chicago, Ill., to "my dear judge," July 1, 1891.

Suggests that Colonel Henry W. Closson be invited to speak at banquet. (4) Letter signed Rutherford B. Hayes, Spiegel Grove, Fremont, Ohio, to Col. Jacobson, July 9, 1891. Declines Jacobson's invitation to attend the unveiling of the Grant statue in Lincoln Park and to speak at the banquet of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee. (5) Letter signed John Sherman, Mansfield, Ohio, to Augustus Jacobson, July 9, 1891, stating that he hopes to attend the banquet of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee. (6) Letter signed Phillips Brooks, Boston, to Augustus Jacobson, July 10, 1891. Declines Jacobson's invitation to attend the banquet of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee. (7) Letter signed D.B. Henderson, Spirit Lake, Iowa, to Augustus Jacobson, Chicago, Ill., July 11, 1891. Declines Jacobson's invitation to attend the banquet of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee. Letter is written on stationery of the Hotel Orleans. (8) Note signed John Sherman, Mansfield, Ohio, to Augustus Jacobson, July 13, 1891, stating that he intends to join Jacobson at Chicago in October. (9) Letter signed Horace Porter, New York, to Augustus Jacobson, Chicago, Illinois, July 22, 1891, thanking Jacobson for his invitation to attend the unveiling of the Grant statue at Chicago.

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

## A2864

Jadwin, Lucian Howard (1914- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1968 July 20. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Lucian Howard Jadwin, 1058 Pinegate Drive, Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Lucian Howard Jadwin Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## James and Company (Harrisonville, Illinois).

See Thomas James and Company.

### A2865

James, Edgar B.

Newspaper Clipping, 1972 Apr 30. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

*St. Louis Post-Dispatch* newspaper clipping titled "E.B. James Retires from Post-Dispatch." Includes portrait of James. He resided at 68 Willow Brook Drive, Creve Coeur, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Edgar B. James Newspaper Clipping, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2866

James, Eugenia Anne Learned, Mrs. (1918-).

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1956 Oct 17.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Eugenia Anne Learned James, 2235 Thurman Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family.

Cite as: Mrs. Eugenia Anne Learned James Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2867

James, George Oscar, Dr. (1873-1931).

Memorial Sketch, 1932 Jan. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Memorial sketch of Dr. George Oscar James from *The Alumni Bulletin* of Washington University. Includes his portrait. Dr. James, the dean of the College of Liberal Arts, died November 24, 1931.

Cite as: Dr. George Oscar James Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2234

James, Ivan C., Jr.

**Collection, 1948-1979.** 2 folders

Ivan C. James attended Sumner High School (St. Louis) in the 1920s. After graduating, he went to Lincoln University, and then to the Milwaukee School of Engineering. He ran a punch press at Emerson Electric, and worked to get his license to become a stationary engineer. After getting his license, he started work as an engineer for the St. Louis Housing Authority. He worked as an engineer at Carr Square Village, Pruitt-Igoe, and Darst-Webbe-Peabody. He retired from the Housing Authority in the early 1980s. For over half a century, he amassed a collection of St. Louis' African American history. These items include books, church histories, pamphlets, business cards, school yearbooks, and information on social and civic organizations, political leaders, fraternal and sorority memorabilia, Civil Rights movements and much more.

The collection consists of programs, annual reports, and booklets relating to the African American community of St. Louis. Among the items is the Annual Report of the Annie Malone Children's Home, 1888-1958, a souvenir program celebrating the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Antioch Baptist Church of St. Louis, 1979, and a reprinted edition of the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch's* "The Negro Speaks" featuring essays by Dr. Martin Luther King, A. Philip Randolph, and Gwendolyn Brooks.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ivan C. James, Jr., Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0764

James Family.

**Thomas James family papers, 1823-1904.** 5 folders (approximately 100 items)

Gen. Thomas James (1782-1847) was a miller in Monroe County, Illinois. He was named general with the Illinois Militia, 1825. He served with the Illinois legislature, 1826-1828.

Business papers of the descendants of General Thomas James. Deeds, notes, bills, and a few business letters.

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

## A0765

**Jamieson, James P.** (1867-1941)

Architecture Collection, 1909-1919. 20 folders, 2 tubes

Architectural drawings by Jamieson for his own firm, Jamieson & Spearl, and as the St. Louis representative of Cope & Stewardson. Also includes one set of plans from a residence by Theodore Link. The collection comprises drawings for five projects. Finding aid available.

Cite as: James P. Jamieson Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2868

Jamieson, Merwin Mercier (1921- ).

## **Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Apr 2.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Merwin Mercier Jamieson, 12 Middlesex, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Merwin Mercier Jamieson Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2869

Janes, John M. (circa 1851-1938).

Newspaper Obituary, 1938 July 19. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

*St. Louis Globe-Democrat* newspaper obituary of John M. Janes, retired grain broker, who died July 18, 1938, at his home, 50 Joy Ave., Webster Groves, St. Louis County, Missouri. Cite as: John M. Janes Newspaper Obituary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0766

Janis, Henry.

Account books, 1833-1874. 7 volumes

General merchandiser in Fredericktown and Ste Genevieve, Missouri. Proprietor of Janis general store in Fredericktown, Missouri (1830s-1850s), and in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri (1860s-1870s); partner with William F. Cox in Janis and Cox general store in Fredericktown (1850s-1860s); and partner with Jules F. Janis and Louis Bartholomew Valle in Janis and Valle in Ste. Genevieve (1850s).

Records of general merchandising firms. Includes three account books from Janis general store in Fredericktown, Missouri (1833-1853); ledger from Janis and Cox general store in Fredericktown, Missouri (1859-1861); two account books of Janis and Valle, Ste. Genevieve, Missouri (1852-1856); and sales journal of Janis general store in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri (1865-1874).

Cite as: Henry Janis Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0767

Jefferson Barracks (Missouri).

**Collection, 1826-1970.** 1 box

Established in 1826 by the United States War Department.

Photocopies of reports concerning site for barracks and Infantry School of Instruction, 1826-1833; typescripts of Inspection Reports, 1825-1829; photocopies of plans for construction of buildings, including hospital, 1827; correspondence to Brigadier General George Gibson, Washington, D.C., regarding accounts, inspector's certificate of stores, bill of sales, monthly return of subsistence received, and hospital fund, 1827-1828; quartermaster reports, receipts for clothing and invoices for goods; photocopies of reports of construction and description of buildings at Jefferson Barracks including stables, hospital, guard house, etc., 1833-1843; inventory of clothing shipped to Jefferson Barracks; muster rolls of Company H, 6th Regular Infantry; typed history of Jefferson Barracks by Captain Harry E. Mitchell, U.S.A., retired (1921); correspondence regarding restoration of Jefferson Barracks, 1956-1970; and newsclippings.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

Jefferson City, Missouri. Collection.

See Missouri Land Records Collection.

## A0768

Jefferson County, Missouri.

Collection, 1818-1974. 2 folders; 3 oversize items

The collection includes 19th-century deeds, land patents, and tax receipts for land in Jefferson County. The collection also includes some 20th-century newspaper clippings and other items relating to Kimmswick and Jefferson County.

Finding aid available.

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

### A0769

**Jefferson Memorial Building collection, 1906-1957.** 10 folders (approximately 200 items); 2 oversize folders

Contains correspondence of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, including bids, proposals and specifications for the construction of the Jefferson Memorial Building. Also includes the correspondence of Karl Bitter regarding the sculpting of the Thomas Jefferson statue in the loggia of the building; and 16 blueprints pf the building, 1914; 1941; 1943; 1957. See also Louisiana Purchase Historical Association Collection.

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

#### A0770

**Jefferson, Thomas (1743-1826).** 

Collection, circa 1773-1961 (bulk 1779-1826). 12 boxes; 1 oversize box; 2 microfilm reels.

The collection consists of 890 documents, primarily letters written by Jefferson and letters written to him, arranged in chronological order. There are also notes in Jefferson's hand, pamphlets, and circulars. Jefferson kept copies of his outgoing correspondence and filed all letters alphabetically and chronologically, making them quickly accessible for later use. His filing notes are evident on most of the documents in the collection.

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

## Jegglin Co. (Boonville, Missouri).

See J.M. Jegglin Co.

### A2870

Jelkyl, Ross Allen (1892- ).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1965 Oct 28. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ross Allen Jelkyl, 515 South Central, Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: Ross Allen Jelkyl Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0771

Jennings, C.O.

## **Journal, 1837-1838.** 1 volume

Daybook kept while attending Marian College, records daily attendance figures for male and female students, quotations from various philosophers.

Some Latin.

Cite as: C.O. Jennings Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0772

## Jersey County, Illinois.

## **Justice of the peace record book, 1853-1861.** 1 volume

John L. Johnson and William Boyd served as justices of the peace in Jersey County, Illinois, between 1853 and 1861.

Cite as: Jersey County, Illinois, Justice of the Peace Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0773

## Jersey County, Illinois. Rich Woods Precinct.

# Justice of the peace record books, 1849-1851; 1856-1858; 1863-1873. 6 volumes

Docket books of Justices of the Peace William N. Felter, Edward Arkebauer, William L. West, Larkin Richardson, Jurgen G. Arkebauer, and E.F. Brown.

Cite as: Jersey County, Illinois, Rich Woods Precinct, Justice of the Peace Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2987

# "Jerusalem Reproduced."

## **Flier**, [1904]. 1 item

Flier describes the Jerusalem exhibit at the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis. Cite as: "Jerusalem Reproduced" Flier, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2225

## Jessup, Clara.

## St. Louis Museum of Fine Arts membership card, 1888.

Cite as: Clara Jessup St. Louis Museum of Fine Arts Membership Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2428

## Jesuit House of Student Retreats (Hazelwood, Missouri).

## **Circular, 1961-1962.** 1 item

Circular promotes "retreats for men and women, students, faculty, alumni and friends of Saint Louis University. Spriritual exercises of St. Ignatius conducted by Jesuit fathers." Cite as: Jesuit House of Student Retreats Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2562

## Jewett, Charles Neil, Mrs.

## **Papers, 1904-1939.** 7 items

Collection contains an invitation of the Missouri Division of the Bill Nye Memorial Circle to a reading of selections from Nye's writings to be held at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Breckenridge, 21 Windermere Place, St. Louis, Mo., March 4, 1904; program for the Hosmer

Hall commencement exercises at First Congregational Church, St. Louis, June 2, 1904; invitation of the Mid-Town Business Club to a luncheon to celebrate the 100th birthday of Dr. Newell Patterson at the Elks' Club Ballroom, 3619 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, October 12, 1938; invitation of the New England Society of St. Louis to the 54th annual reunion dinner at the Hotel Coronado, St. Louis, January 26, 1939 (includes reply card); postcard of the State Historical Society of Missouri (Columbia, Mo.) addressed to Mrs. Charles Neil Jewett, 5183 Raymond Ave., St. Louis, Mo., announcing their annual meeting, April 25, 1939; and typescript letter of Thomas W. White, III, St. Louis Chapter, Sons of the Revolution, to "dear sir," April 7, 1939, inviting him to a meeting.

Cite as: Mrs. Charles Neil Jewett Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2871

Johannes, Gus H.F.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1958 Sept 19.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Gus H.F. Johannes, 4538 Bellewood Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on the Johannes family.

Cite as: Gus H.F. Johannes Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0775

John Campbell and White Matlock (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Account books, 1804-1812. 3 volumes

General merchandisers and engaged in ferriage business in St. Louis.

Sales journal and daybook from general merchandise business (1804-1808); and one account book from ferriage business (1811-1812).

Cite as: John Campbell and White Matlock Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2509

Jno. F. Hazen & Co. (Cincinnati, Ohio).

Price list, 1880 June 1. 1 item

Price list for Jno. F. Hazen & Co., factors of the McDaniel & Harvey Co. and manufacturers of the McCullough galvanized sheet iron.

Cite as: Jno. F. Hazen & Co. Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3050

John F. Kennedy (1917-1963).

# Assassination Teletype, 22 November 1963. 1 box

On 22 November 1963, President John F. Kennedy was shot while traveling in a motorcade in Dallas, Texas. On that same day, Mr. Ted Pollard worked at the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* as a business reporter.

The carbon copy of the teletype measures 1' wide by 5' long. It presents the news of Kennedy's assassination as the story unfolded in Dallas. It also includes the preceding portion of the day's wire relaying events that occurred before the breaking news of the shooting. Cite as: John F. Kennedy Assassination Teletype, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# John Fabick Tractor Company (Saint Louis).

# Company and family history 1919-1992. 1 box

The John Fabick Tractor Company was founded in 1917 by John Fabick, Sr., under the name, Ideal Sales Company. A machinery and agricultural equipment dealership, the St. Louis—based company originally sold Cletrac and Best tractors, as well as John Deere equipment. In 1927, they became the exclusive dealers of Caterpillar tractors. The company later expanded to serve the needs of eastern Missouri and southern Illinois. These branch stores now supplied both national and international construction, mining, farming, and pipeline industries. In 1964, the company was awarded the president's "E" Certificate for Exports, and in 1972, they received the president's "E" Star Award for Exports.

Collection consists primarily of photocopied materials regarding the history of the John Fabick Tractor Company. Includes promotional material and commemorative article on the company's twenty-second through seventy-fifth anniversaries. Collection also includes articles documenting John Fabick, Jr.'s, receipt of the Missouri Chamber of Commerce's 1978 "Man of the Year" award; genealogy of the Fabick family; color photocopies of 1921 correspondence; photocopies of newspaper advertisements (1919-1931); one photograph; and correspondence to the Fabick's regarding company history.

Cite as: John Fabick Tractor Company Company and Family History, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0777

John Paule's Store (Saint Charles, Missouri).

**Daybooks**, **1856-1859**. 2 volumes

Records of general store. Volume 1 (1856-1857) also includes ledger for John Paule and Son, general store (1866). Volume 2 (1857-1859), during which the business became Paul and Gray, also includes settlement of accounts between John Paule and H.H. Gray (1860). At rear of both volumes are accounts, inventories, and other records of Augustus Paule's Floral Garden in St. Charles, Missouri (circa 1869-1871).

Cite as: John Paule's Store Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0778

Johns Family.

Collection, 1818-1941. 3 folders and 1 volume (approximately 15 items)

George Sibley Johns was the editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Collection contains handwritten manuscript biography (126 pages) of John Jay Johns, 1818-1876; 11 typescript letters signed Woodrow Wilson to George S. Johns, 1903-1918; group photograph of the board of the *Daily Princetonian*, 1879, including Woodrow Wilson, George S. Johns, and Dean John Fine; *Time* clipping of death of George S. Johns, July 21, 1941. Cite as: Johns Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2872

Johnson, Alexander W. (1848-).

**Family History Sheet, circa 1905.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Alexander W. Johnson, Salisbury, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript letter signed Mary Louise Dalton, Missouri Historical Society librarian, to Alex W. Johnson, June 30, 1905, regarding the family history sheet (with appended handwritten note signed A.W. Johnson).

Cite as: Alexander W. Johnson Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0779

Johnson, Charles P. (1836-1920).

Papers, 1855-1894. 1 folder (approximately 10 items)

Charles P. Johnson was born January 18, 1836, in St. Clair County, Illinois. He moved to St. Louis in 1855 and became a prominent criminal lawyer. An active proponent of the Union cause during the Civil War, he served as a lieutenant in the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months) in 1861 and was later president of the Missouri State Union League and lieutenant governor. He died May 21, 1920, in St. Louis.

Minutes of Missouri State Union League, Charles P. Johnson, president, 1863. Speech on recall of judges; statement of Henry Schneider in pinioning case to Johnson, February 19, 1883. Cite as: Charles P. Johnson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2873

Johnson, Dorothy Ladd (1904- ).

Biographical Data Sheets, 1964 Jan 20. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dorothy Ladd Johnson, 2105 South Warson Road, St. Louis County, Missouri, January 20, 1964, and undated biographical data sheet filled out by Dorothy Ladd Johnson.

Cite as: Dorothy Ladd Johnson Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0782

Johnson Family.

Papers, 1820-1942. 6 folders (approximately 125 items)

Houston Johnson was born in Pike County in 1844, and admitted to the bar in 1868. He was elected to the state senate from the 10th district; served as lieutenant governor of Missouri at the death of Governor John S. Marmaduke; in 1903 he appointed judge of 11th Judicial Circuit to fill unexpired term of Judge E. Hugh, deceased. Prominent in state democratic organization.

Papers mostly concern the activities of Judge Houston W. Johnson, Democratic party member of Montgomery County, Missouri; some early Pike County business papers. Cite as: Johnson Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0780

Johnson, John Bates (-1903).

**Papers, 1833-1901.** 1 folder (72 pages).

John Bates Johnson was born in Fairhaven, Massachusetts, and moved to St. Louis in 1841. A physician by profession, he taught at Kemper College, was elected to a chair at the St. Louis Medical College, and served as fourth president of the Missouri Historical Society in 1875.

Letters written from St. Louis to family on the East Coast, describing personal and professional life in St. Louis.

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

## A2874

Johnson, John Leroy.

National Service Life Insurance Certificates, 1943-1944. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: John Leroy Johnson National Service Life Insurance Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2258

Johnson, Mildred.

**Papers, 1942-1953.** 4 folders

Mildred Johnson attended the Curtiss-Wright Engineering Cadette Training Course at Iowa State College in 1943. She worked at the St. Louis Curtiss-Wright plant in template layout and drafting from December 1943 to September 1944.

Collection consists of papers regarding her training as a Curtiss-Wright engineering cadette, including correspondence, diploma, programs and newsletters from Iowa State College, 1942-1943; scrapbook of newspaper clippings regarding Iowa State College, 1942-1943; *The Cadetter*, published by the Engineering Cadettes of the Curtiss-Wright Corporation, 1943; and the *Cadette Digest and Directory*, dated 1953, printed by several schools on the tenth anniversary of the training program.

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

#### A0781

Johnson, Richard Marshall.

Diaries and scrapbooks, 1859-1900. 10 volumes

Richard Marshall Johnson was a St. Louisan, who worked his way up from store and post-office clerk to clerk to the chief quartermaster of Gen. Grant in the Civil War. After the war he was appointed the American consul in Hankow, China. Married Annie E. Blow, daughter of Taylor Blow of St. Louis.

Collection includes seven diaries describing life in St. Louis and China, with comments on personal life rather than political events, 1859-1861 and 1870-1875. Also includes three scrapbooks of newsclippings regarding St. Louis politics, 1866-1877 and 1895-1898. Cite as: Richard Marshall Johnson Diaries and Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1824

Johnson, Ruth Eliot.

Collection, 1848-1960. 6 folders; 1 oversize item

Ruth Eliot Johnson was the granddaughter of Thomas Lamb Eliot (1841-1936), a Unitarian minister in Portland, Oregon. She was the great-granddaughter of William Greenleaf Eliot, one of the founders of Washington University in St. Louis.

The collection includes several letters written by William Greenleaf Eliot; papers relating to Washington University; papers relating to the Church of the Messiah; and papers of the Eliot family.

Cite as: Ruth Eliot Johnson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2875

Johnston, Altheda, Mrs. (1893-).

**Family History Sheet, circa 1970s.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Altheda Johnston, 1421 Rankin Drive, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Mrs. Altheda Johnston Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2876

Johnston, Chambless Rand, Dr. and Mrs.

Biographical Data Sheets, 1963 Mar 14. 4 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Two biographical data sheets and two family history sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Dr. Chambless Rand Johnston and his wife, Anita Caroline O'Fallon Johnston, of Nashville, Tennessee. Includes genealogical data on their families. Cite as: Dr. and Mrs. Chambless Rand Johnston Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History

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### A0783

Johnston, Earl Maynard (1890-1955).

Papers, 1846-1918. 3 folders (approximately 35 items)

United States accountant at Panama Canal, 1910; secretary to David R. Francis while Francis served as United States ambassador to Russia during the revolution.

Johnston family correspondence, 1845-1855; transcripts of dispatches, proclamations, speeches, news items, reports concerning the Russian Revolution, 1917-1918. Also includes letters to his father covering events at the American Embassy, the moving of the embassy, etc.; clippings about David R. Francis in Russian newspapers; and biographical sketch of Earl Maynard Johnston.

Some Russian.

Cite as: Earl Maynard Johnston Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2877

Jolley, Harold Taylor (1889-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Harold Taylor Jolley, 50 Kingsbury Place, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Harold Taylor Jolley Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Jones and Delassus (Perry County, Missouri). Account books, 1854-1865.

See Jones, Francis L. Papers

# Jones, Augustus

See Augustus Jones and Sons (Potosi, Missouri).

# A0785

Jones, Breckinridge (1856-1928).

**Collection, 1904-1928.** 5 boxes

Breckinridge Jones entered law in St. Louis, 1878; was elected to the Missouri House of Representatives, 1882; helped organize the "Kinloch Syndicate," which brought about the Kinloch Telephone Company and Union Electric Light & Power Company; was a supporter for the movement for the 1904 World's Fair; in 1925 affected the consolidation of the Louisiana Purchase Historical Association and the Missouri Historical Society, serving as treasurer of the new organization from 1925-1926; was chairman of the Mississippi Valley Trust Company and was prominent nationally in the banking world.

Papers relating to the Missouri Historical Society include the charter and articles of incorporation of the Louisiana Purchase Historical Association, 1916, and the merging of the Louisiana Purchase Historical Association and Missouri Historical Society, July 29, 1925. Collection also includes correspondence pertaining to the work on the Osage dictionary by the Bureau of American Ethnology, Smithsonian Institute, donated to the Missouri Historical Society by Mr. E.W. Marland, for the study of the Osage language, 1918-1928. Additional material includes confidential reports copyrighted by the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice, 1926, and sent to Jones by Thomas C. Hennings, president of the association; agreement for establishment of the Rosalie Tilles Nonsectarian Charity Fund, October 20, 1926; correspondence regarding the Lindbergh Memorial and guards for the Jefferson Memorial Building, 1927-1928; and correspondence and genealogical information of Breckinridge Jones and related families.

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

### A3145

Jones, Brenda L. (1948- ). Papers, 1975-2017. 1 box; 1 oversize item

Brenda L. Jones was born August 25, 1948, in St. Louis to Anderson Jones (1921-1991) and Samella Taylor-Jones (1918-1999). She graduated from the University of Missouri–St. Louis and attended Temple University in Philadelphia. Jones had a long career in St. Louis: assistant managing editor with Freedomways: A Quarterly Review of the Freedom Movement; information officer for the American Friends Service Committee; interim director of the Institute for Peace and Justice in 1991; community relations manager at the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra (SLSO) in 1992 and founder of the IN UNISON outreach program; executive director of the Missouri African American Cultural Initiative, operated by the Missouri Arts Foundation; and director of communications at the Missouri Botanical Garden in 1998. In 2004, Brenda Jones became the first African American to head the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of Eastern Missouri. She retired at the end of 2012. During her eight-year tenure, Jones transformed the organization by increasing staff, the number of cases handled, its operating budget, and by laying the groundwork for a merger with the ACLU of Kansas and Western Missouri to create the ACLU of Missouri, a national strategic affiliate.

The papers contain correspondence, memos, newspaper clippings, brochures, and speeches relating to the career of Brenda Jones and some family information. The materials date from 1975 to 2017, with the bulk of the papers dating 1991-2012. Gaps in the papers include: 1976-1987, 1989-1990, and 2014-2016. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic/type of document.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Brenda L. Jones Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0786

Jones, Charles (1814-1876).

**Papers, 1830-1880.** 1 box; 1 volume

Charles Jones was born January 27, 1814, in Somerset County, Maryland. He studied law in Baltimore and was admitted to the bar in that city. He moved to Union, Missouri, an important law center at the time, in 1837. Jones served in the state legislature from 1844 to 1862 with the exception of one term when he ran for Congress, but was defeated. Although he sympathized with the South and was a slave holder, he did not believe in secession. In 1866, he moved to St. Louis where his property interests were mostly situated. He died August 8, 1876, in St. Louis. He

was married to Emilie Theodisti Yosti and they had six children.

Bills, receipts, tax papers, indentures, and correspondence of the Charles Jones family, 1830-1880, including papers and letters pertaining to slavery and the Civil War, 1852-1865; report of School District #2, Franklin County, 1853, and district school register, 1854. Also includes an indexed ledger with affixed receipts relating to housing construction, 1868-1876.

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

### A0787

Jones, Charles Floyd.

**Record book, 1852-1869.** 1 volume

Charles Floyd Jones was a resident of Vandalia, Illinois, and dealt in real estate.

This record book contains information relating to land bought and sold by Charles Floyd Jones in Illinois, Iowa, and Minnesota. It contains plat maps, accounts, a list of land warrants, and a list of trees planted in 1862.

Cite as: Charles Floyd Jones Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0784

Jones family.

# Plantation records, 1777-1906. 4 boxes

George Noble Jones (born 1811), the son of Noble W. Jones and Sarah Campbell (married 1808), was directly descended from Noble Jones, an original colonist, who settled Wormsloe Plantation near Savannah, Georgia. In 1840, he married Mary Savage Nuttall, the widow of William B. Nuttall of Florida. They had four children: George Fenwick Jones (married Anna Wylly Habersham); Wallace Savage Jones; Sarah Campbell Jones; and Noble Winberly Jones.

The collection consists of plantation records of the Florida and Georgia plantations of the Noble Jones family, and additional family correspondence and records. Records stem from the years prior to and after the Civil War, and thus document both pre-war slavery and postwar tenant farming on the Southern plantation. Specific materials include overseer's reports and journals from the Chemonie Plantation in Florida; overseer's reports and journals, and photographs, 1847-1856, and tenants' account books, 1866-1869, from the El Destino Plantation in Florida; and overseer's reports, 1852-1897, from the Georgia Plantation. Also includes papers regarding the Georgia estates of the Jones family, 1777-1897; family correspondence, 1841-1897; and assorted accounts and bills. Papers were published in Ulrich Bonnell Phillips and James David Glunt, editors, *Florida Plantation Records from the Papers of George Noble Jones* (St. Louis: Missouri Historical Society, 1927) (Missouri History Museum Library call number: FL/326.93/J716).

Legal ownership was confirmed by George Noble Jones (son of George Fenwick Jones), without whose permission this collection had originally been sold. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Jones Family Plantation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0788

Jones, Francis L.

**Papers, 1782-1918.** 3 boxes; 3 volumes

Francis Jones was born in North Carolina, but was living in Tennessee when he received an appointment to West Point. He entered the military academy July 1, 1820, and graduated July 1, 1824. His subsequent military career included duty in assisting in the removal of various Indian tribes westward during 1835-1836, and service in the Florida War, 1836-1839. Following his

resignation from the service in 1842, Jones moved to Perry County, Missouri, where he owned a large farm and lived until at least the mid-1850s; thereafter he operated in partnership with [Ceran F.?] Delassus in the firm of Jones and Delassus, general merchandizers and shippers.

Accounts of Vital Beauvais, 1782-1816; letters, bills, accounts, and quartermaster records of Francis L. Jones during his military career in various parts of the country, particularly when stationed with the U.S. Army at Baton Rouge, Old Point Comfort, 1828-1836, and in connection with the Florida War, 1837-1839; additional correspondence, bills and accounts of Francis L. Jones, 1840-1866; correspondence, 1870-1881, medical records, and accounts of Perry County physician Dr. Robert H. Bush, 1867-1879; Jessie Delassus correspondence, 1882-1918, with family and friends; bills of lading issued by the firm of Beauvais & Delassus at Bailey's Landing, Missouri, 1842-1848; and account books, 1839-1845. Bound volumes consist of a ledger of the Jones and Delassus general store at Rozier's Landing, Perry County, 1854-1856, and two volumes of bills of lading recording steamboat shipments on the Mississippi River from Jones and Delassus Landing, Perry County, 1857-1865. Some French.

Cite as: Francis L. Jones Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2906

Jones, George W.

Business Card, circa 1970s. 1 item

Business card of George W. Jones, general manager, St. Louis Hummers Women's Professional Softball.

Cite as: George W. Jones Business Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2878

Jones, James C., III (1915- ).

Family History Sheet, 1948 Jan 22. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by James C. Jones, III, which includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes typescript note signed James C. Jones, III, to Charles van Ravenswaay, director of the Missouri Historical Society, regarding the enclosed family history sheet.

Cite as: James C. Jones, III, Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2879

Jones, Jonathan (1813- ).

**Family Record, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family record of the Jonathan Jones family of Ohio, which includes records of his marriage and family births and deaths. Jonathan Jones married Rebecca Wallace, February 12, 1835. Some of the information is too faded to read.

Cite as: Jonathan Jones Family Record, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0789

Jones, Josephine Buck (1914- ).

Collection, 1940-1988. 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

Concert singer, teacher, lecturer on African-American music. Received bachelor's degree, 1935, from Harris-Stowe State College, and master of arts degree, 1952, from Washington University.

Photocopies of congratulatory telegrams, newsclippings regarding musical performances, lectures, etc.; programs from her concerts; two concert photographs.

Cite as: Josephine Buck Jones Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0790

Jones, Lewis (1782-1864). Papers, 1839-1846. 1 box

Brother of Benjamin Harrison Jones, fur trapper and trader (member of the Astoria expedition that went overland to the Pacific, 1811-1812); came to St. Louis in 1802 from Virginia. Married Belinda[?] Hayes, granddaughter of Daniel Boone; settled in Montgomery County, Missouri, as a surveyor.

Typescripts and photostats of letters from Samuel Lewis to Lewis Jones regarding plans for Santa Fe Trail trip, 1842; conditions of Indians in Missouri converted by Catholics; 21 letters of Lewis Jones and family members from Champaign County, Illinois, and parts of Missouri discussing frontier life, 1841-1846 (see Archives microfilm reel 29); minutes of the Danville Presbyterian Church, 1843-1877; ledger of Baker's Store (appears to be Sylvester Marion Baker Store), Danville, Missouri, 1840-1850; account book, 1848-1849; minute book of the Freedom (Baptist) Church, Montgomery City, Missouri, 1824-1868. The Jones family letters, church record books, and ledger are on microfilm.

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

#### A0791

Jones, Lila Capen.

Scrapbook, 1903. 1 volume

Lila Capen married Meredith Cabell Jones of St. Louis.

Scrapbook mostly of American presidential signatures collected by Mary E. Capen Baker, given to her nephew George Henry who in turn gave it to his daughter Lila Capen Jones. Cite as: Lila Capen Jones Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2880

Jones, Mabel Moore, Mrs. (1877-).

**Family History Sheet, no date.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Mrs. Mabel Moore Jones, daughter of Thomas Anderson Moore. Includes genealogical data on her family. Cite as: Mrs. Mabel Moore Jones Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2881

Jones, Richard Stanley (1908-).

Biographical Data Sheet, 1953 Dec 21. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Richard Stanley Jones, 23 Picardy Lane, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family. Cite as: Richard Stanley Jones Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2490

Jones, W.E.

**Papers**, **1851**. 3 items

Papers contain three official military documents. (1) Receipt of Lieut. W.E. Jones [William Edmondson Jones?] of \$64.37 of subsistence funds, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, July 30, 1851. Signed 1st Lieutenant R.W. Kirkham [Ralph Wilson Kirkham?]. (2) Abstract of purchases made on account of subsistence of the army by Lieut. W.E. Jones en route from Oregon to Jefferson Barracks in the quarter ending September 30, 1851. (3) Account of the United States with Sergt. C.H. McNally for services as commissary sergeant, July 16, 1851. Account certified by 2nd Lieut. W.E. Jones.

Cite as: W.E. Jones Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2882

Jorgenson, J.B., Mr. and Mrs.

Family History Sheet, no date. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society regarding J.B. Jorgenson (born 1926) and his wife, Arlene Franley Jorgenson (born 1923), 1 Conway Springs, Chesterfield, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Jorgenson Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0792

Jostes, Frederick A.

Papers, 1937-1942. 2 folders (approximately 40 items)

Correspondence concerning the preservation of river life and history. Body of collection concerns the *Golden Eagle* river boat sinking and installing it at the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial. Also includes correspondence dealing with the hope of establishing a river museum at the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial; correspondence concerning the Supreme Court and judicial independence.

Cite as: Frederick A. Jostes Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0793

# Journals and Diaries Collection, 1775-1909; 1940. 4 boxes; 15 volumes

Collection of travel journals and diaries (originals and typescripts) relating to travels in Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky and Ohio; accounts of the Florida campaign, 1838-1839, Mexican War, and the fall of Vicksburg; early coal mining in the St. Louis and East St. Louis area; diary of a young student at the Female Classical Seminary, 1835-1836; Wilhelmine Crawford's diary of her stay in Washington, D.C., 1866; diary of Nellie Bishop telling of household routine, moving day, church attendance, etc., 1892-1893; and a 1940 diary of a trip through Missouri. Other diaries include a typescript journal of unknown provenance of Richard G. Waterhouse (born 1775 in Kingwood, New Jersey), dated 1801, describes journey from 1795 to 1799 through the eastern United States and some of eastern Tennessee, and includes some poems, songs and essays written by Waterhouse; Everett family diaries (2 volumes) from Virginia City, Nevada Territory, containing entries by J.A. Everett and his wife, L.E. Everett, regarding farming, daily life, and weather reports, 1863; an unidentified travel account titled "Across North Missouri by Rail, 1865: Notebook of an Unidentified Traveler," which begins at Quincy, Illinois, and ends at Bloody Island, Illinois, traveling through Hannibal, Bear Creek, Bankly, Shelbina, Monroe, et al., and lists and describes each town population, geography, and notable features, sometimes commenting on town history, 1866; daily diary for 1874 of Henry H. Wagoner, mortician, who came to St. Louis in 1865 from Cincinnati and started the Wagoner Undertaking Co. at 9th and Chestnut, and who became known for introducing modern

embalming and funeral procedures, including the use of ice in preservation, and who married Sophronia Zulem, a woman suffragist who helped start the first Y.W.C.A. in St. Louis; original and typescript travel account by St. Louis prima donna singer Letitia Fritch of journey to Yosemite Park, 1892, with sketches by Major Eugene F. Weigel, who accompanied her, and which also contains an undated account of a trip to Mexico; and an unidentified diary, 1904-1907, containing records, possibly made by a salesman, of travel throughout the Midwest and Western states.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Journals and Diaries Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0794

Joyce Surveying Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Index to Surveys, circa 1890-1929.** 1 volume (653 pages)

John G. Joyce was president of Joyce Surveying Company, which was incorporated in 1892.

The index is arranged numerically by city block number. The back of the volume contains several pages with entries arranged alphabetically by name of subdivision. (The spine of the volume reads, "Index to Surveys. J.G. Joyce, City Surveyor.")

Cite as: Joyce Surveying Company Index to Surveys, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0795

Judge and Dolph Pharmaceutical Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Ledgers, 1894-1903.** 4 volumes

Accounts of retail druggists.

Cite as: Judge and Dolph Pharmaceutical Company Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2883

Judson, Frederick Newton (1845-1919).

**Memorial Sketch, circa 1919.** 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Nine-page memorial sketch of Frederick Newton Judson, who died October 18, 1919, in St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Frederick Newton Judson Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2898

Junior Players, The

**Pamphlet, 1919-1920.** 1 item (16 pages)

The Junior Players was a children's theatre located at 4505 Olive St., St. Louis, Missouri.

The pamphlet includes the theatre's board of directors and officers; a description of the organization; press notices; plan for performances to be held in the 1919-1920 season; and photographs of scenes from plays.

Cite as: The Junior Players Pamphlet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0796

Justin Realty Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Journal, 1926-1931.** 1 volume (144 pages)

Records of real estate business.

Cite as: Justin Realty Company Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0797

Kade, Frances.

Papers, 1906-1912. 5 items; 1 oversize folder

Collection consists of St. Louis Public School 8th grade certificate of scholarship (1906); diploma for Normal Course of Study, McKinley High School (1910); penmanship certificate (1912); and diploma from Harris Stowe Teacher's College (1912). Also contains autograph book, 1910.

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

### A3051

Kaempf, Walter H. (1892-1980) and Clara J. (1894-1990). World War I Letters, 1917-1919. 2 boxes

On 8 January 1918, Walter Herman Kaempf married Clara Josephine Rosenkranz, both of St. Louis. Walter entered the U.S. Army on 26 February 1918 and trained at Camp Funston (KS). He shipped to Europe in June 1918 with Company C, 355<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 89<sup>th</sup> Division. On 8 August 1918, the 355<sup>th</sup> was attacked by a gas shell bombardment. Pvt. Kaempf suffered burns to his head and eyes. He spent the remainder of the war in the base hospital and was discharged on 26 January 1919.

The collection is comprised of letters, postcards, and telegrams written between Walter and Clara Kaempf. The letters range from c.22 December 1917 to 27 January 1919 and are arranged chronologically. The letters describe army life; the flu epidemic at Camp Funston, and the August 8<sup>th</sup> gas attack. Clara's letters describe the war effort in St. Louis and the war's effect on aspects of daily life in the city.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Walter H. and Clara J. Kaempf World War I Letters, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0798

Kaletta Statuary Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1921-1963.** 1 box

Designers, sculptors, manufacturer and importer of ecclesiastical statuary. Established 1876, 3713-3721 California Avenue, St. Louis.

Correspondence, circa 1930s-1963; specifications and photographs of religious statuary; brochures and descriptive material of the Kaletta Statuary Company.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Kaletta Statuary Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2884

Kalish, Ralph William, Jr. (1950-).

Papers, 1973. 3 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Ralph William Kalish, Jr., St. Louis, Missouri, which includes genealogical data on his family. Also includes note signed Kalish and *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* newspaper clipping titled "Roos Appointee Challenged as Inexperienced," July 30, 1973, regarding the appointment of Kalish as St. Louis County public transportation coordinator.

Cite as: Ralph William Kalish, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0799

Kalkman, Adelaide (1858-1929).

**Papers**, [1852]; 1881-1937. 5 boxes; 4 volumes

Soprano singer from St. Louis.

Papers include family and personal correspondence, including letters from students, and material regarding Adelaide Kalkman, [1852]; 1881-1937. Also includes letterbook of love letters and poems or songs, possibly written from Nebraska, 1882-1884; two combination letterbooks and diaries describing her first and third European tours, 1892 and 1895-1897; and volume of personal accounts, 1894. The latter two volumes also include financial accounts of the Nebraska City firm of Kalkman and Wessels, 1860, and 1863-1864.

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

#### A2271

#### Karasek Architects.

Collection, circa 1900-1980. 179 tube boxes, 8 rolls, 3 folders in map drawers

The Karasek architecture firm of St. Louis was originally founded by James P. Jamieson, and the firm has since adopted several different names as partners joined and retired from the firm. These names include James P. Jamieson (1911-1918); Jamieson & Spearl (1918-1952); Jamieson, Spearl, Hammond & Grolock (1952-1962); Hammond, Charle & Burns (1962-1970); Hammond, Charle, Burns & LePere (1970-1979?); Harold L. LePere & Associates (1985?-1997); LePere & Associates, Inc. (1997-1999), and finally Karasek Architects in 1999. Partners of the firm included Fred R. Hammond (1937), William A. Grolock (1928), Elfreda C. Koch (1927), Edwin G. Charle (1921), Edward E. Meyer (1914), Raymond R. Burns (1945), Roger J. Monahan (1946), Ruth V. Eckhart (1952), Harold L. LePere (1961), Gary Karasek, Michael J. Murphy, David S. Krumm (1993) and Robert Lippert (1999). In 1997, following the death of Harold LePere, three partners, Gary Karasek, Michael Murphy and Steven Muny, bought Harold L. LePere & Associates, and renamed the firm LePere & Associates, Inc. Less than a year later, Artec Architecture, Inc., of Belleville, Illinois, and Le Pere & Associates, Inc., merged to form one firm. In 1999, another company, Lippert/Cannon of St. Louis, was absorbed into the firm, which became known as Karasek Architects.

The collection consists of approximately 1000 architectural drawings of elevations, plans, details, sections, and specifications, as well as some surveys, calculations, correspondence, and notes. This collection consists primarily of various residential commissions in the early half of the twentieth century (mostly located on Portland Place and Westmoreland Place), and schools, hospitals, churches and commercial commissions throughout the twentieth century. Some of the more recognizable commissions include various buildings for Washington University, including drawings by Jamieson while he was with the firm of Cope & Stewardson; the University of Missouri–Columbia; alterations and additions to Christ Church Cathedral; Missouri Botanical Garden; Deaconess Hospital; and residential commissions from prominent individuals such as Dwight F. Davis, Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Edward Mallinckrodt, Jr., Senator George H. Williams, and J. Lionberger Davis.

Approximately 400 of the commissions have been entered into a database that can be searched by the name of the architect, the name of the commission, the address or the date (contact an archivist regarding this database). Worksheets with more detailed information that were completed as the collection was processed can be found at the Archives Reference Desk. Cite as: Karasek Architects Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2139

Karleskind, Sebastien.

# Notarized certificate declaring the birth of his daughter, 1832 Nov 12. 2 items

Certificate states that Sebastien Karleskind, 36 years old, resident of Langatte, France, and his wife, Catherine Mabot, have had a child to be named Marie Catherine. Document is in French with an English typescript translation.

Cite as: Sebastien Karleskind Notarized Certificate Declaring the Birth of His Daughter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0800

# Kaskaskia, Illinois, church registers, [1741-1834]. 4 folders

Manuscript and photostat copies.

Copy of the "Registres des Mariages daus Leglise de Notre Dame de L'Immaculee Conception aux Cascakias," 1741-1834; extract from baptismal, marriage and burial records, 1723-1724, photostats; records of baptisms, 1761-1795, manuscript copies and typescript translations; and manuscript fragment, 1822.

French.

Cite as: Kaskaskia, Illinois, Church Registers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0801

# Kaskaskia, Illinois, collection, 1734-1849; 1872-1915. 1 box

Legal document concerning Louis Marin, living at Fort de Chartres, his children by Francoise of the Missouri nation, and their legal status, 17??; 281 manuscripts consisting of bills, accounts, business and legal papers, and correspondence, chiefly of Pierre Menard and his agent and attorney, Adrien Langlois, concerning Menard's business affairs in St. Louis, New Madrid, and Ste. Genevieve, 1794-1826; journal of Adrien Langlois, while in New Madrid working under power of attorney of Pierre Menard, 1804; other correspondents include Peyroux (nee Rodriquez), Henri Peyroux, Alexander Auguste Follin, Charles Dehault Delassus, Antoine Oneille, John Jacob Sommer, Moses Austin, Guillaume Bouilliette, M. Amoureux, and Manuel Lisa; letters of Pierre Menard on the expedition up the Missouri River with the St. Louis, Missouri Fur Company, of which he was partner, 1809; plat of lands drawn by Edmond Menard, 1847; material regarding the destruction of Kaskaskia by the Mississippi River; and newsclippings.

Some French.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

### A0802

Kassebaum, George (1920-1982).

**Collection, no date.** 5 boxes, 1 card box, 2 flat storage boxes

Photographs, awards, American Institute of Architects files, and publications of Kassebaum, co-founder of H.O.K., international architectural firm with headquarters in St. Louis. (This collection does not include any architectural drawings.)

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

#### A2885

Kauffman, William Porter (1916- ).

**Biographical Data Sheets, 1961 June.** 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Biographical data sheet and family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out

by William Porter Kauffman, 421 West Madison Ave., Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. Includes genealogical data on his family.

Cite as: William Porter Kauffman Biographical Data Sheets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2287

Kaufman-Vaughn Family.

Correspondence, 1894-1900. 4 boxes

Abraham (Abe) Kaufman was a Jewish man living in St. Louis in the 1890s. Vera Vaughn was a Christian woman living in Chicago. Over the course of a six year period, they exchanged dozens of love letters. Abe frequently sent Vera money or money orders in his letters to her. Abe and Vera were married sometime during the year 1899 but continued to live apart. Abe's family strongly disapproved of the match and Vera's family is not mentioned. Abe worked as a bookkeeper for the Missouri Paper Company in St. Louis, a branch of the Southwestern Paper Company whose headquarters were in Galveston, Texas. Sometime in 1899, it was discovered that Abe had been embezzling money and he was dismissed. After this, he worked for his brother Nate in the insurance business. Abe died of an accidental drowning at Meramec Highlands on August 18, 1900. After his death, there was a court case involving Abe's embezzlement of between \$8,000 and \$10,000. He was found guilty and his estate (with Vera as administrator) was forced to pay \$3,500.

The collection consists mainly of correspondence between Abe Kaufman and Vera Vaughn. These letters are primarily of a personal nature regarding their relationship. The collection also includes some letters from Abe's father, his brothers Max and Jacob, and his sister Jennie. Also includes a folder of old receipts and payment records.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kaufman-Vaughn Family Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0803

Kayser, Henry (1811-1884).

Papers, 1823-1874. 2 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 oversize item

Henry Kayser was born and educated in Germany, and came to St. Louis in 1833. He was an architect and was the U.S. surveyor general for Illinois and Missouri, 1834. He was the city engineer for St. Louis in 1849, the city councilman in 1858, and city commissioner, 1871-1873.

Papers include naturalization papers and passports of Henry Kayser; receipts, certificates, diplomas; commission of Kayser for superintendent of the city harbor improvement of St. Louis, June 10, 1848; genealogical information on family.

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

#### A0804

Kearny, Stephen Watts (1794-1848).

**Papers, 1810-1962.** 1 box; 1 oversize box; 3 volumes

Stephen Watts Kearny was born in 1794 at Newark, New Jersey. He began his military career in the War of 1812 as first lieutenant in the 13th United States Infantry. He became captain in 1813 and was breveted major in 1823 for ten years loyal service. Kearny accompanied General Henry Atkinson to the headwaters of the Missouri River in the 1825 "Yellowstone Expedition." Shortly after the outbreak of the Mexican War, he was made a brigadier general in charge of the Army of the West, which took possession of New Mexico and California. He

served as governor of California from March to June 1847; he then joined the army in Mexico, serving as governor in Vera Cruz and Mexico City. He died in St. Louis on October 31, 1848.

The collection is divided into two groups: original manuscripts and reference materials. The original documents and diaries are arranged chronologically and include correspondence (1819-1848), commissions of Kearny (1810-1848), an order book for Jefferson Barracks (1843), and legal and financial documents. The reference materials consist primarily of Stella Drumm's transcripts of Kearny documents loaned to the Missouri Historical Society in 1909, photostats, newsclippings and genealogical information.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2412

# Keevil, William H.

*The People's Path-Finder*, **1853 Spring.** 1 item (4 pages)

Edited by William H. Keevil and printed in the style of a newspaper, *The People's Path-Finder* contains advertisements for William H. Keevil's Corinthian Hall hat store, 297 Broadway; the dry goods house of Hubbell & Hunt, Glasgow's Row, 120 4th Street; and the Old Post Office Store of Lynch & Tanguay, Chestnut Street between 3rd and 4th Streets. Includes engraved illustrations of the storefront of Hubbell & Hunt and Corinthian Hall. Cite as: William H. Keevil *The People's Path-Finder*, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

**Keith, Thomas J. Diary, 1861-1862.** 1 volume
Transferred to Civil War Collection.

### A2401

### Kelchner's Celebrated Model Exhibition.

Circular, circa 1897. 1 item

Four-page circular advertising the exhibition of "Kelchner's celebrated model, a most magnificent and only reproduction of the historic mosaic tabernacle of Israel and the heavenly sanctuary." The exhibition will be accompanied by "Andrew P. Hill's celebrated painting, 'Mt. Sinai, and the Millions of Israel in Camp.' One of the largest and finest oil paintings ever seen in America. Grand panorama 40 feet long, 16 feet high." The exhibition will also include "grand electrical effects. The service of the electrical expert, J.W. Johnson, of Chicago, has been secured to operate the electrical apparatus accompanying the outfit." Prof. J. Wesley Kelchner will give a lecture. The circular includes a portrait of Kelchner; views of the model; press endorsements; and testimonials of those who have seen the model. The circular was printed by Review & Herald Print, Battle Creek, Michigan.

Cite as: Kelchner's Celebrated Model Exhibition Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0806

# **Kellerman Contracting Company.**

**Account book, 1921-1945.** 1 volume

Contracting firm located at 421-22 Victoria Building, 407 North 8th Street, St. Louis. Account book lists expenses for the company.

Cite as: Kellerman Contracting Company Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3137

# Kelley Family.

Daniel R. Fitzpatrick Collection, 1955-1989. 8 folders; 1 oversize folder

Dr. Robert W. Kelley (1913-1977) was the personal physician of Daniel Fitzpatrick for many years. He, his wife Helen (1912-2002), and their daughters (Susan, Christie, Patricia, and Barbara) developed a lasting friendship with Daniel and Lee Fitzpatrick. Daniel R. Fitzpatrick ("Fitz") (1891-1969) was a two-time Pulitzer Prize award winning editorial cartoonist who worked for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch for 45 years, from 1913 to 1958.

The collection contains items saved by the Dr. Robert W. Kelley family concerning longtime friend cartoonist Daniel R. Fitzpatrick. The family saved cards and letters sent to them by Fitzpatrick, a pencil sketch, a photograph, newspaper clippings, and the eulogy delivered at his funeral. The collection is arranged chronologically and dates from 1955 to 1989; the bulk of the collection dates from 1965 to 1969. Gaps exist from 1956 to 1958, 1960, 1964, and from 1970 to 1988.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kelley Family Daniel R. Fitzpatrick Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3172

Kelley, Lois Eileen (1915-1968).

**Diary, 1936.** 1 volume

Lois Eileen Kelley was born October 22, 1915, and grew up in Webster Groves, Missouri. She attended Fontbonne College and married Russell Vincent Ellinger on March 30, 1940. She died November 19, 1968, in St. Louis.

The diary of Lois Eileen Kelley primarily describes her social life, dating, and student life at Fontbonne College. Also includes several accounts of attending events at Washington University and socializing with friends who are Washington University students. In the front of the diary is a card announcing the marriage of Lois Eileen Kelley and Russell Vincent Ellinger on March 30, 1940. The diary entries are written in a preprinted five-year diary that includes one page for each day of the year. The first entries in the diary were recorded in August 1936. The dates of the entries in the diary do not correspond with the dates at the top of the preprinted pages. At the end of the diary entry summaries in this finding aid, the date(s) at the top of the preprinted diary have been provided at the end of each summary to facilitate locating a particular entry in the diary. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lois Eileen Kelley Diary, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0807

 $Kelly-Varnell, Inc., Landscape\ Architects.$ 

Forest Park Master Plan, 1875-1990.

Kelly-Varnell developed the master plan for Forest Park, a major public project that took place during the 1980s.

The collection contains the plans and background materials for the project. Cite as: Kelly-Varnell, Inc., Landscape Architects, Forest Park Master Plan, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0808

Kelsoe, William A. (-1932).

Scrapbook, 1884-1913. 1 volume

William A. Kelsoe was a St. Louis newspaperman; chief of the local press for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1904; and exchange editor for the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*. He was also one of the founders of the Ethical Society of St. Louis.

Scrapbook contains clippings and manuscript notes relating to St. Louis newspapers and news writing. Includes daily listings of assignments handed out to various reporters for the year 1884, biographical notes on noteworthy St. Louis reporters, several references to William Marion Reedy, and a poem by Reedy.

Cite as: William A. Kelsoe Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0809

Kennan, George Frost.

"Soviet-American Relations, 1917-1920: Vol. 1, Russia Leaves the War" / typescript, circa 1957. 1 volume (696 pages)

Typescript of Pulitzer Prize—winning volume on the Russian Revolution, with annotations in the author's hand, researched in part at the Missouri Historical Society. Contains chapter on the American ambassador to Russia, St. Louisan David R. Francis.

Cite as: George F. Kennan, "Soviet-American Relations, 1917-1920: Vol. 1, Russian Leaves the War," typescript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3098

Kennedy, Carolyn L. Bowes (1857-1937). Collection, 1859-1879. 2 folders

Carolyn L. (Carrie) Kennedy was born on December 7, 1857, to Daniel and Adeline (Bouchard) Bowes. Carrie's parents were married two years before Daniel's death in 1859. He was a conductor for the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad. Adeline married Louis F. Beland in 1866 and had two children: Adelaide (Adele) Beland (1867-1938) and Benjamin Alson Beland (1870-1911). Adeline died September 20, 1871, in Pacific, Missouri. In 1879, Carrie lived with her step-father and siblings in Springfield, Missouri, where she attended Drury College.

The collection consists of two letters, an account statement, and a travel journal written by Caroline L. Bowes Kennedy. Items date from 1859, 1864, and 1878 to 1879, and are arranged chronologically. The 1879 travel journal comprises the largest portion of the collection. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Carolyn L. Bowes Kennedy Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3140

Kennedy Family.

World War II Letters, 1941-1945. 4 boxes.

In 1941, Charles and Catherine Kennedy and their eight children lived in St. Louis. The Kennedys had previously lived in Decatur and Springfield, Illinois. The five oldest children were all sons who served in the military during World War II: Carl Joseph Kennedy (1917–1980), U.S. Army; Thomas F. Kennedy (1919–2001), U.S. Navy; Lawrence L. Kennedy (1920–2001), U.S. Merchant Marines/Maritime Service; Robert T. Kennedy (1922–2009), U.S. Navy; and Theodore J. Kennedy (1923–2018), U.S. Army Air Force. The Kennedys' three youngest children: Marion (May, 1925-2003), Kathryn (Kate, 1928-2011), and Paul (1931-1999) were all still living at home during the war.

The collection is comprised primarily of letters, with some accompanying photographs, written by the five oldest brothers of the Charles T. Kennedy family to their parents in St. Louis while they served in the military during World War II. The letters are arranged chronologically and date from 1941 to 1945; the bulk of the letters date from 1943 to 1944. There are gaps in the papers: September 1942 to January 1943, February to May 1945, and August to December 1945. Envelopes are included to verify dates of the letters and the locations/assignments of the letter writers.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kennedy Family World War II Letters, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2534

Kennedy, James (1836-1927).

**Papers, 1906-1927.** 9 items

James Kennedy was born July 9, 1836, in Jefferson City, Missouri. In the mid-1850s he took a job as an operator for the Morse Telegraph Company at Parkville, Missouri, and later at Kansas City. Later in the 1850s he took a position as a steamboat clerk. During the Civil War he served as major of Searcy's Battalion, Tyler's Brigade (Confederate). After the war he returned to Kansas City, where he was a wharf master for many years. He died November 2, 1928, in Kansas City.

Collection contains Kennedy's reminiscences of General Sterling Price's raid through Missouri during the Civil War (12 pages), dated 191-; printed roster of Company B, Searcy's Battalion, Missouri Sharpshooters, and accompanying note of J.W. Halliburton, Carthage, Missouri, to the editor of *The Brunswicker*, Brunswick, Missouri, October 9, 1906; letter signed James Kennedy, Kansas City, Missouri, to the assistant adjutant general, Washington, D.C., July 20, 1908, requesting information regarding his service in the Confederate army and stating his account of his service; *Kansas City Post* article titled "Capt. Kennedy, 84, Recalls Past Glories of River and Dreams of Future Conquest," 1920; newspaper article titled "The Kansas City Telegrapher of the Middle 50's," 1922; *Kansas City Star Magazine* article titled "Seventy Years of River Days: One Man Who Never Has Neglected the Faithful Missouri Is James Kennedy, Captain and Wharfmaster," May 24, 1925; newspaper obituary of Capt. James Kennedy, November 3, 1927; typescript memorial of Kennedy compiled by the board of Independence Boulevard Christian Church of Kansas City, December 5, 1927; and typescript poem by Kennedy titled "My Creed."

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

#### A2956

Kennedy, John F., President (1917-1963).

Memorial Papers, 1963. 2 items

Papers include printed poem titled "Special Delivery from Heaven" written by high school student Barbara Jones, and a memorial card.

Cite as: President John F. Kennedy Memorial Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0810

Kennedy, Margaret R.

Scrapbook, [1885]. 1 volume

Scrapbook of advertising cards and cutouts.

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

#### A0811

# Kennerly Family.

Papers, 1812-1948. 1 box (approximately 90 items); 3 volumes, 1 roll microfilm.

George Hancock Kennerly was born January 28, 1790, in Fincastle, Virginia, and moved to St. Louis in 1813 with his brother James. He served as a lieutenant in the War of 1812, and in 1828 was appointed postmaster at Jefferson Barracks, just south of St. Louis, Missouri. During the Mexican War he served as assistant quartermaster. In 1825 he married Alziere Menard, daughter of Pierre Menard, the first lieutenant governor of Illinois. George H. Kennerly died January 28, 1867, at Jefferson Barracks.

Collection consists primarily of Kennerly family correspondence, including several letters of George H. Kennerly to his wife, and letters of Claude Saugrain Kennerly to his mother while serving in the army during the Spanish-American War, 1898. (Many of the letters in the collection are typescript transcriptions, not originals.) Collection also includes three diaries of James Kennerly dated 1823-1840; a cashbook of James and George Kennerly dated 1818-1823; a diary of William Clark Kennerly relating his experiences on an early buffalo hunt, 1843; reminiscences of William Clark Kennerly about his service in the Mexican War, dated circa 1900; and Kennerly family genealogical charts and forms.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0812

# **Kennett Family.**

**Papers, 1840-1932.** 4 boxes; 1 volume

The Kennett family was involved in lead mining, the steamboat business and mercantile business in Missouri. Two brothers, Ferdinand and Luther M. Kennett, were part of a merchant firm of Kennett, White and Company. Ferdinand Kennett later became involved in the lead business and the steamboat business. He built the home, "Selma Hall" (Kennett's Castle), in Selma, Missouri. He married Julia Dedrick, the granddaughter of John Smith T. They had five children. One of their daughters, Latty, married Richard Graham, son of General Daniel M. Frost. Luther M. Kennett (1807-1873) was born in Pendleton County, Kentucky. He came to St. Louis where he worked as a clerk, and later moved to St. Francis County, Missouri, where he entered the merchandising business. He was vice-president of the Pacific Railroad Co., and president of the Iron Mountain Railroad Co. In 1842, he was elected alderman for the fourth ward of St. Louis, and in 1850-1852 elected mayor of St. Louis, and in 1854 elected to congress over Thomas Hart Benton. Died in Paris. He was responsible for sanitizing the city and paving many streets.

The collection comprises papers of the Kennett and Frost families, including notes and receipts of the Kennett, White and Company, circa 1840; letters of D.M. Frost to his wife from Texas in 1852 regarding Indian wars and letters dated 1856 regarding the Sioux War; diary of Edwin Harrison, 1858, which concerns the social life of St. Louis; and Civil War letters of Ferdinand Kennett, Jr. (Confederate) to his parents, 1864. (The Kennett family left Selma Hall and moved to St. Louis during the Civil War. Selma Hall was occupied by both forces during the war.) Also includes various household and personal accounts of Mrs. Julia Kennett; business papers regarding the lead business, balance sheet of the shot tower, 1858; letters from Lily Graham Frost, at Visitation Academy, to family members at Selma Hall, 1859; letter of V.S. Blair to Agnes Brent, dated February 21, 1891, describing Sherman's funeral procession; some

letters of Robert S. Brookings after his purchase of Selma Hall; undated material includes bills, receipts and correspondence regarding Selma Hall. The collection also includes the record of a committee of fifty appointed on April 14, 1853, to obtain subscriptions for a testimonial for Luther M. Kennett. Typed copy of a biographical letter written by Kennett inserted into volume. Cite as: Kennett Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0813

### Kern, Carl Wilhelm.

# Manuscript music collection, 1919-1945. 3 flat storage boxes

Cite as: Carl Wilhelm Kern Manuscript Music Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis., Missouri.

#### A0814

# Kerr Family.

# Account books, 1900-1912. 4 volumes

St. Louis businessman George W. Kerr married Annie Kerr, a direct descendant of Pierre Laclede. He was involved in estate business.

Two volumes of business and personal accounts of Annie Kerr, 1900-1912; and two volumes of personal and business accounts of George W. Kerr, 1900-1910.

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

#### A2388

# Kerr, George W.

# Papers, 1897-1899. 5 items

Collection contains receipt of the Jesse French Piano & Organ Co., St. Louis, Mo., December 4, 1897, for a piano purchased by George W. Kerr (attached certificate of warranty of the Starr Piano Company, Richmond, Indiana, dated December 1, 1897); statement of the Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., Sixth, Olive and Locust Streets, St. Louis, to Mrs. G.W. Kerr, December 1898, for merchandise; receipt of the Bell Telephone Company of Missouri, St. Louis, to Mrs. Geo. W. Kerr, January 1, 1898, for telephone service; and receipt of Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., St. Louis, Mo., to Mrs. G.W. Kerr, 5121 McPherson, February 1899 (stationery includes image of Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co. store).

Cite as: George W. Kerr Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1845

# **Kerr-Peters Family.**

Papers, 1827-1883. 1 folder, 1 oversize folder

Anne M. Peters, daughter of Judge William C. Carr and widow of Ralph Peters, died May 27, 1875, in St. Louis. She was survived by her son George W. Kerr and her daughter Isabella R. Clendenin, wife of William A. Clendenin. George W. Kerr was born circa 1838 and died in 1915 in Pasadena, California.

Collection consists primarily of nineteenth-century deeds for property in St. Louis and related legal documents, mostly relating to Anne M. Peters, George W. Kerr, and the Spencer family. Collection also contains two Civil War commissions of James F. How. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kerr-Peters Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2902

# Kessler, Estelle May. Papers, 1907-1911. 13 items

Papers contain (1) print of portrait by Harrison Fisher from the new novel *Hilma* by William Tillinghast Eldredge, published by Dodd, Mead and Company, 1907. (2) Four McKinley High School report cards of Stella Kessler, 1909-1911. (3) Program of McKinley High School Glee Club performance, December 16, 1910. (4) Dance card for the New Senior Dance, January 14, 1911. (5) "My Commencement" book of Estelle M. Kessler, 812 Market Street, January 27, 1911, which includes brief signed notes of her McKinley High School classmates usually accompanied by the students photograph clipped from the yearbook. (6) Program for the graduating exercises of McKinley High School, January 27, 1911. (7) Two calling cards of Estelle May Kessler (or Stella Kessler). (8) Typescript lyrics to the McKinley High School song. Cite as: Estelle May Kessler Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0815

# **Kessler Family.**

# Newspaper clippings scrapbooks, 1931-1965. 2 volumes

Harry, Berry and Sollie Kessler were brothers associated with the St. Louis boxing scene as young men. As they grew older they trained local young men in boxing techniques.

Scrapbooks contain newsclippings relating to the careers of the brothers and to the various local boxers who they trained.

Cite as: Kessler Family Newspaper Clippings Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0816

### Kessler, George Edward ( -1923).

Papers, 1886-1923. 34 boxes, 1 oversize box, 5 oversize folders; 34 reels of microfilm George Kessler was a noted landscape architect, best known for his design of the Kansas City, Missouri, parks and boulevard system, undertaken in 1893. In addition, he was employed as the landscape architect for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition (World's Fair) in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1904. He was also commissioned to oversee the restoration of Forest Park following the fair. During a career that spanned over thirty years, ending with his death in 1923, he made significant contributions not only to landscape architecture, but to the budding science of urban planning. Many of his projects, including the Kansas City parks system, extended well beyond the design of urban parks to the comprehensive development of rational urban planning systems of which parks and boulevards were only a part. In his early career, Kessler's work included private gardening and landscaping designs as well as park planning. By the end of his career, he only undertook projects that involved comprehensive urban planning.

Papers consist of records from his offices in Kansas City and St. Louis. (Originally operating out of Kansas City, Kessler opened a second office in St. Louis when he began to work on the World's Fair. For a while he maintained offices in both cities until he eventually closed his Kansas City office. At the end of his career, he operated out of St. Louis exclusively.) These files consist of a lengthy series of job files that relate to specific projects undertaken by Kessler. Of major significance are files relating to the Kansas City parks and boulevard system, and files relating to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and the Forest Park restoration in St. Louis. These files contain correspondence, memoranda, and specifications, but only a limited number of design sketches and plans. The bulk of Kessler's designs and plans have not survived in this collection. A second series consists of professional correspondence, arranged alphabetically. In these files, Kessler discusses both ongoing projects and general issues related to his work and to

his personal life. A third series consists of Kessler's office files, and includes interoffice correspondence and related office files. The fourth series relates to Kessler's participation in professional associations, and includes files of correspondence that reveal much about his professional values and attitudes. The final series includes Kessler's personal files. Some German handscript.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George E. Kessler Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3128

Kessler, Norma E. (1912-1994).

# Commencement Papers, 1926 May. 1 folder

Norma E. (Goyer) Kessler (1912-1994) was the daughter of Edward and Clara (Schmidt) Goyer. The family lived in the Ritenour Consolidated School District, and Norma graduated the eighth grade in May 1926 from Home Heights School (3238 Marshall) in St. John, St. Louis County, Missouri. The Ritenour School District was founded in 1846 in a one-room cabin, Buck School, in northwest St. Louis County. Ritenour was the first school district in the St. Louis area to serve African American students. The district presently serves parts or all of the following St. Louis County municipalities: Overland, St. John, St. Ann, Edmundson, Breckenridge Hills, Woodson Terrace, Sycamore Hills, Vinita Park, and Charlack.

The papers are comprised of two items: Norma E. Goyer's eighth-grade diploma and the commencement program from the Ritenour Consolidated School District dated May 20, 1926. The program provides lists of eighth-grade graduates from Overland School and Home Heights School.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Norma E. Kessler Commencement Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A2259

Killion, June.

**Papers, 1961-1996.** 4 folders

Papers consist of booklets, flight time tables, magazines, and other materials that document June Killion's work as a hostess for Trans World Airlines (TWA). Finding aid available.

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

#### A2523

King, Brinsmade Mercantile Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

Meeting minutes, 1895-1922. 3 folders

The King, Brinsmade Mercantile Co. was incorporated in 1895 "to manufacture, buy and sell millinery, notions & dry goods, and to do a general manufacturing and merchandising business, and to own, lease and hold such real estate as may be necessary or convenient for the business." The company was successively located at 709 & 711 Washington Ave., 1110-1114 Washington Ave., and 1701 Washington Ave.

The collection includes typescript and mimeograph copies of minutes of the stockholders and Board of Directors meetings of the King, Brinsmade Mercantile Co. Also includes the company's articles of association and by-laws. Company officers included Harry B. King, David H. King, Hobart Brinsmade, Benj. G. Glover [Benjamin G. Glover], W.H. Stevenson, Chas. E. Runk [Charles E. Runk], W.B. Homer, Mrs. Helen M. King, Frank W. Crandall, George D.

Wobbe, H.F. Meier, W.H. Watters, J.B. Bradshaw, and Dawson Bradshaw. The directors meeting dated June 23, 1899, was held at the residence of President H. Brinsmade, 4429 Morgan Street.

Cite as: King, Brinsmade Mercantile Co. Meeting Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2531

# King Family.

# Papers, 1890-1990. 1 box

Harry Bronson (H.B.) King was born in Medina, Ohio, in 1857. In the 1880s he moved to St. Louis and entered into business with his father, David H. King, in King-Brinsmade Mercantile Company, a wholesale millinery manufacturing firm. David H. King died in 1896, and Harry B. King remained as treasurer of the firm until his retirement in 1927. After a brief marriage to and divorce from Mildred Crow Romans in 1895, he married Grace Eulalia Wright in 1899. They had one daughter, Mary Harriet King Coolidge, born in 1900, and one son, Harry Blackford King, born in 1903. Both married and had children of their own. H.B. King's mother, Helen M. Bronson King, died in Rome in 1918 after a lengthy illness. H.B. King died at the home of his daughter in Essex Falls, New Jersey, in 1933; Grace Wright King died in an accident in New Jersey in 1936. H. Blackford King lived in New Jersey and later in Maryland, where he died in 1989. Mary King Coolidge retired to Florida from New Jersey; she died in 1991.

The collection consists primarily of the personal correspondence of Harry Bronson King and members of his family, including his parents, David H. and Helen M. King; sister, Anna B. King; wife, Grace E. Wright King; and children, Harry Blackford King and Mary H. King Coolidge. The collection also contains some legal and financial documents, mostly related to financial transactions between members of the King family; genealogical information on the Bronson family, compiled by H.B. King; newspaper clippings related to the King family, including obituaries; and miscellaneous clippings and items.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A2559

# King Family.

### War Ration Books, [1943]. 3 items

Three war ration books (titled "War Ration Book No. 3") issued to Claud King (age 39), Uldine G. King (age 37), and Margaret E. King (age 4), all residing at 5413 Tholozan, St. Louis, Mo.

Cite as: King Family War Ration Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0817

# King, Helen Maxwell.

# **Papers, 1917-1919.** 1 box

Helen Maxwell King went to France as a canteen worker for the Y.M.C.A. in September 1917 and was made the regional secretary of women (in France) in 1918. Before and after the war she was a professor of French at Smith College.

The papers consist mostly of typewritten letters to her family while serving in France and are very descriptive of the everyday occurrences at the Y.M.C.A. camps. Also includes some photographs of France.

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

### A0818

# Kingsbury Family.

Papers, 1791-1911. 5 folders (approximately 80 items)

Jacob Kingsbury, the father of James W. Kingsbury, was one of the builders of Fort Bellefontaine. Both men were officers in the U.S. Army.

Collection consists of correspondence and military papers of Jacob Kingsbury, his son James W. Kingsbury, and other family members; genealogical material, newsclippings, invitations, etc. Correspondence discussing War of 1812, Indian affairs, and conditions along the upper Mississippi River.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0819

# Kingsbury, Lilburn Adkin (1884- ).

**Papers, 1868-1975.** 1 box

Author; insurance agent in New Franklin, Howard County, Missouri; organist at New Franklin Methodist Church for 50 years.

Biographical and Kingsbury genealogy material; diary (original and typescript) of Sallie D. Smith, first wife of Taylor Kingsbury (father of donor), telling of her travels from her home in Howard County, Missouri, to Kentucky, June-October 1868; typescripts of Kingsbury family correspondence, 1870-1871; typescript copy of speech by Lilburn A. Kingsbury, "Methodism—200 Years," 1966; manuscript of "Heritage," by Lilburn A. Kingsbury, 1942; newsclippings and photographs of Boonslick Salt Springs, Howard County.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Lilburn A. Kingsbury Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2861

#### Kingsland Family.

Papers, 1842-1944. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Papers contain the following 12 items: (1) Letter signed Alonzo Sherwood, Gosport, Clarke County, [Alabama], to Kingsland & Lightner, September 1, 1842. Apologizes for the delay in getting a deed recorded. Mentions that the mail is carried by horses. Mentions sickness in his family. (2) Certificate stating that George Kingsland was elected a member of the Liberty Fire Company, November 27, 1848. (3) Printed notification of the office of the provost marshal of the Department of the Missouri to George Kingsland that he has been assessed the sum of \$400 as his contribution in aid of the suffering of the families driven by the rebels from southwestern Missouri, December 20, 1861. (4) Receipt signed E.H. Tunnicliff, captain, U.S. Police, for two horses, one harness, one carriage, and one buggy from George Kingsland, "to apply on execution issued as special order No. 116," January 27, 1862. Witness: H.J. Douglas. (5) Receipt signed E.H. Tunnicliff, captain, U.S. Police, for one horse "to apply on an execution issued by Bernard G. Farrar as special order No. 116," January 28, 1862. Witness: Lizzie Kingsland. (6) Printed document of the office of the provost marshal summoning George Kingsland to appear at the provost marshal's office to take the loyalty oath pursuant to Special Orders No. 300, June 26, 1862. (7) Declaration of exemption from service in the Enrolled Missouri Militia granted to Geo. Kingsland due to being over age (age 51), September 9, 1862. Document signed George Rinkel, Jr., colonel, E.M.M., St. Louis. (8) Notification of the County Board for St. Louis County that "by authority of, an in compliance with Special Order No. 91, issued by General Schofield from

Head Quarters District of Missouri, on the 28th day of August, 1862, that [George Kingsland is] required to pay the sum of \$300," November 18, 1862. (9) Summons of the Circuit Court of St. Louis County to Geo. Kingsland, ordering him to appear at the court to serve as a petit juror, September 15, 1873. (10) *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* newspaper clipping, April 21, 1938, regarding the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Bradford Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Hall, 5705 Cates Ave., and Dr. Robert Chenault Kingsland. (11) *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* newspaper clipping, August 24, 1944, regarding the wedding of Miss Fay Blake Kingsland and Aubrey Hughes Harwood, Jr., in Rye, New York. (12) Undated typescript document titled "War Roster of the Kingsland Family, 1776-1918."

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

#### A0820

# Kinkead, Theresa Harris.

The Foot-Prints of Time / by Theresa Harris Kinkead; manuscript, circa 1954. 1 folder (231 pages)

Historical novel of Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Cite as: Theresa Harris Kinkead, *The Foot-Prints of Time*, manuscript, circa 1954, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0821

#### Kinloch School District.

**Records, 1902-1939.** 5 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Records consist of 10 record books, which include minutes of monthly board meetings and financial records; various administrative reports regarding school finances, enrollments, and employees; teachers' term reports and contracts; papers regarding construction of school buildings; and receipts, bids and contracts regarding maintenance of school buildings. Cite as: Kinloch School District Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0822

Kinnaird, James (1795-1880).

Papers, 1815-1866. 2 folders (approximately 75 items)

James Kinnaird left Scotland in 1817 and emigrated to the United States. He settled in Danville, Kentucky.

Typed copies of letters from James Kinnaird to his family and friends in Scotland. Also includes genealogical information on the Kinnaird and related families.

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

#### A0823

**Kinsey Family.** 

Papers, 1899-1942. 4 folders (approximately 25 items); 1 oversize folder

William R. Kinsey (1846-1931) practiced law in St. Louis and was elected to Congress on the Republican ticket in 1889. In 1904, he was elected to the circuit bench, serving until he retired in 1916. His son was Edmund R. Kinsey (born 1873).

Papers include civic appointments by William M. Kinsey; reports and legal proceedings regarding the acquisition by the United States government of lands for use as a small arms ammunition plant, in which Edmund R. Kinsey served as appraiser.

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

#### A0824

# Kirkpatrick Family.

**Genealogy, 1958.** 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Collection consists of Kirkpatrick genealogy.

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

### A0825

Kirkwood Association (Saint Louis County, Missouri).

Proceedings, 1853-1863. 1 volume

The Kirkwood Association was a company formed to build a town or village on the line of the Pacific Railroad in St. Louis County. It was incorporated under an act of the Missouri legislature, February 9, 1853. It dissolved on December 30, 1863, after all its lots had been sold.

This volume is a minute book of the trustees of the Kirkwood Association.

Cite as: Kirkwood Association Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3131

### Kirkwood High School Class of 1949.

**Collection, 1949-1989.** 1 folder

The Kirkwood School District was founded in 1865 in Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri. In 1896, Kirkwood offered the first four-year high school program in St. Louis County; ten students were members of the first graduating class in the spring of 1897. In 1922, a new, four-year high school was built on Kirkwood Road, and in 1955 Kirkwood High School opened on a 47-acre campus.

The collection includes one program and three directories from the Kirkwood High School class of 1949 dated 1949, 1974, and 1989. The items are arranged chronologically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kirkwood High School Class of 1949 Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A3091

Kirtz, Frank Groom (1923-2005).

**Collection, 1946-2005 (bulk 1944-1962).** 1 box; 2 oversize boxes, 2 oversize folders (1 in AMD)

Frank Groom Kirtz was the only child of Dr. Frank W. Kirtz (1896-1963) and Elodia R. Groom Kirtz (1897-1981) born on 31 October 1923. He married Mary Jane Waldemer on August 4, 1953. At age 14, Frank Kirtz entered Washington University, earning his bachelor's degree in physics in 1943, a master's degree in 1944, and a law degree in 1946. He also earned a doctorate degree in chemistry from Johns Hopkins University. Kirtz taught physics at Washington University at age 19 and worked with the University's cyclotron on the Manhattan District Project during World War II. Kirtz had many varied interests but he decided to make patent law his career and opened an office at 701 Olive Street. In 1954, he wrote an anthology of case law regarding electrical inventions entitled *The Law of Electrical Invention*. Kirtz entered local politics in 1960, running for public administrator on the Republican ticket. He was also a playwright and an artist. Kirtz was also a long-time member of The Engineers' Club of St. Louis and was a principle in the medical equipment engineering firm, Med-Science Electronics.

The collection is comprised primarily of files, photographs, and two scrapbooks relating to the education and early career of Frank Groom Kirtz. The files are arranged alphabetically by topic and/or by type of document and span in date from 1920 to 2013. The bulk of the collection dates from 1944 to 1962. There are no items dated 2005 to 2012.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frank Groom Kirtz Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3092

Kirtz, Mary Jane (1922- ).

Collection, 1946-2005. 2 boxes; 4 oversize boxes; 2 oversize folders (1 in AMD)

Mary Jane Kirtz was born on 24 Oct 1922 to Edwin R. (1898-1985) and Eugenia Waldemer (1898-1989). Mary Jane graduated from Clayton High School and Washington University, earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1943 and a Master of Arts degree in 1946. On 4 August 1953, Mary Jane married Frank Groom Kirtz. In the 1950s, Mrs. Kirtz became the supervisor of education at the Missouri Historical Society. She was a member of the Wednesday Club, served on the board of the YWCA, and was an active member of Women for City Living, a group founded to combat crime and to improve the quality of living in St. Louis' Central West End neighborhood.

The collection is comprised of files and five scrapbooks (disassembled) relating to the career and community activities of Mary Jane Kirtz. It is arranged into two series: **Subject Files** (1946-2005) and **Women for City Living** (1969-1994, bulk 1969-1973). Both series are arranged alphabetically by topic.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mary Jane Kirtz Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0826

Kissel, Kathy Walsh.

**Scrapbook**, **1957-1961**. 2 boxes

Kathy Walsh Kissel attended Incarnate Word Academy from 1957 to 1961. While a student, she was a member of the varsity basketball and volleyball teams, student photographer for Incarnate Word Academy's school newspaper, *The Light*, and a member of student government. She later attended Fontbonne College.

Scrapbook of invitations, programs, photographs, and keepsakes, collected by Kathy Walsh Kissel during her years as a student at Incarnate Word Academy, St. Louis.

Cite as: Kathy Walsh Kissel Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2263

Klein, Alfred.

**Papers, 1942-1943.** 1 folder (6 items) [formerly Alphabetical File]

Collection consists of papers regarding Klein's work at Curtiss-Wright Corporation in St. Louis, including two productivity awards and correspondence informing Klein that he has been selected as a 100% Production Soldier.

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

### A3088

Klence, Michael A. (1948-).

Selective Service Papers, 1966-1972. 2 folders

Michael A. Klenc was born on 17 June 1948 in St. Louis. From 1962 to 1966, he attended high school at Holy Cross Seminary (Notre Dame, Indiana) and later attended Saint Louis

University. In 1966 during the Vietnam War, Klenc registered with the Selective Service; in 1970, he applied for conscientious objector status; in 1972, his service status was changed to 4-F.

The collection dates from 1966 to 1972 and is comprised of documents from the Selective Service and correspondence relating to Michael A. Klenc's registration and classification. The papers are arranged chronologically with the bulk of the items dating 1970. There are no items dating 1967 to 1969. The original 1972 classification certificate is closed for research; a redacted copy is available.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Michael A. Klenc Selective Service Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0827

# Klipstein & Rathmann (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# United States Post Office Architectural Drawing, 1935. 1 folder

One large blueprint showing lobby details and sections of building erected in 1937 at 18th and Market.

Cite as: Klipstein & Rathmann, United States Post Office Architectural Drawing, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2289

# Kloch, Ward C.

**Letters, 1943-1945**. 2 boxes

Ward C. Kloch was born January 20, 1909, and lived in Johnstown, New York, with his wife, Florence. He was stationed in Sampson, New York, at the United States Navy Training Station, in 1943. After several months there, he was transferred to a naval training base in St. Louis, Missouri. In 1945, he attended the U.S. Naval Receiving Station in Washington, D.C., where he learned to become an electrician. He died October 11, 2000, in Ohio.

The collection consists of letters from Ward Kloch to his wife, Florence, while he was stationed in Sampson, New York, and St. Louis, Missouri, with the navy. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ward C. Kloch Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0828

# **Knapp Family.**

# Papers, 1822-1954. 2 boxes

For many years John Knapp was president of the corporation that owned the *Missouri Republican*. He was second in command at Camp Jackson when it was taken by Captain Nathaniel Lyon on May 10, 1861. Genevieve Knapp, born 1876, married Dr. Major Guthrie McConnell (1876-1923) in 1905.

Papers include Civil War commissions and orders of John Knapp; Mrs. Genevieve Knapp McConnell's letters to her daughter Mrs. Joseph B. Taussig, while on a world cruise; diary of Genevieve Knapp McConnell, dated March 11-October 22, 1890; genealogical information on the Knapp family. Autobiography of Genevieve Knapp McConnell from 1876 to 1916, written as an adult. Contains text, photographs, and postcards, with some newsclippings and with journal of New York to South America cruise in 1936-1937.

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

### A2862

### Knell, Charles.

# Papers, 1860; no date. 6 items

Papers contain the following items: (1) Authorization of the County Court of Cooper County, Missouri, to Charles Knell to keep a dram shop in the city of Boonville, March 5, 1860. (2) Authorization of the city of Boonville, Missouri, to Charles Knell to keep a dram shop, March 5, 1860. (3) Receipt of J.A. Hayn, dealer in groceries, tobacco, liquors, etc., Boonville, to Chas. Knell for goods purchased by Knell, March 3, 1860. Affixed to this document is a note signed JA. Hayn: "Recd. of Chas. Knell one hundred seventeen 96/100 dollars being payment in full up to date," Boonville, Mo., June 30, 1860. (4) Bill of sale of a Negro slave named Emily (age about 21) from William P. Speed of Boonville to Charles Knell, April 29, 1860. Appended note signed J.L. Stephens, April 21, 1860, reads, "Having a deed of trust in above named slave Emily with other slaves, I hereby agree to release said slave from operation of said deed, and consent to above conveyance made by said Speed to said Knell." (5) Undated letter signed Henry W. Beckemeyer to the Missouri Historical Society regarding the donation of the Charles Knell papers. He mentions that after Charles Knell's death, his widow gave the papers to Beckemeyer's parents, and the papers were subsequently saved from the ruins of their home at 2332 Hickory Street, which was destroyed in the 1896 tornado. (6) Photograph of Charles Knell. Cite as: Charles Knell Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0829

# Knight, Louise O.

Collection, 1927-1980. 2 boxes; 4 oversize packages.

Louise O. Knight was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Knight. Her great-uncle was Harry F. Knight, son of Harry H. Knight, two of the financial backers of Lindbergh's New York—Paris flight. She graduated from Mary Institute and Wellesley College, and was a collector of Lindbergh books and memorabilia.

Collection of Lindbergh memorabilia including a letter from Lindbergh to A.B. Lambert, enclosing a piece of fabric from the "Spirit of St. Louis," December 25, 1928; a copy of a letter from Lindbergh to William K. Bixby regarding the film "The Spirit of St. Louis," April 10, 1957; Louise Knight's correspondence regarding her Lindbergh collection, 1961-1968, and her correspondence with book dealers, 1964-1967; letters from Charles Overall, artist, 1966-1967, regarding his portrait of Lindbergh; the original check for \$1,000 to H.H. Knight from A.B. Lambert, for the New York—Paris flight; articles, programs, menus, drawings, clippings, stamps/cancellations, photographs, scrapbooks, and a sound recording including the sound track from the motion picture "The Spirit of St. Louis," "I Can Hear It Now" radio programs with Edward R. Murrow, regarding Lindbergh's flight and America First speeches, and David Brinkley's Journal, "The Lindbergh Kidnapping," presented January 31, 1961. Louise O. Knight's inventory of collection in Box 1.

Cite as: Louise O. Knight Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2393

# **Knights of Father Mathew.**

# Collection, 1905. 2 items

Collection contains letter of Mt. Carmel Council No. 42 (St. Louis), August 23, 1905, notifying a member to present himself for initiation, and an 8-page printed bulletin of the Knights of Father Mathew, dated 1905. This bulletin includes a roster of councils in Missouri, Kansas, Illinois, and Iowa, which gives the name, location, and number of members in each council.

Cite as: Knights of Father Mathew Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2451

Knock, Franklyn A. (1893-1967).

Papers, 1910-1914. 1 folder

Franklyn A. Knock was born in Missouri in 1893, and worked as a carpenter in St. Louis. He moved to Chicago around 1914, and died there in December 1967.

Papers consist primarily of receipts and correspondence of Franklyn A. Knock and items relating to St. Louis lodges of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Franklyn A. Knock Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0830

**Koch Family.** 

**Papers, 1865-1987.** 1 box

Family of Edward Koch (1853-1924) who was born in Germany and emigrated to the United States. He married Augusta Schenken, and was the father of Adolf Koch.

Collection consists of Edward Koch family papers (photocopies) including correspondence, genealogical materials, photographs, and printed matter, 1865-1987; Edward Koch's copybook (in German); Adolf Koch's diary, July 3, 1904-March 7, 1905 (original and photocopy); Charles B. Herbst family household papers, 6084a Maple Ave. and 6418 West Park Ave., St. Louis, 1947-1954; printed booklet, South St. Louis Gymnastic Society (Turnverein), 1905-1906; a map of the United States, dated 1853 (in German; filed oversize); and three associated Germanlanguage books published in St. Louis.

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

#### A0831

Kochtitzky, Otto (1855-1935).

Papers, 1850-1935. 21 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 19 volumes

Otto Kochtitzky was born May 4, 1855, near South Bend, Indiana, to Oscar von Kochtitzky and Caroline Shidler Kochtitzky. His father was a member of an old Silesian or Polish aristocratic family of some political influence. His family moved to Missouri when Otto Kochtitzky was a child. Otto Kochtitzky attended public schools at Lebanon and Jefferson City and at the age of 16 he taught school in Laclede County. In 1875, he was sent by his father, who at that time was a land commissioner in the state department, to southeast Missouri to investigate the swamp lands of Pemiscot and New Madrid Counties. In 1881, he was placed in charge of the survey of the Little River Valley and Arkansas Railroad, built from New Madrid, Missouri, to Malden, Missouri. This was the first railroad constructed in that district and it became a link of the Cotton Belt. After this road was sold to the Cotton Belt he was made topographical engineer on the survey. In 1883, he entered the grain business at Malden, but remained in this only a short time. On November 11, 1883, he married Miss Isabella Wade. In 1901, he moved to Cape Girardeau, Missouri, where he carried on a land trading business. In 1907, he was made the chief engineer of the Little River Drainage District in southeast Missouri, where he prepared plans for the drainage system. He invented a walking excavator for ditching. Although he served his official connection with the drainage district before the actual construction of the ditches began in 1914, he maintained close contact with the construction. Otto Kochtitzky died in June 1935.

Collection includes correspondence; engineering notes, newsclippings, maps, blueprints, deeds, contracts, insurance and tax papers, plats, photographs, drawings, ledgers, and journals

concerning his work in reclaiming land in southeast Missouri swamps, records concerning the Chautauqua Club, Cape Girardeau, 1907.

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

#### A0832

# Koehler, Leonhard.

# **Daybooks**, **1859-1879**. 2 volumes

Two daybooks of blacksmith in St. Louis County, with other accounts dating as early as 1852 in volume 1, and ledger accounts as the rear of volume 2 dating from 1870-1882. In German handscript.

Found in the house of William Buerman, Rock Hill, Missouri.

Cite as: Leonhard Koehler Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0833

### Kohn, Rudolph D. (1849-1928).

# **Scrapbook, 1914-1924.** 1 volume

Writer, and treasurer of the Northern Missouri Railroad Co. and the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Railway Co.

Scrapbook contains newsclippings regarding the issue of submarines in warfare, and copies of his published poetry.

Cite as: Rudolph D. Kohn Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0834

# Koken Family.

**Papers, 1900-1970s.** 1 box; 1 scrapbook

Olive Koken Yackey was the daughter of E.E. Koken, who was associated with Koken Barbers' Supply Company, St. Louis. Wilfred Alonzo Yackey, Jr., the husband of Olive Yackey, operated Yackey Aircraft Co., in Forest Park, Illinois. Also a performer of airplane tricks, Wilfred Yackey was killed in an airplane crash. Mrs. Ellen Koken Van Schoiack was Mrs. Olive Yackey's sister.

The collection includes ten letters and a postcard addressed to Olive Koken and later Olive Kokey Yackey, 4203 Shenandoah Ave. (St. Louis), 4280 Shenandoah Ave. (St. Louis), and 406 Baker (Webster Groves, Mo.), 1897-1940, from her father, uncle, and husband. Also includes a printed biography of E.E. Koken; a photograph and newsclipping scrapbook regarding Wilfred Yackey's flying career; his pilot's license, etc., circa 1927, his Aero Club of America membership identification book, circa 1919, and several medals and pins from his flying career. Also includes a typed manuscript titled "Seeing Nellie Home," written by Ellen Koken Van Schoiack, which details the high points of her life in St. Louis and her travels. Cite as: Koken Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Konert and Son (Saint Louis, Missouri).

See H. Konert and Son (Saint Louis, Missouri).

### A0835

# Koons Family.

# **Papers, 1780-1977.** 4 boxes

Jennie Koons (1870-1955) was born in Atchison County, Missouri, and grew up on a farm. After attending high school in northwestern Arkansas, she went to Boston to study at the New

England Conservatory of Music. She returned to the Midwest to teach in country and small town schools in Missouri and Arkansas in the 1890s. She married Richard St. Clair Steele (1870-1938), a government clerk, in 1889 and lived at three Indian agencies in northern Oklahoma until 1906. She and her husband bought a farm in 1907 and worked it until 1918. Her daughter Marion Steele published her mother's letters and journals in a book titled *I Remember* in 1977.

Correspondence, receipts and miscellany relating to the Koons family in Missouri, Indiana, and North Carolina; correspondence of Jennie Koons and Richard Steele, 1888-1907 Subjects discussed in family correspondence include slavery, religion, roads, railroads, politics and real estate in Missouri; the gold rush, the Civil War, and Quakers. Manuscripts of Jennie Koons' poetry and prose; typescript manuscript of *I Remember* (letters of Jennie Koons and Richard St. Clair Steele, 1888-1907), published by their daughter Marion Steele in 1977; and weaving patterns used by the Koons family.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0836

Koop and Beck (Alton, Illinois).

**Ledger, 1838-1840.** 1 volume (229 pages)

Accounts of general store.

Cite as: Koop and Beck Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3082

Kramer & Harms (Saint Louis, Mo.).

**Records, 1948-1975.** 15 boxes, 7 map folders (AMD)

Gerhardt Kramer was born in New Orleans on 26 October 1909. In 1930, he earned a bachelor's degree in architecture from Tulane University and a master's degree from Cornell University in1932. Kramer spent his early career working in New Orleans on several historical preservation projects in the French Quarter. He worked with the firm of Hugo K. Graf. After's Graf's death in 1953, Kramer purchased the firm and operated it as Gerhardt Kramer Associates. In 1956, he partnered with Joe G. Harms and changed the firm's name to Kramer & Harms Architects.

The records relate to drive-in movie theatre projects by Gerhardt Kramer Associates and Kramer & Harms Architects from 1953 to 1975 in St. Louis County, Missouri and in Illinois, near St. Louis. Included are architectural drawings, specifications, and some correspondence relating to the projects. The files and drawings are arranged alphabetically by project name: Airway Drive-In (St. Charles Rock Rd), Bel-Air Drive-In (Mitchell, IL), Holiday Drive-In (Overland, MO), Ronnie's Drive-In (S. Lindbergh Blvd), Shop City Drive-In (East St. Louis), Thunderbird Drive-In (St. Louis).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kramer & Harms Architects Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A0837

Kramer, Gerhardt.

**Papers, 1977-1991.** 1 box

Collection contains typescript (90 pages) interview of Gerhardt Kramer by Charles B. Hosmer; manuscript essays "The Eugene Field House" (1977) and "The Chatillon-DeMenil House" (January 31, 1985); and the first chapter of a history of the Landmarks Association of St.

Louis, Inc., titled "Heritage/St. Louis."

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0838

Kraus, Minnie Mueller.

Autograph album, circa 1897. 1 volume

Cite as: Minnie Mueller Kraus Autograph Album, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0839

Krebs Family.

Papers, 1843-1924. 3 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include letters, marriage certificates, and other documents; German-language document titled "Denkspruch" for Alwina Winkelhaus, 1843; correspondence of Florence Thomas Krebs to her family and friends relating everyday experiences of life in St. Louis and smaller Missouri towns.

Some German.

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

#### A0840

Kress Family.

**Papers, 1840-1921.** 1 folder (6 items)

Papers include list of officers of the Ordnance Department, arsenals and other ordnance stations, 1840-1880; letter of J.W. Wadsworth, Washington, D.C., to Lieutenant Colonel John A. Kress, dated June 19, 1903: "I shall favor the bill you refer to. General James S. Wadsworth was my father, and I remember you when you were on his staff in 1862-1863"; letter of J.W. Wadsworth to John A. Kress, dated January 29, 1903, discussing family matters; letter to General Fitzhugh Lee regarding biography of General Robert E. Lee, July 3, 1904; newsclipping concerning biographical information on Brigadier General John A. Kress, July 5, 1914; letter of E.J. Spencer to General John A. Kress, dated March 21, 1921, regarding being elected to be honorary president for life of the West Pointers.

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

### A0841

Kroeger Family.

**Collection, 1821-1927.** 4 boxes

The Kroeger family was a German family who settled in St. Louis. Adolph E. Kroeger was a philosopher who was associated with Dr. William T. Harris in the St. Louis Movement for philosophical and psychological study. His son Ernest R. Kroeger was a nationally known musician and composer. He was master of programs of the Bureau of Music at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. He was also director of the Kroeger School of Music in St. Louis. Ernest Kroeger died in 1934.

Collection contains translations of German stories, poems, etc. from Adolph E. Kroeger; a German document dating to 1821; genealogy information; biographical information regarding Ernest Kroeger; business correspondence; correspondence of Ernest Kroeger regarding lectures, etc. Also includes books and notes concerning the Kroeger School of Music; essays, addresses, etc.; a listing of the Bureau of Music at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition expenditures; undated

letter from French composer Nadia Boulanger; and photographs of family. The collection also contains a body of Ernst R. Kroeger's manuscript music.

Some German.

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

#### A2953

Kroger Grocery & Baking Co., The (St. Louis, Mo.). Circular Christmas letter to employees, 1934. 1 item

Circular letter of The Kroger Grocery & Baking Co., written by H.V. McNamara and addressed to "My Dear Friend and Fellow Employee." The accompanying envelope is addressed to A.J. Tautphaens, Tesson Road, Affton, Mo.

Cite as: The Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. Circular Christmas Letter to Employees, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0842

Krohn, Ernst Christopher (1888-1975).

**Papers, 1917-1975.** 2 boxes

Ernst C. Krohn was a musician, lecturer, composer, and musicologist. From 1909 he was a piano teacher in St. Louis; published *A Century of Missouri Music*, 1924; was one of the early members of the American Musicological Society; the director of the Music Department at St. Louis University, 1953-1963; and a collector of books and sheet music. Krohn's library of some 8,500 books was given to the Gaylord Library at Washington University. His large collection of sheet music was donated to the Missouri Historical Society Library.

Correspondence of Krohn, correspondence secretary, and George Enzinger, president, of the Associated Musicians of St. Louis (organized 1915), 1917-1934; meeting announcement cards, directory, bills, etc. of the Associated Musicians of St. Louis, Musicians Guild of St. Louis, and Piano Teachers' Education Association; typescript of diary and accounts of Frank Gecks, St. Louis pianist, 1880-1928; typescript of Gecks' valedictory speech at Christian Brothers College, St. Louis, 1862, and his masters' oration, 1884; letters from Gecks, as a music student at Leipzig, to family and friends in St. Louis; journal of his trip, 1886-1887; two manuscript notebooks of book *Die Zehn Gabote der Neuzeit*, dedicated to Theodore Roosevelt, by Felix Heink; typescript and carbon of letters of Richard Spamer, St. Louis drama critic, 1930s; and collection of manuscript music.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Ernst Christopher Krohn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0843

Krone, Charles A. (1837-1926).

**Papers, 1850-1927.** 2 folders (7 items)

Charles A. Krone was a professional actor who was associated with Ben DeBar, an early St. Louis theater producer and proprietor. Charles Krone was also a newspaper printer in St. Louis.

Papers include marriage certificate of Charles Krone and Josephine Springmeyer, December 15, 1850; Krone correspondence; obituary of Krone, January 11, 1926; "Recollections of an Old Actor, C.A. Krone," in which he describes life during the Civil War and its relationship to the theater, circa 1906.

Cite as: Charles A. Krone Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Krone, Charles F. (1863-1922).

**Papers, 1909.** 4 items

Born in St. Louis in 1863, Charles F. Krone became a lawyer and served in the Missouri state senate. He died June 22, 1922, in St. Louis.

Papers include four letters of Missouri governor Herbert S. Hadley to Senator Charles F. Krone, mostly regarding "home rule."

Cite as: Charles F. Krone Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2991

Kruse Family.

Papers, 1914-1927. 1 folder

Papers contain eight deeds for property in St. Louis city blocks 4998 and 4913 (the deed for the latter block relates to property at 5655 Cote Brilliante Avenue). Parties to these deeds include Henry Cole and his wife, Isabella Cole; Ferdinand Kruse and his wife, Esther Kruse; Oscar E. Deichman; Otto E. Janzow; Mary C.C. Kruse, a widow; James R. Goodenough; Arthur A. Albrecht and his wife, Marie Albrecht; and W.C. Schofield. Also includes typescript letter of the Gerling Realty & Building Company, 1508 Kienlen Avenue, Wellston, Missouri, to Mrs. Marie Albrecht, Rock Island, Illinois, regarding deeds.

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

# A0844

Ku Klux Klan collection, 1868-1912. 5 folders (approximately 10 items); 1 oversize item The Ku Klux Klan originated in the turbulent, postbellum South. It called itself "an institution of Chivalry, Humanity, Mercy, and Patriotism . . . to protect the weak, the innocent, and the defenseless, from the indignities, wrongs, and outrages of the lawless, the violent, and the brutal." Originating in 1866 in Pulaski, Giles County, Tennessee, as a secret, ritualistic, social organization, it quickly changed to bands of regulators committing acts of violence throughout the Reconstruction South.

Collection contains several pamphlets, including "Revised and Amended Prescript of the Order of Ku Klux Klan" (1904), and a manuscript of a historical novel regarding the Klan, written by Laps McCord (approximately 275 pages). Also includes printed circular titled "This is the Literary Find of the Day," signed Laps D. McCord, and addressed to the *Enquirer* (Cincinnati, Ohio). The circular offers McCord's history of the Ku Klux Klan titled "The Red Gown" for publication as a Sunday serial.

Cite as: Ku Klux Klan Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0845

Kuck, Henry.

**Correspondence**, **1862-1864**; **1913**; **1934**. 1 folder (approximately 150 items)

Photocopies of correspondence from Henry Kuck, possibly while serving with the 31st Missouri Infantry. Also a photocopy of honorable withdrawal card, International Ladies Garment Workers Union.

German.

Cite as: Henry Kuck Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0846

Kuhl, Jacob (1876-1951).

Papers, 1879-1948. 10 folders (approximately 100 items)

Jacob Kuhl was the last survivor of the St. Louis crew who served with Admiral George Dewey at Manila Bay. He also served in World War I. He had a great interest in the veterans that were hospitalized at Carville, Louisiana, leprosarium.

Papers include publications pertaining to black troops in the Civil War, 1863-1864, typed; body of collection deals with leprosy and the veterans hospitalized at Carville, Louisiana, leprosarium; four issues of *The Outpost*, published by Leonard Wood Memorial for the Eradication of Leprosy, 1933-1936; material on battle of Manila Bay; seven different issues of *The Star*, 1946-1947, published by the patients of U.S. Marine Hospital National Leprosarium; newsclippings and notes of Kuhl regarding leprosy.

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

#### A0847

Kuhl, Julius.

**Paul Werner Maletz collection, 1917-1937.** 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Maletz, alias Paul Werner, was an alien military impostor. He was born in 1874 in Cologne, Germany. He allegedly served on the *U.S.S. Olympia* and *U.S.S. McCullough* with Admiral Dewey. He also represented himself as a federal agent. He voted as a U.S. citizen. The move to expose Werner was mainly through the efforts of Julius Kuhl.

Papers consist of correspondence and other items concerning Maletz, alias Paul Werner. Cite as: Paul Werner Maletz Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0848

Kuhlmann Design Group Inc. (Saint Louis, Mo).

Architecture Collection, circa 1900-1985. 800 tubes, 35 cubic feet

Approximately 1500 commercial, institutional, and planning projects in St. Louis and the region encompassing drawings, renderings, models, specifications, and office files. Firms represented include Wilbur T. Trueblood, Mauran, Russell and Garden; Mauran, Russell and Crowell; Mauran, Russell, Crowell & Mullgardt; Russell, Mullgardt, Schwarz & Van Hoeffen; Schwarz & Van Hoeffen; Schwarz & Henmi, Zobel & Fott; Henmi Jen Enderling; Henmi & Associates. See index (to most drawings) at Archives Reference Desk. Reproductions of drawings made only with permission from Kuhlmann Design Group, Inc.

Cite as: Kuhlmann Design Group Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri) Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0849

Kundermann, Gene E.

**Papers, 1940-1946.** 2 boxes

Gene Kundermann Speckert died January 7, 2002, in St. Louis County, Missouri.

College, Parkville, Missouri, and as a girl scout counselor at Cedarledge Girl Scout Camp at Pevely, Missouri. Letters include some mention of World War II. Also contains letters of Miss Gene Kundermann to her parents at 1728 Washington Ave. (St. Louis) and 706 Yeatman Ave. (Webster Groves, Mo.), dated 1945-1946, while she was working as an occupational therapist at Borden General Hospital in Chickasha, Oklahoma.

Cite as: Gene E. Kundermann Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0850

Kunkel, Charles (1868-1923).

# **Collection, 1864-1907.** 2 folders (approximately 20 items)

Noted American pianist, came to St. Louis with brother Jacob and their families, 1868. They established a music business, Kunkel Brothers, in St. Louis, circa 1907.

Collection includes autograph book of famous musicians, kept by Charles Kunkel, 1864-1909; program, complimentary testimonial to Charles Kunkel, printed on silk, May 5, 1868; correspondence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kunkel.

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

### A0851

Kunz, Victor Joseph (1899- ).

Collection, 1913-1983. 4 boxes; 1 oversize item

Victor Kunz was born in St. Louis County. He trained as an architect and spent most of his career designing bank interiors for the Bank Building Corporation. He retired in 1950 but continued as a freelance architect and designer. He produced art works concerning various St. Louis landmarks and scenes that span the years from the early 1920s to 1980s. He had more than 30 individual art shows. He twice served as the president of the Society of Independent Artists of St. Louis, which was formed to provide local artists a forum for the exchange of ideas.

The collection contains several envelopes of the history of the Society of Independent Artists (S.I.A.), a roster, articles of incorporation, and programs and papers regarding the S.I.A. Also includes programs and brochures of various St. Louis-based art and artists' associations, and information regarding exhibits outside St. Louis.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Victor Joseph Kunz Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0852

Kurtz, Charles M. (1855-1909).

Correspondence, 1894-1904. 1 folder

Letters of Charles M. Kurtz to Mr. D.B. Kurtz of New Castle, Pennsylvania, addressed "Dear Folks." Letters include discussion by Kurtz of his health and his professional activities as an art collector and as director of the Art Department of the Saint Louis Exposition and Music Hall Association, 1894-1897. Collection also includes a printed flier by Kurtz relating to the 1896 art exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition, and a printed flier from the Saint Louis Museum of Fine Arts that lists drawings by American artists owned by Kurtz and lent for exhibit, circa 1890s. Cite as: Charles M. Kurtz Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0854

# LaBarge Family.

Papers, 1860-1891. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

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

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

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

#### A0855

# LaBeaume & Klein (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Rice House Renderings, circa 1914. 1 folder

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

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

## A0856

Connecticut.

LaBeaume, Louis (1873-1961).

Papers, 1776-1947. 10 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 volume; 1 oversize folder
Born in St. Louis, attended Columbia University, opened architectural office in St. Louis, and
helped with the designing of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and Kiel Auditorium. Married
St. Louisan Emma Updike in 1905. Emma Updike LaBeaume (died 1962) was raised in St.
Louis, attended Mary Institute, and later attended Miss Porter's School in Farmington,

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

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

## A0857

LaBeaume, Theodore ( -1868).

Papers, 1832-1882. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

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

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

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

## A0858

# Labor collection, 1830-1975. 6 boxes

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

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

# A0859

Lackay Family.

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

Mary Lackay (1843-1919) was a teacher in the St. Louis public schools for over 50 years. Contains ribbons, photographs (some tin-type), genealogical materials; copy of bill of sale of Negroes, 1840; U.S. Way bill for mail to St. Charles, May 14, 1838; pass to Hugh Lackay to travel beyond city limits of St. Louis to go to Illinois, November 4, 1861; autograph book of May Lackey, 1865.

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

#### A0860

Lackland, James C. (-1862).

**Papers, 1769-1935.** 3 boxes; 11 volumes

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

Correspondence concerning the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal of which Lackland was superintendent in 1830-1832; letters received by him after moving to Missouri; letters from his sons Eli R., Henry Clay, and Norman Lackland; documents of the trial of the State vs. Philip W. Culver for the murder of Lackland's son Benjamin F. Lackland, 1849; accounts and other papers concerning Lackland's steam sawmill operations in St. Charles; accounts, daybook, constitution and minutes (1852) of the St. Charles Practicing Club; and papers relating to family affairs in Montgomery County, Maryland. Also contains four ledgers and journals of personal and business accounts of James C. Lackland from Maryland and St. Charles, Missouri, 1815-1855, including some records of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Co. of Commelin, Maryland; and seven ledgers and journals of St. Charles steam sawmill firms of Wardlaw, Lackland and Mills, Lackland and Mills, and J.C. Lackland and Sons, 1840-1858, with the 1852 constitution of the St. Charles Practicing Society in the last volume.

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

# Laclede Gas Light Co. (St. Louis, Missouri). Coupon, circa 1920s. 1 item

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

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

# A0861

Laclede, Pierre (1724-1778).

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

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

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

## A0862

Ladies Friday Musical Club (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1892-2009. 4 boxes

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

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

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0863

Ladies Union Aid Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# **Minute book, 1865-1868.** 1 volume

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

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

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

## A0864

# Lafayette County, Missouri.

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

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

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

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

See Marquis de Lafayette Collection.

## A1831

# Lafon, Mary Hale.

Architecture Collection, circa 1915. 2 folders

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

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

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

## A0865

# Laister-Kauffman Aircraft Corporation.

Newsletters, 1943-1945. 1 oversize folder

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

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

Lake, Frederick C. (1858-1939).

**Papers, 1852-1890.** 1 box

Collection name changed to John P. Camp Papers.

## A0867

Lamb, Harriet.

# **Diaries**, 1847-1852. 4 volumes

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

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

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

# A0868

Lambert, Albert Bond (1875- ).

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

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

Collection contains correspondence of Lambert and papers (blueprints, newsclippings, brochures), all concerning Lambert Airport and its expansion; studies concerning the airport, airlines, aeronautics societies, etc. Collection also includes some personal information. Cite as: Albert Bond Lambert Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2971

Lambert-St. Louis Municipal Airport.

Expansion Program Brochure, early 1950s. 1 item

Brochure includes floor plans and view of the new Terminal Building. Cite as: Lambert–St. Louis Municipal Airport Expansion Program Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0869

Lamotte, Joseph H. (-1892).

LaMotte-Coppinger Papers, 1800-1989. 7 boxes; 2 oversize folders

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

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

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

Finding aid available.

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

## **Land Collection**

See Missouri Land Records Collection.

# **Land petitions collection**

See Missouri Land Records Collection.

#### A0870

Landau, Elizabeth Burner.

Papers, 1946-1955. 1 box; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

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

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

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

## A0871

Landmarks Association of Saint Louis, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records regarding Old Post Office restoration, 1961-1965; 1970-1979. 2 boxes

Landmarks Association of St. Louis was started in 1958 by a group of citizens concerned with preserving the architectural heritage of the city as a whole and more specifically to subvert a plan of the Missouri Highway Department to raze the Bissell Mansion. The organization was first called the Committee on the Preservation and Development of St. Louis. The purpose of the group was defined in its articles of incorporation: "To survey and evaluate buildings and places within the St. Louis area, for the purpose of seeing to the preservation of that which is considered of worth, historically and architecturally, to the present and future citizens of this area, and to employ any and all legal means deemed advisable for such preservation . . ." In saving the Old Post Office, Landmarks Association was instrumental in changing federal law, which has made the preservation of historic structures throughout the country more feasible.

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

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

# A0872

Lane, Hardage (-1849). Scrapbook, 1800s. 1 volume

St. Louis physician.

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

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

#### A0873

Lane, William Carr (1789-1863).

Papers, 1813-1926. 14 boxes; 2 oversize folders

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

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

Some French.

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

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0874

Lange, Dena Floren (1888-1977).

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

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

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

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

## A0875

Lange, Torbau.

**Diary, 1841-1850.** 1 volume

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

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

Some Danish.

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

## A0876

Langsdorf Family.

**Papers, 1923-1948.** 6 boxes; 7 volumes

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

Six volumes in the journals and diaries concern Elsie Langsdorf's career. A scrapbook concerning her social work (1933-1939), her campaign for Missouri state representative (1942), scrapbook from her years as a state representative (1942-1943), senate journal (1944), indexed legislative notebook (1944), and diary (1943-1944). Journal of testimonial letters honoring

Alexander Langsdorf (1948). Major collection contains notes, minutes and programs of the St. Louis Council for Child Study and Parent Education, 1923-1934; bills and proposals regarding social issues; a typed copy of a history of Washington University; professional photographs of Alexander and Elsie Langsdorf; newsclippings of issues regarding careers of the family. Cite as: Langsdorf Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0877

# Lant, John A.

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

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

Papers include correspondence from London on opening an infant school in Illinois, 1830; 1840 draft of letter to *Boston Investigator* on laboring people; copy of lecture on co-operating and common property as most effectual remedy for evil; petition of the citizens of Greenpoint, Brooklyn, New York, titled "Liberty Memorial," January 1856, to the U.S. Congress requesting that they prohibit the admission of chattel slavery into new or annexed territores; correspondence of Lant to family; charges against Lant, 1890-1892, for placing obscene materials in mails; correspondence of Lant regarding the Moslem religion, 1894-1897; correspondence to Lant from Bombay and various places in the United States regarding missionary work of the Moslems. Cite as: John A. Lant Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2965

# LaPreta, Anthony.

# **Collection, 1863-1890.** 4 items

The collection includes the following four letters that were found in a storage locker in Florida by Anthony LaPreta: (1) Letter signed Will, camp near Clarksburg, Virginia, to his brother, May 31, 1863. Mentions that he could not get leave, and asks his brother to tell their parents to visit him. Also asks him to send him his boots and some socks. (2) Letter signed A.H. Fleming [Arlington H. Fleming(?), 4th West Virginia Cavalry], camp near Parkersburg, to his sister, September 6, 1863. Briefly discusses camp life and food in camp. (3) Letter signed Jno. M. Ebert [John M. Ebert], Frederick, [Maryland?], to his friend and cousin, June 28, 1865. Comments on the crushing of the rebellion and the end of the war. (4) Letter signed [signature illegible], Washington, Pennsylvania, to my dear little girls, July 29, 1890.

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

# A3056

# Larson Family.

# **Papers, 1904-1906.** 1 box

August Larson was born January 7, 1881, in Sweden, and immigrated to the United States in 1901. He married Hilma Larson in St. Louis, Missouri, on June 2, 1906, and they later moved to Crawford County, Missouri. Hilma Larson died October 24, 1934, in St. James, Missouri. August Larson died February 21, 1982, in Cuba, Missouri.

The collection consists primarily of letters of August Larson to his future wife, Hilma Larson, while they resided in St. Louis from 1904 to 1906. The collection also includes a few letters to Hilma Larson from friends. The letters are in Swedish with English translations. Finding aid available.

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

## A0878

# Latzer, Thomas F.

Not-for-profit organizational records, 1951-1990 (bulk 1966-1990). 28 boxes; 1 volume Thomas F. Latzer, grandson of Pet., Inc., founder Louis Latzer, joined Pet, Inc., in 1939 after earning his law degree from Harvard Law School. His initial contribution to the corporation was the establishment of the corporation's legal department. In 1949, Latzer was appointed assistant secretary of the board of directors, and in 1954 he became secretary. By 1966 he had achieved the position of vice president of the board, and it was in this capacity that he served on the boards of the many charitable organizations represented in this collection.

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

Cite as: Thomas F. Latzer Not-for-Profit Organizational Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0879

Lawrence County (Missouri Territory).

**Records, 1815-1830.** 3 volumes

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

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

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

## A0880

Laws, M.L., Rev.

Notebook and diary, 1863-1871. 2 volumes

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

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

# A0881

Lawther, James. Letterbook, 1860-1864. 1 volume Insurance and real estate agent in Red Wing, Minnesota, also dealt with shipping of store merchandise.

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

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

# A0882

League of Women Voters (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Papers, 1906-1962.** 10 boxes

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

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

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

#### A3016

# Lebocq, General.

# Printed citation to La Section Sanitaire Americaine No. 2, 1917 Aug 1. 1 item

This citation signed General Lebocq, 73rd Division, French Army, commends La Section Americaine No. 2 [the American Sanitary Section No. 2] for the remarkable manner in which the ambulance drivers transported the wounded in recent days during World War I. (in French) Cite as: General Lebocq printed citation to La Section Sanitaire Americaine No. 2, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0883

Ledlie, Charles Hees (1861-1940).

**Papers, 1856-1906.** 7 boxes

Charles Hees Ledlie (1861-1940) was born July 26, 1861, in Palatine Bridge, New York, the son of Brigadier General James Hewitt and Catherine Hees Ledlie. He was educated in public schools, and graduated from Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, in 1882. On February 11, 1885, he married Elizabeth Lucas Johnson in St. Louis. His professional work as consulting engineer began with the Old Nevada Central Railroad where he was vice-president and in charge of engineering construction and operations. From 1901-1903 he was consulting engineer for the

New Orleans Railways Company. From that period until his death in 1940, he was closely identified with St. Louis. During the early years of the 20th century he was consulting engineer for the Chainlike Telephone Company, the Union Electric Company, the St. Louis and Suburban Railroad Company, and many other firms throughout the country. Ledlie also served on a committee that negotiated the contract for furnishing electricity for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

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

Finding aid available.

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

## A0884

Lee, Bradley D. (1838-1897).

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

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

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

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

# A0885

Lee, John F. (1848-1926).

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

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

Ten letters of Ellen Lee in Washington, D.C., to her husband, John F. Lee, stationed at the arsenal in St. Louis. Canceled checks, newsclippings, genealogical material of the two sons of John F. and Eleanor Lee: John F. Lee, St. Louis lawyer, and William H. Lee, St. Louis banker. Both sons were active civic leaders. Newsclippings of various obituaries for the family. Cite as: John F. Lee Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0886

Lee, Robert E. (1807-1870).

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

Engineer, soldier, educator.

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

Finding aid available

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

#### A3105

# LeFlore, Shirley (1940-2019).

# Homegoing Service Program, 2019. 1 folder

Shirley Joyce Bradley was born on March 6, 1940, to Annetta and Monroe Bradley. In 1967, she married jazz musician Floyd LeFlore. Mrs. LeFlore was a graduate of Sumner High School and Lincoln University and earned a master's degree in psychology from Washington University. She was a charter member of the Black Artists Group (BAG), founded the Creative Arts and Expressions Lab, was a performance poet, and was selected as St. Louis's second poet laureate.

The collection consists of a 16-page program from the homegoing service for Shirley LeFlore. In addition to the order of service, the program includes a detailed biography of Mrs. LeFlore emphasizing her contributions to the arts, photographs, and poems and reminiscences celebrating her life.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Shirley LeFlore Homegoing Service Program, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0887

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

Papers contain various forms of legal papers ranging from document signed George the Second of Great Britain, April 5, 1731, to land claims in rural Missouri. Cite as: Legal Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2931

# Legler, August M.

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

Certificate of August M. Legler who joined the service December 14, 1917, at St. Louis, Mo., and served in the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, 11<sup>th</sup> Company, 2<sup>nd</sup> M.M. Regiment. Cite as: August M. Legler Illustrated Souvenir Certificate of Military Service in World War I, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0888

# Lehmann, Frederick (1853-1931).

# Autograph collection, 1695-1931. 1 box

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

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

original letters, photographs of American authors, George Ade to John A. Wyeth. Cite as: Frederick Lehmann Autograph Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1795

Leidecker, Kurt F. (1902-1991). Collection, 1857-1984. 8 boxes

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

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

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

## A0889

Leighton, George Eliot (1835-1901).

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

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

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0890

Leimkuhler, F. Ray.

# Architectural Plans, 1934-circa 1935. 2 folders

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

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

# A0891

Lemp Family.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## A0892

Leonard, Abiel.

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

Real estate broker.

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

# A1814

**Leonard, Esther, Dr. (1892-). Papers, 1914-1919.** 1 folder

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

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

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

## A2539

Leopold Frohlich's Universal-Reise-Taschenbuch.

**Circular, [1838?].** 1 item

Circular announcing the publication of *Leopold Frohlich's Universal-Reise-Taschenbuch* [Universal Travel Pocketbook] by Dr. C.R. Leopold Langner. (In German, includes translation.) Cite as: Leopold Frohlich's Universal-Reise-Taschenbuch Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0893

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

**Collection, 1969-1993.** 150 linear feet.

The *Lesbian and Gay News Telegraph* is a St. Louis–based gay and lesbian newspaper, edited by Jim Thomas, which was founded in 1980.

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

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

Finding aid available.

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

## A0894

Lesieur, Godfrey (1798-1872).

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

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

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

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

## A2886

Leu Family.

**Papers, 1901-1941.** 1 folder

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

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

#### A3057

Levy, Patricia and Mayer

**Papers, 1987-2000.** 2 boxes

Patricia (Pat) and Mayer Levy devoted their time to working with AIDS organizations after they lost their youngest son, Michael Jay Levy (1957-1987), to the disease on 26 March 1987 in San Francisco, California. The Levy's devoted much of their time in subsequent years to HIV/AIDS awareness, education, and assistance.

The collection contains correspondence, programs and brochures, speeches, newspaper and magazine clippings, educational and training materials, and awards and certificates pertaining to the Levys' work with local and national AIDS organizations. It dates from 1987 to 2002 and is arranged alphabetically by topic.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Patricia and Mayer Levy Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0895

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

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

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

project. Permission to build on the former "Pickel Property" was granted in 1958.

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

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

# Lewis, Charles

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

#### A0896

Lewis, Henry (1819-1904).

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

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

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

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

## A2542

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

Notes, circa 1910. 1 folder (2 items)

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

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

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

# A3152

Lewis, James P. (1924-2018) and Dorothy A. (1929- ). Celebration Programs, 2018-2019. 1 folder.

James Peter Lewis was born September 22, 1924, in Carbondale, Illinois, to William B. and Ethel A. (Williams) Lewis. He graduated from the Lovejoy School in 1939 and from Alton Senior High School in 1943. Lewis served in the U.S. Navy during World War II, assigned to

beach landing crafts as a motorman, most notably in the Philippines and Okinawa. After his naval service, he attended Tuskegee University and graduated in 1951 with a degree in automotive engineering. While at Tuskegee, Lewis met Dorothy Arnold. The couple married on June 12, 1951, after Lewis's graduation, and they relocated to Alton, Illinois. Dorothy was born April 20, 1929, in New Orleans to Wilbert and Maude Arnold. She pursued a career in nursing and worked many years at St. Mary's Hospital (Clayton, Missouri) and later in private duty nursing. She retired in 1991. The couple celebrated 66 years of marriage before Lewis's death on May 8. 2018.

The collection is comprised of two items: James Peter Lewis's homegoing service book, 2018, and Dorothy Arnold Lewis's birthday celebration program, 2019. The items are arranged chronologically.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: James P. and Dorothy A. Lewis Celebration Programs, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0897

**Lewis, Meriwether (1774-1809).** 

Collection, 1776-1960 (bulk 1791-1820). 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 2 rolls microfilm (2 sets) Collection is an amalgamation of original documents, photostats, photo reproductions and typescripts of documents from other collections, newsclippings, postcards and other ephemeral material that was apparently gathered from a variety of sources in an attempt to form a collection related to the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A3174

Lewis Place (Saint Louis, Mo.)

# Oral History Project Transcripts, 2008-2009. 9 folders

The Missouri Historical Society embarked upon the Lewis Place Oral History Project for the History Happened Here program to document the street's role in eliminating barriers to fair housing in St. Louis. The project also sought to record the memories of current residents in their ongoing efforts to safeguard its legacy and sustain the neighborhood. William A. Lewis and family began developing Lewis Place in 1890. It is a three-block street with a center parkway lined on both sides with beautiful homes built between 1890 and 1928. Seventy-eight homes comprise the Lewis Place Historic District, which was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1980. In 1943, Lewis Place was the first private street where the racial line was breached in St. Louis.

The collection is comprised of ten oral history interview transcripts for interviews with nine individuals conducted by historian Gwen Moore of the Missouri Historical Society for the Lewis Place Oral History Project. The video interviews were conducted between September 2008 and January 2009. The transcripts are arranged alphabetically by name of interviewee. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lewis Place Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0898

Lewis, William J.

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

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

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

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

#### A0899

# Lewis-Robertson Family.

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

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

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

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

#### A0900

# Lexington, Chillicothe and Gulf Rail Road Company (Lexington, Missouri). Minute book, 1869-1872. 1 volume

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

# A0901

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

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

information regarding library information, 1940-1969.

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

#### A2389

## Liederkranz Fair Art Exhibition.

Catalogue, no date. 1 item (2 copies)

Includes a list of 65 works of art.

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

# A3039

# Liesmann, Frederick J. (1879-1948)

**Papers, 1898-c.1966.** 1 box (21 folders)

Frederick J. Liesmann (1879-1948) was a writer and artist from Dixon, Missouri. He served in the infantry in the Spanish-American War (1898) and in the Philippine-American War (1899-1901). The collection contains correspondence (1898-1901), documents relating to Liesmann's military service (c.1898-c.1966), reminiscences (1946), two short stories (1932), and photographs (1898-1918). The photographs relate to Liesmann's military service in Cuba and the Philippine Islands; to the military service of his friend Edward St. Clair; and to the service of his younger brother, Jake Liesmann (1886-1918), in World War I. The folders are arranged alphabetically by title.

Finding aid available.

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

# **Lighting Collection**

See Downtown Lighting Association Records.

## A0902

Lincoln, Abraham (1809-1865).

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

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

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

## A0904

Lindbergh, Charles Augustus (1902-1974).

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

Aviator, scientist, writer, and conservationist.

Correspondence, journals, logbooks, notebooks, financial and legal documents, literary productions, printed material, maps, sheet music, stamps, and scrapbooks. Much of the material pertains to Lindbergh's 1927 transatlantic flight from New York to Paris, including Lindbergh's preparations for the flight and the world's response to the event. Additional papers record Lindbergh's interest during the 1930s in the promotion and development of aviation, his pursuit of a scientific career at the Rockefeller Institute in New York City where he collaborated with

French biologist Dr. Alexis Carrel in developing the perfusion pump, and the beginnings of the distinguished literary careers of both Charles and Anne Morrow Lindbergh. The papers also contain some material regarding the kidnapping of the Lindberghs' son in 1932, and the public's response to Lindbergh's radio addresses in 1940 advocating non-intervention of the United States in the impending war in Europe.

Finding aid available.

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

# A0903

# **Lindbergh collection, 1918-1987.** 3 boxes

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

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

## A1798

# **Lindell Estate Commissioners.**

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

James T. Sweringen, Charles K. Dickson, and Charles H. Peck were appointed commissioners by virtue of an agreement dated April 4, 1862, between the heirs of Peter Lindell, deceased, to partition, divide, and allot the estate of Peter Lindell. The commissioners' report includes several plats compiled by surveyor William H. Cozens. Two maps of Cozens are housed separately in an oversize folder: (1) Map of Peter Lindell's 2nd Addition being within U.S. Survey Numbers 2500, 2712, 903, 3340, & 1813, T.45N.R.7.E. (1862), and (2) Subdivision of the Western Portion of Lot No. 4, U.S. Survey No. 2037, T.45N.R.6E in name of Charles Gratiot (no date). (Transferred from Library, August 2002.)

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

## A0905

# Lindell Hotel (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Floor Plans, ca. 1860s. 1 folder

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

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

## A0906

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

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

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

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

# A0907

Lindenschmit family.

**Papers, 1917-1967.** 10 folders

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

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

## A0908

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

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

Boxes 1-4 contain correspondence of the Sibley family regarding family matters, acts with the Mexican Road Commissioners, family genealogy, and Indian matters. Box 5 contains Sibley genealogy, photostats of newsclippings, a copy of the incorporation papers of the Lindenwood Female College, 1929. Also includes the records of the Sibley Society and the records of the House of Bethany, 1866. The Sibley Society was an organization formed at the Lindenwood College to promote the study of literature and the House of Bethany was a Christian sisterhood organization formed to visit the families of soldiers and all others who needed special attention. Boxes 7-8 contain transcripts of the Sibley letters transcribed by Kate L. Gregg. Boxes 9-10 contain index cards from Kate L. Gregg. The collection also contains George C. Sibley diaries, 1808-1843, commonplace books, 1845-1855, notes on Indian tribes, 1811, letterbook, 1810, expedition to Mexico, 1827-1834, History of the Presbyterian Church, 1849, account books, 1823, 1824, 1844-1859; Dr. John Sibley diaries; records from Lindenwood College, 1839-1840; journal of Mary Easton Sibley; Strother account book, 1854; and geometry book of Archibald Shobe.

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Inventory of collection in box 1.

# Returned to Lindenwood University (August 2017).

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

# A0909

Lingenfelder, Julius.

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

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

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

Some German.

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

## A0910

Link Family.

Papers, 1758-1902; 1942; 1949. 4 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 oversize folder Papers include correspondence, estate papers, genealogical information on Link family; information on Theodore Carl Link; notebook of Theodore Carl Link including mentions of Karl Bitter, 1903. Collection also includes three blueprints of St. Louis Union Station, designed by Theodore C. Link, traced and revised, 1942, 1949.

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

## A0911

Link, J. Joseph, Dr.

Family papers 1920s-1968. 5 boxes

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

Correspondence, estate papers, account books, medical notebooks, and literary manuscripts of J. Joseph Link and family. Includes contracts, receipts for work on residence; papers regarding zoning regulations of Link property at 3550 Russell Boulevard; material regarding case of St. Ferdinand Sewer District vs. Jacob Michel Realty Company, 1940, and vs. J.J. Link, et al, regarding unpaid taxes; diary of a trip to Mexico, 1940; manuscript of a tour through the West, 1927; account books, 1950-1961; Joseph Link's medical notebooks; notebooks and daybooks of Ed Ferrenbach, 1946, son-in-law of Link; autograph book of Lena Michel Link, 1878; and literary manuscripts of Dr. Link including numerous essays on peace, and those of his book, *Two Coeval Evils*.

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

## A2238

Link-Hall Family.

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

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

The collection is arranged chronologically and consists primarily of letters written to Robert

R. Link and his wife, Eliza J. Link. These letters are mostly written by friends, political acquaintances, and colleagues. Several letters discuss Prohibition Party activities in Illinois in 1892.

Finding aid available.

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

# A3182

Links, Inc. St. Louis Chapter (1948- ). Records, 1948-2011. 2 boxes

The St. Louis Chapter is part of the Links, Incorporated, a historically African American national women's service organization committed to educational, cultural, and civic activities. The national organization was founded in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in 1946 to respond to the needs and aspirations of black women. The Links developed five facets of service, which include services to youth, the arts, national trends and services, international trends and services, and health and human services. The St. Louis chapter, the fourth oldest chapter in the country, was chartered in April 1948. Six ladies met at the home of Mrs. Blanche Sinkler on February 20, 1948, to organize the club, which was to sponsor at least one charitable project each year. Those present included Blanche Sinkler, who served as the chapter's first president; Mary Evans; Charlotte Ford; Melba Sweets; Olie Carpenter; and Joy Blache.

The records date from 1948 to 2011 and are comprised primarily of meeting minutes, reports, handbooks, and various items such programs, photographs, and newspaper clippings related to events sponsored by the St. Louis Chapter of the Links, Inc. The collection is arranged into two series: Minutes/Records and Events. The Minutes/Records series is arranged alphabetically by topic/type of records. The Events series is arranged chronologically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Links, Inc. St. Louis Chapter Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A0912

Linn and Sargent (Sainte Genevieve, Missouri).

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

Indexed accounts of Lewis F. Linn and Ichabod Sargent.

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

# A0913

Linn, Lewis Fields (1795-1843).

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

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

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

# A0914

Lionberger, Isaac H. (1854-1948).

**Papers, 1806-1943.** 4 boxes; 1 volume

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

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

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

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

## A0915

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

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

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

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

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

# A0916

Lipscomb, J.D.

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

Accounts of Moberly, Missouri, blacksmith.

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

## A0917

Lipscomb, Jennie.

Notebook, 1879. 1 volume

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

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

## A0918

Lisa, Manuel (1772-1820).

Papers, 1774-1836; 1908-1927; 1971. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

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

Correspondence and official documents of and relating to Manuel Lisa, including court proceedings and testimony from the court of common pleas involving him.

Some French and Spanish, with some translations.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

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

## A0919

Lischer, Benno Edward (1876-1959).

**Autobiography, circa 1954.** 1 folder (103 pages)

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

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

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

#### A0920

# Litigation collection, 1773-1901. 3 boxes

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

Finding aid available.

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

#### A3009

# Littmann Family.

Papers, 1921-1997. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

Born in Germany in 1846, Max Littmann became the president of the Nixdorff-Krein Manufacturing Company (St. Louis, Missouri). He died August 6, 1921, in Germany. One of his children was Bernhard Littmann, who died March 28, 1969. Bernhard's son Dr. Lewis Ezekiel Littmann was a longtime St. Louis doctor who died July 7, 1987, in St. Louis at the age of 74.

Papers contain five certificates of Dr. Lewis E. Littmann dated 1938-1986; Washington University diploma of Lewis Ezekiel Littmann, June 8, 1937; resolution of the Nixdorff-Krein Manufacturing Company in memory of Bernhard Littmann, April 22, 1969; memorial card of the Nixdorff-Krein Manufacturing Company upon the death of their president Max Littmann, which occurred in Heidelberg, Germany, August 6, 1921; program of the awards ceremony and reception honoring field faculty panel members, preceptors and community agencies, held by the Department of Community Medicine, St. Louis University School of Medicine, May 29, 1974; St. Louis Globe-Democrat Sunday Magazine clipping titled "Quit Bridge to Run a Garage: Miss Marguerite Cohn Studied Under Work, Taught and Lectured on the Popular Card Game in St. Louis and on a Circuit of Three Other Cities for Five Years, Until the Offer Was Made for Her to Take Charge of an Automobile Servicing Station, of Which She Is Now the Proprietor," January 22, 1933 (Miss Cohn resided at 7479 Kingsbury Blvd.; she was proprietor of the Delwest Garage at 540 DeBaliviere Ave.; she was Lewis Littmann's aunt-in-law); envelope of the Arkansas State Board of Health addressed to Miss Marguerite Cohn, 7426 Parkdale, St. Louis, Missouri, postmarked April 7-8, 1943; and photocopy of a stock chart of the Nixdorff-Krein Manufacturing Company, circa 1997.

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

# A2320

# Litton, N.W.

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

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

Cite as: N.W. Litton Letter to Jno. S. Phelps, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0921

Litzelfelner and Brother.

**Ledger, 1885-1886.** 1 volume

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

Book of receipts listing articles received and the name of steamboat articles arrived on. Cite as: Litzelfelner and Brother Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2357

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

Pamphlet, circa 1917. 1 item

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

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

## A1832

# Lodge of the Four Seasons/Lake of the Ozarks Development. Collection, circa 1930-1950.

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

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

#### A0923

Loeb, Isidore.

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

Isidore Loeb was the president of the University of Missouri and the dean of the School of

Commerce and Finance at Washington University. He resided for a time at 105 Arundel Place, Clayton, St. Louis County, Mo.

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

# A0924

Loewenstein, Bert.

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

Missouri author.

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

# A0925

Lofts, Charles.

Diary, 1851 Apr-Nov. 1 volume

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

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

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

#### A2370

Logan, Charles W.

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

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

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

Finding aid available.

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

## A0927

Long, Charles Dixon.

**Collection, 1940-1972.** 1 box

St. Louis attorney.

Correspondence regarding genealogical research on the Long and Dixon families. Cite as: Charles Dixon Long Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0928

Long, Edward V. (1908-1972).

Scrapbooks, 1954-1967. 5 volumes

Edward V. Long was a U.S. senator from Missouri from 1960 to 1968. In 1945, he was elected to the Missouri Senate, where he served until elected lieutenant governor in 1956. He resigned that post in 1960 to accept appointment as U.S. senator, filing the vacancy created by

the death of Senator Thomas C. Hennings, Jr., and was elected to complete the term. On November 6, 1962, he won re-election to a full six-year term. His political fortunes began to ebb in 1967 when *Life* magazine published an article charging that Senator Long had misused an investigation into possible federal wiretapping to keep then teamster president Jimmy Hoffa out of jail. Another *Life* article in 1968 accused Long of intervening to have a public housing project in St. Louis redesigned to use gas instead of electric heat. The story said Long acted to favor a pipefitters local union that *Life* said contributed to Long's campaign fund. He was defeated in 1968 by Thomas Eagleton. During the course of his Senate career, Long was known as a champion of citizen's constitutional rights. He successfully opposed passage of legislation in 1963 to legalize wiretapping, which he called "an insidious attempt to wipe out the right of privacy." He married Florence Secor. He died in 1972 at his home in Eolia, Missouri.

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

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

## A0926

Long Family.

**Papers, 1880s-1890s.** 2 volumes

Two scrapbooks of newsclippings reporting curious and relatively minor events in St. Louis, 1886, and 1880s-1890s. Genealogical material on the Long family inserted into first volume. Cite as: Long Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0929

Long, I.A.

Papers, 1944-1983. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

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

Preliminary inventory available.

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

## A0930

Long, John F. (1816-1888).

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

John Fenton Long was born on the White Haven Farm in St. Louis County in 1816. He was the son of William Lindsay Long (1789-1849) and Elizabeth Sappington Long (1789-1849), builders of the original White Haven home, and grandson of Captain John Long, Revolutionary

War veteran and early resident of St. Louis. The Dent family purchased White Haven four years after John F. Long's birth and remained closely associated with the Long family. John F. Long married Frances Pipkin (1820-1863), and the couple had three daughters: Susan, Lillie, and Emaline. After Frances's death, he married Mary N. (Sappington) Vale, widow of Humphrey Vale. John and Mary had no children by birth, but adopted a daughter, Mary Hardesty. John F. Long was educated in St. Louis and became a schoolteacher. He later served in a number of official offices including police chief of the City of St. Louis, St. Louis County marshal, county judge, and collector of customs of the port of St. Louis. He also served on the St. Louis city council. He was a close friend of U.S. Grant and served as Grant's St. Louis agent during his presidency. He died in 1888.

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

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

# Long, Stephen H.

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

## A3053

# Long-Payne Family.

Deeds, 1830-1877. 1 folder (4 items); 1 oversize folder

Lawrence Long (1750-1803) and his wife Priscilla (1756-1822) came to Missouri in the late 17<sup>th</sup> century. They settled in the area now known as Chesterfield. Their youngest son, Nicholas, married Sallie Post, daughter of John Post and niece of Justus Post. Nicholas and Sallie Long had four children. Nicholas died in 1837 and was buried in Long Cemetery in Chesterfield. His daughter, Mary Elizabeth Long (1832-1896) married Elbridge G. Payne (1818-1874) and built a home in Bridgeton.

The collection consists of four land deeds. The two earliest deeds date 1831 and 1837 and described land acquired by Nicholas Long. The third and fourth deeds belong to Elbridge and Mary E. Payne, respectively.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Long-Payne Family Deeds, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A2236

# Looker, Benjamin.

# **Collection, 1967-2004.** 2 items

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

Collection includes typescript titled "Interviews on the Black Artists' Group (BAG) of St. Louis" (365 pages; includes an index), conducted, transcribed, and compiled by Benjamin Looker in 2004. This typescript includes "information on the Black Artists' Group, a collective of artists working in various media that existed in St. Louis, Missouri, from 1968-72. In addition to BAG, the interviews touch on a number of subjects that may be of interest to other researchers, including racial politics and political activism in 1960s St. Louis, artistic collectives in other cities, and the 1970s jazz performance scene in New York City loft buildings." The collection also includes photocopies of documents from the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (184 pages) relating to The Warlords, a black

nationalist group that existed in East St. Louis, Illinois, in the 1960s and early 1970s. These documents were acquired by Looker in response to a Freedom of Information Act request that he filed with the F.B.I. The documents include information on the black power movement and the broader civil rights movement in the St. Louis area.

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

# A0931

# Lord Family.

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

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

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

# A0932

# Lorimer Family.

**Papers**, **1839-1980**. 1 folder

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

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

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

## A0933

# Loring, William Wing (-1886).

# Journal, 1857 May 1-Aug 16. 1 volume

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

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

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

# A2140

# Louisiana Purchase Exposition and World's Columbian Exposition. Scrapbook, 1893-1904. 1 item

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

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

## A0934

# Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

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

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

This collection consists of the official records of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition
Company, formed to plan and operate the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The collection consists
of records related to the initial conception and planning of the exposition from 1898; the official
records of the four divisions of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, namely, the
Divisions of Works, Exhibits, Exploitation, and Concessions and Admissions; the minutes of the
Executive Committee, the Board of Directors, and the Stockholders; the records of the
Committee on Finance and the Legal Department, including the ledgers and account books and
material relating to post-exposition litigation; correspondence and other materials related to the
restoration of Forest Park; and materials relating to the official history of exposition, including
some of the records of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Historical Association. It includes
plans for the Electricity and Machinery Building, Walker and Kimball, architects, Boston and
Omaha.

Finding aid available.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0936

# **Louisiana Purchase Exposition Oral History Project. Collection, 1979.** 1 box

An oral history project was undertaken by the staff of the Missouri Historical Society on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. This collection contains transcripts or partial transcripts of some of the tapes; slides of the participants; material regarding Negro Day at the fair, including minutes of the Executive Committee of the Committee on Negro Day of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Walter Farmer, chairman. The thirty-two oral history interviews (on audiocassette) of persons who attended the Louisiana Purchase Exposition were transferred to the the Missouri Historical Society's Media Collection in 2001, and compact disc copies of the tapes are available in the Missouri History Museum Library. The consent/donation forms of the participants were transferred to Registration in February 2020.

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

#### A0935

# Louisiana Purchase Historical Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

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

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

See also Jefferson Memorial Building Collection.

Cite as: Louisiana Purchase Historical Association (Saint Louis, Missouri) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

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

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

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

## A0938

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

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

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

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

See Missouri. Supreme Court. Records.

## A0939

Louisiana Territory. Military Command (Saint Louis).

Adjutant's record, 1803-1805. 1 volume

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

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

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

#### A0940

Love, James Edwin (1830-1905).

**Papers, 1859-1865.** 2 boxes

James Edwin Love was born September 27, 1830, in County Antrim, Ireland. He emigrated

to the United States in 1849, settling first in Cincinnati and then in St. Louis. He traveled to Australia in 1854 and remained there for four years before returning to St. Louis. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War, he enlisted as a sergeant in Company D, 5th United States Reserve Corps (3 months). After his regiment was mustered out in August 1861, he spent several months on unattached service in Missouri and western Kansas, before being mustered into the 8th Kansas Infantry at Fort Leavenworth in February 1862. He rose to the rank of captain. He was wounded and taken prisoner in the Battle of Chickamauga, and was confined in Libby Prison and other Confederate prisons before his escape in February 1865. On May 2, 1865, he married Miss Eliza (Molly) Wilson in St. Louis, where he spent the remainder of his life. He died December 27, 1905.

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

Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0941

Lovejoy, Elijah.

Estate Papers, 1847. 1 folder

Papers concerning the estate of Elijah Lovejoy. Photocopies only.

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

# A0942

Lowenstein, Julius.

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

H. Lowenstein & Co., dealers in furs, hides, pelts, wool, feathers, etc., Marshall, Missouri. Records, accounts, account books and ledgers, pertaining to H. Lowenstein & Co., dealers in furs, hides, pelts, wool, feathers, etc., Marshall, Missouri. Declaration of bankruptcy by Julius Lowenstein, Eastern District Court, St. Louis, 1867; various accounts of Julius Lowenstein, Virden, Illinois, with St. Louis merchants for men's fur hats, beaver sack coats, blue jeans pants, and other clothing, 1869; various accounts, receipts of the Lowenstein family, mainly in Quincy, Illinois, 1870-1879; papers of the Lowenstein family, Marshall, Missouri, 1880-1899; business correspondence of Henry Lowenstein and Ben Lowenstein, Marshall, Missouri; account books and ledger of purchases (1909-1912) of beeswax, badgers, beavers, bear, feathers, fox, green hides, sheep pelts, hog skins, and minks, 1818-1912. Also contains H. Lowenstein and Company accounts of furs, hides, feathers, beeswax, tallow, and pecans, and includes three ledgers (1888-1892, 1905-1909, and 1919-1921); two daybooks (1896-1911 and 1919-1922); and two cashbooks (1901-1902 and 1912-1914).

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

## A2967

Loy, Jane, Mrs.

# Autograph Book, 1881-1885. 1 item

Autograph book includes autographs and notes of friends and family. The following are among those who wrote notes to Mrs. Jane Loy or signed the book: niece Minnie, Eureka, August 23, 1881; niece Ella Loy, Eureka, Kansas, August 20, 1881; Robt. Loy [Robert Loy], Eureka, Kansas, August 23, 1881; Jennie Loy (Mrs. R. Loy), Eureka, Kansas, August 20; Allie J. Loy, Eureka, Kansas, August 23, 1881; niece Annie, Eureka, August 20, 1881; John G. Loy, Eureka, Kansas, August 23, 1881; Mrs. Bland, Eureka, Kansas; husband, Jno. Loy [John Loy]; Mrs. Thos. Noble [Mrs. Thomas Noble], September 3, 1882; Tonny Loy, Todds Points, Shelby County, Illinois, October 8, 1882; A.H. Thompson, Ivanpah, Kansas; E.P. Thompson, Ivanpah, Kansas; Emma Atkinson, Todds Point, October 3; friend Jessie, Carondelet, October 30, 1882; Carrie Rabenau, Marshfield, Mo., March 6, 1883; Lulie Deibel [Leslie Deibel?], St. Louis, March 11, 1883; Polly Rawlings, Eureka, Kansas, June 1882; L.T. Ancell[?], August 27, 1883; Mrs. B. Upper, Buffalo, August 2, 1884; Chas. O. Upper [Charles O. Upper], Buffalo, August 3, 1884; Carrie Lesser, St. Louis, September 1, 1885; Annie Tucker, Hannibal, Mo., March 2, 1883; Thos. H. Bradshaw [Thomas H. Bradshaw], Jacksonville, Mo., August 5, 1883; Mrs. Dennis, Cairo, Mo., August 27; Nettie Upper, August 3, 1884; Mamie T. Rosborough, St. Louis, April 28, 1883; cousin Maggie, Buffalo, August 16, 1884; Lincoln K. Loy, St. Louis, October 9, 1882; and C.J. Donovan, Buffalo, New York, August 4, 1884.

Cite as: Mrs. Jane Loy Autograph Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0943

# Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian Church (Saint Louis, Missouri). Record book, 1878-1890. 1 volume

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

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

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

## A2498

Lucas, James H. et al.

# Letter to the Board of Park Commissioners, 1870 Oct 29. 1 item

Letter signed James H. Lucas and 14 others, St. Louis, Missouri, to the Board of Park Commissioners, congratulating the board for the improvements made to Missouri Park. Cite as: James H. Lucas et al. Letter to the Board of Park Commissioners, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0944

Lucas, John Baptiste Charles (1758-1842). Family papers, 1754-1943. 21 boxes; 1 oversize folder

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

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

#### A0945

Lucke Family.

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

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

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

#### A0946

Ludington, Emily Sheppard.

**Papers, 1959-1973.** 2 boxes

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

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

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

#### A0947

Ludlow and Smith (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1835-1850.** 6 volumes

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

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

Cite as: Ludlow and Smith Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2911

Ludlow, B.C.

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

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

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

#### A0948

Ludlow Family.

Ludlow-Field-Maury family papers, 1784; 1817-1945. 18 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Correspondence, diaries, journals, biographical material, clippings of writings, scrapbooks, memorandum books, notebooks, and printed material, relating to the Ludlow, Field, and Maury families. Includes material on the first real theater west of the Mississippi, the American Dramatic Fund, Sir William Drummond Stewart's Rocky Mountain expedition, the mountains and prairies, art, and the formation of Christian Science in St. Louis. Persons represented include Noah Miller Ludlow (1795-1886), actor, producer, and theater owner; his daughter Cornelia B. (Ludlow) Field; her husband Matthew C. Field (1808-1844), actor and writer; and the Fields' granddaughter Cornelia F. Maury, St. Louis artist. The Matthew C. Field items include three small journals of his Rocky Mountain Expedition with Sir William D. Stewart, 1843 (Journal #3, dated August 6-August 29, 1843, includes a narrative of William L. Sublette's overland trip in 1827. The narrative begins after Field's diary entry for August 21.).

Collection is indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Ludlow-Field-Maury Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0949

Ludlow, Margaret.

**Scrapbook, 1897-1904.** 1 volume

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

## A0950

**Ludlow, Noah Miller (1795-1886).** 

Subscription list, no date. 1 folder; 1 volume

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

This volume is a list of subscribers for Ludlow's book *Dramatic Life as I Found It*, and is accompanied by a letter of presentation of the volume to the Missouri Historical Society in 1882. Cite as: Noah Miller Ludlow Subscription List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0951

Ludwig, Johann Valentin, Dr.

**Family papers, 1781-1925.** 2 boxes

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

#### German.

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

#### A0952

Luer, William Joseph.

Papers, 1887; 1909. 1 oversize folder

Baptismal certificate of William Joseph Luer, 1887; marriage certificate of William J. Luer and Minnie D. J. Linder[?]; and undated plans for the home of William Luer in Fairmont, Illinois, by Henry Dreisoerner, architect, St. Louis.

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

# A0953

Luppold, M[athias?].

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

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

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

#### A0954

Luttig, John C.

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

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

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

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

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

# A0955

Lyle, Alexander Lacev.

Journal, 1833. 1 volume

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

Journal of genealogical records extracted from the Lyle family Bible.

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

### A0956

Lyle, Oscar K.

**Journals, 1901-1912.** 2 volumes

Oscar Kennett Lyle was born January 5, 1839, in St. Louis, Missouri, the sixth of 14 children of Alexander Lacy Lyle and Caroline Bobb Lyle. Alexander Lacy Lyle worked as a carpenter and later as a building contractor until 1846, when, after acquiring considerable means, he and

Henry T. Blow entered into the manufacture of white lead and oils in St. Louis. In 1849 George Collier of St. Louis joined Lyle and Blow in the business, leading to the establishment of the Collier White Lead and Oil Company, which became a nationally recognized concern. Oscar K. Lyle's journals contain entries describing his early years in St. Louis and Macoupin County, Illinois. By 1859 Oscar had joined his father at the White Lead and Oil Company where he worked as a clerk. In 1863, Oscar married Emma Walton and the following year the couple had a daughter, Emma Genevieve Lyle. Emma Walton Lyle died in 1866, and in 1867 Oscar moved to New Orleans, where, according to his diary, he worked for Charles Slayback and Company, grain commission merchants. In New Orleans, Lyle fell victim to the yellow fever epidemic of 1868, which he describes in his journal. Oscar returned to St. Louis in 1870, and was employed as the secretary of the St. Louis Barrel Works. By 1872, Oscar is listed as the company's superintendent. Alice C. Moody became Oscar's second wife in 1874. The couple had no children of their own, and apparently left St. Louis in 1878.

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

Finding aid available.

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

#### A0957

Lynch, William Adam.

Journal, 1869. 1 volume

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

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

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

#### A3110

Lyon, Henry (1826-1888).

# Naturalization Document, 1857. 1 item

Henry Lyon was born in Prussia in 1826. By 1852, he had emigrated to the United States, and by 1857 had settled in Missouri. He married Caroline Marks, and they had nine children. Lyon was a dry goods merchant and was also the president of the United Hebrew Congregation of St. Louis in 1875. He died in 1888 and is buried at the United Hebrew Cemetery.

This collection is comprised of the naturalization document issued to Henry Lyon by the clerk of the St. Louis Circuit Court on April 4, 1857. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Henry Lyon Naturalization Document, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2980

# Lyon, Montague, Jr.

# Papers, 1894-1942. 8 items

Papers contain the following items: (1) Announcement of the marriage of Montague Lyon and Miss Frances Robnett Smith, August 30, 1894, St. Louis ("at home after October first, 1219 Jones Street"). (2) Soldan High School program for presentation of "The Rivals," December 23, 1913. (3) Program for the graduating exercises of Soldan High School, January 23, 1914. (4) Page from the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*, February 10, 1924, showing portraits of 45 of St. Louis' eligible bachelors, including Montague Lyon, Jr. (filed oversize). (5) Typescript letter of the secretary to the President (on stationery of The White House, Washington) to Montague Lyon, 506 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo., December 22, 1932, stating that the president will not be able to attend the national convention of the Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity at Cleveland. (6) Letter signed Montague's parents to Genevieve (Mrs. Montague Lyon, Jr.), 7016 Waterman Ave, September 22, 1928. (7) Distinguished service award certificate of the Greater St. Louis War Chest, Inc., to Montague Lyon, November 26, 1942. (8) Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity certificate of membership awarded to Montague Lyon, Jr., no date.

Cite as: Montague Lyon, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Lyon's Legion.

# Descriptive book, 1861-1862. 1 volume

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

#### A0959

M. Bleifuss and Co. (Ste. Genevieve, Missouri).

Journal, 1852-1858. 1 volume; 1 folder

General store, Michael Bleifuss, proprietor.

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

From the Bolduc House in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri.

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

#### A0960

M.J. Sheehan Co. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Business Ledgers, 1887-1899. 2 volumes

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

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

#### A2163

Maas and Steffen Fur Company.

**Collection, 1838-1946.** 1 folder

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

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

Finding aid available.

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

#### A1001

McAdams, Clark.

**Papers, 1862-1940.** 4 boxes

Clark McAdams was born on a farm near Otterville, Jersey County, Illinois, in1874. He was the son of William McAdams (1835-1895) and Ann Eliza Curtis McAdams (1847-1933). He spent his early life in Alton, Illinois, and attended Shurtleff College. His first newspaper work was in Alton, where he served as editor of the *Alton Republican* in the 1890s. He was a member of the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* staff for over 35 years and was in charge of its editorial page from 1929 until 1934, shortly before his death on November 29, 1935. He was one of the founders of the St. Louis Artists Guild and was its president for the 22 years preceding his death. He was also an avid outdoorsman, devoted to wildlife and game conservation. He married Laura Baker of Alton in 1904.

Collection includes correspondence of Clark McAdams with his wife during their married

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

Finding aid available.

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

#### A1002

McAnally, David Rice (1810-1895).

Papers, 1780-1904. 2 boxes

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

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

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

#### A0961

Macbeth, Malcolm (1865-1910).

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

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

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

### A2231

McCarthy, Edwin J. (1894-1973).

**Correspondence, 1918-1943.** 1 folder (14 items)

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

The collection consists of correspondence from McCarthy's family, primarily his brothers

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

Some French.

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

#### A0962

MacCarthy Family.

**Papers, 1887-1889, 1947-1971.** 2 boxes

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

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

#### A2548

McClellan, J.G.

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

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

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

#### A1003

McClellan, Josiah G. (-1890).

Gould's Universal Index, 1859. 1 volume

Died in Batavia, Illinois.

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

Cite as: Josiah G. McClellan's copy of Gould's Universal Index, 1859, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1004

McCoy, Ellen Waddle (1818-1893).

**Papers, 1834-1865.** 1 box

Eleanor (Ellen) Waddle McCoy, born in Chillicothe, Ohio, was one of nine children born to John Waddle (1783-1831), a prominent merchant who had emigrated from Belfast, Ireland, settling in Chillicothe in 1802. Ellen's siblings included Angus (1st lieutenant and adjutant, 33rd Ohio Volunteer Infantry), John, William, and Lucy. In 1852, she moved to Independence, Missouri, and married William McCoy, a merchant and banker. William McCoy (1813-1900)

was also born in Chillicothe, and with his brother John moved to Independence, Missouri, in June 1838, and in partnership with Carey A. Lee of Kentucky, opened a store under the name of McCoy and Lee. William McCoy also formed the firm of Waldo, Hall & Co., which ultimately started the overland mail service to Santa Fe, New Mexico. In addition, McCoy opened a bank in Independence, and in 1849 was elected the first mayor of that city. William McCoy and his wife, Ellen, had two children, Allen L. and Nancy (Nannie). Nannie married Charles L. Minor of Independence and had two daughters, Grace and Eleanor. John McCoy's daughter Jane (Jennie) married Samuel H. Woodson, a lawyer and mayor of Independence, 1892-1902, and had two daughters, Elizabeth and Margaret. William H. Dennis (1840-1862) served in Company D, 7th Illinois Volunteer Cavalry, during the Civil War. His connection with the McCoys or Waddles is unknown.

The collection consists primarily of letters to Ellen Waddle McCoy, before and after her marriage, from her husband; from her sister Lucy, who remained in Chillicothe, Ohio; and from her brothers William and John. The letters from her husband, William, dated in the 1840s from Independence, Missouri, describe its early development and the beginning of westward migration. The collection also includes significant Civil War correspondence. Letters of Angus Waddle to Ellen McCoy, 1862-1864, describe the activities of the 33rd Ohio from Perryville, Kentucky; Stone's River, Tennessee; Chattanooga, Tennessee; Chickamauga, Tennessee; to the progress of Sherman's Atlanta campaign through Resaca, Rome, Big Shanty, Marietta and Atlanta. Also includes the semi-literate correspondence of William H. Dennis, dating from the organization of the 7th Illinois Volunteer Cavalry at Camp Butler, Illinois, in 1861, through the regiment's assignments in Missouri (New Madrid and Island #10), Tennessee, and Mississippi, and continuing until Dennis' death (presumably from illness) in late 1862. The collection also includes Civil War letters of Ellen and her friends and relatives describing bushwhackers and the generally unsettled conditions in western Missouri during the war.

Cite as: Ellen Waddle McCoy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1005

McCulloch, Richard.

**Letterbook**, **1894-1904**. 1 volume

Chief engineer, National Railway Co., St. Louis, and representative and consultant in France and Switzerland for building of street railways. He also built the Baden, St. Louis and Southwestern Railways, and was in charge of changing the Citizen Railway from cable to electric traction.

Letterbook of St. Louis and international railway engineer, 1894-1904, containing business correspondence in reference to the production of a tramway in Geneva, Switzerland. Some French.

Cite as: Richard McCulloch Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1006

McDaniel, Samuel M. (1844- ).

Reminiscences, 1910. 4 volumes

Samuel M. McDaniel was born June 7, 1844, in Pettis County, Missouri. His grandfather had changed the family name from McDonald to McDaniel. In December 1861 McDaniel left home to work his way through Union-controlled territory to join Gen. Mosby Monroe Parsons' infantry division under the command of Gen. Sterling Price's Confederate forces. McDaniel served as an artillery man at the battle of Pea Ridge, Arkansas (March 7-8, 1862) and later served as a courier with the Confederate forces in Arkansas. He terminated his military service at the end of 1864.

After the war McDaniel attended Chester Academy in Chester, Illinois (1865), and soon thereafter taught third grade in Kaskaskia, Illinois. He also attended McKendree College in Lebanon, Illinois, and "united with" the Methodist Episcopal Church. He later joined the "Christian Church" and began to try his hand preaching (December 1867). By 1870 McDaniel had become a part-time preacher, in addition to farming, and by 1872, was preaching full time at Miami, Missouri. In addition, he acted as a part-time preacher for churches in Slater and Norborne (Carroll County) and in Lamine (Cooper County). Subsequent ministries were in Higginsville, Clinton, and Paris in Missouri; and then in Little Rock, Arkansas. McDaniel later returned to Missouri for pastoral positions at Fayette and Warrensburg (1893). After retirement, he continued to live in Warrensburg until deteriorating health prompted him to move to Kansas City in 1905.

Samuel B. McDaniel's reminiscences consist of two manuscript volumes with two volumes of typed transcripts. The volumes discuss McDaniel's family origins, the New Madrid earthquake of 1811, contacts with hostile Indians, westward migration from the Mississippi region, the trials of homesteading in new country, and the lynching of a Negro accused of murdering a white woman. McDaniel's narrative also discusses his Civil War activities; his postwar activities as a student, laborer, and teacher; his call to the ministry; his marriage, and his pastoral work. Also includes comments on slavery and on the "Drake Constitution" of Missouri.

Cite as: Samuel M. McDaniel Reminiscences, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0963

MacDonald Construction Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1959-1972.** 89 boxes; 4 volumes

Construction company located in St. Louis. Assisted in the construction of the Gateway Arch, St. Louis.

Records contain building plans, specifications, and blueprints for construction work done by company. Also includes financial records and correspondence of the company; records regarding construction of the John M. Olin Library at Washington University; and some records regarding the construction of the Gateway Arch. The bulk of the collection is unprocessed.

Cite as: MacDonald Construction Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2295

MacDowell, Earl B. (1875-1945).

Letter to wife, 1927 July 9. 1 item

Earl B. MacDowell was a salesman and resident of Kansas City, Missouri.

Letter of Earl B. MacDowell to his wife, written on the stationery of the Huntington Arms Hotel, 5560 Pershing Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Letter is postmarked July 9, 1927. The letterhead includes an illustration of the hotel.

Cite as: Earl B. MacDowell Letter to Wife, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1007

McElhinney, Alexander (1824-1895).

Papers, 1856-1902; 1909. 8 volumes

Alexander McElhinney was born February 10, 1824, in Butler County, Pennsylvania. He settled in Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County, in 1845 and during the Civil War served as adjutant of the 1st Enrolled Missouri Militia. After the war he practiced law in St. Louis County. He was named notary public in St. Louis County in 1884. He died July 2, 1895, in Clayton,

Missouri. His son John W. McElhinney (1851-1928) was St. Louis County attorney and notary public from 1877 to 1883.

Civil War records of the 1st Enrolled Missouri Militia (Union) consisting of oaths of neutrality of foreign-born residents sworn before Lieutenant Alexander McElhinney and Lieutenant John McDonald at Camp Bates, Manchester, Missouri, 1862, with list of volunteer enrollees; regimental order book from Camp Bates, William P. Fenn, commander, Alexander McElhinney, adjutant (1862-1863), with personal and professional accounts of Alexander McElhinney (1873 and 1884). Ledgers of law practice of Alexander McElhinney (1856-1878 and 1864-1879), with some isolated regimental records from 1864. Ledgers of law practice of John W. McElhinney, 1874-1902. Record and minute books of John W. McElhinney, notary public, 1877-1881; and baseball scrapbook of John W. McElhinney, 1909.

Cite as: Alexander McElhinney Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2322

# McEvers, N.D.

# Steamboat Bills of Lading Record Book, 1888 Apr-1889 Dec. 1 item (148 pages)

This record book of N.D. McEvers includes bills of lading for goods shipped by various steamboats from Montezuma, Illinois, primarily to St. Louis, Missouri. (A small number of the bills are for goods shipped to Peoria, Illinois.) Most of these bills of lading are for the steamboats *Calhoun, Cherokee*, and *D.H. Pike*. These bills of lading include the name of the recipient (usually a business) and a list of the articles shipped and the weight of these articles. Cite as: N.D. McEvers Steamboat Bills of Lading Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1008

# McEwen, James, Jr.

# McEwen family papers, 1726-1927. 1 box

James McEwen, Jr., was the son of James McEwen, Sr., and his wife, Frances (1877-1864). He moved to Rockville, Indiana, in 1826, and married Frances Wolton Swearingen (1811- ) of Franklin, Ohio. They had at least four children: Charles, Margaret, James Robert, and Mary Frances. In 1852, James McEwen, Jr., traveled without his family to prospect in California and mine the Grass Valley/Iowa Hill area near Sacramento, while working as a sawmill manager to support himself. He returned east in 1856 or 1857 to Davenport, Iowa, where he bought a farm. He moved his family from Rockport to Davenport, and the family lived in Iowa until 1863, when they returned permanently to Indiana. The McEwen's daughter Frances married John J. Safely of Boone County, Iowa, in 1866. Safely had served in the Civil War as a captain with the 13th Iowa Infantry and after his marriage pursued mining interests. Margaret McEwen married William Henry Nye. Their known children were Marshall, Hattie, and Willie. James Robert McEwen's children were James W., Charles F., and Edna. As of 1886 he was an engineer in St. Louis.

Papers consist mainly of family correspondence including letters of James McEwen, Sr., to his son; letters from friends to James, Jr., and letters from James, Jr., to his future wife, Frances Swearingen. The collection also includes letters of James, Jr., written to his family while he traveled westward to California, and describe life in the gold rush region. One lengthy letter describes the conditions of a wagon train traveling west (folder 4). The collection also includes Civil War letters received by Mary Frances McEwen from several soldiers in Iowa regiments. One letter from a Captain Charlie describes Union losses in the Red River Campaign. Others describe the siege of Corinth, Mississippi. The largest body of letters are from her future husband, John J. Safely, who was with Sherman on his Atlanta campaign. Their datelines reflect

the route of Sherman's army through Resaca, Kenesaw Mountain, Marietta, Big Shanty, and Atlanta. One particularly graphic letter describes the hand-to-hand combat of the 13th Iowa Infantry in the battle of Atlanta (folder 10, July 23, 1864). The Civil War material also includes some personal papers of Capt. Safely, two official notes from Brig. Gen. William K. Belknap, and a copy of a letter from Safely to Mrs. William T. Sherman offering her the flag from the state capitol building in Charleston, South Carolina. Also includes a variety of family correspondence from the postwar period, consisting of letters of Mary Frances to her mother and sister; letters of Margaret to her mother; correspondence between Mary Frances and Margaret; and letters from John J. Safely to Mary Frances written while traveling on business in the West, one of which describes an adventurous trip from Yuma, Arizona, to a sulphur mine in Mexico. The collection also includes some Nye family papers.

Cite as: McEwen Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1009

McFadden, Johnson L.

**Daybook, 1854-1868.** 1 volume (170 pages)

Records of Boonville, Missouri, tailor.

Cite as: Johnson L. McFadden Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1010

McFerran, James H.B. (1819-1891).

Papers, 1859-1891. 2 folders (approximately 15 items)

James H.B. McFerran was born September 17, 1819, in Hancock, Washington County, Maryland. In 1848, he moved to Gallatin, Missouri, where he began to practice law. He served as a state legislator and circuit court judge. In April 1862 he organized the 1st Cavalry, Missouri State Militia. He was mustered out in February 1865, and moved to Colorado Springs in 1873. He died there in October 1891.

Papers include certificate of election of McFerran as Missouri circuit judge, 17th judicial; muster-out roll; general and special army orders; reminiscences of General Sterling Price's Campaign, second battle of Independence, Missouri; printed copy of closing speech for the state made by William H. Wallace, prosecuting attorney for Jackson County, Missouri, in trial of Frank James for murder at Gallatin, Missouri.

Cite as: James H.B. McFerran Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1011

McGibbons, John Harmon (1866-).

Certificates, 1887-1928. 1 oversize folder

Diplomas from Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois, June 5, 1887-1891; and certificates of appointment and honor related to positions held and honors received in connection with international expositions, including the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1892-1907; and certificate of honor and membership in the Civil Legion for World War I service as a member of the American Protective League, 1928.

Some French and Japanese.

Cite as: John Harmon McGibbons Certificates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1012

McGuire, Phillip.

Papers, 1807-1838. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers include receipts, business accounts of Phillip McGuire from Washington County, Missouri.

Cite as: Phillip McGuire Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1013

# McGunnegle, George K., III.

McGunnegle family papers, 1862-1901. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

George K. McGunnegle, Sr. (1800-1878), came on horseback from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to St. Louis in 1821 to work for his cousin Capt. James McGunnegle (1785-1829), who was U.S. Army quartermaster for the area. George, Sr., formed a wholesale grocery business of McGunnegle & Way with James C. Way, a venture that failed in the 1830s. He then became active in the insurance business from 1837 to 1873, serving as president of the St. Louis Insurance Company. Of his eight children, George K, McGunnegle, Jr. (1839-1918), was a captain in the Civil War (Union) and served most as an aide to his brother-in-law Major General John W. Davidson. Another son William S. McGunnegle served in the navy during the Civil War and rose to the rank of lieutenant before retiring in the 1870s. George, Jr's., son George K. McGunnegle, III (1874- ), worked in the paint industry in St. Louis.

Collection consists of the papers of George K. McGunnegle, Sr., Jr., and III. Includes Civil War commissions (2nd lieutenant, 77th New York State Volunteers, and 1st lieutenant, Company D, 1st Wisconsin Cavalry) and orders for George, Jr.; George, Sr's., will; and newsclippings (mostly obituaries) from the late-nineteenth and early-twentieth centuries. The bulk of the collection relates to George K. McGunnegle, III, in part relating to the paint industry. Some papers relate to a grievance he had with the Lehmann Machine Company and its president Frank Niehaus; other papers relate to his efforts to publicize the accomplishments of his grandfather, George, Sr.

Cite as: McGunnegle Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2736

Mackenzie Family.

**Papers, 1813-1899.** 1 box

Kenneth Mackenzie was born April 15, 1797, in Rosshire, Scotland. He emigrated to Quebec in the 1810s, where he found employment as a clerk with the North West Company. He moved to St. Louis in 1822, and eventually became president of the Columbia Fur Company and later the Upper Missouri Outfit of the American Fur Company. On June 26, 1842, he married Mary Marshall. He died April 26, 1861.

Papers consist primarily of business correspondence of Kenneth Mackenzie; correspondence of Mackenzie with his wife, Mrs. Mary Marshall Mackenzie; and correspondence of Jane Marshall with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Marshall Mackenzie. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mackenzie Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0964

MacKenzie, Kenneth (1797-1861).

Papers, 1796-1918 (bulk 1833-1893). 4 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Fur trader and merchant. Born in Scotland, 1797, died 1861. Went to Canada, entered the employ of the North West Co. In 1822, came to St. Louis, applied for citizenship. Organized the Columbia Fur Co. with trade extending north to the headwaters of the Mississippi River, east to the Great Lakes and west to the Missouri River. In 1827, MacKenzie's outfit merged with the

American Fur Company, Upper Missouri Outfit. He built Fort Union (1929) and in 1834 was charged with operating a distillery there. He joined the firm of Chouteau and MacKenzie that same year, and remained until the company dissolved in 1841; was associated with P. Chouteau, Jr., & Co., until 1850 when he continued his business as a commission merchant. Invested heavily in lands in Missouri, Illinois, and Minnesota.

Business, personal, and family correspondence; accounts (1842-1857) with business firms in St. Louis; legal documents; real estate papers (1840-1884) of St. Louis properties; bills of sale (1828-1841) for slaves; papers (1849) of a sawmill operation in St. Louis; contract (1847) for building a wharf boat, St. Louis; steamboat shipping orders; and bills. Correspondents include John Jacob Astor, Benjamin F. Baker, Pierre Chouteau, Jr., Ramsey Crooks, Alexander Faribault, William Laidlaw, D.A. MacKenzie, and H.H. Sibley. Additional materials include papers relating to the lead business (early 1840s), later family papers, and Civil War materials. Cite as: Kenneth MacKenzie Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1014

McKinley, Emilie R. (1833- ). Diary, 1863-1864. 1 volume

Miss Emilie R. McKinley was a teacher from Tennessee who lived on a large plantation (85 slaves) owned by a widow named Ellen D. Batchelor (1826-1893), wife of Napoleon B. Batchelor (1815-1850), and mother of Thomas B. Batchelor (1838-1868) and George B. Batchelor (1839-1908), both of whom served with the Confederate army during the Civil War. The Batchelor plantation was located three miles south of Bovina, Mississippi, and six miles east-southeast of Vicksburg.

The McKinley narrative, dated May 18, 1863-March 18, 1864, starts the day before the beginning of the siege of Vicksburg, when Union troops crossed the Big Black River and began surrounding the city. McKinley's diary relates rumors of the event and the hopes for relief that were commonplace in Vicksburg and the surrounding area, and the reluctance to accept the fact of its fall. Written from a civilian point of view, much of the diary is devoted to describing the interaction between area residents and the occupying Union troops. Union soldiers appeared frequently at the Batchelor residence and, according to McKinley, were continually demanding food, and appear to have taken most of what was available in the way of livestock, grain, flour, sugar, etc., as well as jewelry and other valuables. McKinley also writes of more social contacts between residents and soldiers and recounts occasions where soldiers demanded meals at the Batchelor home. The diary also notes a great deal of destruction in the vicinity: the burning of cotton gins, destruction of homes and barns, much of which McKinley saw while traveling through the region to visit friends. McKinley also describes events following the fall of Vicksburg, including frequent contact with high-ranking Union officers such as Generals Grant, MacPherson, Osterhaus, Sherman, and McClernand, when area residents registered complaints and made, sometimes successful, appeals for assistance in recovering pilfered goods and livestock, or guards to protect residents from unrestricted looting. McKinley also addresses the relationships between former slaves and the slave owners and characterizing them as uncertain and unstable. Finally, she relates that the Union control of the region was not absolute, as evidenced by occasional contact with Confederate scouting parties in the region and reports of an occasional skirmish.

Diary is published in Gordon A. Cotton, editor, *From the Pen of a She-Rebel: The Civil War Diary of Emilie Riley McKinley*, University of South Carolina Press, 2001. Cite as: Emilie R. McKinley Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2993

McKinley, William, President (1843-1901).

# Memorial Card, 1901 Sept 19. 1 item

Memorial card of President William McKinley including his portrait.

Cite as: President William McKinley Memorial Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1015

McKinney Family.

Papers, 1909; 1942. 1 folder

Inventory and daily sales for James McKinney's general store in Naylor, Missouri, 1909; two undated animated moving picture tickets; two World War II ration books issued to Herbert Lee Gamber and Norma Lee Gamber; receipt for piano lessons

Cite as: McKinney Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2369

McKinney, Mary E.

**Papers, 1881-1914.** 14 items

Mary E. McKinney was born circa 1858, and lived in various locations in Missouri. She married Houston Hoss, and died May 28, 1920, in St. Louis. Various members of the McKinney family resided in Missouri, Oregon, and Texas. Mary E. McKinney's sister Florence moved from Missouri to Oregon in 1883.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence of various McKinney family members, mostly residing in Missouri and Oregon, to Mary E. McKinney. Also includes some correspondence with family friends.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mary E. McKinney Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2903

Mackler, Jacob H.

**Papers, 1918-1920; no date.** 5 items

Papers include (1) a letter signed Philip McCollum, St. Joseph, Mo., to Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Mackler, 1118 Clara Ave., St. Louis, Mo., January 23, 1918, congratulating them on the birth of their child. Also discusses his thoughts of running for a state office, and mentions that he is doing freelance writing for newspapers and magazines. (2) Letter signed Jake [Jacob H. Mackler] to his wife and son, August 23, 1920. (3) Postcard of the Missouri State Capitol, Jefferson City, with note on back signed Jake to Mrs. J.H. Mackler, postmarked December 16, 1918. (4) Portrait photograph of Jacob Mackler and (5) a photograph of Jacob Mackler with his young son, Boris Mackler.

Cite as: Jacob H. Mackler Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1016

McManus, William L., Dr.

**Daybook, 1846-1848.** 1 volume (100 pages)

Records of practice of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, physician.

Cite as: William L. McManus Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1017

# **McMurtry Family.**

**Papers, 1861-1947.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

James S. McMurtry served as captain of Company H, 31st Missouri Infantry (Union), from September 1862 to August 1863. He was captured in Mississippi in December 1862, paroled, and exchanged. In August 1864 he enrolled as 1st lieutenant in Company A, 47th Missouri Infantry. He was promoted to captain and was discharged in March 1865. He died February 2, 1902, in St. Louis County.

Collection contains letters to and from James McMurtry and family regarding the Civil War. Also includes tax receipts of family, 1864-1947; financial notes; muster-out roll of Company A, 47th Missouri Infantry, August 29, 1864; deeds; leases; official papers, 1862-1865; probate records of James, Jane and William McMurtry and a patent for a dumping wagon, October 3, 1876, to Wm. McMurtry.

Cite as: McMurtry Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2470

# McMurtry, J.S.

# Circular titled "Buy a Home in Eastern Oklahoma," no date. 1 item

J.S. McMurtry was a real estate agent in Quay, Oklahoma.

Circular includes descriptions and prices of five plots of land for sale.

Cite as: J.S. McMurtry Circular Titled "Buy a Home in Eastern Oklahoma," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1018

# McNair, Alexander.

Collection, 1812-1924. 3 folders (approximately 35 items); 1 oversize folder

Alexander McNair was the first governor of the state of Missouri.

McNair family genealogy; correspondence while in office regarding political matters; court clerk's transcript of testimony in suit relating to the McNair property, giving in full testimony of witnesses of interest; newspaper articles regarding McNair; obituary of Marie Bakewell; certificate of appointment of Patrick Walsh as notary public in St. Louis County, January 12, 1821.

Cite as: Alexander McNair Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1019

McNeal, Virginia (1912-1995?).

Scrapbook 1928-1929. 1 volume; 1 folder

One volume "Stunt Book" contains photograph of friends, relatives, pets; clippings, greeting cards, "reminiscences," awards and programs. The purchased blank book was designed and illustrated by Elizabeth Colborne, published by The Reilly & Lee Co., Chicago. Interesting examples of border designs and spot illustrations from the period.

Cite as: Virginia McNeal Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0965

# Macon County, Missouri.

**Defalcation papers, 1871-1912.** 4 folders (approximately 50 items)

The collection deals with the suits instituted against Macon County for payments of bonds for the building of a road issued to the Missouri and Mississippi Railroad Company—a road that was never built.

Cite as: Macon County, Missouri, Defalcation Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1020

McPheeters, William M., Dr.

Papers, 1852-1903 (bulk 1861-1868). 1 box; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Dr. William Marcellus McPheeters was born December 3, 1815, in Raleigh, North Carolina. He arrived in St. Louis in 1841. In 1862, he fled St. Louis and joined the Confederate army as a surgeon. In 1865, his wife and children were banished from St. Louis and joined Dr. McPheeters in Arkansas. Following the war, the McPheeters family returned to St. Louis, where Dr. McPheeters died March 15, 1905.

Civil War diary of William M. McPheeters, dated June 1863 to June 1865. Scrapbook of Civil War clippings, family correspondence, testimony concerning treatment of Mrs. McPheeters by Union army, statement of reasons why Dr. McPheeters joined the Confederate army. Records of Missouri Southern Relief Association, with letter and receipt from Varina Davis for funds sent to aid Davis after the war. (Diary is published in Cynthia Dehaven Pitcock and Bill J. Gurley, editors, *I Acted from Principle: The Civil War Diary of Dr. William M. McPheeters, Confederate Surgeon in the Trans-Mississippi*, Fayetteville, Arkansas, University of Arkansas Press, 2002.) List of manuscripts at beginning of collection.

Cite as: William M. McPheeters Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1021

McQuie, R.E., Rev.

# The Rev. R.E. McQuie memorial collection, 1861-1935. 51 volumes

Rev. Robert E. McQuie (1848-1936), Rev. Robert S. Duncan (1832-1909).

Contains 51 bound volumes of marriage records, sermons, notes, receipts, etc. from United Baptist of Christ Church in Montgomery City, Missouri, foreign missions, and other area churches, including Bear Creek, Indian Creek, and Good Templar Lodge. Most belonged to Rev. Robert S. Duncan; others belonged to Rev. R.E. McQuie.

Cite as: The Rev. R.E. McQuie Memorial Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1022

McRee Family.

Papers, 1819-1928. 1 folder (approximately 15 items); 2 oversize folders

Appointment of William McRee on surveyor of public lands in Illinois and Missouri, 1824, 1825, 1828; several military commissions given to Samuel McRee, 1832-1849; some family and personal correspondence; license of Ferguson McRee, 1861, to practice law in Missouri; sketch of the life of James Fergus McRee as it appeared in *News and Observer* (Raleigh, North Carolina), 1928.

Cite as: McRee Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1839

McWilliams, Nancy and Kate.

Papers, 1863-1866. 4 items

Nancy and Kate McWilliams resided in Olney, Illinois, in the 1860s.

Collection contains the following four letters addressed to Nancy and/or Kate McWilliams: letter signed Herbert Reed of the 8th Illinois Infantry, dated Vicksburg, Mississippi, September

4, 1863; two letters signed by Union soldier Rollie, dated Etowah River [near Cartersville, Georgia], July 16, 1864, and Cartersville, September 11, 1864, which contain mentions of food and prayer meetings in camp; and letter signed Miss Ama Ohm, dated Etna, Illinois, February 3, 1866.

Cite as: Nancy and Kate McWilliams Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0966

Madison County, Missouri.

Collection, 1814-1962. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Various deeds regarding Madison County, assorted papers concerning Mine LaMotte, 1917, blueprints, legal papers; manuscript in pencil, "Mine LaMotte, Missouri; Its Exploitation by the Missouri Metals Corporation with Especial References to Their Ability to Produce Copper, Nickel, and Cobalt," by L.A. Parsons.

Cite as: Madison County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0967

Maffitt Realty and Investment Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1899-1943.** 4 volumes

Founded in 1899.

Corporate records, consisting of minute book (1899-1927), trial balance ledger (1932-1943), cashbook (1936-1943), and ledger (1941-1943).

Cite as: Maffitt Realty and Investment Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0968

Magill, Ellen.

**Papers, 1837-1887.** 1 box (137 items)

Ellen Rose Magill was born circa 1834 (she was listed as 16 years of age in the 1850 census) in Missouri and died March 27, 1920. She was the daughter of Dr. Samuel and Rebecca Magill. She lived in Florissant [St. Ferdinand] all her life. She died in the Old Folks Home located at 6600 Washington Avenue in St. Louis and was buried at the Fee Fee Cemetery at 11210 St. Charles Rock Road.

Collection consists primarily of letters written to Ellen Magill from various members of her family and some from friends. There are also business letters concerning land and some dealing with a cousin, Lucy Sullivan, whose account at St. Vincent's Institution was paid for by Ellen and Jane Magill. Also includes freight receipts for items and money sent to St. Vincent's Institution and an account book from a local grocery store. The letters from family and friends relate to family and local news. The areas of interest are Florissant, Mexico and St. Louis, Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ellen Magill Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2927

Magnin, Marcella.

Collection, 1901-1941. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

The collection, which was donated by Marcella Magnin in 1994, consists primarily of programs for events in St. Louis and advertising material for St. Louis businesses. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Marcella Magnin Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3142

Magnus-Von Drehle Family.

Papers, 1887-1981. 3 folders.

Hugo William Magnus, the oldest son of Edward and Regina (Meis) Magnus, was born in Macon, Missouri, in 1892. He enlisted in the army in June 1918 and served as a private in the 164th Depot Brigade at Camp Funston, Kansas. He received an honorable discharge in December 1918. Hugo returned to St. Louis and later married Elizabeth (Lee) Von Drehle, the younger sister of his friend Henry Von Drehle. Robert Von Drehle was born in 1908, the youngest child of Dietrich and Anna Von Drehle and the youngest brother of Elizabeth (Von Drehle) Magnus. He was a college graduate, enlisted in the U.S Army in September 1942, and received his discharge in September 1945. The 1940 census reveals that Robert and his father, Dietrich, resided with Hugo and Elizabeth Magnus.

The papers consist of letters written by Hugo Magnus during World War I to his sisters, letters written by Robert Von Drehle during World War II to his sister, and Edward and Regina Magnus family genealogical information. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic and date from 1887 to 1981. There are several large date gaps in the papers: 1888-1917, 1919-1941, and 1946-1980.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Magnus-Von Drehle Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0969

Maguolo, George J. (1893-1975).

**Papers, 1917-1945.** 3 boxes

George John Maguolo, the son of Italian immigrants Ferdinand D. Maguolo, who was a cabinet worker in Venice, and Florina Maguolo, was born October 11, 1893, in St. Louis. He graduated from Yeatman High School and studied architecture at Washington University before entering the army in November 1917. Maguolo served in France until 1919, when he returned to St. Louis to resume his studies in architecture at Washington University. Maguolo was a member of the architecture firm of Maguolo and Quick. He died in St. Louis on January 4, 1975.

Correspondence from Maguolo to his parents and sister, often illustrated; letters from his brother Sergeant America (Mare) Maguolo, circa 1945; sketchbook of drawings by George Maguolo, May 1918, while on leave in France. The collection does not include architectural drawings or firm records; these have probably been destroyed. Some French.

Cite as: George J. Maguolo Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0970

Maher, Joseph.

**James Callaway papers, 1792-1854.** 5 folders (approximately 125 items)

James Callaway was the son of Flanders Callaway and Jemima Boone, daughter of Daniel Boone. The Callaways moved from Kentucky to Missouri about 1801 and settled in Warren County, Missouri. James Callaway became the deputy sheriff and also collected taxes in the St. Charles district. In 1808, he was the paymaster for the Clark expedition that built Fort Osage. He served under Major Z. Taylor in the Rock River expedition. He married Nancy Howell, May 9, 1805. He was killed by Indians March 7, 1815, at Loutre Creek.

Collection includes the diary of James Callaway, 1802-1814, with both the original and a

copy. The diary covers the period of a trip of 430 militia and rangers under Major Zachary Taylor from Cap au Gris to Rock River. Also includes letters from Capt. James Callaway to his wife, Nancy, 1813-1815, while in action against the Indians. Remainder of the papers consists of a military roster, tax lists, items concerning Nancy's efforts to collect a pension as a war widow, and efforts of John B. Callaway and Newton Howell, administrators of James Callaway's estate, to settle a note of \$400 between James Callaway and Gen. Benjamin Howard, 1816-1818. Cite as: James Callaway Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2552

Mahler, Jacob A.

Brochure, circa 1880s. 1 item

Brochure advertises Jacob A. Mahler's classes in dancing and deportment to be held at Masonic Hall, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Cite as: Jacob A. Mahler Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0971

Majers, Alfred.

**Architecture Collection, circa 1939-1975.** 

Drawings, firm records, personal materials, photographs, and reference material regarding approximately 50 residential, commercial, and institutional projects. Firms represented include Study & Farrar; Study, Farrar & Majers; Majers & Allen; Majers & Baebler. *Preliminary inventory available.* 

Cite as: Alfred Majers Architecture Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Maletz, Paul Werner

See Kuhl, Julius. Paul Werner Maletz Collection.

### A0972

Mallinckrodt, Emil.

**Papers, 1809-1838.** 1 box (approximately 50 items)

Emil Mallinckrodt was born November 9, 1805, in Dortmund, Germany, and sailed for America late in 1831. He settled first in St. Charles County, but in the spring of 1840 he moved to St. Louis, buying a tract of land on the present site of Bremen, where he built his home, laid out gardens and invested in real estate. In 1833, he married an American woman, Elinor Lucke, whose ill health during the 1850s caused him to move from the growing city to a more healthful farm on Bonhomme road. He died in 1892. The Mallinckrodt Chemical Works was established by his sons in 1867. The papers include original and typed copies of correspondence of Emil Mallinckrodt in which he describes everyday life. Also includes the correspondence of Hugh Armstrong in San Francisco and Civil War material in relation to Hugh Armstrong. Also includes a scrapbook of German newspaper editorials by Emil Mallinckrodt.

Original correspondence in German handscript, with German typescript transcriptions, and English typescript translations.

Cite as: Emil Mallinckrodt Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0973

Manar, Louis J.

Papers, 1915-1935. 1 folder (approximately 10 items)

Louis Manar, known as "Indian Lou" or the medicine man, in St. Louis in the 1930s. He

owned the first crier bell that was heard in St. Louis.

Correspondence between the Missouri Historical Society and Manar regarding the bell and a movie that was being made about St. Louis in 1921. Newsclippings in regard to the bell and the Pageant and Masque.

Cite as: Louis J. Manar Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3044

Manassa, Charles R. (1889-1974)

Collection, 1850-1945. 1 box (11 folders); 1 oversize folder

Charles Manassa trained as a U. S. Army aviator at Scott Field in 1918 but did not see combat. He married Mary Brotherton and co-founded the Manassa Timber Company in 1919.

The collection is comprised of Manassa's pilot training record; aviators certificate; flight book (June-December 1918); several military documents; Lewis machine gun handbook; minutes for stockholders and directors meetings of the Manassa Timber Co. (1919-1932); marriage invitation and certificate; travel documents; tax returns and documents for individual state and federal income tax (1919-1929); and transcripts of letters written by John Walker during the California Gold Rush (1850-1851).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles R. Manassa Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0974

Manley, Helen (1894-1987).

Papers, 1911-1983. 6 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Helen Manley was born November 15, 1894, in St. Louis. She graduated from McKinley High School in 1911. She earned an undergraduate degree from Wellesley College and her master's degree from Columbia University in New York. She taught physical education at Kirksville High School for several years, before returning to St. Louis, working as a physical education instructor for the University City public schools, where she developed the school system's physical education program. In 1946, she was elected president of the American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation. The following year she served as senior specialist in health and physical education for the United States Office of Education. In 1948, the army sent her to Japan for three months as a visiting expert to advise Japanese educators in health education. After retiring from the University City public schools in 1960, she served as the executive director of the Social Health Association of Greater St. Louis. She was a nationally known pioneer in the fields of physical education and sex education. She died November 18, 1987.

Papers consist primarily of correspondence, publications and newsclippings relating to Helen Manley's career as an educator in the fields of physical education and sex education. Includes curriculum guides and papers regarding teacher training; papers regarding Washington University's traveling seminars in health education; outline and rough draft of Manley's proposed book "Health in a Changing World"; Wellesley College yearbook (1915) and other reunion and alumnae publications; University City Public Schools Christmas newsletters and other University City schools material; papers regarding school camping; Helen Manley's girl graduate book from McKinley High School.

Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: Helen Manley Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Mann, Bertha B.

**Journals, 1882-1897.** 2 volumes

Married to Alexander St. Clair Mann.

Records of household expenses of St. Louis woman.

Cite as: Bertha B. Mann Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0976

# Manuscript catalogue of guns, circa 1948. 1 volume

Unidentified handwritten catalogue of guns and a few swords. Includes descriptions, sketches, notes on history of various specific guns; including early and rare guns. Possibly catalogue of a specific collection. Possibly record of guns stored at the Soldiers Memorial, 13th and Chestnut, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Manuscript Catalogue of Guns, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0977

Maravich, Stephen (Svetozar) (1907-1992).

Papers, 1928-1992. 2 boxes; 1 oversize box

Stephen Maravich was born April 10, 1907, in St. Louis, Missouri. He was the son of Serbian immigrants, Nikola and Anka Maravich, who arrived in America in 1900. Stephen attended St. Louis High School and St. Louis University. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps and Military Intelligence Division during World War II. Maravich received a Bronze Star for his service. After the war he assisted former Serbian POWs and became active in Serbian organizations in the U.S. He was a member of the Serb National Federation and served as vice president of the Serb National Defense Council. Maravich owned Stevens Auto Park Inc. for nearly 50 years. In addition, he served as president and director of the Bank of Hillsboro and Bank of House Springs. Stephen Maravich died January 29, 1992, in St. Louis.

Papers consist of correspondence, newspaper articles, programs, photographs, and other material, which document Maravich's military service and involvement in church and fraternal activities from the 1940s to the 1990s. Maravich's deep interest in his Serbian heritage is also revealed within the collection. The correspondence is arranged chronologically. A sizeable portion of the collection is in Serbian.

Cite as: Stephen Maravich Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2182

Marcus, Joseph.

**Peddler's License**, **1875**. 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Peddler's license issued to Joseph Marcus, August 9, 1875, signed by St. Louis mayor H. Britton.

Cite as: Joseph Marcus Peddler's License, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0978

Margreiter, John L.

**Collection, 1965-1987.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Research materials and correspondence regarding the Woodruff "steel two-pounder skirmish gun" of Civil War vintage.

Cite as: John L. Margreiter Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0979

Margry, Pierre (1818-1894).

# Margry-Kilian papers, [1700-1887]. 1 folder

Pierre Margry (1818-1894) was a French author. Edward A.K. Kilian was a scholar and historical writer who died October 24, 1910, in Manhattan, Kansas.

Collection includes Kilian's translations of some of Margry's writings, including (1) typescript titled "To Where the Mississippi and Missouri Have Been Ascended. Discovery of Two Sources of the First of These Rivers. Notice of a Grande River Which Rises on the Mountains Where the Source of the Missouri Is and Which Falls in the Sea of the West," translated from Margry's *Memoires et Documents* (17 pages). (2) Typescript titled "Translations from Pierre Magry's [Margry's] Memoirs and Documents by Edward A.K. Kilian. Documents Relating to Claude Charles du Tisne's Explorations in Missouri" (6 pages). (3) Typescript titled "The Expeditions of Lieutenant Claude Charles du Tisne by Edward August Karl Kilian, Secretary Quivera Historical Society" (7 pages). (4) Typescript titled "Relations of the French with Various Peoples, the Missouris, the Kansas, the Ototoctas, the Osages, the Agovis, the Panis, the Panimahas, the Ricasas and the Padoucas. Etienne Vengard de Bourgmont Establishes Fort d'Orleans on the Missouri and Effects Peace between Several Nations and the Padoucas, 1722-1724" (40 pages). (5) Handwritten translation of Margry's Memoirs and Documents pertaining to the history of French settlers in the countries across the sea (37 pages). Cite as: Margry-Kilian Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0980

Margulis, Sam B.

# Sam B. and Helen H. Margulis Papers, 1916-1983. 2 boxes

Sam Burt Margulis was a member of the January 1916 graduating class of Franklin School in St. Louis, and graduated from Washington University in 1925. He married Helen Flora Hirschfeld, who had attended Ben Blewett Junior High School in St. Louis, graduating in January 1921, and East St. Louis High School in East St. Louis, Illinois, graduating in June 1924. Both were active in the reunion activities of their respective high schools.

Records relating to the school and school reunion activities of Sam B. and Helen Hirschfeld Margulis. Includes 1916 report card for Spanish class issued to Charles Margulis from Soldan High School; two reports by Sam Margulis for a Washington University advertising seminar, 1925; material and programs relating to Sam B. Margulis' 1925 graduation from Washington University; class reunion materials for the January 1916 class of Franklin School (St. Louis), for reunions in 1941 and 1966. The collection also contains a school friendship book belonging to Helen Flora Hirschfeld from Ben Blewett Junior High School in St. Louis, 1921; and class reunion books from for the 1963, 1973, and 1983 reunions for the 1923-1924 classes of East St. Louis High School.

Cite as: Sam B. and Helen H. Margulis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0981

Maritz & Young, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Friedman Residence Renderings, circa 1927. 1 folder

Two pencil and watercolor renderings of the residence for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Friedman located at 6408 Forsyth Boulevard, opposite Washington University.

Cite as: Maritz & Young, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri). Friedman Residence Renderings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Mark Twain Monument Commission.

# **Records, 1911-1912.** 1 volume

The Mark Twain Monument Commission was established March 27, 1911, to erect a statue of Mark Twain (Samuel Clemens) in Hannibal, Missouri.

Letters, notes, and accounts.

Cite as: Mark Twain Monument Commission Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0983

# Markham, Mary McKittrick.

# Diaries and scrapbooks, 1891-1943. 4 boxes

Mary McKittrick married George D. Markham.

Three record books regarding the family and social life of Mary McKittrick Markham, containing diary entries and memorabilia, 1897-1943; small notebook of letters, 1897-1898; diary of summer trip to Europe, June 27-September 4, 1909; undated birthday book; photographs; and two scrapbooks, 1891-1895. Also includes a bound manuscript titled "An Informal History of The St. Louis Symphony Society, compiled for George D. Markham, May 25, 1927."

Cite as: Mary McKittrick Markham Diaries and Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2476

Marquette, The (St. Louis, Missouri).

Meeting minutes, 1874 Mar 9-June 17. 1 item (13 pages)

The meetings of the society known as "The Marquette" were held at the Annunciation Hall, southeast corner of 6th Street and Chouteau Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Members included Patrick Barry, Rev. Philip P. Brady, Oscar W. Collet, Thos. V. Collet [Thomas V. Collet], M.M. Conroy, Jno. Daly [John Daly], Rev. D.J. Doherty, Jno. A. Doherty [John A. Doherty], Basil T. Elder, Paul Flood, H.G. Fougen, Edwd. Fox [Edward Fox], Dennis Galvin, Thos. Galvin [Thomas Galvin], Lawrence Garvey, Edwd. Green [Edward Green], Thos. Gugerty [Thomas Gugerty], Jas. Hardy [James Hardy], D.L. Hatton, Tim Hickie, Chas. S. Jones [Charles S. Jones], Chas. Maher [Charles Maher], David Magner, F. Mavin, Jr., J.F. McDermot, Philip McGinniss, Chas. Michaux [Charles Michaux], Peter Murphy, Edwd. A. Noonan [Edward A. Noonan], Jno. H. O'Neill [John H. O'Neill], H.T. Patten, Hy. Patton [Henry Patton], Wm. Phelan [William Phelan], Jas. A.H. Pillsbury [James A.H. Pillsbury], P. Wm. Provenchere, Jas. A. Quirk [James A. Quirk], Jas. Ruane [James Ruane], Denis Ryan, Jno. A. Scholten [John A. Scholten], H.J. Spaunhorst, Wm. Stewart [William Stewart], and Jno. Waddell [John Waddell]. Margaret J. Papin (nee Brent), who died in 1870, was an honorary member.

Cite as: The Marquette Meeting Minutes, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0984

Marquette Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Scrapbook, 1891. 1 volume

Scrapbook, containing correspondence and clippings related to a golden jubilee celebration in honor of the archbishop of St. Louis, Peter Richard Kenrick, 1891.

Cite as: Marquette Club Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0985

Marquis de Lafayette collection, 1779-1938. 7 folders (approximately 100 items)

Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert du Mortier Marquis de Lafayette, French statesman and army officer.

Collection includes two notes from Lafayette; copy of map showing his journey (1824-1825) through the United States; sketch of life and belongings of Lafayette by his physician, Jules Cloquet; letter from Lafayette's son George W. Lafayette; and correspondence, pamphlets, newsclippings, memorabilia and other papers relating to Lafayette, his visit to St. Louis, his funeral, and the 1925 centennial celebration of his visit.

Cite as: Marquis de Lafayette Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0986

Marr, James.

Papers, 1863-1926. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Correspondence to James Marr of Carondelet, Missouri, concerning various military positions he held: captain in the Union army; supervisor of internal revenue, 1868; appointed the eastern representative for the Cheyenne, Iron Mountain and Helena Railroad, 1871. Photostats of railroad passes; photostatic copy of ticket of admission to U.S. Senate for the impeachment of the president, May 26, 1868.

Cite as: James Marr Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0987

Marriage contracts collection, 1757-1869. 3 folders (approximately 10 items)

Marriage contracts for people in St. Louis County, New Orleans, Fort Chartres, Kaskaskia, St. Charles, St. Ferdinand; Collet's supplementary index to marriages in St. Louis County; booklet with records of marriage contracts in the state of Vermont, 1831-1869.

Cite as: Marriage Contracts Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0988

Marsh, Susan Louise, Mrs. (1870-1946).

Papers, 1913-1926. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Susan Louise Cotton was born April 23, 1870, in Troy, Indiana, and married Eugene Marsh in 1894. She was appointed to the National Society of the Women's Section of the Navy League of the United States, circa 1917. She resided at 7161 Alamo Ave. (Clayton, Missouri), 102 Jefferson Ave. (Webster Groves, Missouri), and 1137 Moorlands Drive (Richmond Heights, Missouri). She died in September 1946 in St. Louis.

Collection contains clippings and manuscripts regarding World War I and the work done by Mrs. Marsh along the home front; genealogy of the Byrans, Cottons, and related families; poems by Mrs. Marsh; family history and biographical data sheets for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Wilbur Cotton Marsh (son of Mrs. Susan Louise Marsh), 225 West Jefferson Ave., Kirkwood, Missouri, November 1, 1967; and two typescript letters of F.A. Weber [Frank A. Weber], H.J. Weber & Sons Nursery Co., to Mrs. Eugene Marsh, February 7 and 16, 1920, regarding the history of Ulysses S. Grant's cabin (known as "Hardscrabble").

Cite as: Louise Marsh Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2335

Martin, John I.

Letter to my dear sir, 1888 May 31. 1 item

Typescript letter signed John I. Martin, grand marshal, and Simon S. Bass, adjutant, Grand

Civic and Military Parade, 1109 Clark Avenue, St. Louis, to my dear sir, May 31, 1888. Martin writes that the unidentified individual to whom the letter is addressed has been appointed aide to the grand marshal for the upcoming Grand Civic and Military Parade. Letter is written on stationery of the National Democratic Convention, and includes an engraved illustration of the Eads Bridge.

Cite as: John I. Martin Letter to My Dear Sir, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0989

Martin, Robert M. (1920-).

World War II Papers, 1941-1990. 1 folder and 2 scrapbooks.

Collection consists of the personal papers of Robert M. Martin relating to his World War II service with Company E, 138th Infantry, National Guard of Missouri (activated in December 1940), into which Martin was drafted on February 20, 1941, and with the 42nd Bombardment Squadron in the central Pacific, in which Martin served as a radio gunner with the rank of staff sergeant. Also includes two scrapbooks documenting Martin's years of service and the activities of the 138th Infantry reunion association.

Cite as: Robert M. Martin World War II Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A0991

Martin, William.

**Daybooks**, **1834-1855**. 3 volumes

Records of legal practice in Alton, Illinois.

Cite as: William Martin Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0990

Martin, William McChesney, Jr. (1906-1998).

Papers, 1931-1986. 62 boxes; 13 volumes; 4 oversize folders

William McChesney Martin, Jr., was born December 16, 1902, in St. Louis, the son of Rebecca Woods and William McChesney Martin. He attended Yale University, 1928, and Benton College of Law in St. Louis in 1931, and received honorary degrees of Doctor of Laws from Temple University in 1951, Tulane University in 1953, and Amherst College in 1954. He served in the bank examination department of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, 1928-1929, and as the head of statistics with A.G. Edwards in St. Louis, 1931-1938. He was a member of the New York Stock Exchange from 1931 to 1938 and served as the governor of that institution from 1935 to 1938. He was appointed a member of the board of directors for the Export-Import Bank in 1945 and served as chairman and president from 1946 to 1948. He was also the assistant secretary of the treasury from February 1949 to March 1951. President Truman appointed him chairman of the Federal Reserve Board in 1951, a position in which he served until 1970, during six administrations. He died July 29, 1998.

The papers are representative of the different positions and organizations in which William McChesney Martin, Jr., was involved. They include papers relating to the New York Stock Exchange, 1936-1949; the Federal Reserve Board; the National Geographic Society; minutes of the Rockefeller Center, 1978-1980; the United States Senate Subcommittee of the Committee of Banking and Currency, 1957-1962; Export-Import Bank, 1945-1950; and personal correspondence and diaries, 1945-1949 and 1961-1963.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: William McChesney Martin, Jr., Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2349

Maryland Place (St. Louis, Mo.).

# Specifications, circa 1906-1978; no date. 3 items

The collection contains the following three items: three-page, undated typescript "specification describing the work and material necessary for the erection and completion of the improvements to be made in Maryland Place"; 30-page specifications of Mariner & La Beaume, architects, St. Louis, for a brick residence for Mary A. Kennedy in Maryland Place, circa 1906 (city directories list a Kennedy family at 4947 Maryland Place); typescript letter signed James Barnes, Hellmuth, Obata & Kassabaum, Inc., architects, St. Louis, Missouri, to Mr. Ernest Eddy, St. Louis, April 19, 1978, regarding the specifications.

Cite as: Maryland Place Specifications, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0992

Mase, Adam (1798-1865).

# Papers 1832 June-July. 1 folder

Adam Mase was born in Kentucky in June 1798. In 1819, he came to Pike County, Missouri, where he engaged in the tanning business. In 1832, he raised a company of men (1st Company, Pike Volunteers) for the Black Hawk War and was elected captain. His company was stationed at St. Francisville, Missouri, where they constructed Fort Pike. In 1834, he represented Pike County in the state legislature. He married Maxamilla Fisher.

Papers include photocopies of correspondence both to and from Captain Adam Mase of the 1st Company, Pike County (Missouri) Volunteers during the Black Hawk War, discussing troop movements and negotiations with the Indians; photocopies of correspondence both to and from Joshua Pilcher, Indian agent for the Sauk and Fox tribes; photocopy of company roster; photocopy of camp journal (June 26-July 18, 1832) that records daily activities at Fort Pike, St. Francisville, Missouri; daily account of requested food rations; biographical sketch of Adam Mase.

Cite as: Adam Mase Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0993

Massie Family.

# Massie-Keith genealogy, 1945-1953. 1 box

William Massie, 1831-1901, was a St. Louis river boat pilot who married into the Keith family, 1855.

Genealogy of Massie family, 1690-1910, including typed copies of wills, diaries, letters, memoranda, maps, and newsclippings by William Massie's grandson Eugene Stephens. Also includes notes and letters pertaining to Stephens' research, and a biography of William Massie as St. Louis river boat pilot, 1831-1901.

Cite as: Massie-Keith Genealogy, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0994

Mastin Family.

**Collection, 1794-1871.** 1 folder (3 items)

Collection includes document signed by Lord Dorchester, February 29, 1794; transcript of address by Dorchester to Indians outlining grievances against the United States in connection with alleged U.S. encroachments on Canadian territory; check on Otsego County Bank, Cooperstown, for \$20, payable to Mrs. Cooper, signed by J. Fenimore Cooper, September 7, 1848; document signed John Joseph Hogan, Bishop of St. Joseph, Missouri, ordaining Rev. John

Steindl to priesthood, July 11, 1871.

Cite as: Mastin Family Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A0995

# Mathews, C.

# Account book and scrapbook, 1837-1852, 1862. 1 volume

Account book with financial records, 1837-1852, which appears to be commission and forwarding merchant records in Jacksonville, Florida, with 1862 political clippings pasted over some pages. Inside flyleaf: "C. Mathews Book of Sundry Accounts, Jacksonville, February 1836".

Cite as: C. Matthews Account Book and Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0996

# Matthews, Leonard.

Papers, 1862-1906. 5 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers include correspondence of Leonard Matthews to his daughter detailing experiences of his foreign trip (1862, 1865-1866); diary kept by Matthews on foreign trip, April 11–July 25, 1866; memo and letter, 1898, regarding the taxation of the Missouri Botanical Garden. Cite as: Leonard Matthews Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0997

Mauthe's Store (Franklin, Missouri).

Account books, 1854-1871. 4 volumes

Accounts of general store at Franklin, Missouri (now Pacific, Missouri). Cite as: Mauthe's Store Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2404

#### Max, Paul.

# **Advertisement for Peerless Washing Tablets, circa 1903-1908.** 1 item (5 copies)

Printed advertisement of Paul Max, 1011B South Broadway, St. Louis, Missouri, states in part, "The Peerless are rapidly becoming known as a necessity in every household where washing clothes is performed. It is not a soap, but saves more than half the usual amount of soap ordinarily used."

Cite as: Max Paul Advertisement for Peerless Washing Tablets, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0998

**Maxwell-Preller Murder Case Collection, 1885-1888.** 1 folder (approximately 15 items); 1 oversize folder

Papers concerning "The St. Louis Murder," perpetrated by Walter H. Lennox-Maxwell, alias T.C. D'Auguier, and legally Hugh Mottram Brooks of Hyde, England. The victim, Charles Arthur Preller, also a native of England, was murdered at the Southern Hotel, where his body was discovered in a trunk. The collection consists of papers concerning the case, mounted on cardboard as police exhibits at the trial and conviction of Maxwell. See also counterfeit diploma filed with oversize documents.

Cite as: Maxwell-Preller Murder Case Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A0999

Mayer Family.

Papers, 1839-1861. 4 folders (approximately 60 items)

Collection consists primarily of correspondence of Flora Byrne to Mrs. Charles F. Mayer, which describes her reactions to St. Louis life and people and life in a cabin at Byrnham Wood in Clark County near Winchester, Missouri. The letters contain many sidelights on the state of development in that day; mention well-known characters; and show the facilities for transportation between the Atlantic seaboard and St. Louis. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mayer Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2427

Mayer, Virginia.

Papers, 1933; no date. 3 items

Papers include holy communion certificate of Virginia Mayer, Holy Redeemer Church, May 1933; holy communion certificate of Elizabeth Jane Mayer, St. Elizabeth Academy Chapel, no date; and photograph of Virginia Mayer in her communion dress, May 29, 1933. Cite as: Virginia Mayer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1000

Mays, William R.

Papers, 1877-1888. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

William R. Mays was a Methodist minister in St. Louis. He moved here from East Woodstock, Connecticut. The different churches that he ministered at in St. Louis were Marvin Chapel, Chouteau Avenue Methodist Church, and St. Paul's Methodist Church.

Papers contain letters to a former parishioner, Sister Hibbard, describing his ministry in St. Louis. The letters are descriptive of his life and living conditions in St. Louis. He describes St. Louis as the most desolate city for real vital religion in the United States.

Cite as: William R. Mays Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2974

# McKinley Bridge.

# Commutation Coupon Book, no date. 1 item

This commutation coupon book was for use of automobile or horse and buggy between St. Louis and Venice, Illinois.

Cite as: McKinley Bridge Commutation Coupon Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3120

Meagher, Catherine (1869-1946).

Letter, ca. 1927 Oct 3. 1 folder

Catherine Marie Murphy was born February 11, 1869, in St. Louis. She married Michael John Meagher (1866-1940) in 1894; the couple had four children. By 1927, the Meaghers lived in Kansas City. Catherine died January 8, 1946.

The collection consists of one letter written to Catherine Meagher by an unknown niece named Ann. The letter is undated, but the envelope is postmarked from Alton, Illinois, on October 3, 1927, just days after a tornado swept through the city of St. Louis on September 29. Ann enclosed is a newspaper page from the St. Louis Globe-Democrat dated October 1.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Catherine Meagher Letter, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1619

# Measuregraph Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1914-1977. 4 boxes; 2 oversize folders

The Measuregraph Company was founded in St. Louis in 1914. It was incorporated under Delaware law in 1920. It manufactured linear and area measuring devices for fabrics, textiles, and leather. The Measuregraph machine was invented and developed by Walter H. Hosch from Gainesville, Georgia. His brother M.C. Hosch helped develop the company in St. Louis. Wholly owned by Brad-Mar/Fabricmaster, the company dissolved in 1977.

The records include articles of incorporation; certificates of incorporation; stock transfer sheets; minutes of meetings of voting trustees, 1931-1937; notices, reports of annual stockholders meetings, 1931-1979; minutes, 1914-1977, and patents. Also includes the records of Brad-Mar Corporation, 1963-1967, which was later called Fabricmaster, 1967-1970. Correspondence of the Hosch family, 1917, 1966-1976, including one letter of Walter Hosch to Mrs. Bertha Freeman, January 12, 1917, describing moving to St. Louis and the work of trying to get the Measuregraph Company off the ground. The rest of the family correspondence mainly concerns stock dividends. Also includes issues of "The Measuregraph Bulletin," October 1917 and January 1918; stockholder information, 1915-1976; blueprints; published articles regarding the success of The Measuregraph Company; advertisements and pamphlets describing the Measuregraph machine and its uses.

Cite as: The Measuregraph Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2392

### Mechanics-American National Bank.

#### Account book, no date. 1 item

Blank account book of the Mechanics-American National Bank. Cover reads, "In Account with Berthold Investment Co."

Cite as: Mechanics-American National Bank Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2912

# Medary, S.

Letter, 1860 June 20. 1 item [formerly Alphabetical File]

Letter signed S. Medary [Samuel Medary], Lecompton, K.T. [Kansas Territory], to Charles, June 20, 1860. ". . . . Your 'wide-a-awakes' will be 'fast asleeps' before the election if they do not act more sensibly. I see that Col. Swayne stood no chance nor any other <u>conservative</u>. . . . Now if our folks would only show the least patriotic spirit at Baltimore and strive for harmony instead of disunion we should beat old Abe and all his rail splitters without much trouble, but Mr. Smith's letter only confirms my previous opinion, that it is Douglass or nothing." Cite as: S. Medary Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1023

# Medical collection, 1815-1975. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Assorted materials related to various aspects of the history of medicine in St. Louis, including dentistry, pharmacology, patent medicine, and various non-orthodox schools of medical practice, such as homeopathy. Materials include biographical information on St. Louis

physicians, information on diseases and their treatments; prescriptions; information on St. Louis medical and dental colleges, hospitals, medical practices and professional associations. Individual files indexed in archives card file.

Cite as: Medical Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1024

Medical Fund Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1850-1934.** 7 boxes

Founded in 1872 "by faculty of the St. Louis Medical College . . . desiring to promote the proper study and cultivation of the science and practice of medicine and surgery and to create a fund which shall be perpetually consecrated to . . . purchase as . . . set forth" in the articles of association.

Records of the St. Louis Medical College, 1850s-1860s. Certificate of incorporation, articles of association, 1872, of the Medical Fund Society.

Further described in the guide to club and societies, available at the archives references desk. Cite as: Medical Fund Society Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2442

Meink, Heinrich.

**Papers, 1898-1899.** 2 items

Papers include a letter signed Heinrich Meink, Gustrow, [Germany], to his brother and sister-in-law, who presumably resided in St. Louis (letter is in German, with translation). The letter discusses family news. Papers also include a note with Meink's address, written on stationery dated St. Louis, Mo., February 2, 1899.

Cite as: Heinrich Meink Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1025

Meissner Family.

Papers, 1862-1953, no date. 1 box (approximately 80 items)

Gustave Edward Meissner was born March 16, 1843, in Muehlhausen, Germany, and came to the United States with his parents (Carl August Meissner and Amelia Roebling Meissner) in 1851, settling on Staten Island, New York. He married Alvina Niemeyer of Staten Island in 1867, and soon thereafter they moved to Waterloo, Iowa. In 1870 he took a position with Isidor Bush & Son, wine growers, in St. Louis. Two years later he became a partner in the firm, now known as Bush & Son & Meissner. In the 1870s, the firm sent vine cuttings to France to help that country reestablish their vineyards, which had been ravaged by attacks of phylloxera. Gustave Meissner became a well-known horticulturist and viticulturist. He died January 2, 1898, at his home in Bushberg, Jefferson County, Missouri. His wife, Mrs. Alvina Meissner died March 22, 1934, in Jefferson County.

The collection consists primarily of family correspondence to Gustave Meissner and his wife, Alvina Meissner. Principal correspondents include Gustave's brother Wilhelm Meissner and Wilhelm's wife, Elfriede Meissner; Gustave's brother Fritz Meissner; and Gustave's business partner Isidor Bush and Isidor's wife, Teresa Bush. Most of the correspondence is in German, with English translations.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Meissner Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Melvin, T.F.

# **Daybooks**, **1856-1859**. 2 volumes

Records of sales at Ridge Prairie, Missouri, general store.

Cite as: T.F. Melvin Daybooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3005

Memorial Cemetery (Ste. Genevieve, Mo.)

Gravesite Map, circa 1992. 1 item

Cite as: Memorial Cemetery Gravesite Map, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Menus collection, 1856-1990.

Transferred to library.

#### A1027

# Mepham Family.

Papers, 1832-1947 (bulk 1832-1899). 1 box; 1 oversize folder; 1 volume

Michael S. Mepham was born in Kent, England, in 1828 and came to the United States with his family while he was a child. The family settled in Ulster County, New York, then moved to Henderson County, Kentucky, circa 1839, and moved further west to Dardanelle, Arkansas, in the 1840s. In the late 1840s M.S. Mepham moved to St. Louis, Missouri, where he established the firm of M.S. Mepham & Bro. with his brother William G. Mepham in the early 1850s. M.S. Mepham & Bro. were importers and wholesale dealers in fruits, nuts, and cigars. In the 1860s M.S. Mepham & Bro. became the owners of several steamboats that ran between St. Louis and New Orleans. M.S. Mepham was interested in archaeology and had a collection of artifacts and Indian relics. He died May 25, 1882, in St. Louis. After M.S. Mepham's death, the firm of M.S. Mepham & Bro. was succeeded by the St. Louis Paint Manufacturing Company, with William G. Mepham serving as president. William G. Mepham died August 7, 1894, in St. Louis. George S. Mepham, the son of M.S. Mepham, established the firm George S. Mepham & Co., manufacturers of paint pigments, in 1890. He retired in 1920 and devoted time to his interest in archaeology and antiquities. He was a passenger on the maiden voyage of the steamer *Olympic* in 1911. He died December 24, 1930, in St. Louis at the age of 74.

The collection is arranged chronologically and consists primarily of receipts, accounts, correspondence, and other papers regarding the businesses of M.S. Mepham & Bro., the St. Louis Paint Manufacturing Company, and George S. Mepham & Co. in St. Louis. The collection also contains receipts, correspondence, and other business papers of M.S. Mepham from the 1830s and 1840s, prior to his arrival in St. Louis; several documents relating to the Civil War, many of which do not appear to be related to the Mepham family; papers regarding the steamboats owned by the Mephams, most notably the *M.S. Mepham* and the *Minnie*; check signed by Brigham Young, 1872; invitation to a Socialist Party demonstration with Mother Jones speaking, 1905; a few items from the maiden voyage of the *R.M.S. Olympic*, 1911; and some personal Mepham family correspondence and papers.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mepham Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2358

# Meramec Canoe Club.

# Second Annual Regatta Program, 1905 Sept 30. 1 item

The Meramec Canoe Club "was organized in 1904 to promote the interests of canoeing in the

neighborhood of St. Louis. The clubhouse, boathouse and grounds are located on the Missouri Pacific Railway one quarter mile west of the Valley Park station."

This 15-page program contains the names of the officials of the regatta, the schedule of events, and a list of officers and members. The program also includes the following advertisements: Kohler & Romer, tailors, 6th and Olive Streets; Erker's 608 Olive Street; H.G. Arnold Boat and Canoe Livery, Valley Park, Mo.; Truscott Boat Manufacturing Co., Simon C. Miller, agent, 3667 Olive St.; Valley Park Hotel, William Holder, proprietor (includes an illustration of the hotel); Swope Shoe Co., 311 North Broadway; Frank D. Healy, designer of artistic frames, 13 South Broadway; Kessler-Helfers Fur & Hat Co., 306 North Broadway; and Bolland Jewelry Co., 513 Locust St.

Cite as: Meramec Canoe Club Second Annual Regatta Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2355

# Meramec Highlands Inn and Cottages.

# **Promotional flyer, circa 1905.** 1 item

Meramec Highlands was a popular summer resort located on the Meramec River, near Kirkwood, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Flyer includes a sketch of the inn and a photograph of one of the cottages.

Cite as: Meramec Highlands Inn and Cottages Promotional Flyer, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1028

# Mercantile Trust Company.

# Anniversary scrapbook, 1955. 1 volume

Scrapbook of congratulatory letters to the St. Louis Mercantile Trust company on their 100th anniversary from other trust companies in the United States.

Cite as: Mercantile Trust Company Anniversary Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1029

# Merchant, J.A.

# **Letterbook**, **1872-1873.** 1 volume

Business correspondence, addressed to J.A. Merchant and Co., regarding freight shipments, etc. at Brunswick, Missouri, October 28, 1872-December 13, 1873. Refers to tobacco sale in Missouri and New York.

Cite as: J.A. Merchant Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Merchants' Exchange (Saint Louis, Missouri)

See Saint Louis Merchants' Exchange.

# A1030

# Meriwether, Lee.

**Papers, 1770s-1964.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Papers of Lee Meriwether and Jessie Gair Meriwether; estate of George Gair, Milntown, Scotland; family records from Scotland; and an undated campaign poster, Lee Meriwether for Mayor, St. Louis Democratic primary election.

Papers were found at the former residence of Lee Meriwether, 5211 Washington, St. Louis.

Cite as: Lee Meriwether Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1031

Merkle, Helen Hutchinson.

**Scrapbook**, **1942-1949**. 1 volume

Helen H. Merkle studied design at Washington University and later founded the Half-Fare Frocks and Tween Fare children's clothing lines. The clothes were manufactured in St. Louis.

Scrapbook contains newsclippings, fabric samples, etc., regarding Half-Fare Frocks and Tween Fare lines.

Cite as: Helen Hutchinson Merkle Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1032

Mersman, Joseph J. (1824-1892).

Diary, 1847-1864 (bulk 1847-1851). 2 volumes

Came to St. Louis from Cincinnati, 1849.

Diary, with extensive references to family history, by a St. Louis businessman. Includes entries made in Cincinnati (November 10, 1848-February 8, 1849), followed by St. Louis entries (February 26, 1849-March 20, 1855). Includes references to cholera, and a will, dated July 9, 1851, to be followed in the event of Mersman's death from cholera. Also irregular Civil War entries, 1862-1864, and recipes for alcohol in the back. Diary was published in Linda A. Fisher, editor, *The Whisky Merchant's Diary: An Urban Life in the Emerging Midwest* (Athens, Ohio: Ohio University Press, 2007).

Some German and French.

Cite as: Joseph J. Mersman Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1033

Mertens Family.

**Account books, 1841-1872.** 12 volumes

Hermann, Missouri, general merchandisers.

Cashbook, ledger, and six daybooks of Claus Mertens' general store, 1841-1851. Daybook of M. Mertens general merchandise sales, 1854-1855. Daybook and two volumes of suppliers' invoices from Mertens and Co., general merchandisers, 1866-1872.

Some German handscript in Claus Mertens' cashbook.

Cite as: Mertens Family Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

Mesker, Frank (1859-1952).

Mesker collection, 1817-1895.

Collection title changed to Henry W. Williams Collection.

#### A1034

Metz Family.

Family tree, no date. 1 oversize folder (2 items)

Cite as: Metz Family Tree, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1035

Metzger Family.

Edgar L. and Charlotte A. Metzger family papers, 1920-1980s. 30 boxes

Personal papers of St. Louis engineer Edgar L. Metzger and his wife St. Louis artist Charlotte

Abney Metzger, who was known professionally as Ann Metzger.

Cite as: Edgar L. and Charlotte A. Metzger Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1036

Metzger, Louis C.F.

Papers, late 1800s-early 1900s. 4 boxes; 4 oversize folders

Specifications for Terminal Railroad Association Union Depot, steam heating apparatus for Armory Battery "A," sidewheel steam transfer boat for Wiggins Ferry Co.; ordinance for granitoid sidewalks in Venice, Illinois; printed report of the chief engineer of the Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis on improvements made in 1902-1904; correspondence; notebooks; plans; and certificates.

Cite as: Louis C.F. Metzger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1037

**Mexican War collection, 1846-1940.** 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Contains extracts from personal journals and diaries, mostly in Missouri Historical Society collections, regarding the Mexican War; correspondence of persons fighting in war to friends and families in St. Louis; clippings and later material regarding the history of the war. Cite as: Mexican War Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1038

Meyer, Christian Frederick Gottlieb (1830- ).

Family papers and business records, 1852-1985. 6 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Christian Frederick Gottlieb Meyer, the founder of the Meyer Brothers Drug Company, was born December 9, 1830, in Prussia, son of John Henry and Marie Louise Holt Meyer. After working as shepherds for much of their lives, Christian F.G. Meyer and his older brother Johann Frederick Wilhelm Meyer emigrated to the United States in 1847 and settled with a half sister in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, and supported themselves by working the land. In 1848, Christian F.G. Meyer took a job in the drug store of Mr. H.B. Reed, an event that marks the beginning of his career in the drug business. The firm of Wall & Meyer was established in 1852 when Christian F.G. Meyer joined Mr. Wall in opening up a drug business in Ft. Wayne. In 1857, the business changed its name to Meyer and Brother when Meyer bought out his partner and brought his brother into the business. A branch store was established in St. Louis in 1865, and in 1889, when the firm relocated in St. Louis, the company was incorporated under the name of Meyer Brothers Drug Company. After Christian F.G. Meyer's death in 1905, Theodore F. Meyer took over as president of Meyer Brothers, and led the firm to bankruptcy. Carl F.G. Meyer, II, succeeded him, and brought the company out of bankruptcy. The firm prospered under his leadership. Carl F.G. Meyer, III, became president of Meyer Brothers Drug Company in 1952, and remained president until the Meyer Brothers Drug Company merged with Fox-Vliet to become FOXMEYER in 1981.

Collection contains both family papers and business records. The family papers consist of autobiographical and biographical accounts, records of personal property, obituaries, commemorations, and a genealogy of the Meyer family compiled by Eleanore Meyer Burris in 1967. The business records contain documentation of Meyer Brothers Drug Company properties; business records and correspondence, 1867-1935, which include correspondence with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Monsanto Chemical Co., Senoret Chemical Co., Sanitol Co. & Diamond Match Co. Stock, and the MKT Railway Co.; correspondence of the Meyer Brothers

Mutual Aid Association; wage books; formulae (including ancient publications of old German remedies); materials relating to specific products (Leeches, "Fly Shake," sugar, Maltese Cross Olive Oil); advertising matter (labels and sales catalogues, 1896, 1932, and 1936); photographs; and assorted publications. The collection also includes three scrapbooks relating to both the family and the business.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Christian F.G. Meyer Family Papers and Business Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1039

Meysenburg, Theodore Augustus, Colonel.

**Journals, 1858-1874.** 5 volumes

Theodore A. Meysenburg was born July 23, 1840, in Flamersheim, near Cologne, Germany, and came to St. Louis with his family while still a child. He enlisted as a private in the 3rd Missouri Infantry (Union) in May 1861, and in September was appointed 2nd lieutenant in the Benton Hussars. In October 1862 he was assigned assistant adjutant general of the 11th Army Corps. Later in the war he served on the staff of General Franz Sigel in Virginia. Following the war he returned to St. Louis, where he was a successful iron manufacturer. He died March 29, 1901, in St. Louis.

Two bound journals of chess players and plays, trigonometry and physics; and three Civil War notebooks of Meysenburg, while serving as assistant adjutant general of the 11th Army Corps. Notebooks contain daily entries of the movement and operations of the 11th Army Corps in Virginia from June 1862 to September 1863, while part of the Army of the Potomac, including accounts of actions during the Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, and Gettysburg Campaigns. In September 1863 the 11th Army Corps was transferred to the Army of the Cumberland. Meysenburg's notebooks contain accounts of the actions of the Corps in the Chattanooga Campaign in October and November 1863. Entries from May to June 1864 were written while serving as assistant adjutant general on the staff of General Sigel in Virginia, and include an account of engagement at New Market. Notebooks also include several maps indicating the positions of the 11th Army Corps in Virginia in 1862 and 1863; map of positions at New Market; map showing the march of the 11th Army Corps to Knoxville, Tennessee; and map showing the positions at Chattanooga.

Cite as: Theodore Augustus Meysenburg Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1040

Michaelis, Wilhelm.

Manual and record book, 1868-1870. 1 box

Manual for farming, forestry, animal husbandry, etc., kept by Wilhelm Michaelis, Toggenhagen, 1855. The back of the manual contains records of Saline Township, Cooper County, Missouri, 1867-1870.

German.

Cite as: William Michaelis Manual and Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1041

Michel, Stella (1894-1967). Collection, 1859-1966. 2 boxes St. Louis teacher and historian.

Michel genealogy; correspondence, research notes, photographs, printed matter, and miscellany on St. Louis topics of interest to Stella Michel. Includes material on St. Louis street car transportation, narrow gauge railroad, publisher Edward G. Lewis, life of Baron Emanuel de Hodiamont, Gast Brewing Company, and historic homes.

Cite as: Stella Michel Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1042

#### Microfilm Collection. circa 540 reels

The collection includes microfilm reels from the National Archives, various historical societies, and the collections of the Missouri Historical Society. Topics include letters sent and received from the Office of Indian Affairs, 1837-1860; American Fur Company records and ledgers; Missouri tax lists by county, 1816-1863; Kate Moody Collection; Spanish Archives, 1621-1821; St. Louis County direct and inverted indexes to deeds, 1804-1888; and the David R. Francis Collection.

### A2142

Miles, Francis (1793-1870). Journal, 1810-1899. 1 folder

Francis Miles, a farmer, moved to Perry County, Missouri, from Kentucky. He married Christina Tucker in October 1815.

The journal contains the Miles family's record of marriages, births, and deaths. Cite as: Francis Miles Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3171

# Military Order Book, 1845. 1 volume

This bound volume of printed and handwritten military orders is divided into three sections. The first section includes General Orders 1-55 issued by the War Department, Adjutant General's Office, Washington, D.C. (Some of these General Orders are datelined Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant General's Office, Washington D.C.) (146 pages plus an index). Several of these orders include the charges and sentences of general court martial cases. The second section includes Orders and Special Orders issued by Headquarters, Western Division, New Orleans, Louisiana (13 pages plus an index). The third section includes Orders and Special Orders issued by Headquarters, 3rd Military Department, St. Louis, Missouri (98 page plus an index). Several of these orders include the charges and sentences of general court martial cases. Cite as: Military Order Book, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1043

# Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. Commandery of the State of Missouri.

# **Records, 1885-1931.** 3 boxes

The Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States was a Civil War veterans organization founded in Philadelphia at the close of war. The Missouri department of the Loyal Legion, known as the Commandery of the State of Missouri, was instituted in 1885. The members (or "companions" as they were known) of the Loyal Legion were commissioned officers and honorably discharged commissioned officers of the U.S. Army, Navy and Marine Corps, who served in the Civil War. Descendants of eligible officers were eligible for membership as hereditary companions.

Collection consists primarily of circulars, memorial sketches, memorial cards, and correspondence of the Commandery of the State of Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. Commandery of the State of Missouri. Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2294

Miller, Arthur E. (1859- ).

Theater Programs, 1879-1882. 63 items

Arthur Emanuel Miller was born in July 1859 in Michigan. He married Julia in 1883 in St. Louis, Missouri. He worked as a wallpaper hanger in St. Louis before moving with his wife to Crawford County, Kansas, around 1920.

Collection consists of programs for various St. Louis theaters, collected by Arthur Emanuel Miller while courting Julia.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Arthur E. Miller Theater Programs, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1044

Miller, Henry B. (1814-1847).

Journal, 1838-1839. 1 volume

Henry B. Miller was born in York County, Pennsylvania, in 1814 and came to St. Louis in 1837. Soon thereafter he moved to Natchez and later New Orleans. He worked as a mason, teacher, plasterer, and builder of cemetery vaults. He died in York County, Pennsylvania, in 1847.

Manuscript journal written while in Natchez, Missouri, January 1, 1838-January 15, 1839, containing description of everyday life and travel within Missouri, state and St. Louis politics, descriptions of activities of local churches. Journal was published in *Missouri Historical Society Collections*, Volume VI, Number 2 (1931), pages 213-287.

Cite as: Henry B. Miller Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1045

Miller, Herman B.

Papers, 1861-1873. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Papers include receipts and bills for building of home at Canton, Missouri. (The home was sold to Culver Stockton College in 1930.) Bills for transportation of material by steamboat from Quincy, Illinois, and for garden planting. Also contains three letters of Daniel Miller to his brother Philip, dated Corinth and Kossuth, Mississippi, August 27 to October 9, 1862, which describe the affairs of the 21st Missouri Infantry (Union), including an account of the Battle of Corinth. (Letters are in German, with translations).

Cite as: Herman B. Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2500

Miller, James.

# Commissions, 1818 Apr 9. 2 items

Papers contain commission of James Miller as clerk of the court of general quarter sessions of the peace for Mercer County, Pennsylvania, and commission of James Miller as clerk of the courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery for Mercer County, Pennsylvania. Cite as: James Miller Commissions, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3068

Miller, Larry.

Political Activism Collection, 2014-2015. 1 folder (3 items); 1 oversize folder Larry Miller is a local activist who joined the protests following the fatal shooting of Michael Brown, Jr., in Ferguson, Missouri, on 9 August 2014. He became a member of the people's patrols to stop police abuse and often spoke at Ferguson City Council meetings. Miller worked with the Ferguson Freedom Fighters to mark the anniversary of Michael Brown's death in 2015. The collection is arranged chronologically and is comprised of literature and publications made available to protestors in Ferguson, Missouri, and to activists who observed police actions and who continued to work for social justice in 2014 and 2015. This includes information sheets, a poster, a newspaper, events flyers, pocket brochures, and one candidate flyer for the St. Louis County Executive.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Larry Miller Political Activism Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1046

Miller, Louis.

Papers, no date. 1 box; 5 oversize folders

Louis Miller was born October 13, 1853, in Jefferson County, Missouri, but moved at a young age to Arcadia, Missouri. He became an architect and builder and one of Arcadia's most prominent citizens. He also promoted the Arcadia Valley as a summer resort. He married Miss Salena Ringo in 1892. Louis Miller died October 21, 1933, in Arcadia; his wife died April 4, 1943, in Ironton, Missouri.

The collection includes three publications promoting tourism in the Arcadia Valley in the early 1900s; a typescript history of Arcadia; a scrapbook; newspaper clippings relating to Louis Miller, his family, and Arcadia; and several architectural drawings. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Louis Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1047

Miller, Madison (1811-1896).

**Papers**, **1831-1895**. 1 box; 1 oversize item

Madison Miller was born February 6, 1811, in Mercer, Pennsylvania. He came to St. Louis in the 1820s. He served in the Mexican War and in the Missouri state legislature. During the Civil War he served in the 1st Missouri Infantry (3 months) and the 1st Missouri Light Artillery in 1861. In January 1862 he was promoted to colonel of the 18th Missouri Infantry. He was captured at the Battle of Shiloh and eventually exchanged, and later served in the 50th Missouri Infantry. He was brevetted brigadier general in 1865 for gallantry at Wilson's Creek and Shiloh. He died February 27, 1896, in St. Louis.

This collection contains data on early railroads, including the Atchison and St. Joseph Railroad Co., the Pacific Railroad Co., and the St. Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad Co.; material on the Civil War, including Miller's diary, April 6, 1862, and clippings about the Battle of Shiloh; deeds and indentures for land in Carondelet, Missouri, and Randolph and Marion Counties, Illinois, including a title held by the Guion family; material regarding the city of Carondelet; records regarding Company E, 18th Missouri Infantry; an agreement of the Illinois and Missouri Coal Company; some minor items relating to Missouri state politics, including data

on the Missouri legislature. Also includes a plan for election purposes sent to Miller by Lincoln. Documents and letters signed by Frank P. Blair, John C. Dent, G.M. Dodge, Thomas C. Fletcher, Thomas Ford, J.C. Fremont, H.R. Gamble, F.D. Grant, U.S. Grant, Willard P. Hall, Andrew Jackson, John A. Logan, William M. McPherson, Franklin Pierce, E.C. Pike, Edwin M. Stanton, William Taussig, G.R. Taylor, James B. Walsh.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Madison Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1048

Miller, Monroe Joshua (1830-1866).

Papers, 1862-1866. 8 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 volume

Monroe Joshua Miller was born September 19, 1830, in Rowan County, North Carolina. On July 28, 1863, he married Mary Virlinda Wright in Benton, Franklin County, Illinois. In September 1862 he was mustered into the 117th Illinois Infantry (Union) at Camp Butler, Springfield, Illinois, and served with this unit until the close of the war. He was the printer and publisher of the *Lebanon (Illinois) Republic* during and immediately after his army service. He died March 18, 1866, of a lung ailment that developed during the war.

Papers include correspondence of Monroe Joshua Miller to his wife, Linda, in Lebanon, Illinois, and diaries of Monroe Miller. Contains accounts of the movement and activity of the regiment in Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee, Louisiana, and Alabama. Includes descriptions of activities in and around Fort Pickering and Memphis; the Meridian, Mississippi, Campaign; the Red River Campaign of 1864, mostly written while on board the steamboat *Thomas E. Tutt*; the expedition to Tupelo, Mississippi; the pursuit of Sterling Price in Missouri; campaign in Tennessee, including the Battle of Nashville; movement to New Orleans for the campaign against Mobile; the siege of Spanish Fort and Fort Blakely; movement to Montgomery; and the return to Illinois, where mustered out. Papers contain descriptions of steamboat transportation, marches, camp life, drunkenness, and casualties.

Cite as: Monroe Joshua Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1049

Miller, Robert H. (1826-1911).

Papers, 1846-1937. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Robert Miller was founder and publisher of the *Liberty (Missouri) Weekly Tribune*, circa 1846. He was the publisher of the paper for 40 years.

Papers include letters from soldiers of the 1st Regiment Missouri Volunteers to Robert H. Miller, reporting on incidents of the Mexican War with the Army of the West, 1849-1887. Also contains correspondence regarding gold mining in California, with descriptions of treks across the plains from Liberty to California.

Cite as: Robert H. Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1050

Miller, William H. (1840-1913).

Papers, 1860-1920. 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder; 1 volume

William H.H. Miller was born May 11, 1840, in Erie, Pennsylvania, and later moved with his family to South Bend, Indiana. During the Civil War he served as a private in Company I, 9th Indiana Infantry, from April to July 1861. He reentered the service in October 1861 as a sergeant in Company E, 48th Indiana Infantry, and rose to the rank of captain, before being mustered out in July 1865. Following the war he served in the United States Army from 1867 to 1878, and

later worked at St. John's School (Salina, Kansas), Southwestern Baptist University (Jackson, Tennessee), and Kentucky Military Institute (Lyndon, Kentucky). He died November 1, 1913, in St. Louis.

Collection consists mostly of military records, especially quartermaster records, which include clothing, equipage, and garrison returns, invoices of ordnance and ordnance stores, for Company E, 48th Indiana Infantry, 1863-1865; 27th U.S. Infantry at Fort Kearny, Fort C.T. Smith, Montana Territory, Fort Sedgwick, Colorado Territory, and Camp Red Willow, Nebraska, 1866-1872. Also includes a commissary record book from Fort Reno, Dakota Territory, 1866-1868, that was later used as a recipe book; a manuscript on the Battle of Iuka, Mississippi, September 19, 1862; a letterbook of William H. Miller regarding sales and collections of army insurance during Spanish-American War, 1899-1902; correspondence, 1865-1908; materials related to the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States; and information on Southwestern Baptist University.

Cite as: William H. Miller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2960

Miltenberger, Clemence Stephanie.

Papers, 1822-1844. 4 items

Extract from the birth register of the Department of Bas-Rhin, France, noting the birth of Clemence Stephanie Miltenberger on August 6, 1822; certified copy of the birth certificate of Clemence Stephanie Miltenberger, September 27, 1827; certificate of the Academie de Strasbourg awarded to Clemence Stephanie Miltenberger to teach primary school, September 11, 1843; and diploma of the Academie de Strasbourg awarded to Clemence Stephanie Miltenberger to teach primary school, September 7, 1844.

Cite as: Clemence Stephanie Miltenberger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1051

**Mines collection, 1798-1910.** 3 folders (approximately 25 items)

The collection includes information about early mining in Missouri, including Mine a Breton and Mine LaMotte; an article on the Leadville strike of 1896; a clipping about Iron Mountain; and an account of the history and ownership status of the Mine La Motte (or Lamothe) lead mine area in Missouri.

Cite as: Mines Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1053

Minor, Francis (circa 1821-1892).

**Records of Civil War claims, 1864-1877.** 9 volumes

Francis Minor was a St. Louis attorney and husband of suffragist Virginia Minor. He was appointed agent for the Western Sanitary Commission in St. Louis on January 1, 1864, to present soldiers' and widows' Civil War claims to the government. He was also appointed war claims agent for St. Louis County in early 1864 in accordance with an act of the Missouri legislature. He died February 19, 1892, in St. Louis.

Collection consists of eight record books of claims and one volume containing a general name index to claimants. These record books contain Minor's notes on the progress and disposition of the claims of discharged soldiers and widows and orphans of soldiers for pensions, pay, and bounties.

Cite as: Francis Minor Record Books of Civil War Claims, Missouri History Museum Archives,

### A1055

# Mississippi Valley Kennel Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1906-1913.** 7 folders (200 items); 9 volumes

Collection contains record book of entries to the Mississippi Valley Kennel Club's annual dog shows of 1910 (two volumes); 1911 (two volumes), 1912 (two volumes); and 1913 (one volume). A single volume contains entries for 1907 and what is believed to be the 1909 dog show; lists of members (1908-1909), patronesses (1908) and a few pieces of correspondence regarding the 1909 dog show (in back of the book). An additional record book noting members, and entries span the years 1906-1910. Collection also includes minutes, bills, receipts, correspondence, suggestions for dog show, etc. of club. Includes letterheads of the following St. Louis businesses: Maryland Hotel (includes engraved illustration of hotel); Cabanne Kennels, 5147 Wells Ave.; Edw. K. Love Realty Co., 716 Chestnut St.; Nosegay Kennels, Kirkwood, Mo.; Mississippi Valley Kennel Club of St. Louis; B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., Broadway, Washington Ave., and St. Charles St. (includes engraved illustration of building); The Lewis Publishing Company, University City, Mo. (includes engraved illustration of building); Penrose Kennels, 4929-4931 Penrose St.; Great Western Printing Co., 513-515-517 Elm St.; St. Louis Catering Company, Broadway and Elm St.; Famous, the Shoenberg Mercantile Co.; Blanke-Wenneker Candy Company; Hamilton, Brown Shoe Co.; St. Louis Coliseum Company; The Mangan Press, northeast corner 4<sup>th</sup> and Olive; Capen Motor Car Company, 4739-4741-4743 McPherson Ave.; St. Louis Button Company, 415 Lucas Ave.; Kenwood Cocker Kennels, 776 Euclid Ave.; G.C. Kirn Adv. Sign Co., 1303 Pine St.; Commercial Electrical Supply Co., northeast corner 15th and Pine Sts.; Delabar Bros. Buffet; American Printing Company, 409-411 North 3<sup>rd</sup> St.; Brauer Bros. Mfg. Co. [Brauer Brothers Manufacturing Co.], 1318 Pine St.; C.S. Severson, 111-113 North 8th St.; Buxton & Skinner Stationery Co., 306-308 North 4th St.; S.G. Adams Stamp & Seal Co., 314 North 6<sup>th</sup> St.; Underwood Typewriter Co., 811 Locust St.; A.W. Sanders, commercial photographer; Gould Directory Co., 1324 Washington Ave.; Schroeter Bros. Hardware Co. [Schroeter Brothers Hardware Co.], 717-719 Washington Ave.; B.H. Briggs; Brinkmeyer-Meyer Hay & Grain Co., 1109 and 1111 North Broadway; American Storage & Moving Co., 2315 Olive St.; and The Southern (includes engraved illustration of hotel). Includes notes of the following individuals in response to a request from the Mississippi Valley Kennel Club to be a patroness, dated March 1911: Mrs. Josephine Bates, 3628 Delmar Ave.; Mrs. Pauline W. Kreismann, 4362 McPherson Ave.; Mrs. John Lawrence Mauran, 46 Vandeventer Place; Mrs. Thomas H. McKittrick, 4949 Berlin Ave.; Mrs. Harrison, 7 Kingsbury Place; Mrs. J. Van S. Barret, 4520 West Pine Blvd.; Claire Ewing Plant; Mrs. Merritt Marshall; Mrs. Oliver P. Langan; and William Maffitt.

Cite as: Mississippi Valley Kennel Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3108

# Missouri Athletic Club (1903-present).

# **Programs, 1978-1987.** 1 folder

Charles Henry Genslinger came to St. Louis in 1903, when the city was preparing for the 1904 World's Fair and the Summer Olympics. He persuaded local prominent citizens to establish a private amateur athletic and social club, similar to those he had organized in New York City and New Orleans. More than 3,200 members enrolled prior to the Missouri Athletic Club (MAC) opening its doors on September 13, 1903. The club's mission was to be the premier athletic, dining, and social club for business, professional, and civic leaders and their families in the St.

Louis region. The MAC has changed its name through the years, including St. Louis Athletic Club and Missouri Athletic Association (1916-1939).

The collection is comprised of five programs for Missouri Athletic Club events held in 1978, 1986, and 1987, arranged chronologically. The first is a souvenir from the 75th Anniversary Ball with lists of board members, past presidents, the Diamond Anniversary committee, and the club staff. It also includes a brief agenda and the dinner menu. The four remaining programs are for shows by the Apollos: Repertoire for Spring (April 19, 1986), Robert E. Lee Revue (November 8, 1986), The Last Seven Words of Christ (April 25, 1987), and Reminiscing Under the Stars (November 14, 1987). Each program lists Apollo members and officers. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Athletic Club Programs, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A1076

### Missouri. Auditor.

### **Record book. 1821-1826.** 1 volume

This volume contains a record of vouchers of individuals on which certificates were issued on the Missouri state treasury from December 27, 1821, to December 19, 1822; and a record of lands in seventeen Missouri counties bid off to the state for taxes in the years 1821-1826. The back of the volume contains records of the Missouri Territory that include records of notices sent to sheriffs concerning the collection of taxes in 1817-1818, and a list of non-residents who were required to pay land taxes in 1814-1816.

Cite as: Missouri Auditor's Record Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3103

# Missouri Baptist General Association.

# Centennial Meeting Program, 1934. 1 folder

The Missouri Baptist General Association was founded in 1834 to bring together the Baptist congregations in the state. Prior to its formation, there were only district associations in Missouri, each pursuing its own mission. By the year of its centennial, the state association guided efforts to found four Baptist colleges, an orphans' home, and a hospital.

The Missouri Baptist General Association held its centennial meeting in St. Louis at the Municipal Auditorium (14th and Market Sts.) on October 23-25, 1934. The souvenir program of the Missouri Baptist General Association was printed by the Western Baptist Publishing Co. of Kansas City, Missouri, as an issue of The Word and Way (Vol LXXII, Number 15). The meeting slogan on the front cover reads, "A Century of Baptist Conquest." In addition to the lists of events, the program includes select photographs of program participants (identified); news articles including A Hundred Years of Baptist History in Missouri by R. S. Douglass; and advertisements for colleges, associations, and commercial sponsors. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Baptist General Association Centennial Meeting Program, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A1077

# Missouri. Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri (Jefferson City, Missouri). Record books, 1837-1844. 2 volumes

The collection consists of records of the Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri, and includes a contemporary manuscript copy of state capitol contracts between the state of Missouri and contractors for the building of the new Missouri State Capitol Building in Jefferson

City, Missouri, May 10, 1837-June 13, 1838; and a record book of the Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri, March 15, 1839-November 2, 1844 (rear of volume contains accounts of books sold by the Missouri Secretary of State, 1839-1855).

Obtained from the office of the Missouri Register of Land Titles, Jefferson City, Missouri. Cite as: Record Books of the Board of Commissioners of the Capitol of Missouri, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1056

# Missouri Committee of Democrats for Willkie (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1940 Sept-Dec. 5 boxes

The Missouri Committee of Democrats for Willkie was organized in St. Louis in September 1940, because many Democrats preferred voting for Republican Wendell Willkie than for a third term for Franklin Delano Roosevelt. There were already Willkie-Democratic clubs in St. Louis and Kansas City prior to the formation of the state committee, circa September 16, 1940. The state committee, directed by Thomas McPheeters, Jr., of St. Louis, began by asking county Republican committees for names of Democrats in their counties who would vote for Willkie in the November election. Each county was to start its own independent organization. The state group would provide literature, speakers, buttons, etc., but no financial aid, to county groups. In several counties, some Democrats were interested in voting for Willkie, but for political or professional reasons would not leave the Democratic party publicly. The main issue for most Democrats opposed to Roosevelt seemed to be the third term. After Roosevelt won the election, the organization changed its name to "The Jeffersonians."

The collection consists of records of the state committee, including correspondence, membership lists, printed material, and some financial material. The collection also includes information relating to the Goodloe for Prosecuting Attorney Committee (St. Louis County), of which Thomas McPheeters, Jr., was treasurer; and some information on "The Jeffersonians." Cite as: Missouri Committee of Democrats for Willkie Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1057

# Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Correspondence, 1937. 1 volume

The growing numbers of women in business and the professions spawned many clubs of the same types businessmen had formed the previous century. The Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs was an umbrella organization to permit communication and at times consolidation of efforts among these groups. St. Louisan Margaret A. Hickey, founder of the Hickey Business School, among many other accomplishments, was very active in the federation.

This volume of correspondence relates to the convention of the Missouri Federation held in St. Louis, April 23-25, 1937.

Cite as: Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3173

# Missouri Foundation for Health (Saint Louis, Mo.) (2000-). Oral History Project Transcripts, 2009-2010. 3 boxes

The Missouri Foundation for Health (the Foundation) is an independent philanthropic foundation founded in 2000. It is the largest healthcare foundation in Missouri and is one of the

largest conversion foundations in the nation. In 1994, nonprofit health insurer Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Missouri sought to reorganize its managed care business into its for-profit subsidiary, RightCHOICE. The state of Missouri's Department of Insurance initially approved the proposal, but consumer advocacy groups argued that the conversion to a for-profit entity required Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Missouri to transfer its nonprofit assets to a nonprofit foundation.

The collection contains transcripts for video interviews conducted from January 2009 to June 2010 with 48 individuals relating to the formation and history of the Missouri Foundation for Health. Some transcripts are accompanied by biographical data, interview guides (notes to guide the interviews' pace and content), index to interviews, and various notes and articles. There are two research files that appear at the beginning of the collection. The transcript files are arranged alphabetically by interviewee name.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Foundation for Health Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A2244

# Missouri General Assembly.

**Collection, 1824, 1871.** 3 items

Contains two certificates for money due to H.S. Geyer and Nicholas S. Burckhardt for attendance and miles traveled to the seat of government; and an illustrated broadside of the XXVI Missouri General Assembly (1871), which includes photographs of the members of the assembly.

Cite as: Missouri General Assembly Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1078

### Missouri. Governor (Jefferson City, Missouri).

# Justice of the Peace recommendations and appointments, 1844-1851. 1 box

Collection was formerly part of the County Court Papers. Upon being microfilmed by the Missouri State Archives County Records Program in 1993, the collection was reprocessed, correctly identified, and its provenance reestablished.

Cite as: Missouri Governor's Justice of the Peace Recommendations and Appointments, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1079

# Missouri. Highway Department.

# Highway plans, 1946-1971. 2 map drawers

Plans for the construction of St. Louis-area U.S. and interstate highways: Route 66 (1946-1948); Interstate 55 (1956-1959); Interstate 70 (1952-1962); Interstate 44 (1960-1971); and Route 40 (1962-1966).

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Highway Department Highway Plans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1058

# Missouri Historical Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Archives.** 502 boxes; 8 volumes; 12 oversize folders Finding aid available.

### Access restricted.

Cite as: Missouri Historical Society Institutional Archives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1825

Missouri Historical Society (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis–Benton Park, Oral History Project Transcripts, 1997.** 1 box

This oral history collection documents the recent spatial transformations of one American city and traces the relation of those changes to the memories, personal histories, and aspirations of the women and men who have witnessed them firsthand. Employing both documentary and oral-historical methods, the study works both at the detailed level of the single block and the broad level of the metropolitan region. Within the general study of the city, individual neighborhoods are reviewed in greater depth, including, in this section of the research, the neighborhood called Benton Park in near south St. Louis city with geographic borders of Gravois, Cherokee and Potomac, Jefferson, and Interstate 55.

Cite as: Missouri Historical Society People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2359

# Missouri Historical Society and others.

# Petition to the Missouri Senate and House of Representatives, circa 1881.

Petition states, "The Missouri Historical Society and others respectfully represent, to Your Honorable bodies that Hunt's Minutes, containing the proof of French and Spanish titles and claims under the acts of Congress of 1812 and 1824 now in the custody of the State of Missouri at Jefferson City, are exceedingly full and rich in historical facts concerning the early settlements of St. Louis and the State of Missouri, not elsewhere accessible to the public. Said minutes also contain the evidence of title to large and numerous tracts of land throughout the State, and your petitioners believe it would be a great public benefit to have said Minutes and accompanying documents published, and the undersigned therefore ask the General Assembly to authorize their publication on such terms as to them may seem best, and as in duty bound will ever pray &c." Cite as: Missouri Historical Society and others petition to the Missouri Senate and House of Representatives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1059

# Missouri history collection, 1803-1977. 3 boxes; 5 oversize folders

Collection is an assortment of material relating to Missouri history, acquired from a multiplicity of sources and arranged together due to common subject matter. The collection includes letters of early Missouri settlers to families and friends in the East describing the state; discussions and descriptions of lands, slaves, natural resources, politics; newsclippings, copies of speeches, etc. Some typescripts, photostats, and photocopies.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Missouri History Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1060

Missouri Home Guard. 3rd Regiment.

**Records, 1917-1919.** 2 boxes; 1 volume

Records of the Adjutant General's Office of the Missouri Home Guard, 3rd Regiment, which

include requests from commanding officers of companies of the 3rd Regiment for honorable discharges of enlisted men, with reasons stated, 1918; enlistment contracts, September 1917-1918; general orders, November 1917-October 1918; circulars; correspondence; transfers; records of Companies A-M; sanitary detachment; and attendance and strength reports, December 1917 Dec-June 1919. Bound volume, prepared by Captain William H. Dulany, contains the inventory of uniforms, weapons, ammunition, and supplies of the 3rd Regiment of the Missouri home guard, St. Louis.

Cite as: 3rd Regiment, Missouri Home Guard, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3042

# Missouri. 2<sup>nd</sup> Volunteer Cavalry (Merrill's Horse).

### **Collection. 1861-1913.** 5 folders

The Second Missouri Volunteer Cavalry (1861-1865) was formed by order of Major General John C. Fremont almost six months after the Civil War began. The regiment was also known as Merrill's Horse. This alternate designation appears in contemporary reports and was widely used among the men serving in the regiment.

The collection is comprised of letters written by six Civil War soldiers who served in Merrill's Horse and one letter written by a relative of a soldier. The letters are arranged chronologically, most of which date from 1861 to 1862, with fewer letters written in 1863 and 1864. There is a large gap from 1865 to 1912.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: 2<sup>nd</sup> Missouri Volunteer Cavalry Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1075

### Missouri. 24th Infantry.

**Records, 1862-1863.** 3 boxes (approximately 1,350 items)

The 24th Missouri Infantry (Union) was organized in Missouri in 1861, and served primarily in southeast Missouri, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, and Louisiana. The regiment was mustered out in late 1864 and early 1865. Collection consists primarily of reports, returns, requisitions, and other records relating to the Quartermaster's Department, while the regiment was stationed at Rolla, Missouri, in 1862 and early 1863. The collection also contains some records relating to the Ordnance Department, the Subsistence Department, and the Commissary Department.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: 24th Missouri Infantry Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1080

### Missouri Land Records.

Collection, 1799-1979. 15 boxes; 15 volumes; 3 oversize folders

The Office of the Register of Land Titles in Missouri was established in 1841 and was primarily responsible for the sale of state land and the taxation of land. A multiplicity of records related to public land and taxation were placed in the custody of this office. The Office of the Register of Land Titles in Missouri was abolished in 1891, at which time the records were transferred to the land department of the Missouri Secretary of State's Office. The Office of the Recorder of Land Titles in St. Louis was established in 1805. The recorder served as a member of the Boards of Land Commissioners that were established by acts of Congress to adjudicate

land claims predating the acquisition of the Louisiana Territory by the United States in 1804. The boards reported to the commissioner of the General Land Office in Washington, D.C., who forwarded the reports to Congress. Confirmed land claims were recorded by the general land office. The Office of the Recorder of Land Titles was abolished in 1876. The Office of the Surveyor General for Missouri and Illinois, also established in 1805, reported to the commissioner of the General Land Office in Washington, D.C., and supervised the surveying of public lands and the sales of said lands in district land offices. Congress authorized the closing of this office upon passage of state legislation authorizing the state of Missouri to assume custody of records in 1840. In 1865, Missouri passed the final enabling legislation. These records nevertheless remained in the Customs House in St. Louis until 1874.

The bulk of the Missouri Land Records Collection was created from two former collections: (1) the Missouri Register of Land Titles Records and (2) the General Land Office (Washington, D.C.), Office of the Surveyor General of Missouri and Illinois (Saint Louis, Mo.), Records. Additional items not related to the land offices were added to the collection at a later period. The collection is divided into five series: Saint Louis Office of the Recorder of Land Titles, Missouri Office of the Register of Land Titles, Office of Surveyor General of Missouri and Illinois, Surveys, and Real Estate. With the exception of the Saint Louis Office of the Recorder of Land Titles Series, which includes the French and Spanish land petitions filed alphabetically by the last name of the land petitioner, the series are arranged chronologically. The collection includes items that were originally contained within the Land Papers and are indexed in the Archives Card Catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Missouri Land Records Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1061

### Missouri militia collection, 1793-1930. 2 boxes; 1 oversize box

Collection is an assortment of material relating to the history of the Missouri militia units acquired from a multiplicity of sources and arranged together due to common subject matter. It includes commissions, requisitions, special orders, muster rolls, receipts, reports, bills pertaining to various companies, regiments of Missouri militia. Collection includes a significant amount of Civil War material, and some World War I records. Collection also includes records of the Washington Guards, 1852-1876, and an order book of the 54th Enrolled Missouri Militia, August 18, 1862-November 15, 1864.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Missouri Militia Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1062

Missouri Militia. Paymaster.

**Cashbooks**, **1865-1867**. 2 volumes

The office of paymaster of the Missouri Militia was held by Major A.G. Vogdes in 1865-1867.

These cashbooks contain mostly abstracts of monthly payments.

Cite as: Missouri Militia Paymaster Cashbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### Missouri notebook, 1866.

See Journals and Diaries Collection, 1866.

Missouri. Public Service Commission (Jefferson City, Missouri).

See Towles, Ephraim Ewing, Papers.

### A1063

Missouri Railroad Manufacturing Company.

Account book and ledger, no date. 1 volume

Unidentified account book, labeled "Mo. R. Mfg. Co."

Cite as: Missouri Railroad Manufacturing Company Account Book and Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1074

Missouri. Secretary of State (Jefferson City, Missouri).

Ordinance abolishing slavery, 1865 11 Jan. 1 item

Original ordinance abolishing slavery in Missouri. On parchment.

Cite as: Missouri Secretary of State Ordinance Abolishing Slavery, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1081

Missouri. Senate Executive Department (Jefferson City, Missouri).

Executive journal, 1838-1847. 1 volume

This volume is an executive journal of the tenth through the fourteenth General Assemblies of Missouri. Labeled "appendix," it consists of records of the Missouri State Senate in secret session considering and voting on gubernatorial appointments. The records are dated December 10, 1838, to February 13, 1839 (Tenth General Assembly); January 28 to February 13, 1841 (Eleventh General Assembly); January 11 to February 21, 1843 (Twelfth General Assembly); February 10 to March 26, 1845 (Thirteenth General Assembly); December 2, 1846, to January 8, 1847 (Fourteenth General Assembly).

Cite as: Missouri Senate Executive Department Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1082

Missouri. Senate Judiciary Committee (Jefferson City, Missouri).

Record book, 1874 Jan 13-Mar 30. 1 volume

This volume is a record of Missouri Senate and House bills and concurrent and joint resolutions referred to the Judiciary Committee of the state Senate, with notations on actions taken

Cite as: Missouri Senate Judiciary Committee Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### Missouri sesquicentennial collection

See Hempen, H. Joseph. Missouri sesquicentennial collection.

### A1064

Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1889-1985.** 34 volumes; 7 boxes

Patriotic society of men descended from veterans of the American Revolution, organized April 23, 1889.

Records include minute books, 1889-1950; Daniel Sylvester Tuttle scrapbooks, 1894-1912, 1915-1923; manuscript membership roster, commencing 1889; membership roster, compiled

1985, and card file index; applications, 1894-1980; correspondence, 1919-1920; assorted certificates, invitations, programs, duplicate applications, printed matter, and miscellany. Records may only be used by members of the Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution. Cite as: Missouri Society Sons of the Revolution Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### Missouri State Guard.

Hospital register, 1861 July 5-Dec 25. 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

### A1066

Missouri State Music Teachers' Association.

**Records, 1907-1933.** 2 volumes

Roster and minute book (1907-1924) and journal of dues and expenditures (1916-1933) of professional association.

Cite as: Missouri State Music Teachers' Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1067

Missouri State Nurses Association. Third District (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1947-1979. 2 boxes

Includes selected organizational correspondence, 1965, 1979; correspondence of Bernice Y. Lawson, R.N. (chairman, Private Duty Section, Third District, Missouri State Nurses Association), 1947, 1950-1970; records from the Archives Committee including correspondence, 1963, biographical sketches of nurses, minutes, 1977, the association history, and clippings; printed material including publications of St. Louis hospitals and various local and national nurses associations (i.e., Black Nurses Association of Greater St. Louis and East St. Louis; Colored Registered Nurses Association Charter, 1919; Missouri State Nurses Association; National Black Nurses Association, and Nurses For Life-Abortion Issues); and numerous photographs of Third District Nurses and organizational events.

Cite as: Records of the Third District (St. Louis) of the Missouri State Nurses Association, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1068

**Missouri statehood collection, [1821]-1971.** 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Collection contains papers relating to the Missouri centennial celebration of statehood, properties of Missouri Historical Society loaned for exhibition for the celebration; photocopy of petition of Missouri citizens to House of Representatives for statehood, 1817; photocopy of proclamation admitting Missouri to the Union on basis equal to original states, 1821. Cite as: Missouri Statehood Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1083

Missouri. Supreme Court (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1805-1821.** 4 volumes

Established in 1804 as the General Court of the Louisiana Territory, became the Superior Court of the Missouri Territory in 1813, and the Missouri Supreme Court in 1820 on the eve of Missouri statehood.

This collection consists of three minute books, 1805-1821; and a fee book, 1806-1810.

Cite as: Missouri Supreme Court Minute Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1069

# **Missouri Territory collection, 1818.** 1 folder (3 items)

Document signed Josiah Meigs, commissioner of the General Land Office, to A.J. Dallas, secretary of the treasury, 1818, proposal for surveying the territory into townships; undated contemporary copy of field notes, notebook, of the survey of a part of west boundary of Missouri, which was surveyed as an Indian boundary and adopted as the boundary of the state; typewritten notes made by Mary Louise Dalton regarding material relating to the Missouri Territory to be found in Washington, D.C.

Cite as: Missouri Territory Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1070

# Missouri Territory. House of Representatives (Saint Louis).

**Journal, 1818-1820.** 1 volume

Minutes of the Missouri House of Representatives meeting in St. Louis on the eve of Missouri statehood, 1818 session (October 26-December 24), and 1820 session (September 18-December 4).

Cite as: Journal of the House of Representatives of the Missouri Territory (St. Louis), Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2138

### Missouri Tourism.

# Collection, circa 1960-1979. 1 folder

The collection consists of brochures from tourism venues from across the state of Missouri, especially the Lake of the Ozarks region and the Branson/southwest Missouri region.

Cite as: Missouri Tourism Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### Missouri University collection.

See University of Missouri Collection.

### A1084

### Missouri-Vicksburg National Military Park Commission.

# Commissioners' minute book, 1911-1917. 1 volume

Commission formed to erect a monument to Missouri at the Civil War battlefield in Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Minute book contains typed copies of the minutes of the board of commissioners and photographs of the various models of monuments that were submitted for selection. Also includes programs and correspondence relating to the unveiling of the monument.

Cite as: Missouri-Vicksburg National Military Park Commissioners' Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### Missouri Volunteers. Parson's Division.

Register of officers, 1862-1865. 1 volume

Transferred to Mosby Monroe Parsons Papers.

### A1073

Missouri Welfare League (Saint Louis, Missouri).

### **Records, 1919-1950.** 34 boxes

The Missouri Welfare League was organized March 18, 1920, to help in the prevention of delinquency and in reducing crime in Missouri. The league hoped to accomplish this through education, service in and for correctional institutions, and political legislation. A major goal of the league was to improve the treatment of prisoners in local and state institutions. One of the founders and leaders of the league was Mrs. Carol Bates. Under her leadership the league helped in the creation of the State Board of Probation and Parole, the establishment of Algoa Farms Intermediate Reformatory, inclusion of provisions abolishing the fee system for law enforcement officers in the new Missouri constitution, and the establishment of a modern parole system. Mrs. Bates and the league worked for legislation authorizing the appointment of parole officers to serve the St. Louis Court of Criminal Correction and for the improvement in the bill creating the State Department of Corrections. She retired from the organization in 1949.

The collection includes correspondence of the organization; minutes of the board of directors; reports issued by the organization; information concerning legislation supported by the league; and information on public institutions in the state.

Cite as: Missouri Welfare League Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1085

Mitchell Family.

Papers, 1777-1909. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Papers include genealogical material on the Fisher, Hopkins, Eliot, Carr, and allied families; correspondence, orders regarding sutlership and its administration at Fort Union, 1861-1873; correspondence regarding William H. Moore, Moore and Co., Mitchell and Co., 1860-1877, regarding their sutlership.

Cite as: Mitchell Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3034

Mitchell, Frank C., Family.

**Papers, 1852-1921.** 1 box (11 folders)

Frank Clinton Mitchell was born on 15 January 1896, in St. Louis, Missouri, to John C. and Alvida (Septon) Mitchell. He married Edna E. Kessler and had two sons, Frank W. Mitchell and John C. Mitchell. On June 14, 1918, Mitchell enlisted in the United States Naval Reserve.

The collection is arranged chronologically and is comprised primarily of correspondence written by Frank Mitchell to Edna Kessler from 1917 to 1919. There are discharge papers for Frank Mitchell (1921) and his grandfather, Joseph C. Mitchell (1861-1865), and marriage certificates for Frank's parents (1888) and grandparents (1852). The bulk of the collection dates from 1917 to 1919. There is a gap between 1889 and 1916. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frank C. Mitchell Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3019

Moberg, Selma, Miss.

**Postcards**, **1902-1917**. 3 folders

Collection contains 105 postcards received by Miss Selma Moberg, who resided at 1909 Utah Street and later 3238 Pennsylvania Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri. Most of the postcards were signed only with a first name or initial. Postcards signed with a full name include Anna Berg, Marie Rohaker, Ida Peterson, George Rueffer, and Anna Ginder. The collection also contains 25 postcards written to Lowell Gee and Mr. and Mrs. William Peck of Mt. Vernon, Missouri; Frank

B. Peck, Springfield, Missouri; and Mr. W.P. Purcell, 3850 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. Among these postcards are cards signed by Clara Edney, Milan Berry, Morris Berry, Earl Newman, John B. Peck, Allen M. Berry, and Paul Peck. A postcard signed Clara Edney to Mrs. William Peck, postmarked November 24, 1917, mentions her son Orin Edney joining the military during World War I: "Our son Orin will go to camp next Sunday. I want to be patriotic but it is pretty hard when it is my boy and I think I am speaking for all of the mothers of the U.S."

Cite as: Miss Selma Moberg Postcards, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1086

Mohrhardt, Francis.

**Record book, 1842-1843.** 1 volume (155 pages)

Francis Mohrhardt (listed variously as Franz Mohrhardt, Francis Mohrhart, and Francis Mohart) was a St. Louis engineer, employed at one point in the office of the city engineer.

This volume is a record of elevations, at various points in St. Louis, and includes street grades and surveys.

Cite as: Francis Mohrhardt Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2296

Molesworth, L.W.

Letter to mother, 1876 July 9. 2 items

Letter signed L.W. Molesworth, on the stationery of the Crawford House, Colorado Springs, Colorado, to his mother, written while traveling. Discusses the news he has just heard regarding the annihilation of General George Armstrong Custer. Includes typescript copy of letter. Cite as: L.W. Molesworth Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1087

Moll, Ottmar A.

**Ledgers, 1897-1901, 1927-1934.** 5 volumes

Records of piano lessons in St. Louis.

Cite as: Ottmar A. Moll Ledgers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2555

Mollenkamp-Zaiger Family.

Papers, 1918-1919. 5 items

Collection includes registration certificate of George Dewey Zaiger, 6421 Alabama Ave., St. Louis, September 12, 1918; registration certificate of John Leo Mollenkamp, 7857 Morganford, St. Louis, September 12, 1918; notification card of Local Board Division 12, 6818 Michigan Avenue, city of St. Louis, Mo., issued to John L. Mollenkamp, October 28, 1918; check from the treasurer of the United States (stamped "Office of the Quartermaster, Kelly Field, Texas) for \$1 to John L. Mollenkamp, February 21, 1919; and military discharge certificate of John L. Mollenkamp, given at Kelly Field, Texas, November 12, 1918.

Cite as: Mollenkamp-Zaiger Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3015

Monster Whale Exhibition.

**Ticket. no date.** 1 item

Admission ticket for any school child under 15 years to see the monster whale on exhibition

at 7<sup>th</sup> St. near Chestnut St.

Cite as: Monster Whale Exhibition Ticket, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1088

Montgomery County, Missouri.

Collection, 1824-1868; 1939. 1 box

Collection contains photocopies of documents from the Montgomery County Historical Society including an account book of Charles Drury's store at Loutre Lick, Missouri, July 1837-August 1838; minute from the Freedom Baptist Church, April 3, 1824-August 22, 1868; justice of the peace docket books of Robert Fulkerson (justice of the peace in Danville, Missouri), 1843-1849; and justice of the peace docket book of James Bryant (justice of the peace in Danville), 1850-1859.

Cite as: Montgomery County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1089

Moody Family.

Papers, 1788-1935. 9 folders (approximately 300 items); 1 oversize folder

Letters of the Moody family, early ones from Samuel Moody at Dartmouth College; collection, notebook, 1830, of poetry in hand of Margaret E. Johnson; land grants for Tennessee, Indiana, and Minnesota; Civil War letters to Katherine Twining; series of letters of artist Frederick L. Stoddard to Campbell of St. Louis, 1905-1935; 1917 story of the first institution for venereal disease among women organized in the United States at Lawton, Oklahoma, written by Mrs. Elizabeth Moore Hundley, 1917.

Cite as: Moody Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1090

Mook, George Jacob (1828-1900).

Papers, 1863-1865. 1 folder (approximately 16 items)

George Jacob Mook was born April 26, 1828, in Oxford, Ohio. During the Civil War he served as a private in the 4th Missouri Cavalry (Confederate). He was captured October 25, 1864, near Fort Scott, Kansas, and imprisoned at Gratiot Street Prison and Alton Military Prison, before being sent to the South on exchange. Following the war he returned to St. Louis, where he served as vice president and treasurer of Flesh & Mook Painting Company. He died November 2, 1900, in St. Louis.

Papers include letters of George Mook to his family, mostly dated Gratiot Street Prison and Alton Prison in late 1864 and early 1865. Also includes Mook's diary (151 pages), dated January to June 1865, which primarily contains descriptions of his journey through the South as an exchanged prisoner. Also includes accounts of the Mobile Campaign, affairs in Louisiana in the war's final months, the surrender of Confederate troops, and a roster of men from St. Louis in Company D, 4th Missouri Cavalry. Also contains photograph of Mook.

Cite as: George J. Mook Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2941

Mooney, Arthur E. (1852- ).

Family History Sheet, 1918 September 28. 2 items [formerly Alphabetical File]

Family history sheet for the Missouri Historical Society filled out by Arthur E. Mooney, 5941 McPherson Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Also includes typescript note signed Arthur E. Mooney to

the Missouri Historical Society, September 28, 1918, written on stationery of Art. B. Mooney, auto tires and supplies, 4547 Delmar Ave.

Cite as: Arthur E. Mooney Family History Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1092

Moore, Eva Perry (1853-1931). Papers, 1892-1932; 1970. 1 box

A 1873 graduate of Vassar College and teacher of botany and French there until 1875, Eva Perry married Phillip North Moore, a mining engineer and consulting geologist, in 1879. In 1890, the Moores moved to St. Louis, where Mrs. Moore became active in a variety of women's clubs, including the Wednesday Club, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and the Association of Collegiate Alumnae of Vassar College. During the 1904 Louisiana Purchase Exposition, she represented the Board of Lady Managers on the Superior Jury of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition; during World War I, she was active in the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, Missouri Division. With the advent of women's suffrage, she also became active in the League of Women Voters.

The collection consists of material removed from one of Eva Perry Moore's scrapbooks. Containing approximately 75 items, this collection includes typed notes and texts of speeches given by Mrs. Moore mostly in regard to women's issues of the day (1892-1930). Some material relates to the St. Louis and National Leagues of Women Voters (1920-1932, 1970). A few items within the collection pertain to Marie Ames, who was associated with the Missouri League of Women Voters (1921-1931). Collection is arranged by subject. Eva Perry Moore scrapbooks, 1865-1931, are available in the Missouri History Museum Library. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Eva Perry Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1091

Moore Family.

# Moore-Johnson-Bland family papers, 1851-1944. 1 box

Papers include genealogical records of these families; typescripts of family correspondence and family records; typescript diary of Mary Johnson Bland, of Kansas City, while serving with the American Red Cross in Europe during World War II.

Cite as: Moore-Johnson-Bland Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1093

Moore, George H. (1878-1962).

Papers, 1864-1966. 2 boxes; 3 oversize folders

George H. Moore received his L.L.B. and his L.L.M. from the University of Missouri and established a law practice in St. Louis. He was appointed by President Woodrow Wilson to serve as the collector of internal revenue at St. Louis, a post he held until 1922. In 1935, he was appointed a federal judge in the Eastern District of Missouri. For his service to the law and to the community, he was given the St. Louis Award in 1952. He was the 21st president of the Missouri Historical Society, 1946-1956.

Papers include family papers, correspondence regarding the Moore, Taylor, Glover, McAfee families and their genealogies; correspondence between Judge George H. Moore and Floyd C. Shoemaker of the State Historical Society of Missouri regarding the publication of a journal of Col. John Glover, 1826-1835.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George H. Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1094

Moore, Henry Clay.

**Papers, 1828-1888.** 1 box (approximately 100 items)

Civil engineer.

Papers include information regarding the building of the St. Louis, Lawrence and Denver Railroad, especially between Pleasant Hill, Missouri, and Lawrence, Kansas. Also includes information regarding the building in Florida in connection with the Florida Central and Western, Louisville and Nashville and Pensacola and Atlantic Railroads; letters from B.S. Henning, president of the Florida Central and Western Railroad; and numerous deeds, mortgages and tax receipts of Henry C. Moore.

Cite as: Henry Clay Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1095

Moore, Marian Thiebes.

**Collection, 1911-1926.** 1 box

Contains four scrapbooks of theatre programs for New York and St. Louis performances, including notes of Marian Thiebes Moore. Also includes postcard of the Battleship *Missouri*. Cite as: Marian Thiebes Moore Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2102

Moore, Martha Missouri Bishop (1837-1881).

**Journal of the Trip to California (typescript copy), 1859 May 2-Oct 1.** 1 volume (70 pages)

Martha Missouri Bishop was born October 18, 1837, in Benton County, Missouri, and married James Preston Moore in 1858. She died February 7, 1881, in Red Bluff, California.

Typescript copy of Martha Missouri Bishop Moore's overland journey by wagon train from Missouri to California made with her pioneer husband, others, and 5,000 sheep. Journal includes accounts of geography, weather, distance traveled each day, and Indian attacks. Typescript was compiled by Martha Moore's niece Frances Bishop Sweeney in 1934. Also includes photographs, drawings, maps, and introduction.

Cite as: Martha Missouri Bishop Moore's Journal of the Trip to California, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1096

Moore, Meredith T.

**Papers, 1851-1859.** 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

Papers consist primarily of correspondence from Meredith T. Moore in California to Martha Hannah Ramsay in Missouri regarding life in California. Also includes a notebook of expenditures, recipes, etc. kept by Hannah Ramsay Moore, 1851-1859.

Cite as: Meredith T. Moore Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1097

Moore, Thomas Anderson (1838-1915).

**Collection, 1819-1916.** 2 boxes

Thomas Anderson Moore was born October 31, 1838, in Scion, Harrison County, Ohio. He married Clara Pilcher (1845-1890) shortly before his enlistment in the Civil War. During the war, Moore served with the 33rd Missouri Infantry, and was seriously wounded on July 4, 1863,

at Helena, Arkansas. Following the war Moore worked as a carpenter in St. Louis. He died June 16, 1915, at Kirkwood, Missouri.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence documenting family affairs and the Civil War from 1862 to 1865. The Moore Family Correspondence Series consists primarily of correspondence between Thomas and his wife, Clara, and also includes correspondence from Thomas' father, James. The letters regard family affairs and Thomas' service during the Civil War. The Moore Family Papers Series consists of various papers other than correspondence regarding the Moore and Pilcher families, including reminiscences and genealogies. It is unknown why the bank ledger, Kennerly journal, and ledger of Stagg & Brother were in the possession of Thomas Anderson Moore. The Barton Family Correspondence Series consists entirely of letters from various family members in Montgomery County, Missouri, to John M. Barton while he served with the 33rd Missouri Infantry during the Civil War. According to the correspondence regarding the collection, John Barton gave his correspondence to Thomas Anderson Moore to return to his family.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas Anderson Moore Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2513

# Moorhead and Company (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania).

Price List, 1880. 1 item

Price list of Moorhead and Company, Soho Iron Mills, manufacturers of galvanized, Juniata, charcoal and common sheet iron. Company name changed to Moorhead-McCleane Co. Cite as: Moorhead and Company Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3129

# Moorlands Addition (Clayton, Mo.) Board of Agents.

# Covenant Correspondence, 1947. 1 folder

The Moorlands Addition is located in Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri, just east of Clayton's business district, approximately six miles west of downtown St. Louis. It was one of the county's earliest multifamily subdivisions to cater to automobile owners, demonstrated by the district's numerous original underground parking garages. The development also included racial covenants. In 2009, the Moorlands Addition Apartment District was placed on the National Register of Historic Places.

The collection consists of two letters, a report, and an invoice. Robert C. Powell, secretary of the Moorlands Addition Board of Agents, wrote to the other two members of the board regarding noncompliance of apartment building owners with one of the subdivision's racial restrictions, or covenants, which stated that no person "not wholly of Caucasian blood" be allowed to occupy any building.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Moorlands Addition Board of Agents Covenant Correspondence, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A2302

### Morgan, Thomas B.

Papers 1891-1895. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Thomas B. Morgan was born February 15, 1868. He worked as a salesman for A.H. Fuchs, a milliner based in St. Louis, and traveled throughout Missouri, Kansas, and Arkansas for work.

He was a descendant of the Clamorgans, a prominent local African American family. He died June 23, 1940, in St. Louis.

The collection consists of personal and business correspondence, travel and business receipts, business cards, expense books, and other work-related and personal ephemera. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas B. Morgan Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2472

# Morgan Tire Pump.

Circular, no date. 1 item

Circular provides directions for installing Morgan tire pumps for Ford cars. A.L. Bedel, distributor, St. Louis, Missouri.

Cite as: Morgan Tire Pump Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1098

Morley Family.

Papers, 1899-1970. 2 folders

Papers consist primarily of materials regarding reunions and anniversaries of Central High School (St. Louis), including reunion programs, photographs, and an alumni list. Also includes a few documents regarding Hampton H. Bentz; receipt for burials of George C. Vordtriede and Louis Vordtriede; two certificates of William H. Morley; and photographs of William Morley. Cite as: Morley Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1099

# Mormons collection, 1813-1970. 6 folders (approximately 100 items)

County, Missouri, war, 1838; several letters of Matthew Gant, St. Louis, 1844-1849, to relatives in England describing his new life in the United States, St. Louis, with mentions of cloth merchandising, Mormons; letters of Irene Hascall Pomeroy to her mother, Mrs. Ursulia Hascall, and others, 1845-1854, describing Mormon experiences in Nauvoo, Illinois, and then over the western trail with winter quarters at the Camp of Israel and finally the establishment of their home at Salt Lake City (typed copies by C. Cadwith Waynes); various letters regarding life of Mormons and Salt Lake City; clippings regarding Mormonism. (The letters of Irene Hascall Pomeroy were published in the *Utah Historical Quarterly*, Volume 25 (four-part series), January-October 1957.)

Cite as: Mormons Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1100

Morrison family.

**Papers, 1792-1943.** 2 boxes

William, Robert, Jesse, and James Morrison, as merchants, settled in western territory: William and Robert in Kaskaskia, Illinois; James and Jesse in St. Charles. The latter dissolved partnership in 1827 and Jesse moved to Galena, Illinois. William M. Morrison, son of James, was a prominent St. Louis businessman. He married Mary Bissell, daughter of Lewis Bissell, and, after her death, he married Sarah Catherine (Kate) Swinney (1854). She died in 1861; he died in 1865.

Genealogy of the Morrison, Swinney, Fuller and related families. Collection includes original land grants, surveys and deeds pertaining to St. Charles and a few from Portage des Sioux. Also

includes letters (1795-1840) of William, Robert and twin brothers Jesse and James Morrison relating to land claims, Indian and frontier trade, protection of Portage des Sioux; correspondence of W.D. Swinney family (circa 1843-1860s), Glasgow, Missouri, and of William M. Morrison to his future wife, Kate Swinney (circa 1853-1854). Persons and subjects mentioned include George W. Atchison, Hiram W. Baber, Joseph Beauchamp, Baptiste Caloutre, Baptiste Greza dit Capitaine, Pierre Clermont, Paul Cornoyer, Joseph Couder, Thomas W. Cunningham, Dardenne River, Baptiste D'eau, Uriah J. Devore, Jean Baptiste Dube, Francois Duquette, Bazil Hebert, Francis Honore, Theodore Hunt, Francois Jourdain, Pierre Vincent dit Larbre, Antoine Lafranchise, Hurbin Lafranchise, Marianne Lafranchise, Pierre LeVilebeouf die Leboeuf, Baptiste LeSage, Michelle LeSage, Pierre Loisel, Arthur L. Magennis, Guy Morrison, Henry J. Morrison, James and Jesse Morrison, William Morrison, Pierre Pelardi, Jean Baptiste Perrot, Jean Baptiste Petit, Bazil Picard, Portage des Sioux, François Rageot, R.R. Robbins, Gaspard Roubien, François Roy, St. Charles, François Saucier, Joseph Saurin, Antoine Soulard, Charles Tayon, Jean Tayon, and Zenon Trudeau. Also Amos Stoddard, James Wilkinson, John Cott, Z. M. Pike, James O. Swinney, Dr. William A. Smith, and William M. Morrison. Cite as: Morrison Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1101

Morrison, Gilbert (-1912).

Papers, 1890-1910. 4 folders (approximately 50 items)

Principal at McKinley High School, circa 1906. He died in 1912.

Papers contain writings of Morrison regarding high school and manual training school education in St. Louis and Kansas City. Also includes speeches and some correspondence. Cite as: Gilbert Morrison Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3010

Morrison-Steen-Little Family.

**Papers, 1837-1887.** 1 box

Pitcairn Morrison was born September 18, 1795, in New York City, and served as a U.S. Army officer from 1820 to 1863. He died October 5, 1887, in Baltimore, Maryland. Georgiana Morrison, daughter of Pitcairn Morrison, married Alexander Early Steen in St. Louis in 1848. Alexander Early Steen served as a Confederate colonel during the Civil War, and was killed December 7, 1862, at the Battle of Prairie Grove, Arkansas. Martha R. "Mattie" Morrison (died December 27, 1913), another daughter of Pitcairn Morrison, married Lewis Henry Little. Little rose to the rank of brigadier general in the Confederate States Army, and was killed September 19, 1862, at the Battle of Iuka. Frances M. "Fannie" Morrison (died January 20, 1884), another daughter of Pitcairn Morrison, married F. Higgins and later Thomas Rector.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence of the Morrison-Steen-Little family, including two letters of Kit Carson to Mrs. Georgiana Steen. The collection also contains several poems.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Morrison-Steen-Little Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1102

Morrow, William.

Record book, 1837 June 1-Oct 3. 1 volume

This volume, attributed to William Morrow, is an otherwise unidentified record book containing promissory notes dating from as early as May 14, 1819. This volume appears to

document the finances of the Alton, Illinois, branch of the State Bank of Illinois. Cite as: William Morrow Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1103

Moulder, Thomas Valentine (-1912).

**Papers, 1898-1958.** 2 boxes

Thomas Valentin Moulder was a pharmacist and a doctor in Crowder, Missouri. He graduated from the Kansas City Medical College in 1898 and practiced medicine in Brockett, Arkansas, and Puxico and Crowder, Missouri. He died in 1912.

The collection contains daybooks, ledgers, account books, personal and family papers, newsclippings and genealogical information on the Moulder family. The daybooks describe his medical practice, who he treated, etc. Also includes manuscript titled "Moulder's Record of the Moulder Family of America," by George Chester Moulder (published in 1933; 171 pages); the personal papers of Mrs. Olive Test Moulder; an autobiography of Ms. Phoebe Test (1958); and minute book of the Beaver Tribe, Lone Scouts of America, Crowden, Missouri, 1919. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas Valentine Moulder Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2386

Mound City Coupe, Livery and Messenger Co. (St. Louis, Mo.). Circular, [1896?]. 1 item

This 4-page circular promotes the alarm box of the Mound City Coupe, Livery and Messenger Co., 3420 Lindell Avenue, St. Louis, Mo. The circular includes several testimonials and lists of fire calls and police calls rendered during the year.

Cite as: Mound City Coupe, Livery and Messenger Co. Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### Mounds collection.

See Bean, L.M. Missouri mounds research notes, no date.

### A3011

Mt. Hope Cemetery.

**Postcards, 1913-1914.** 5 items

Five printed postcards that read, "When Stamped Paid by any Accredited Bank, or by the Cashier of the American Securities Co. [or Mount Olive Realty Co.], this will operate as a receipt in favor of the name on the address side thereof . . . to apply on lot purchase in Mt. Hope Cemetery." The following names appear on the address sides of the cards: Joseph Surgant, 9910 South Broadway; Geo. F. Mueller [George F. Mueller], 2025 Salisbury St.; and Mrs. J.L. Grivette, 7903 Minnesota Ave.

Cite as: Mt. Hope Cemetery Postcards, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2550

Moyne, E. Louise.

**Papers, 1928.** 2 items

Collection contains Herculaneum High School (Herculaneum, Missouri) diploma of E. Louise Moyne, May 17, 1928. (Verso of diploma includes a listing of the class roll, the school board members, and faculty members.) Collection also includes a group photograph of the Herculaneum High School graduation class of 1928. E. Louise Moyne is the only student

identified in the photograph.

Cite as: E. Louise Moyne Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2438

# Mudd, Henry Hodgen, Dr.

# Memorial sketch, 1899 Dec 8. 1 item

Printed memorial sketch of Dr. Henry Hodgen Mudd, copied from the record of the meeting of the Board of Directors of Washington University.

Cite as: Dr. Henry Hodgen Mudd Memorial Sketch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1104

# Muehlemann Family.

Papers, 1835-1897. 3 folders (approximately 150 items)

Papers include correspondence of Muehleman[n] family in Missouri and Illinois to relatives (brother) in Switzerland; group of letters, 1884-1897, of Eugene Muehleman on letterheads of Anheuser Busch, of which he was secretary treasurer.

German.

Cite as: Muehlemann Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2982

### Mueller Family.

# Papers, 1943-1966. 2 items

Cornelius G. Mueller was born April 12, 1865. He was the proprietor of a printing shop at 1924 South 12<sup>th</sup> Street in St. Louis, Mo. He died October 20, 1943, at his home at 1121 South Kingshighway. He had a daughter named Cornelia A. Mueller.

Papers include Kriegshauser Mortuaries memorial book of Cornelius G. Mueller, which includes signatures of "friends who called," sympathy cards, newspaper obituaries, and a St. Paul's Evangelical Church memorial service program, November 21, 1943. Papers also include certicate of appreciation of the Board of Education of the City of St. Louis awarded to Cornelia A. Mueller, June 18, 1966.

Cite as: Mueller Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1105

### Mueller, Louis.

# Library catalogue, 1881. 2 folders

Collection contains primarily a catalogue of the personal library of Louis Mueller, in German, titled "Biblioteck Verzeichnis," 1881, plus assorted newsclippings and two letters addressed to "Louise," dated 1846 and 1867.

In German handscript.

Cite as: Louis Mueller Library Catalogue, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1106

# Mueller, Robert Herman.

# **Papers, 1835-1920.** 4 boxes

Robert Mueller left Germany in 1835 and arrived in St. Louis in 1840. He rented a small structure and established a bookbinding shop. By the 1850s he had acquired several building lots as rental property.

Collection contains correspondence of family and relatives of Robert Herman Mueller. Includes letterheads and bills from St. Louis firms in relation to Mueller's bookbinding business. German.

Cite as: Robert Herman Mueller Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1107

Muench family.

Papers, 1776-2013 4 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Papers of Friedrich Muench family, German immigrant and social commentator and publicist. Account book of Friedrich Muench and family, 1846-1871, includes estate settlement records of brother-in-law Paul Follenius.

German handscript.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Muench Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1108

Mullanphy Family.

Papers, 1780-1951. 14 boxes; 37 volumes

John M. Mullanphy (1758-1833) emigrated to the United States from Ireland in 1792 with his wife, Elizabeth Browne Mullanphy, and their child. They settled first in Philadelphia, moved to Frankfort, Kentucky, in 1798, and then to St. Louis in 1804. John Mullanphy was the first Anglo-Irish merchant in St. Louis and St. Louis' first millionaire. He became rich selling cotton to England during the War of 1812. He brought to St. Louis three religious orders of women and established their convents, and possessed the best library west of the Mississippi River. Octavia Mullanphy, daughter of John and Elizabeth Mullanphy, married Dr. Dennis Delany (1797-1844?) in 1836, and Judge Henry Boyce in 1848. Dr. John O'Fallon Delany (1841-1930) was the son of Octavia and Dennis Delany. Jane Delany, a daughter of Octavia and Dennis Delany, married Andrew J. Lindsay in 1860. John D. Lindsay, of the firm Lindsay, Russell and Co., was the son of Andrew J. Lindsay and Jane Delany Lindsay.

The collection relates to the Mullanphy, Delany, O'Fallon, and related families. The bulk of the collection consists of papers relating to the settlement of the estate of John Mullanphy, and of his daughters and son Bryan Mullanphy, together with family correspondence, correspondence of real estate agents, business papers, and papers relating to John Mullanphy's charitable works. The collection also contains 37 volumes including surveys of John Mullanphy's property (1807); four volumes of records of his estate (1838-1844); two volumes of proceedings in the partition of his estate, heard before the St. Louis County Court of Common Pleas, 1841-1853; checkbook and real estate ledger of Elizabeth Browne Mullanphy (1837-1844); indexed ledger of medical practice of Dennis Delany (1835-1841); two checkbooks of Dennis Delany (1839-1844); a journal of Dennis Delany (1836-1844) of family and personal accounts; two volumes of Dennis Delany's estate records (1845-1848); 14 account books of Octavia Mullanphy Delany Boyce (1849-1876) relating to the settlement of Dennis Delany's estate and the management of hers; account book of John O'Fallon Delany during his stay in Europe (1858-1861) and ledger of rent and property management (1887-1895); and six volumes of records of Lindsay, Russell and Co., St. Louis commission merchants (1884-1885).

Some French and Spanish.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mullanphy Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1109

Mundy, Johnson M. (1832-1897).

**Papers, 1859-1898.** 2 volumes

Johnson M. Mundy was born May 13, 1832, near New Brunswick, New Jersey. (Other sources list his birth date as May 31, 1829, and May 1833.) Despite losing his sight, he became a successful artist, establishing a studio in Rochester, New York, in the 1860s. He moved to Tarrytown, New York, in 1888 and died August 16, 1897, in Geneva, New York. Among his works were a bust of Frederick Douglass at the University of Rochester, a bronze statue of a Union soldier at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery in Tarrytown, and a statue of Washington Irving in Tarrytown.

The collection contains two volumes: (1) a scrapbook of Johnson M. Mundy dated 1859-1898 (approximately 150 pages) that contains newspaper clippings, correspondence (mostly addressed to Mundy and John A. Lant), and invitations. The clippings are mostly from newspapers in Rochester and Tarrytown, and relate to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument at Rockford, Illinois; the bronze statue of a Union soldier at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery; the bust of Frederick Douglass; and other topics relating to Mundy and his work. (2) Journal of accounts of receipts and payments of Johnson Mundy, 1859-1890 (99 pages); also includes the names of individuals for whom he did portraits. Back of the volume includes 10 pages of names and addresses.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Johnson Mundy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1110

Municipal Art Commission (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record of Proceedings, 1930-1966. 4 volumes

Cite as: Municipal Art Commission Record of Proceedings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1111

Municipal Athletic Association (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1946-1973.** 4 boxes; 2 volumes

Cite as: Municipal Athletic Association Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1112

**Municipal Theater collection, 1919-1970.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes John H. Gundlach's notes on municipal theater, 1955 season, essay on theater, etc.; chart of the first officers, directors and committees of the Municipal Theater, June 10, 1919; handbills by F. Myran Caldwell, "Origin of the Idea for a St. Louis Municipal Theater," 1940; 1960 miscellaneous items; curricular protesting policies of the Russian government on their treatment of Jews, issued at the Municipal Theater on occasion of appearance of the Mosieyer dancers, 1970. The Municipal Theater was later known as the St. Louis Municipal Opera (or The Muny).

Cite as: Municipal Theater Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1113

Murphy, David (1769?-1844).

**Papers, 1793-1828.** 4 folders (approximately 100 items); 1 oversize folder David Murphy came to Missouri from Tennessee in 1800. He and his brothers established the

Murphy Settlement in St. Francois County, Missouri. He donated the land for the establishment of the town of Farmington in 1822. Murphy served two terms in the Missouri House of Representatives.

Letters concerning the War of 1812 and politics, written by William Ashley, John Smith T., Nathaniel Cook, and other influential men of the day from Ste. Genevieve and St. Louis. Also several military appointments and a typescript copy of diary of journey, August 12, 1813-October 24, 1813.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: David Murphy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Murphy, J.

See J. Murphy and Sons Stock Book.

### A1114

Murphy, Joseph (1805-1901).

Account books, 1825-1840; 1847-1853; [1947]. 1 box; 1 roll microfilm.

Three account books of pioneer wagon maker Joseph Murphy, 1825-1840, 1847-1853. M.A. thesis (St. Louis University) of Emily Ann O'Neil, "Joseph Murphy's Contribution to the Development of the Great American West," 1947. Photocopy.

<u>RESTRICTION:</u> As with all collections, if the documents exist in another format, researchers will be required to use the other format before the original documents will be paged to the reading room.

Cite as: Joseph Murphy Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1115

Murray, Julia K.

**Scrapbook, 1918-1936.** 1 volume

Julia K. Murray attended Grover Cleveland High School, graduating in 1918. After attending Harris Teacher's College, Murray worked as an elementary school assistant at Blow Public School. The volume contains signatures and mottoes, invitations, snapshots, clippings and programs. Most are related to Cleveland High School and Harris Teacher's College. Cite as: Julia K. Murray Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1116

### Music collection, 1795-1993. 5 boxes

Collection includes an assortment of material relating to music, musicians, composers, and music organizations in St. Louis and Missouri history. Acquired from a multiplicity of sources and arranged together due to common subject matter. The collection includes original compositions; programs; materials relating to St. Louis composers, musicians, musical groups, companies, and schools and conservatories. A significant portion of the collection relates to ethnic music, notably African-American music, German music, and French Creole music, musical organization, and musical influences. Some of the specific materials in this collection include record books of Ottmar Moll (filed 1904); record book of the St. Louis Musical Society (1872); manuscript and typescript notes and reminiscences of Ferdinand H. Walthers concerning music and musicians in St. Louis (filed 1830-1937); history of the Civic Music League of St. Louis (filed 1915-1955); a short history of ragtime music by Trebor Jay Tichenor (1960); St. Louis Academy of Music papers; constitution of the Polyhymnia and St. Louis Musical Art Association; record book of the Rockspring Saengerbund (1875-1887); the autobiography of

William Robyn; information relating to Mid-America Jubilee, 1956; a manuscript book of French songs, circa 1841; music manuscripts of Agnes M. Schaberg set to poems of R.L. Stevenson, Sara Teasdale, Jennie Chase, Dante Gabriel Rosetti, Christina Rosetti, etc.; and a manuscript concerto for piano and orchestra by Louis Conrath.

Some German and French.

Cite as: Music Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2889

# Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association (St. Louis, Missouri).

# Concert Program, 1920 Sept 12. 1 item

Program for monster band concert by 250 musicians under direction of the president, Frank Gecks, to celebrate the 35th anniversary of the Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association. Includes an illustration of the Musicians' Club building at 3535 Pine Street.

Cite as: Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association Concert Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1117

### Musick Family.

**Papers, 1808-1938.** 1 folder, 5 volumes

The collection includes four volumes and index of mimeographed, paper-bound, genealogical notes of the Musick family genealogy. Also includes newsclippings regarding the Musick family and Thomas Musick.

Cite as: Musick Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1118

Myers, Alma.

# Papers, circa 1930. 4 boxes

Papers include research notes on William S. Beaumont (8 notebooks); clippings; note cards. Also includes manuscripts titled "The Golden Page" and "Three Centuries in Champlain Valley"; negatives and postcards (possibly Beaumont's grave) and pages copied from Ethan Allen Hitchcock's diary.

Cite as: Alma Myers Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2260

### Myers, Frederick E.

# **Log Books, 1937-1977.** 3 volumes

Frederick E. Myers was a pilot for Ozark Airlines and a flight instructor and charter pilot operating out of Weiss Airport in Fenton, Missouri.

Collection consists of three of Myers's log books: Aviator's Flight Log Book Naval Air Transport, circa 1941-1944; Aviator's Flight Log Book United States Navy Reserve, circa 1944-1947; and Pilot's Log, 1937-1977.

Cite as: Frederick E. Myers Log Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1119

# Myers, Walter E.

# Collection, 1928 Feb. 1 box

Walter E. Myers was post commander of the American Legion, Havana Post No. 1, in 1928. Scrapbook contains letters, photographs, clippings, and ephemera regarding Charles

Lindbergh's visit to Havana, Cuba, February 11, 1928. Also includes carbon copies of letters written by Myers to various government officials arranging the visit.

Some Spanish

Cite as: Walter E. Myers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1120

Nagel, Charles (1849-1940).

Papers, 1861-1938. 5 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder

Charles Nagel was a leading political figure from the city of St. Louis. He was secretary of commerce and labor in President Taft's cabinet. He also served in the St. Louis City Council and in the Missouri House of Representatives. He was a member from Missouri of the Republican National Committee from 1908 to 1912. He was a member of the St. Louis law firm of Nagel, Kirby, Orrick and Shepley.

Papers include a typed manuscript of his book, *A Boy's Civil War Story*, with reviews and letters concerning same; clippings and printed matter regarding Charles Nagel; four typed letters of Dr. Herman Nagel in Texas to the family in Germany, 1861-1864; transcripts of letters of Dr. Herman Nagel, Milheim, Texas, and St. Louis, to his brother and mother, 1861-1864; document honoring Charles Nagel as secretary of commerce and labor, October 9, 1912; series of correspondence of Charles Nagel, 1920-1938.

Cite as: Charles Nagel Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1121

Napton, William Barclay (1808-1883).

**Papers, 1829-1883.** 4 boxes; 5 volumes

Born in New Jersey; graduated from Princeton in 1826, tutored for two years, entered University of Virginia, qualifying as an attorney two years later; moved to Fayette, Missouri, from Virginia in 1832; took up practice of law and edited the *Boone's Lick Democrat* in 1834; served as state senator, attorney general, and state Supreme Court justice (1839-1851); aligned himself against the abolitionists during the Civil War; practiced law in St. Louis from 1863; returned to the Missouri Supreme Court, 1873-1880; retired in 1880; married Melinda Williams in 1838; she died in 1862, leaving ten children who were then raised by relatives.

Correspondence of William B. Napton and his wife, Melinda Williams Napton, 1839-1861; manuscript school books of William B. Napton, 1825-1827; and five manuscript diaries, with typescript copies, of Judge William B. Napton, 1829-1883, with notes from studies at University of Virginia, discussion of local, state and national political issues, St. Louis social life, discussion of literature both current and classical, political commentary (very candid). Napton's diaries were published in Christoper Phillips and Jason L. Pendleton, editors, *The Union on Trial: The Political Journals of Judge William Barclay Napton, 1829-1883* (Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 2005).

Some Latin in first volume.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: William Barclay Napton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2063

Narjis, Henry.

Notice of rejection of petition to be made a Mason in Chester Lodge No. 72, A.F. and A.M., Chester, Illinois, 1870 Feb 5. 1 item

Cite as: Henry Narjis Notice of Rejection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2278

Nash, Marsha (1960-2007). Funeral Program, 2007. 1 item Marsha Christine Nash was born November 27, 1960, to James and Joy Williams. She graduated from Rosati-Kain High School (St. Louis) and the University of Missouri-Columbia. Nash was the program coordinator at the Missouri Historical Society. She was married to Orey Nash, Jr., and had a daughter, Erin Mallory Jordan.

The collection consists of the program from Marsha Nash's funeral held at St. Nicholas Catholic Church, St. Louis, Missouri, on December 22, 2007.

Cite as: Marsha Nash Funeral Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1122

Nash, William.

**Papers, 1823-1849.** 1 folder (25 pages)

William Nash lived in Dardenne, St. Charles County, Missouri, and later in Fulton, Callaway County.

The collection consists of photostats from the diary of William Nash. The diary deals with deaths and marriages in St. Charles and Callaway Counties; mentions many members of the Ferguson family; speaks of Dr. William C. Lane; and records the stages of the Missouri River. Ovid Bell of Fulton obtained the original so that this photostat might be made, May 1930. Cite as: William Nash Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1123

National Education Association. Council for Exceptional Children. Chapter 103 (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1958-1981.** 2 boxes

This collection consists of the records of Chapter 103 of the Council for Exceptional Children, National Education Association, and includes correspondence, minutes, reports, circulars and memoranda, constitutions, and printed matter of both Chapter 103 and the Missouri Federation of the Council for Exceptional Children, 1958-1981. It also includes papers of the Missouri Council of Administrators of Special Education, 1976; and the Council for Exceptional Children High School Project, 1975-1976.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: National Educational Association, Council of Exceptional Children, Chapter 103 (St. Louis) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1124

National Guard of Missouri. 1st Regiment Infantry (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1873-1910. 1 box; 22 volumes

The 1st Regiment Infantry of the National Guard of Missouri was organized with the post—Civil War revival of the state militia units in 1869. This initial revival did not last very long, however, and all St. Louis militia units were mustered out of state service on April 21, 1874. Company A of the 1st Regiment, however, elected to continue its existence as an independent unit. With the advent of the railroad strikes of 1877 in St. Louis, Company A and two black units, the Attuck Guards and the Sumner Guards, constituted St. Louis' only militia. A call from the mayor of St. Louis for volunteers to quell the strikes led to the organization of a number of additional companies on July 22, 1877. These included the Lafayette Guard, which after the strike ended, became Company A of the 1st Regiment of the St. Louis Police Reserve on November 7, 1988. In early 1878, the original Company A and other units formed to organize the St. Louis National Guard battalion. During the next year, as additional units were added, it became the 1st Regiment, National Guard of Missouri. On November 21, 1881, the St. Louis

Police Reserve Regiment was also mustered into state service and designated the 3rd Regiment Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. On June 27, 1884, the 1st and 3rd Regiments consolidated to form a reorganized 1st Regiment of the Missouri National Guard. The original Company A retained its designation, while the Lafayette Guard became Company I. The unit underwent a hiatus in 1887 owing to the failure of the legislature to provide for its support. It reorganized again that year, first as a battalion, and then again as a regiment. With the Spanish-American War, the 1st Regiment mustered into federal service as the 1st Regiment of Infantry, Missouri Volunteers, on May 12, 1898. The unit never saw combat and was mustered out on October 31, 1878, whereupon it reverted to state service as the 1st Regiment Infantry, National Guard of Missouri. When President Wilson ordered the National Guard mobilized for duty on the Mexican border, on June 18, 1916, the 1st Regiment again entered federal service on June 25 and departed for duty at Laredo, Texas. The unit was released from this service on September 25, 1916, and returned to St. Louis. With the American entry into World War I in 1917 the 1st Regiment was again inducted into federal service on August 5, 1917, joining other Missouri and Kansas units to form the 35th Division. At that time, the 1st Regiment Infantry consolidated with the 5th Infantry, Missouri National Guard, organized in St. Louis in the summer of 1917 to form the 138th Infantry on October 1, 1917. This combined unit arrive in France in May 1918, as part of the American Expeditionary Force, and served out the remainder of the war in Europe. Following World War I, the 1st Regiment Infantry was permanently redesignated the 138th Infantry, National Guard of Missouri, in honor of the unit's World War I experiences.

These records consist mostly of the regimental records of the 1st Regiment Infantry, National Guard of Missouri, from 1873 to 1910. They also include records of Company A and of the Lafayette Guards, that trace the development of the units from their days as independent bodies through their emergence as Companies A and I of the 1st Regiment Infantry. These records consist of constitutions and by-laws, minutes of both civil and military associations, order books, rosters and enlistment contracts, correspondence and account books.

Cite as: National Guard of Missouri, 1st Regiment Infantry (St. Louis) Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

National University of Arts and Sciences (Saint Louis, Missouri) Dental Department. See Fruth Family Papers.

### A0749

# Native Americans collection, 1694-circa 1978. 3 boxes

Formerly known as the Indians Collection, the collection includes correspondence, newsclippings, and other papers relating to the fur trade, life of the Indians, Indian missions, and conflicts and migrations. Includes information about Indian agencies and agents, such as William Clark, who was in charge of the St. Louis Indian Superintendency from 1822 to 1838. Agents represented include Charles B. Babcock, Thomas Fitzpatrick, John Haverty, Pierre Menard, and Benjamin O'Fallon. Tribes represented include the Cherokee, Cheyenne, Choctaw, Creek, Delaware, Flathead, Fox, Iatan, Illinois, Iowa, Kickapoo, Michigan, Muskogee, Omaha, Osage, Oto, Pawnee, Peoria, Ponca, Potawatomi, Sauk, Shawnee, Ute, and Winnebago. The collection includes many photostats, including photostats of correspondence from the United States Department of Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, 1827-1831.

Some French and Spanish.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Native Americans Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1125

Naturalization papers collection, 1802-1920 (bulk 1820s-1830s). 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

This collection consists of approximately 700 naturalization documents, the majority of which are declarations of intention to become a citizen of the United States. The large majority of these documents were filed in St. Louis County courts. The earliest document is dated 1802, and the most recent document is dated 1920. More than half of the documents are dated 1830s. The most frequent countries of origin for those seeking citizenship are from German states, Ireland, and England.

Collection is arranged alphabetically.

Name indexed in the archives card catalog and in the Missouri History Museum Genealogy and Local History Index.

Cite as: Naturalization Papers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2521

### Naval Reserves of Missouri.

**Papers, 1902-1934.** 2 folders

The Naval Reserves of Missouri was organized circa 1900.

The collection includes correspondence, photographs, and newspaper clippings relating to the Naval Reserves of Missouri.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Naval Reserves of Missouri Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1126

Navy Department collection, 1847-1933. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Collection contains U.S. Navy continuous service certificate to Joseph Holub, 1879-1903; war log of *U.S.S. St. Louis*, 1917-1919; newsclippings and correspondence regarding silver service and bell of Cruiser St. Louis which were loaned to the Masonic Temple Museum, through the Missouri Historical Society.

Cite as: Navy Department Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2963

Neaf, Martin L. (1891-1969).

**Papers**, **1905-1992**. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Martin L. Neaf was born September 21, 1891, in Clayton, St. Louis County, Missouri. He served as St. Louis County assessor from 1933 to 1941, and later worked as a real estate and insurance broker and appraiser. He married Elsie Human (1897-1985). Martin L. Neaf died August 23, 1969, in St. Louis.

The collection contains financial statements of St. Joseph's Catholic Church (Clayton, Mo.), 1923-1936; papers relating to the St. Louis Ordnance Plant Powder Storage Area, 1942; papers and photocopies of newspaper clippings mostly relating to Martin L. Neaf's work as St. Louis County assessor, 1932-1956; photographs; and typescript reminiscences of Martin L. Neaf's daughter Genevieve Neaf, circa 1992.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Martin L. Neaf Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2518

Neave, Anna P.

### **Letters, 1881-1920.** 12 items

In 1842, Alexander Neave married Anna Philips, a native of Pennsylvania from a Quaker background. The couple and their children resided in Hamilton County, Ohio, before moving to St. Louis in the 1870s. Alexander Neave died May 25, 1897, and was buried in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Collection contains ten letters of Mrs. Anna P. Neave, dated St. Louis, Missouri, to her niece Anna P. Haines in West Grove, Chester County, Pennsylvania. Collection also includes a Zurich postcard addressed to Dr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Haines and an itemized description of the letters written by manuscript dealer Constance R. Spande.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Anna P. Neave Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2262

**Necktie Workers' Organization.** 

Postcard, 1941 July 14. 1 item

Postcard of the Necktie Workers' Organization, 6159 Bertha Ave., Wellston, St. Louis County, Missouri, to Wm. Walsh, Hudson, Massachusetts. Postcard reads, "Regarding the ties we sent you sometime ago. Please make it possible for us to employ more physically handicapped persons by retaining same. If you find it impossible to use the merchandise, will you kindly return same? Please return this card with your correspondence; it carries your file number. Very truly yours, Alice Regan, secretary."

Cite as: Necktie Workers' Organization Postcard, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2522

Neely, S.F.

### Real estate advertisement for Tower Grove Parklands, 1898. 1 item

Advertisement of S.F. Neely for sale of lots in Tower Grove Parklands (St. Louis, Mo.). Includes photographs of four residences and lots. Research indicates that the photograph of the home on the top right of the advertisement is 3659 Cleveland Ave.; the home on the bottom right is 3667 Cleveland Ave.

Cite as: S.F. Neely Real Estate Advertisement for Tower Grove Parklands, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2274

Nelson, Mary Gay Wyan.

Travel Journal, 1840. 1 volume

Typed transcription of a travel journal kept by Mary Gay Wyan Nelson on a trip east in 1840 with her husband, Thomas Withers Nelson, and their fifteen-month-old daughter, Margaret Eliza Nelson. Their travel commenced on March 30, 1840, when they left their home in Vermont, Cooper County, Missouri, and concluded on May 5, 1840, when they arrived in Washington, D.C.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mary Gay Wyan Nelson Travel Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1128

Nelson, N.O. (1844-1922).

**Papers, 1875-1950.** 2 boxes; 5 volumes

The N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company was founded in 1877 by N.O. Nelson for the manufacture of plumbing supplies. It was incorporated on February 27, 1883. In 1890, the

company established the manufacturing village of Leclaire, Illinois, for its employees.

Collection consists of the personal and business records of N.O. Nelson; the N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company; and the Nelson Cooperative Association. It includes family correspondence; business correspondence; history of the plumbing business; material about the profit-sharing venture (the cooperative association) and employee community at Leclaire, Illinois, including the breakup of the association; material relating to the bankruptcy of the N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company, 1918-1919; background information, publications, and correspondence on baths and bathing customs; and biographical information on N.O. Nelson; and a scrapbook. In addition this collection includes the corporate records of the N.O. Nelson Manufacturing Company, consisting of four volumes of minutes of stockholders' and directors' meetings (1883-1945); and one register for visitors to the factory located at Leclaire, Illinois (1904-1937).

Cite as: N.O. Nelson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2239

Netzeband, Ferdinand.

**Papers, 1880-1891.** 1 folder (3 items)

Collection contains citizenship application of Ferdinand Netzeband in the St. Louis Criminal Court, September 23, 1884; United States passport of Ferdinand Netzeband, April 1, 1891; and warranty deed for land fronting on Hebert Street in the West Union Addition in the City of St. Louis, sold by Frederick Boehmer and his wife, Mary, of Benton County, Missouri, to Ferdinand Netzeband of St. Louis, dated August 12, 1880.

Cite as: Ferdinand Netzeband Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1129

New Era Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute books, 1902-1957. 5 volumes

St. Louis women's cultural, social, and literary circle, founded 1902, disbanded 1957. Cite as: New Era Club Minute Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1130

New Madrid, Missouri.

Account book, 1797. 1 volume

Unidentified, possibly accounts of general merchandise firm, or general store. Fragmentary accounts dated 1838 at rear.

In French.

Cite as: New Madrid, Missouri, Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1131

New Madrid, Missouri.

**Archives, 1791-1910.** 15 boxes

This collection includes a variety of official records of the changing region administered from the city of New Madrid, Missouri, during the period of Spanish administration (1791-1804), the American colonial period (1804-1821); and after Missouri statehood (1821). The collection includes the archives of the Spanish commandant of the District of New Madrid during the period of Spanish colonial administration, arranged by instrument number; and circuit court records from the court situated in New Madrid during the American colonial period and well into the era of Missouri statehood. These records include land documents, marriage

contracts, indentures, probate and circuit court records, and estate records. In addition, this collection includes some non-governmental records that relate to the history of New Madrid and its residents.

Spanish and French.

This collection was acquired for the Missouri Historical Society from the New Madrid court house by Louis Houck.

Finding aid available: *Index to the New Madrid Archives*, 1791-1804 (Archives Ref./MO/9.10/N46a). Also see *Early Missouri Archives* (Archives Ref./MO/9.1/H629).

Cite as: New Madrid Archives, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1132

New Orleans collection, 1770-1807; 1929. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Collection consists of one proclamation, February 12, 1770, Gen. Alex O'Reilly regarding transfer of property in New Orleans (in French); certification that Paul D'Arsantel is justice of the peace for the Parish of New Orleans, October 24, 1807; and newsclippings, pamphlets, correspondence, tourist information regarding the history of New Orleans. Some French.

Cite as: New Orleans Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1134

New York. 8th Cavalry.

**Records**, **1862-1869** (bulk **1862-1864**). 6 boxes (approximately 1400 items)

The 8th New York Cavalry, or "Rochester Regiment," was organized at Rochester in November 1861, and served primarily in Virginia and Maryland. The regiment was mustered out of service in June 1865. The collection consists primarily of reports, returns, requisitions, and other records relating to the Quartermaster's Department. The collection also contains some records of the Ordnance Department and the Subsistence Department, and one folder regarding quartermaster's records of the 9th New York Cavalry.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: 8th New York Cavalry Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1133

New York Publishers Book Clearance Company (New York City).

**Ledger, 1925-1926.** 1 volume (140 pages)

Records of wholesale book distributors and subsidiary book store, Capital Book Shop, in New York.

Cite as: New York Publishers Book Clearance Company Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1135

### **Newspapers collection, 1744-1983.** 1 box

Original issues of various newspapers from around the world, 1744-1800s: *Boston Gazette* or *Weekly Journal*, June 5, 1744; *The Salem Mercury*, May 12, 1789; *The London Gazette*, November 6, 1805; prospectus of *The Missourian*, March 25, 1844, the *St. Louis Observer*, May 21, 1831, and *The African*, September 18, 1843; documents and letters concerning the mining and business ventures of Charles W. Knapp; 36 letters, telegrams, etc. from Joseph B. McCullough to Walter B. Stevens, pertaining to the affairs of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* and its Washington correspondent, 1886-1896; 20 letters, chiefly to John Knapp regarding influence

of the *Republican* in politics, etc., 1847-1912; 75th Anniversary Edition of the *Westliche Post*, 1932; first anniversary of St. Louis World's Fair edition of *Westliche Post*, 1899; letters, clippings, etc. concerning sale and end of the *St. Louis Republic*, 1919. Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Newspapers Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1136

Nicholson, David.

**Account book, 1843-1848.** 1 volume (200 pages)

Records of stock purchases and sales in general store in St. Louis, with records of room rental at rear of volume.

Cite as: David Nicholson Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1137

Nims, Eugene Dutton (1865-1954).

Papers, 1894-1954. 2 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Eugene Dutton Nims was born in Fond-du-Lac, Wisconsin on April 3, 1865. After working as a director of several banks in Kansas and Oklahoma, Nims established a telephone service called the Arkansas Valley Telephone Company. After the success of this company, Nims organized the Pioneer Telephone and Telegraph Company. In 1914, the Pioneer Company, the Bell Telephone Company and the Missouri and Kansas Telephone Company merged into one company called the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Nims was appointed vice-president and treasurer of the company. On September 12, 1919 he was elected president of the company with his headquarters in St. Louis. In addition to his work with the telephone company, Nims was a director of the First National Bank of St. Louis, the St. Louis Union Trust Company, the Missouri State Life Insurance Company of St. Louis and chairman of the Boy Scout Council of St. Louis. Nims was married to Lotowana Flateau on July 9, 1914. They maintained a house in St. Louis, 56 Portland Place, a country home, Bee Tree Farm, in South St. Louis County and a summer home, The Larches, on Cape Cod. Nims passed away on January 30, 1954.

The Eugene D. Nims Papers consists primarily of the business and personal papers and correspondence of E.D. Nims. Business papers and letters relate to Nims's work with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. of which he was president. Personal papers and letters include invitations to dinner such as the Charles A. Lindbergh Dinner and the Marshal Foch Dinner. Papers relating to the Boy Scout Council of St. Louis are included in the collection as well. There are various newspaper clippings regarding the life and work of Mr. Nims.

Also included in the collection are the personal papers of Mrs. Lotowana Flateau Nims. These include personal correspondence and letters of sympathy upon the death of Mr. Nims. Also included are documents relating to the travels of Mr. and Mrs. Nims to South America, Africa and their Round the World Cruise aboard the *S.S. Resolute*.

Lastly, the collection includes several official resolutions and biographical sketches in honor of Mr. Nims's work for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Eugene Dutton Nims Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1138

Nipher, Francis Eugene (1847-1926). Papers, 1875-1891. 2 boxes; 1 volume

A pioneer Missouri physicist, and organizer of the Missouri weather service, Francis Nipher was born in Port Byron, New York. He received his Ph.B. from the University of Iowa in 1870 and his A.M. degree in 1873. He married Matilda Aikins in 1873. In 1874, he was appointed chair of the physics department at Washington University.

The collection contains unpublished manuscripts and sketches regarding physics, and a volume of original sketches to accompany his physics manuscript. Also contains correspondence regarding the collection.

Cite as: Francis Eugene Nipher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1139

Nolker family.

Papers, 1918-1963. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Papers contain ring binder with genealogical information; photographs; military correspondence of Herman Nolker; map of Germany, 1959.

Cite as: Nolker Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2480

Norddeutsche Bank (Hamburg, Germany).

Circular Note for Payment to Johann Buckmann, no date. 1 item

Cite as: Norddeutsche Bank Circular Note for Payment to Johann Buckmann, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3148

North, Gilbert B. (1922-2015).

Aerospace Papers, 1941-2007 (bulk 1964-1978). 2 boxes.

Gilbert (Bert) Bishop North was born April 28, 1922, in Winchester, Illinois, to Clyde and Lucille North. In World War II, he served as an army combat engineer and a fighter pilot. He flew P-47s in Europe, and after the war he joined the Missouri Air National Guard, 110th Fighter Squadron. North earned a bachelor of science degree in aerospace engineering from Purdue University in 1947 and joined McDonnell Aircraft Corporation as an engineer and test pilot. In 1952, he graduated from the U.S. Naval Test Pilot School. While employed at McDonnell, North piloted experimental aircraft and worked on the Mercury and Gemini space projects concerning propulsion, fuel cells, and cryogenics.

The papers contain manuals and publications relating to airplanes (F-18) and spacecraft along with personal materials about Gilbert B. (Bert) North. The papers are arranged alphabetically and date from 1941 to 2007.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Gilbert B. North Aerospace Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2414

**Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.** 

Chart of Premium Rates, 1878. 1 item

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company's home office was located in Milwaukee,

Cite as: Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company Chart of Premium Rates, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1140

Norton, John W. (1847-1895).

**Papers, 1840-1895.** 1 box

Born in 1847, John W. Norton was a leading juvenile actor in Pittsburgh. He later managed DeBar's Opera House and the Grand Opera House in St. Louis; and the Grand Opera House in Chicago. He died in 1895.

Collection consists of the correspondence of John W. Norton, discussing St. Louis and Chicago theaters, actors, bookings, etc. Includes Norton's correspondence with George Berrell; receipts from DeBar's Opera House; and material regarding Grand Opera House and Chicago Opera House.

Cite as: John W. Norton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2499

Norvill, Peyton.

Receipt of sale of a slave, 1822 Oct 30. 1 item

Receipt reads, "Recd[?] of Peyton Norvill two hundred eighty[?] dollars in full for a negro boy by the name of Peter about thirteen years of age which boy I warrant & bind my heirs to warrant & defend the title of said boy against all claims or claims whatsoever & a slave for life given under my seal." Signature is unclear. Verso mentions the name Isaac Strickland. Cite as: Peyton Norvill Receipt of Sale of a Slave, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2545

Nottingham School (St. Louis, Mo.).

Commencement Program, 1947 June 6. 1 item

Includes names of the following graduates: Phyllis Ann Becker, Charles Digiovanni, Jesse C. Haggerty, Paula Jean Harbor, Robert Mulholland, David E. Scanlan, Diane Lee Schlapprizzi, Raymond G. Schultze, and Barbara Joan Simmons.

Cite as: Nottingham School Commencement Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1141

Novak Family.

**Papers, 1912-1944.** 1 box; 1 oversize package.

Memorabilia of the Novak family of St. Louis. Includes World War II home front materials; assorted theater and musical programs; memorabilia related to the *St. Louiske Listy*, a Czech newspaper published in St. Louis; dues cards in the St. Louis Typographical Union No. 8 issued to Louis Novak (1937-38); and an undated broadside titled "St. Louis people are cosmopolitan in their reading. . ."

Cite as: Novak Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1142

Noves, John (1886- ).

Architectural Drawings, 1939. 1 folder

Two drawings for proposed entrance gates for the Village of Westwood, near Westwood Country Club, at Ladue Road and at Warson Road, St. Louis. The gates were not built. Finding aid available.

Cite as: John Noyes Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1143

Nuderscher, Frank B. (1880-1959).

Papers, 1916-1959. 12 folders (approximately 300 items)

Frank B. Nuderscher was born July 19, 1880, to Anna Regina and Martin Joseph Nuderscher in St. Louis. After attending the St. Louis School of Fine Arts, he turned to commercial art and painting. He established his studio in the Granite Building at 406 Market. During his career, he was a commercial artist, landscape and figure painter, and mural decorator. He also directed the Nuderscher School of Art in St. Louis and the Ozark School of Art in Arcadia, Missouri, from 1921 to 1950. He was commissioned to paint one of the eight lunettes above the mezzanine floor of the west end of the Missouri capitol building.

The collection consists primarily of correspondence, but also includes literary productions, artistic productions, financial documents and printed materials. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Frank B. Nuderscher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1144

Nuelsens, Johann Joseph.

Tagebuch fuer Joh. Joseph Nuelsens, 1833-1839. 1 volume

German daybook, locale unidentified.

In German handscript.

Cite as: Johann Joseph Nuelsens Tagebuch, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1145

# O. Houx and Co. (Lexington, Butler, and Marshall, Missouri).

# Account books, 1866-1884. 3 volumes

Account books of general merchandise firm in Lexington, Missouri (1866-1869), Butler, Missouri (1871), and Marshall, Missouri (1871-1884). Consists of one ledger and two sales journals.

Cite as: O. Houx and Co. Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1146

# Oakville Fair Corporation.

**Records, 1959-1963.** 1 box

The Oakville Fair Corporation was organized in 1959 as a non-profit corporation for the purpose of holding a centennial celebration in 1959 for the community of Oakville, Missouri.

Complete archives of the Oakville Fair Corporation; includes correspondence, financial records, clippings, and approximately 50 photographs by Bob Merz.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Oakville Fair Corporation Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1147

# Oberg family.

**Papers, 1911-1918.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Emil Oberg died in France during World War I.

Papers include World War I mementoes; notices of Emil's death; photographs of family; postcards from various places sent to family from Emil; letters of Emil to family during his service; broadside, "Co. D, 115th Engineers, U.S.N.G. XL Division, Soldier Memorial, U.S. German War, 1917."

Cite as: Oberg Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1148

# O'Brien, David.

**Diaries, 1907-1917.** 2 volumes

St. Louis police officer.

St. Louis policeman's duty journals, dated March 26, 1907–March 28, 1917, with accounts of arrests, assignments, routine police procedures, marginal notes on final disposition of cases. Cite as: David O'Brien Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2422

# O'Fallon, A.M.

# Broadside for sale at public auction, 1873 Mar 13. 1 item

Broadside reads, "Public Sale! I will sell at public auction, at the place known as the John O'Fallon Farm, near Sulphur Springs, Mo., on Thursday, 13 Day of March, 1873. Without reserve or limitation, the most approved farming implements, consisting of 1 large separator or threshing machine, mowing & reaping machines, all description of plows, subsoil, gang and double plows, cultivators, harrows, mowing machines, corn crushers, rollers, horse wagons and ox wagons. The above implements have been in use only one season, and will be sold at a great sacrifice. Also household furniture. Also horses and mares for farm work; thoroughbred horses, a large herd of fine cattle; Southdown sheep, Berkshire and Poland China hogs, and a quantity of wool. Terms of Sale—A credit of 9 months for all sums over ten dollars; the purchaser giving note

with approved security. A.M. O'Fallon." Printed by Jefferson Democrat Print, Hillsboro. Cite as: A.M. O'Fallon Broadside for Sale at Public Auction, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1149

O'Fallon and Hatch.

Bankbook, 1871. 1 volume (46 pages)

Bankbook of Union National Bank of New Orleans in account with O'Fallon and Hatch. Cite as: O'Fallon and Hatch Bankbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1150

O'Fallon Gun Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Record book, 1883-1886. 1 volume; 1 folder

Record book contain the by-laws of the O'Fallon Gun Club of St. Louis, records of its meetings and shoots, and its accounts.

Cite as: O'Fallon Gun Club Record Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1151

O'Fallon, John (1791-1865).

**Papers, 1780-1925.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

John O'Fallon was born 17 November 1791, near Louisville, Kentucky, to Dr. James O'Fallon and Frances (Fanny) Clark O'Fallon. His uncle, William Clark, supported John financially during his secondary education at an academy in Danville, Kentucky. John studied law, but before he began to practice, he joined the U.S. Army in 1811. He fought in the War of 1812 and was badly wounded in the battle of Tippecanoe. In September 1812 he was made an ensign and was stationed in the Old Northwest under Gen. William Henry Harrison. He participated in the siege of Fort Miegs and in Gen. Harrison's attack on Detroit. In 1813, he was made a second lieutenant, and in March 1814, he was promoted again. By that time he was based in St. Louis. He worked for the Missouri Fur Company from 1812 until its dissolution in 1818. He then shipped dry goods down the Missouri on steamboats from 1818 until 1823. He married his first wife, an Englishwoman named Harriet Stokes, around 1820, with whom he had at least one child. After giving up the river trade, he became a lawyer and often dealt with real estate. After the death of his first wife, he married Caroline Sheets in 1827 with whom he had at least four children. He was named the first president of the St. Louis branch of the Bank of the United States in 1828. He also invested in hotels and railroads. In 1838, he began to correspond with people in Ireland to find his father's family. He was an active participant in the Whig party's campaign to elect Gen. Harrison to the presidency in 1840. His business ventures were generally quite successful, and John O'Fallon became a very respected and wealthy citizen who supported the city's benevolent and civic efforts. He died December 17, 1865, in St. Louis.

This collection consists chiefly of letters John O'Fallon received from his family and friends. The letters range from his school and army days to Gen. Harrison's campaign for the presidency. Altogether, these documents give a rather superficial but well-rounded sketch of his activities from the time he left school around 1810 up through the 1840s. There are almost no papers from later in his life. Besides all of the papers pertaining to John O'Fallon, there are a few other family documents in this collection belonging to his brother Benjamin to John O'Fallon's estate, and to his wives and sons John J. and Ben.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: John O'Fallon Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2245

# Office of Price Administration.

**Papers, 1945-1946.** 1 folder (3 items)

The collection consists of correspondence to volunteers at the Office of Price Administration thanking them for their service. Includes a letter from Mrs. Harry Hoffman to the volunteers at Price Control Board No. 54115 in St. Louis, dated February 15, 1946; a letter from Harry Truman, dated October 26, 1945; and a printed letter from Chester Bowles, dated January 1946. Cite as: Office of Price Administration Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1816

O'Gorman, Paul J. (1893-1978).

**Papers, 1918-1919.** 1 folder

Paul J. "Budd" O'Gorman was born October 3, 1893, in St. Louis, Missouri. He enlisted in the Missouri National Guard in 1917 and was placed in the 35th Division. The Division trained at Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Oklahoma, before being shipped to France in June 1918. O'Gorman saw action at St. Mihiel and Argonne. The unit returned to St. Louis in April 1919. He married Dorothy Hogan in 1926. O'Gorman was employed by the Shapleigh Hardware Company in St. Louis until 1958. He later worked for the Health and Welfare Council in St. Louis. He died in 1978.

The collection consists of a 32 page selection of O'Gorman's wartime correspondence edited by James F. O'Gorman.

Cite as: Paul J. O'Gorman Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1152

O'Hare, Frank P. (1877-1960).

**Papers, 1850-1960.** 44 boxes; 1 oversize item

Frank O'Hare (1877-1960) was brought from New Hampton, Iowa, to St. Louis by his mother when he was six years old, where they resided in the Irish community called Kerry Patch. In his early 20s his interests turned to social justice, and as a socialist organizer he frequently traveled with Eugene V. Debs. He conceived of the idea of annual tent encampments for farmers of the southwest under Socialist sponsorship. In 1912, O'Hare became editor of *The Rip-Saw*, a socialist monthly issued from St. Louis. He was married to the prominent socialist Kate Richards O'Hare, who was imprisoned during the World War I for opposing the draft, and whose penitentiary experiences led her to work toward extensive reforms in women's prisons after her release. They organized the Children's Crusade for Amnesty in 1922, which involved the children of political prisoners and draft obstructers marching on Washington. Frank and Kate O'Hare were divorced in 1927, and about the same time he went to work for a St. Louis hat company where he became assistant and consultant to the president. He retired in 1947 after suffering a heart attack. A member of the Public Question Club, he formed a Monday luncheon group christened the Dunkers and launched a one-man weekly, *Dundkerdoings*, to report its meetings and activities. O'Hare died July 16, 1960.

Collection contains correspondence, newsclippings, and published and unpublished writings of Frank P. O'Hare, and his wife, Kate Richards O'Hare. O'Hare's letters and writings, dated 1895-1960, deal with local and national news, political trends, and social reform. A large number of essays reflect his interest in mathematics and the ways it can be used to increase efficiency in production and management. Also includes bound volume titled "Dear Sweethearts: Letters from Kate Richards O'Hare to Her Family from April 20, 1919, to May 27, 1920."

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Frank P. O'Hare Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1153

# Old Court House (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Architectural Drawings, 1933. 1 folder

Drawn by Angelo B. M. Corrubia (1881-1943) most likely as part of the Historic American Buildings Survey of the 1930s. The blueprints include floor plans of the basement, first floor, second floor, and the roof. The structure sits on the block of Chestnut, Broadway, Market, and Fourth streets.

Cite as: Old Court House (Saint Louis, Missouri) Architectural Drawings, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Old Guard (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Record book. 1862-1865.** 1 volume

Transferred to Civil War Collection.

#### A1155

# Old Settlers' Association of Jefferson County, Missouri.

Records, 1864-1951 (bulk 1891-1941). 1 manuscript box; 1 oversize item

The Old Settlers' Association of Jefferson County, Missouri, was formed for the purpose of meeting annually to form new acquaintances and strengthen old friendships, and to preserve old landmarks of the county. The association is open to anyone at least 50 years of age who has been a resident of the county for 20 years.

Collection contains minutes, membership rosters, correspondence, newspaper clippings, and other material regarding the activities of the Old Settlers' Association. Collection also contains material relating to the history of Jefferson County, and correspondence of John L. Thomas to Samuel A. Reppy.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Old Settlers' Association of Jefferson County, Missouri, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2383

# Olin, Franklin W. (1860-1951).

Papers, 1887-1900. 1 folder

Franklin W. Olin was born January 9, 1860, in Woodford, Vermont, and graduated from Cornell University with an engineering degree in 1886. He moved to East Alton, Illinois, in 1892, where he established companies that eventually became Olin Industries, Inc. He died May 21, 1951, in St. Louis, Missouri.

The collection consists primarily of receipts and business correspondence of Franklin W. Olin.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Franklin W. Olin Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2117

Oliver, Lillian Hays.

**Biographical Data Sheet, 1957.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Cite as: Lillian Hays Oliver Biographical Data Sheet, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1156

# Olsen, Audrey, C.S.J.

# Research notes on Saint Louis Germans, no date. 1 box

Research notes on St. Louis Germans compiled by Sister Audrey Olsen, C.S.J., for her Ph.D. thesis. Includes data on first, second, and third generation males of German extraction who were listed in the St. Louis Blue Book, 1910-1911, members of the Liederkranz Club, 1910-1920, officers of German societies, 1911-1910, or listed in the *Book of St. Louisans*, 1906 or 1912. Data extracted includes residence(s); occupation; property tax paid and property value, 1914; personal tax paid, 1914; religion; political affiliation; societies to which they belonged; place and date of birth and death; and other information found in the *St. Louis Times*, *Westliche Post*, or *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*.

Cite as: Sr. Audrey Olsen's Research Notes on St. Louis Germans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1157

# Olshausen Family.

**Papers, 1830-1912.** 1 box; 1 oversize item

Family of Theodore Olshausen (1802-1869). A native of Holstein, Theodore Olshausen helped organize the Home Guards in St. Louis, and edited the *Westliche Post* after 1856. He returned to Holstein after the Civil War.

This collection includes a body of unprocessed German-language material relating to Theodore Olshausen. In addition, it contains a wide variety of other materials of uncertain origins that include a journal of a trip through England, Paris, etc.; maps, plats, etc., St. Louis (1842- ), including a plat of "The Glades" in Gratiot League Square and maps of the St. Louis Commons; material relating to Bernard Kraft, including a sketch of his residence (1850); annual report of the Washington Mutual Fire Insurance Company of St. Louis (1858); list of Germanlanguage books, 1884, no date; booklet "St. Louis Water: Is it Chicago Sewage Diluted?" by Gustavius D. Hinrichs; and papers regarding John F. Wixford and the chemical process of purifying water, 1904-1912.

Some German handscript.

Cite as: Olshausen Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1158

Olympic Amateur Athletic Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Minute book, 1889-1894. 1 volume

Cite as: Olympic Amateur Club Minute Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1159

On The Wall Productions, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

Records, 1974-1993. 11 cubic feet; 3 flat storage boxes; 20 flat files.

Firm records, job files, business correspondence and design sketches for mural projects. Preliminary inventory available.

Cite as: On the Wall Productions, Inc. Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1160

# O'Neil, Joseph (1817-1893).

Papers, 1838-1909. 5 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder

Joseph O'Neil immigrated from Ireland circa 1829 to Utica. He arrived in St. Louis circa 1839. He was a member of the Missouri Senate, 1858.

Includes business papers of Joseph O'Neil; numerous letters from Archbishop Peter Richard Kenrick to O'Neil concerning building of New Cathedral, other church-related business. Personal letters from David Nicholson; "The Story of Joseph O'Neill," 1817-1893, by Horton O'Neil. Cite as: Joseph O'Neil Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1161

O'Neill, Rose (1874-1944).

Papers, 1927-1952. 6 folders (approximately 200 items); 1 scrapbook

Artist; creator of Kewpie cartoons and dolls; author, sculptor. She died on her estate near Branson, Missouri.

Papers include scrapbook with photographs, clippings, etc. regarding her and her dolls; typescript of a chapter of O'Neill's autobiography [not actually identified]; drawings and notes of O'Neill; notes and poetry of Thomas Boggs and clippings regarding Kewpie Dolls and Ms. O'Neill's life.

Cite as: Rose O'Neill Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2893

Order of DeMolay (Maplewood Chapter).

Invitation, 1937 May 1. 1 item

Invitation to the annual informal dance of the Maplewood Chapter, Order of DeMolay, at the Hotel Jefferson. Entertainment by Buddy Kay's Orchestra.

Cite as: Order of DeMolay (Maplewood Chapter) Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1162

# **Oregon-California Collection, 1832-1943.** 1 box; 2 oversize items

The Oregon-California Collection is an artificial, or subject-based, collection comprising a variety of documents that have been placed in this collection over the years due to their common subject matter. The collection consists primarily of letters, diaries, and articles from Missouri newspapers relating to overland travel to Oregon and California in the 1840s and 1850s. Most of these items are transcriptions or reproductions, rather than original documents. The collection also includes correspondence of the Missouri Historical Society with various individuals, 1924-1940, mostly relating to papers and publications about 19th-century overland travel to California and Oregon.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Oregon-California Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1163

O'Reilly, Joseph (-1949).

Papers, 1779-1945. 18 folders (approximately 250 items)

Joseph O'Reilly was an early balloon racing enthusiast in St. Louis and participated in races during the Louisiana purchase Exposition in 1904. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War and also a member of the Board of Trustees of the Missouri Historical Society.

The papers concern mainly the areas of real estate and balloon racing. The correspondence

series include both personal and professional correspondence for the years, 1913-1944. Most of the correspondence relates to balloon racing in the years, 1913-1922. A number of letters relate to applications for participation in balloon races. Others are written to and from Warren Rasor and William Assmann, two friends and fellow participants. A few personal letters to Goodyear Tire and Rubber also include references to R.H. Upson, an expert in the field and winner of a number of international races. Also includes correspondence from Albert Bond Lambert regarding the Missouri Aeronautical Society (in folder dated 1940-1945). There are flight logs which document races in 1909, 1912, and 1917. The financial records include a checkbook, a tax book, and a number of receipts. The printed materials include memorial envelopes, souvenir canvas, commemorative ribbons, real estate cards, and a flag dedication pamphlet. There are also lists of materials needed by balloonist and a number of aeronautical bulletins. The real estate records contain early St. Louis street surveys and real estate transfers. There is also an early map of a number of city streets. These records were gathered as a result of Mr. O'Reilly's partnership in a real estate firm.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Joseph O'Reilly Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1164

# O'Reilly, M.B.

Collection, [1766]-1941. 6 folders (approximately 25 items)

Irish immigrant who came to St. Louis in 1849. He was a prominent investigator of land titles.

Collection includes transcriptions of early land titles, 1766-1841; papers, letters, etc., 1861-1941; also early marriage contracts.

Cite as: M.B. O'Reilly Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1165

# **Ormerod Family.**

Papers, 1815-1905. 2 folders (approximately 35 items)

Papers include correspondence to Joseph Ormerod while living in Settle, Yorkshire County, England; Bedford, Pennsylvania; and Boonville, Missouri, from family and friends regarding politics, living conditions, family happenings; various receipts for the family.

Cite as: Ormerod Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1166

# Orten, J.H.

# Account books, 1891-1905. 2 volumes

One volume of accounts of road work undertaken for Road district no. 30 in Missouri, J.H. Orten, overseer (1894), and records of cases brought before J.H. Orten, justice of the peace for the township of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri (1898-1899). Ledger of unidentified Ste. Genevieve insurance company serving Ste. Genevieve and surrounding Missouri counties, 1891-1905. Cite as: J.H. Orten Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1167

# Osterhaus Family.

Papers, 1865-1931. 2 folders (approximately 25 items); 2 oversize folders

Peter Joseph Osterhaus was born January 4, 1823, in Coblenz, Germany. He emigrated to the United States in 1849, eventually settling in St. Louis. During the Civil War he rose to the rank

of major general in the Union army. Following the war he worked as a United States consul in France and Germany. He died January 2, 1917, in Duisburg, Germany.

Collection contains diary (163 pages) of General Osterhaus while commanding the 1st Division, 15th Army Corps, dated January 1 to December 15, 1864. (Osterhaus was traveling and away from his command from early January to February 19; he did not record any entries for the period July 19 to August 24.) Diary contains occasional accounts of operations in northern Alabama while encamped at Woodville, January to April; accounts of operations during the Atlanta and Savannah Campaigns; and regular accounts of the number of miles marched. Collection also contains pardon granted by President Johnson to G.R. Wilson, dated July 26, 1865; Military Order of the Loyal Legion certificate of Osterhaus, dated 1904; several obituaries of Osterhaus; and newspaper article (with typescript English translation) from the *New York Staat-Zeitung und Herold*, April 5, 1925, titled "The Germans in the Civil War: Recollections of Generals Osterhaus, Sigel, Schurz, von Steinwehr and Willich." Also includes letters, documents, clippings and genealogical material regarding the Osterhaus family; and five letters of P. Joseph Osterhaus, 1915-1916, to Sen. Hugo regarding entrance of U.S. to World War I. Cite as: Osterhaus Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1168

Osterhorn, Johann Wilhelm (1830-1874).

Papers, 1849-2000 (bulk 1862-1865). 1 box; 1 volume

Johann Wilhelm Osterhorn was born January 14, 1830, in Allendorf, Germany. He left Germany without government permission and worked and traveled extensively in the United States from 1855 to 1860. He met Juliana Gertrude Wilhelmine "Minna" Buhner (born 1839) in Marburg on the Lahn (Germany) around 1860, and they agreed to travel to America together. They emigrated to St. Louis, Wilhelm in 1861 and Minna in 1862, and were married there June 5, 1862. In April 1861 he was elected 1st lieutenant of Company A, 3rd Missouri Infantry (Union). He resigned due to poor health in early 1863, but in July of the same year he reentered the service as captain of Company G, 31st Missouri Infantry. He was discharged in January 1865. Following the war he moved with Minna to Bismarck, Missouri, where they operated a hotel and restaurant. They had four children. Wilhelm was shot and killed by a tenant in Bismarck in 1874. Minna later married Herman Hasenpatt. She died in 1915 in Bismarck.

This collection contains letters between Wilhelm and Minna Osterhorn, and from friends and family. The letters from Wilhelm to Minna sometimes give first-hand accounts of conditions in the U.S. Army during the Civil War. The letters from the Buhner family in Marburg consist mostly of news about family and friends. The collection also contains Wilhelm's journal, which has untranslated receipts in the front, and his account of his own personal history in the middle, the rest is blank. There is also a bound booklet titled "The Genealogy of the Spielman Family," compiled by Armand Spielman, the great grandson of Wilhelm and Minna Osterhorn. In German, some translations available.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Johann Wilhelm Osterhorn Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1169

**Oversize collection**. 5 (20x24) flat storage boxes; 10 map drawers

Contains items from other collections that are too large to be housed in manuscript boxes. List of items in each box.

# Overstolz, Henry Clemens (1822-1887).

Papers, 1846-1907. 2 folders (approximately 30 items); 4 volumes

Henry Clemens Overstolz was born in Muenster, Westphalia, Prussia, and lived there until 1836; married Philippine Espenschied (1847-1925); settled in St. Louis, and served as mayor, 1876-1881.

Collection includes three volumes of personal accounts, consisting of one ledger (1870-1882) and two cash journals (1870-1879 and 1880-1883); personal letterbook while mayor of St. Louis, 1876-1881; family photographs; newsclippings; and some correspondence. Some German on first page of letterbook.

Cite as: Henry Clemens Overstolz Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2489

Owen, Martha, Miss.

Papers, 1889-1909. 3 items

Papers include letter signed W.B. Anderson, president, Western Academy, LaBelle, Missouri, "to whom presented," May 19, 1889, recommending Miss Martha Owen as a teacher; grade report of Miss Martha Owen, Western Academy, LaBelle, Missouri, June 4, 1889; and letter signed W.M. McGee, Warren County superintendent, Indianola, Iowa, May 4, 1909, recommending Miss Owen as a teacher.

Cite as: Miss Martha Owen Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Oyster, D.K.

See D.K. Oyster (Lagrange, Missouri) Bills of lading.

# A1171

# Paddock Family.

Papers, 1815-1934. 4 boxes; 1 volume (124 pages).

Family of Revolutionary War soldier Gaius Paddock, his wife Mary (Polly) and of his ten children, two of whom were sons, Sprouat and Orville.

This collection consists of descriptions of life in St. Louis; Paddock's Grove, Madison County, Illinois; and Springfield and Alton. It includes a few deeds, papers, Civil War letters, correspondence concerning nursery stock. The collection also includes correspondence of the Paddock women; a ledger, 1821-1822, later used as a scrapbook; a volume of writing of Gaius Paddock (grandson of Revolutionary War soldier), 1834-1844; and Gaius Paddock family book, 1836-1936, by Susan and Gaius Paddock. The collection also contains a daybook of unidentified merchandise accounts, 1836-1837; most accounts obscured by clippings, as volume was later used as a scrapbook by Susan Paddock of Paddock's Grove.

Cite as: Paddock Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1172

Paffrath, Max.

Papers, 1893-1926. 5 folders; 1 oversize folder

Engineer.

Collection includes professional correspondence; specifications for Philippine Exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Municipal Courts Building (St. Louis), unidentified hospital and various railroads; floor plans for a public bath house at 7th and Soulard (St. Louis), 1908; floor plans for the Municipal Court Building, 1910; and the confirmation certificate of Max Paffrath, 1893.

Cite as: Max Paffrath Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Pageant and Masque (Saint Louis, Missouri)

See Saint Louis Pageant and Masque

# A1173

Palacek Family.

**Papers, 1911-1956.** 1 box (approximately 15 items)

Thomas Palacek was born June 23, 1887, in St. Louis. A beer bottler by trade, he was employed by Anheuser-Busch, and was a member of Beer Bottler's Union no. 187 of the International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal, Soft Drink and Distiller Workers of America.

Papers include three record booklets of Clara Palacek relating to participation/membership in Czech immigrant societies, the Sebevzdelavaci Spolek Ceskych Zen a Divek, 1911-1921, and Sbor Bretislava c 14., 1928-1938 and 1930-1939; Missouri State Unemployment Service identification card, issued to Thomas A. Palacek, Sr., October 9, 1939; membership booklet, International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal, and Soft Drink Workers of America, issued to Thomas A. Palacek, Sr., May 17, 1943; group insurance and retirement income plans for employees of Anheuser-Busch, Inc., 1947; printed booklet titled "Constitution of the International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal Soft Drink and Distillery Workers of America, adopted 1950"; printed booklet titled "Labor Agreement between International Union of United Brewery, Flour, Cereal, Soft Drink and Distillery Workers of America, CIO, and its Local Union No. 187 and Anheuser-Busch, Inc., 1953"; letter of Harold Gartner, Industrial Relation Dept., Anheuser-Busch, Inc., to Thomas Palacek regarding absence from work due to

illness, January 19, 1956; attendance card issued to Thomas Palacek of Beer Bottlers' Union no. 187, 1955; St. Louis motor vehicle tax receipt, 1955; printed booklet titled "General Company Conduct Rules and Regulations, Anheuser-Busch, Inc.," no date.

Cite as: Palacek Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1174

## Palmer, I.B.

# Capitulations and extract of treaties relating to Canada, circa 1814. 1 volume

Copybook of I.B. Palmer with extracts of treaties of 1763, 1783, notes on War of 1812, and words and melodies of several American songs, date on flyleaf: February 24, 1814.

Cite as: I.B. Palmer Copybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1175

# Palmer, James A.

Estate papers, 1839-1844. 1 box (approximately 30 items)

Papers relating to estate of James A.H. Palmer; Pierre Chouteau and Kenneth McKenzie administrators (not all government related).

Cite as: James A. Palmer Estate Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1176

**Palmer, Singleton (1912- ). Papers, 1953-1992.** 5 folders

Singleton Palmer was born November 13, 1912, in St. Louis, and attended Sumner High School. At age eleven, Palmer began trumpet lessons, and by age fourteen, he became second trumpeter of the Mose Wiley dance band. Shortly thereafter, Palmer switched to the tuba. During his professional career, he played with Oliver Cobb, Eddie Johnson, George Hudson, Fats Waller, and Count Basie. In 1950, Palmer returned to St. Louis, where he played with his own band at the Forest Park Hotel. The Singleton Palmer Dixieland Band played at the Opera House in Gaslight Square from 1958-1967, and they recorded six albums. In 1984, Palmer received the Mayor's Award for the Arts.

Collection includes correspondence of friends, fans, and organizations to Singleton Palmer; programs, invitations, newspaper clippings and magazine articles documenting Palmer's musical career and band.

Cite as: Singleton Palmer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1177

# Palmyra, Missouri.

Collection, 1829-1880. 1 box (approximately 25 items)

Papers include land papers of Palmyra, Missouri; correspondence of people in Palmyra or surrounding areas; articles of agreement of expedition to California for gold, January 28, 1849; report of Ann E. Lear from Palmyra Female Seminary, May 1856.

Cite as: Palmyra, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1178

Pape, Erich (1821-1881).

**Papers, 1860-1908.** 3 folders (15 items)

Erich Pape was born in Germany in 1821 and came to the United States in 1844, settling in Bollinger County, Missouri. He served as sergeant of Company B, Fremont Rangers, from

August to December 1861. He then enlisted in Company A, 12th Missouri State Militia Cavalry, which was later consolidated and became Company K, 3rd Missouri State Militia Cavalry. He rose to the rank of lieutenant. Following the war he returned to Bollinger County, where he died April 23, 1881.

Collection contains quartermaster's account book of Lieutenant Erich Pape, Company K, 3rd Missouri State Militia Cavalry (new), which includes accounts of military equipment and clothing for members of Company K; diary entries for Company K for the month of June (year not provided); and brief entries regarding the operations of the 12th Missouri State Militia Cavalry in southeast Missouri in September 1862. Collection also includes notebook containing rosters of Captain John R. Cochran's Company C., Enrolled Missouri Militia, Bollinger County; roster of Captain Cochran's company, Missouri Volunteer Militia, Bollinger County (1865); roster of Company K, 5th Missouri State Militia Cavalry (new); and affidavits for invalid pension claims. Also includes discharge certificate of Erich Pape and pension certificate of his wife. Collection also includes a tax receipt to Marcus L. Keller, October 19, 1860; document signed Erich Pape, identifying his mark for hogs, sheep, goats, May 11, 1867; two certificates of election of Erich Pape for sheriff of Bollinger County, 1868; letter of F.A. Ainsworth regarding the military history of John R. Cochran; three documents stating Levi B. James has been elected Judge of County Court, 1st District, Bollinger County, 1898; letter of Belle Cochran to Mr. L.B. James regarding father's papers; and document naming L.B. James deputy food administrator of Bollinger County, 1918.

Cite as: Erich Pape Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Papers from Spain**

See Houck, Louis. "Papers from Spain" transcripts.

# A1179

# Papin Family.

Papers, 1749-1890. 3 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize folder

Joseph Alexandre Papin and his son Joseph Marie came to the Cahokia area from Canada around 1760. The elder Papin, was a land surveyor and also in the commissariat department of the army of French King Louis XV. Joseph Marie Papin married Rene Auguste Chouteau's daughter Marie Louis in 1779. Joseph and Marie Louis Papin had 13 children. Joseph and his wife settled on a 1,300 acre tract of land outside of St. Louis which later became Forest Park.

Papers include some correspondence of Papin family, some in France to members in St. Louis; accounts with Saint Louis University (January 29, 1839) and St. Mary's College (October 19, 1841) that have statements of tuition, board; various receipts and bills of Papin family; deeds, indentures, rent receipts, tax receipts of family (property for the most part was in St. Louis); rolled map of streets in St. Louis, circa 1870 (Henry Papin written on the back), streets lots bounded by Main on the east, Carondelet on the west, Picotte on the north and Duchoquette on the south; genealogy of Papin family. In addition, there is a copybook of Henry Papin, St. Louis, 1853-1854, with lists of recipes, trees in his backyard, dates of family marriages, names of children, articles on paper money, hospitals, name derivations, etc.

Cite as: Papin Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1180

Papin, Theophile (1827-1902).

Real estate transactions, 1846-1877. 1 volume (74 leaves)

Record of real estate holdings and transactions in St. Louis City and County. Cite as: Theophile Papin Record of Real Estate Transactions, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2277

# Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG), St. Louis Chapter. Brochure, circa 2006.

Informational brochure regarding the St. Louis chapter of PFLAG. Cite as: Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG), St. Louis Chapter, Brochure, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3014

# Park Opera Company.

# Circular, no date. 1 item

Circular states in part, "Special Notice! On Tuesday Evening, July 11<sup>th</sup>, Roger Gray will return to St. Louis and start rehearsals for the Park Opera Company's big 'Review' which will be the attraction at this theatre for the week beginning July 17<sup>th</sup>. Roger Gray will arrive at the Union Station. . . . Friends are making preparations for an elaborate welcome to this famous comedian. . . ."

Cite as: Park Opera Company Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1182

Parker, George Washington (1836-1913).

**Papers, 1854-1876.** 5 boxes

Born in 1836, reared in Elizabethtown, Kentucky, lawyer, prominent builder and manager of railroads, Charleston, Illinois, 1861-1876; moved to St. Louis 1876, was Republican nominee for mayor, 1901, and a director of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, 1904.

Business papers and correspondence concerned chiefly with affairs of the St. Louis, Alton, and Terre Haute Railroad and other railroads. Some personal correspondence, some of Civil War interest.

Acquired by Book World from the Estate of C.G. Parker.

Cite as: George Washington Parker Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3141

# Parker, William E. (1935-2014).

# Theater Programs, ca. 1960-1974. 1 folder

William E. (Bill) Parker was born in Anna, Illinois, in 1935. When his family moved to St. Louis, he started acting in local stage productions. He joined the Southtown Players, performing in and directing productions at the Richmond Theatre. He also sang in Gaslight Square nightclubs such as Marty's, the Crystal Palace, and the Black Horse Inn. In 1975, he completed his doctoral thesis at Southern Illinois University, earning his PhD in theater and speech. At this time, he wrote and directed his first play, From These Sterile Hills. He also wrote two other plays, The Apprentice (1989) and Just as We Are (1989). He was a member of the faculty at Pacific Lutheran University from 1969 to 2000. Parker returned to St. Louis in 2008 with his partner, Edward C. Gentzler III. He died June 20, 2014, after a long battle with cancer.

The collection consists of four theater programs from productions in which Bill Parker performed and directed. The productions date from circa 1960 to 1974 and are arranged chronologically. The first three programs are productions performed by the Southtown Players

during their tenure at the Richmond Theatre (1025 Big Bend Blvd., Richmond Heights): A Festival of Song (ca. 1960), The Man Who Came to Dinner (1962), and Dark of the Moon (1962). The Dark of the Moon program includes biographies of Parker, the director, and the cast. The final program is from the April 1974 production of Parker's play, From These Sterile Hills, at Southern Illinois University's Calipre Stage.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: William E. Parker Theater Programs, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A1181

Parker-Russell Family.

Papers. 1797-1947. 2 boxes

Family and business papers; estate papers; passports; deeds of the families of Lemon Parker, William Russell, and James Russell (St. Louis and Washington County and Franklin County, Missouri). Includes a travel journal of Lemon Parker; land records from Howard County, Missouri; records relating to the firm of Ward and Parker, and to the Galena Mining Company; and reminiscence of Anne Clendennin Russell about St. Louis life from 1861 to 1947, circa 1947

Cite as: Parker-Russell Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2415

# Parkhurst, E.

# Advertisement, 1830 Nov 24. 1 item

Advertisement for new shoe store of E. Parkhurst: "The subscriber respectfully solicits a share of public patronage, at the store formerly occupied by Menard & Sire, on Main street, four doors south of the Market, where he offers for sale, a general assortment of boots & shoes, at wholesale and retail. . . . Also, a good assortment of combs, clothing, broad cloths, vestings, cravats, buttons, buckles, stock rifles, &c. Hides taken in exchange."

Cite as: E. Parkhurst Advertisement, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1183

# Parks-Curtner Family.

# **Papers, 1856-1990.** 1 box

Joseph L. Parks (1906-1972) attended Kirkwood High School (class of 1925), the University of Missouri–Columbia, and George Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee. He taught at Braggadocio, Missouri, public schools and was a science teacher at Kennett School until his retirement in 1970. He was president of the Southeast Missouri Teachers Association and a member of the Central Presbyterian Church, the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in St. Louis, and Hayti AF and AM Lodge No. 571. In 1932, he married Carrie Curtner. They had one child, Jane Parks. Carrie Curtner attended Braggadocio High School (class of 1924) and Southeast Missouri Teacher's College in Cape Girardeau, Missouri. She taught in the Braggadocio public school system.

Collection consists of Curtner family genealogy; newspaper clippings regarding the Parks and Curtner families; photographs of Joe Parks, Carrie Parks, and Professor Hardin Craig; Kirkwood High School Class Roll (1925) and diploma; miscellaneous family papers; sermons of Reverend W.H. Parks (1856-1889); class autograph book of Jane Parks (1947-1948); and scrapbook of Carrie Curtner.

Cite as: Parks-Curtner Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1184

Parrish, Wilhelmina.

Parrish Sisters Castle Square Opera Company Scrapbook, 1902-1903. 1 volume

Grace and Wilhelmina Parrish, St. Louis photographers, part of the Potters movement in St. Louis art and literature.

Letters and photographs relating to the Castle Square Opera Company. Cite as: Parrish Sisters Castle Square Opera Company Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1185

Parsons, Charles (1824-1905).

**Papers, 1808-1940** (bulk 1862-1864). 45 manuscript boxes; 3 oversize boxes; 4 oversize folders (in AMD); 33 volumes

Charles Parsons, son of Lewis B. and Lucinda Hoar Parsons, was born January 24, 1824, in Homer, New York. In 1851, he moved to Keokuk, Iowa, where he conducted a successful banking business. He married Martha A. Pettus in 1857. During the Civil War, Parsons was appointed assistant quartermaster with the rank of captain, and placed in charge of the St. Louis post of the Union rail and river transportation service. In this role, Parsons worked closely with his brother Lewis B. Parsons, chief of rail and river transportation. Following the war, Parsons worked with the St. Louis State Savings Association, becoming president in 1870. He died September 15, 1905, in Wequetonsing, Michigan.

Collection consists of accounts, abstracts, correspondence, bills of lading, orders, transportation passes, crew lists, charters, contracts and other types of material that document his work as assistant quartermaster in St. Louis during the Civil War. The collection includes both loose papers and bound volumes that provide extensive information on the logistics of transporting troops and supplies for the Union army in the western theater, including the Vicksburg Campaign. The collection also contains several folders of Parsons' personal papers. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Parsons Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2365

Parsons, J.B.

**Papers, 1840-1846.** 2 items

Contains letter signed J.B.P. [J.B. Parsons], Philad. [Philadelphia], to Mrs. Frances Parsons, St. Louis, Missouri, August 19, 1840. In this letter, Parsons updates his wife on his business trip and discusses family matters. Papers also include letter signed Jno. Rostez Thornton, Paris, [Kentucky?], to Lewis Vimont, Millersburg, Bourbon County, Kentucky, which discusses a debt and a land sale. Includes typescript transcriptions of both letters.

Cite as: J.B. Parsons Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1186

Parsons, Mosby Monroe (1822-1865).

Papers, 1847-1869. approximately 30 items

Mosby Monroe Parsons was born May 21, 1821, at Charlottesville, Virginia. As a young man he moved to Cole County, Missouri, where he studied law and was admitted to the bar. After serving in the Mexican War, he served in the state senate and as attorney general. During the Civil War he commanded the Sixth Division, Missouri State Guard, and later commanded a brigade in Price's army. He was killed in August 1865 in Mexico.

Collection includes undated address of J[ames] H. McNamara titled "An Historical Sketch of the Sixth Division, Missouri State Guard," which contains accounts of operations of the Sixth Division in Missouri in 1861, including the Battles of Carthage, Wilson's Creek, and Lexington, and listings of casualties in each battle; newspaper clipping from the Missouri Republican, dated November 6, 1886, which contains McNamara's reminiscences regarding the affairs of Parson's Brigade in Arkansas and Louisiana in 1863 and 1864, including information on camp life and account of the Battle of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana; fragment of diary of Dr. Robert Joseph Bell, a surgeon in the 10th Missouri Infantry, Parson's Brigade, dated June 1863 to August 1864 (28 pages, includes typescript), which describes his experiences while serving in Arkansas, including accounts of marches, the Battle of Helena, and depredations of Union soldiers; fragment of diary of Dr. Bell's wife, dated January to August 1864 (37 pages, includes typescript), which contains descriptions of her activities while in Arkansas and Louisiana with her husband; brief undated manuscript biographies of Parsons and his brother-in-law, Austin Martin Standish; register of officers in Parsons' Division, kept by Austin Standish, dated 1862 to 1865; notes of Mrs. Mildred Parsons Standish containing her recollections of a wartime journey from St. Louis to Arkansas and Louisiana; five letters of Parsons to family, including letter dated June 5, 1865, which discusses impending surrender of his troops at Shreveport, Louisiana; two letters of L[ebbeus] A. Pindall, including letter dated February 3, 1869, which contains account of the death of Parsons; and general orders signed by Pindall, dated camp at Van Buren, Arkansas, December 13, 1862, announcing the death of Lieutenant Gus A. Parsons. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mosby Monroe Parsons Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2519

#### Paschall House Association of St. Louis.

**Ticket**, [1868]. 1 item

Ticket entitles the holder to one share in the Paschall House Association of St. Louis. Ticket includes illustration of building.

Cite as: Paschall House Association of St. Louis Ticket, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1187

# Passports collection, 1826-1958. approximately 15 items

American and other national passports issued to various people.

Some French.

Cite as: Passports Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1188

# **Patents collection, 1881-1927.** approximately 30 items

Patents issued mostly to residents of St. Louis from the United States government (one from Canada), for various inventions.

Cite as: Patents Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# **Patience Worth collection**

See Curran, Pearl Pollard, 1883-1937

#### A1189

Patrick, William K. (1841- ).

Papers, 1862-1907. 4 folders; 1 volume (approximately 50 items)

William K. Patrick was born June 12, 1841, in Birmingham, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania. His family moved to St. Louis in 1848. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a private in the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months). He later served as assistant provost marshal for the Department of Missouri. He was active in the Missouri Radical Republican party.

Collection contains letters to William K. Patrick from several individuals, including the following: two letters of Frank Lord, dated Provost Marshal's Office, St. Louis, September 22 and October 17, 1864; two letters of A.J. Hughes, 12th Missouri Cavalry (Union), dated September 23, 1864, and May 8, 1865; and letter of Lieutenant Colonel James F. Dwight, 11th Missouri Cavalry, dated Little Rock, April 18, 1865. Collection also contains correspondence regarding Patrick's appointment as assistant adjutant general, dated January to April 1864; correspondence regarding Patrick's appointment as paymaster for the Regular Army, dated May to August 1865; charge against Richard S. Raymond for violation of the laws of war, dated 1865; printed circular letter of B. Gratz Brown to the editor of the *Cosmos*, titled "Let Us Have Genuine Freedom in Missouri," dated November 15, 1864; and Patrick's record book of Civil War pension claims, dated 1890 to 1891. Collection also contains papers regarding the Radical Republicans of the state; the impeachment proceedings of Andrew Jackson and the reconstruction of the South; and ledger book containing combination of tax and other accounts, affidavits and other legal items.

Cite as: William K. Patrick Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3048

Paul, Kenneth W. (1917-2007).

Family Papers, 1942-2000 (bulk 1942-1945). 9 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Kenneth William Joseph Paul was born on 24 December 1917 to Edna Caroline (Bueker) and William Frederick Paul (1888-1955). His younger brother, Wilbert ("Bill") Jacob Paul, was born on 27 December 1921. Ken graduated from Cleveland High School in 1936 and began working at Concordia Publishing House (CPH) where he met Marian Hentscher (1926-1992), with whom he corresponded throughout his military career and whom he later married. Ken served during World War II from 1942 to 1945. He was with the 302<sup>nd</sup> Fighter Control Squadron on Iwo Jima in 1944-1945. Bill Paul served with a field artillery unit, landed in France on 12 June 1944, and fought in the Battle of the Bulge.

The collection is comprised primarily of letters and greetings cards sent and received by Ken Paul, his girlfriend Marian Hentscher, his mother Edna Paul, his brother Bill Paul, and various friends and family members while the Paul brothers served in the Army. In addition to the correspondence, there are greeting cards dated 1946, stories written by Ken Paul that were inspired by his military experiences dated 1943 to 1945, and three undated radio scripts for stations "PFUI" and "KUKU." There are also two newsletters from St. Luke's Evangelical Church (St. Louis) dated 26 December 1944 and 25 July 1945.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kenneth W. Paul Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Paule, John

See John Paule's Store

#### A1190

Paule's Fashionable Merchant Tailoring Emporium (Saint Charles, Missouri).

# **Daybook**, [1868]-1869. 1 volume (60 pages)

Cite as: Paule's Fashionable Merchant Tailoring Emporium Daybook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2423

# Pavey, Ida F.

Certificate of appreciation from the Walnut Park School Patrons' Association, 1934 Dec 12. 1 item

This certificate of appreciation was given to Ida F. Pavey in recognition of her 42 years of service as a teacher in the St. Louis public schools.

Cite as: Ida F. Pavey Certificate of Appreciation from the Walnut Park School Patrons' Association, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1191

# Paxton, William McClung (1819- ).

**Papers, 1850-1913.** 22 boxes; 9 volumes

William Paxton was born in Mason County, Kentucky, and married Mary Forman in 1840. They settled in Platte City, Platte County, Missouri, where he served as notary, examiner, attorney, and judge. He authored *Annals of Platte County, Missouri* in 1897.

This collection contains a variety of records from various aspects of Paxton's career in Platte City, Missouri, including four volumes of accounts from his general store in Platte City (1850-1854); three volumes of specimen letters "from each of the correspondents of W.M. Paxton," arranged in alphabetical order in January 1877, but dating from the 1860s and 1870s; a scrapbook of daily weather reports for Platte County, clipped from the *Platte County Argus* (1905-1913); and a record book of collections brought before the Platte County Circuit Court, judgments, executions, and commissions (1860-1871), apparently kept by Paxton in his capacity as an attorney. In addition, the collection contains genealogical material, including a genealogical index and a number of wills, abstracts, court papers, etc. of the Paxton family. Cite as: William McClung Paxton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Payne, Jacob U.

See Jacob U. Payne and Brothers

# A2312

Payne, W.E., M.D.

Letter to the clerk of the County Court of St. Louis County, Mo., 1894 Apr 11. 1 item

Dr. Payne of Pattonville, St. Louis County, reports "a case of diphtheria under my care in the family of Mr. W.W. Brownfield of Normandy, St. Louis Co."

Cite as: W.E. Payne, M.D. Letter to the clerk of the County Court of St. Louis County, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1192

Peabody, Charles (1816-1903).

**Papers**, **1846-1889**. 5 volumes; 2 folders

Charles Peabody, the son of Ammi and Sarah Johnson Peabody, was born November 8, 1816, in Newport, New Hampshire. He graduated from Dartmouth College in 1839, and was ordained as a Congregational minister in Boston in 1845. Soon thereafter he traveled to the West as an agent of the American Tract Society. He worked for the American Tract Society in St.

Louis in the 1850s-1860s and in Chicago in the 1870s. He married Eliza Antoinette Hubbell in New York in 1847. She died May 28, 1851, in New York. Charles Peabody died November 25, 1903, in Pasadena, California, where he had been residing since the early 1890s.

The collection contains a typescript copy of a diary of Rev. Charles Peabody, May 21—September 11, 1846; a diary of Rev. Peabody, October 12, 1846—July 25, 1849, while he traveled in the West (mostly in St. Louis, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio) as an agent of the American Tract Society; and four travel diaries of Rev. Peabody, 1858-1859, recording his travels mostly in Europe. The collection also contains correspondence to Rev. Peabody, 1888-1889; many of these letters are from his Dartmouth College classmates. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Peabody Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2984

Pearce, Charles Edward (1842-1902).

**Record Book of the St. Louis National Guard, 1872-1902 (bulk 1872-1878).** 1 volume; 7 folders; 1 oversize item

Charles Edward Pearce was born May 29, 1842, in Whitestown, Oneida County, New York. He served as an officer in Battery D, 16<sup>th</sup> New York Heavy Artillery, in the Civil War and came to St. Louis in 1866. He commanded the St. Louis National Guard in 1875 and organized the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment, Missouri National Guard, in 1877. He served in the U.S. Congress from 1897 to 1901. He died January 30, 1902, in St. Louis.

Collection consists of Charles Edward Pearce's record book of the St. Louis National Guard, 1872-1878, which includes petitions, printed *Constitution and By-Laws of the St. Louis National Guard* (1872 and 1874), correspondence, invitations, subscription lists, accounts, receipts, checks, muster rolls, and other items. The collection also includes seven folders of loose papers that were removed from the record book.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Edward Pearce Record Book of the St. Louis National Guard, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2571

Pearson, Lillie V. "Granny," Mrs. (1915-2006). Papers, 1948-2006. 13 items

Mrs. Lillie V. "Granny" Pearson owned and operated Tillie's Food Shop (also known as Tillie's Corner), a neighborhood confectionary located at the corner of Garrison and Sheridan Avenues in St. Louis, Missouri. She opened the shop in 1948. Mrs. Pearson died November 30, 2006, in St. Louis.

The papers include photocopies of newspaper obituaries of Mrs. Lillie V. Pearson from the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* and *St. Louis American*; reproductions of photographs of the exterior of Tillie's Corner, 1345-1355 North Garrison Avenue, taken in 2002; historical synopsis of Tillie's Corner written by her granddaughter Carla R. Pearson, 2004; reproductions of photographs of Mrs. Lillie V. Pearson; reproduction of sketch of Mrs. Pearson by artist Bill O'Donnell, 1995; and an original photograph of Mrs. Pearson inside Tillie's Food Shop, 1948.

Cite as: Mrs. Lillie V. "Granny" Pearson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1194

Peck, Charles.
Papers, 1817-1889. 5 items

Papers contain birth and death records from family Bible; notebook containing record of remedies and dosages for various ailments, prescriptions of numerous St. Louis druggists and pharmacists, and entries regarding local physicians; printed letter to member of the Central Presbyterian Church, circa 1865; and issue of the "Children's Friend" (Volume II, Number 10; May 18, 1867), an Evangelical Sabbath school journal, published in Richmond, [Virginia]. Cite as: Charles Peck Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1193

# Peck, Charles Henry (1817-1899).

**Papers, 1887-1898.** 2 volumes

Born in New York, left for West in 1838, settling in St. Louis, married Rebecca Adams in 1840. Worked in building and mining, with numerous other business interests. Served as a director of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, was an incorporator and director of Vulcan Iron Works and of Bessemer Steel Works, incorporator of Mechanics' Bank and of Provident Savings Association, vice-president of St. Louis Gaslight Company, president of Central Silver Mining Company. Also an original trustee of Vandeventer Place.

Two letterpress letterbooks of Charles H. Peck, relating to his numerous business interests and personal affairs in the latter part of his life, 1887-1899. Includes extensive correspondence regarding the Central Silver Mining Company and its interests in Arizona. Cite as: Charles Henry Peck Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1195

# Peddicord, Kelion Franklin (1833-1905).

**Papers, 1862-1910.** 11 folders

Kelion Franklin Peddicord was born October 1, 1833, near Barnesville, Ohio. His family later moved to Virginia and then Tennessee. He enlisted in the Confederate army in the fall of 1861, serving as orderly sergeant in Company C, Morgan's Squadron of Kentucky cavalry. While sick in Huntsville, Alabama, in May 1862, he was captured and sent to Camp Chase, Ohio. He was exchanged in September 1862. He then joined Quirk's Scouts of Morgan's command. In May 1863 Quirk's Scouts reported to Colonel R.C. Morgan's 14th Kentucky Cavalry, and became Company B. In July 1863 he was captured again at Buffington, Ohio, and was confined in several northern prisons until the close of the war. Following the war he moved to Palmyra, Missouri. He died August 28, 1905.

Collection contains several detailed rosters of Quirk's Scouts compiled by Peddicord; Peddicord's reminiscences of his service with Quirk's Scouts, including an account of the "Christmas Raid" in Kentucky in 1862; ten letters of Peddicord to his family while imprisoned at Camp Chase, Ohio, the Western Penitentiary (Allegheny City, Pennsylvania), Point Lookout, Maryland, and Fort Delaware; Peddicord's notebook listing men of Morgan's Cavalry imprisoned at Columbus, Ohio; reminiscences of Peddicord's sister Mrs. India P. Logan, regarding her effort to get supplies to her brother in prison; letter of Columbus Peddicord, Johnson's Island Military Prison, to sister, August 28, 1864; three letters of R.M.J. Arnette, dated 1894 and 1901, to Peddicord, which include reminiscences of experiences with Morgan's Cavalry; scrapbook of postwar newspaper clippings regarding the war; three letters of George H. Blakeslee, Eddyville, Nebraska, 1902, to Peddicord, which include reminiscences of Blakeslee's service with the 129th Illinois Infantry in middle Tennessee (also includes photograph of Blakeslee); letter of J. Ogden Murray, Charlestown, West Virginia, 1902, to Peddicord, which includes reminiscences of experiences in prisons at Point Lookout, Maryland, and Fort Delaware; and postwar correspondence of Mrs. India P. Logan with the Missouri Historical

Society.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Kelion Franklin Peddicord Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2458

Peerless Hangers.

**Circular, circa 1902-1911.** 1 item

Circular for Peerless Hangers, for hanging suits and skirts, sold by Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., St. Louis.

Cite as: Peerless Hangers Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1833

Pence, William D.

**Papers, 1892-1902.** 2 folders

William D. Pence taught civil engineering at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana. He compiled data and notes on the collapse of stand pipes (water towers) in Maryville, Missouri (1893), Lexington, Missouri (1885), and St. Charles, Missouri (1889) for articles published in *Engineering News*, 1895.

Collection contains correspondence between Pence and various engineers associated with the design of stand pipes, officials of the U.S. Department of Agriculture weather bureau, handwritten and typed manuscripts describing the events, and photographs of stand pipes. Cite as: William D. Pence Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2511

**Penn Treaty Rolling Mills.** 

Price List, circa 1880. 1 item

Penn Treaty Rolling Mills price list of American galvanized sheet iron, [sold by?] Marshall Bros. & Co.

Cite as: Penn Treaty Rolling Mills Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2978

Penniman Family.

Papers, 1898, no date. 2 folders

H.C. Penniman resided in St. Louis, Missouri, during the 1849 cholera epidemic.

Papers contains reminiscences (6 pages) signed H.C. Penniman titled "Cholera in St. Louis Years 1849, 50, 51," which describe the cholera epidemic and the great fire of St. Louis in 1849. Papers also contain letter signed Geo. Wallace Penniman [George Wallace Penniman], Southbridge, Mass., to Harry C. Penniman, Dallas, Texas, July 12, 1898, regarding the descendants of Harry C. Penniman's grandfather Amasa Penniman; undated membership application to the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution filled out by Mrs. Clara M. Penniman (wife of Harry Penniman) of Dallas, Texas, in which she traces her ancestry to Revolutionary War soldier George Goodhue; undated membership application to the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution filled out by Mrs. Edith Marian Cleary (wife of William Thomas Cleary and daughter of Harry Penniman, Jr., and Edith M. Price Penniman) of Dallas, Texas; and four blank Daughters of the American Revolution forms. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Penniman Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis–Benton Park, Oral History Project Transcripts, 1997.

See Missouri Historical Society. People & Place in 20th Century St. Louis—Benton Park, Oral History Project Transcripts, 1997.

# People's Art Center (Saint Louis, Missouri)

See Curtis, Mabel B. Files regarding the People's Art Center

#### A2402

Pepper, F.M.

**Letter, 1891 Oct 1.** 1 item

Letter signed F.M. Pepper, St. Louis, to S.M. Crook and family. Mentions his lecture schedule as a student at the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons; a recent earthquake that shook St. Louis; fires that broke out in St. Louis; and the death of uncle Jim Dickson. Cite as: F.M. Pepper Letter, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1196

Perrin, J. Nick.

Papers, 1893-1938. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

J. Nick Perrin wrote articles and compiled histories of Illinois, Kaskaskia, etc.

Papers include newsclippings of histories written by Perrin and articles regarding Perrin. Cite as: J. Nick Perris Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3114

Perry County Club of St. Louis.

**Records, ca. 1947-ca. 1955.** 3 folders

The Perry County Club of St. Louis was a nonprofit society formed on August 21, 1931. It was a social organization comprised of Caucasian families who moved to St. Louis from rural Perry County, Missouri. It offered connections to businesses that employed other former Perry County residents. The club also served as an important nonreligious connection for families coming from a farming community and attempting to adjust to life in an urban setting.

The collection is comprised of approximately 190 membership cards, a transcript of the cards, and photocopies of a group photo of the Perry County Club of St. Louis dating from circa 1947 to circa 1955. The collection is arranged alphabetically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Perry County Club of St. Louis Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1197

Perry County, Missouri.

Collection, 1937; 1959. 1 folder

Letter of Ida Schaaf to Stella Drumm, October 31, 1937, authenticating wayside shrine in Perry County; 1959 letter, photocopies, to sister Lillian Owens regarding land at Apple Creek and containing information about The Barrens in Perry County, and Father Joseph Paquin, 1959. Cite as: Perry County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1809

**Pershing Memorial Museum Development Fund** 

# Collection, 1978. 1 folder

The Pershing Memorial Museum Development Fund was established to raise money for the construction of the John J. Pershing Museum, a museum dedicated to the life and career of General John Pershing. The museum was designed to be a component of the Pershing boyhood home historic site in Laclede, Missouri.

The collection consists of a *Progress Report* newsletter, an invitation to the dedication of the Pershing boyhood home, and card and medallion presented to development fund donors. Cite as: Pershing Memorial Museum Development Fund Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3002

# Peru, Illinois.

# Collection, 1935 Apr. 3 items

Collection contains two receipts of the Graham Paper Company, 1014-1030 Spruce Street, St. Louis, Mo., to the Peru Theatre, Peru, Illinois, April 22, 1935, and a typescript letter of Fayette R. Plumb, Inc., to A.H. Karn, c/o Peru Centennial Executive Board, Peru, Illinois, April 25, 1935, stating that Peter McLaren's schedule will preclude him from attending the Centennial Celebration.

Cite as: Peru, Illinois, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1198

Pet, Inc. (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Records, circa 1890s-1980. 8 boxes

Founded in the late nineteenth century at Helvetia Milk in Highland, Illinois, by the Latzer family; moved to St. Louis and reestablished as Pet, Inc., sold to The Pillsbury Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, in the 1995.

Records related to the history of Pet, Inc.; includes some Latzer family historical materials. Pet, Inc., records transferred to The Pillsbury Company when Pillsbury purchased Pet, Inc., in 1995. The records were then turned over to Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Latzer in 1995, with the understanding that they could be donated to appropriate repositories. Latzer family papers collected by Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Latzer.

Pet, Inc., trademarks and patents are and remain the property of The Pillsbury Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Finding aid available.

Associated Pet, Inc., and Latzer family materials at the Highland Archives (Illinois); the Latzer Homestead Museum (Illinois); the Louis Latzer Memorial Library (Illinois); the University of Illinois; and with the Louis A. Latzer family.

Cite as: Pet, Inc., Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1199

# Peters, John.

# Scrapbook, circa 1927-1934. 1 box

At one time was chief clerk of the register's office assisting St. Louis Mayor Dickmann and the mayor's secretary, 1933.

Loose scrapbook of clippings, mementoes, invitations, cards, etc. Also contained are photographs and newsclippings regarding the dedication of the Federal Building (St. Louis), 1933, and the political campaign of Mayor Dickmann.

Cite as: John Peters Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1200

# Peterson, Charles.

**Collection, 1936-1989.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Architectural historian and planner for the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial when it was first established.

Information regarding the destruction of St. Louis river front for memorial; history of park; information on Old Courthouse and Cathedral.

Cite as: Charles Peterson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1202

# Peterson, Cyrus A. (1848-).

Battle of Pilot Knob research collection, 1862-1914. 12 boxes; 4 oversize folders

Cyrus A. Peterson was born March 30, 1848, in Burke County, North Carolina, and moved to Cape Girardeau, Missouri, with his family in 1860. He graduated from the Missouri Medical College in 1878 and worked as a physician in St. Louis. In the early 1900s he began gathering data on the Battle of Pilot Knob, mostly in the form of correspondence and personal narratives of Union veterans, which resulted in the publication of a book he co-authored titled *Pilot Knob: The Thermopylae of the West*, published in 1914. Dr. Peterson also served as Missouri Historical Society president from 1905 to 1906. He died November 19, 1915, in St. Louis.

Collection consists primarily of correspondence to Peterson from Union veterans and their relations and descendants, containing recollections of the Battle of Pilot Knob and other operations during Sterling Price's expedition through Missouri in 1864. Most of the correspondents were veterans of the following units: 14th Iowa Infantry, 2nd Missouri Light Artillery, 2nd M.S.M. Cavalry, 3rd M.S.M. Cavalry, 47th Missouri Infantry, and 50th Missouri Infantry. The most frequent correspondent was Henry C. Wilkinson, a veteran of the 47th Missouri Infantry. Collection also contains general and special orders, muster rolls and other official papers of the 47th Missouri Infantry, mostly regarding Company H; official papers of several other regiments; papers of the Pilot Knob Memorial Association, and correspondence regarding veterans' reunions and efforts to establish Fort Davidson as a memorial. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Cyrus A. Peterson Battle of Pilot Knob Research Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1201

# Peterson, Cyrus A.

**Papers, 1883-1911.** 1 box; 1 oversize item

President of the Missouri Historical Society, 1905. Collected historic manuscripts.

Letters to Cyrus A. Peterson on such topics as archaeology, geology, Cahokia Mounds, and the Missouri Historical Society. Correspondence with J.G. Van Orman, Marshalltown, Iowa, and G.A. Smith regarding the sale of improved stock cars to railroad, 1886-1887. Papers relating to the Thiel Detective Service Company, circa 1888-1902, including several reports of Paul Fusz. Cite as: Cyrus A. Peterson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1203

Pettis County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1840-1898.** 3 folders (approximately 60 items)

Collection includes deeds, indentures and land transactions in Pettis County; items

concerning Haley and Sheets families.

Cite as: Pettis County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1204

Pettus, Charles Parsons (1876-1923).

Collection, 1911-1940. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Mr. Pettus was educated at Smith Academy and Washington University in St. Louis. He married Georgia Wright in 1902. He was the vice-president and director of American Trust Company of St. Louis.

Collection includes newsclippings regarding the Pettus family and also the death of Pettus, various essays and sketches regarding the life of Pettus.

Cite as: Charles Parsons Pettus Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3013

Pettus, W.H.H.

**Papers, 1882-1883.** 3 items

Papers contain complimentary admittance ticket of W.H.H. Pettus and family to the St. Louis Fair Grounds, 1882, and invitation and complimentary admittance ticket of W.H.H. Pettus and family to the Twenty-third St. Louis Agricultural & Mechanical Association fair, 1883. Cite as: W.H.H. Pettus Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1205

Pettus, William Grymes.

Pettus family papers, 1766-1946. 36 boxes; 4 oversize folders

William G. Pettus was one of the framers of the Missouri Constitution of 1820.

Family papers; land papers, especially concerning St. Charles, Missouri; papers regarding Missouri politics; including material relating to the framing of the Missouri Constitution of 1820, namely minutes of the convention, drafts of ordinances, amendments, reports, ballots, printed and photostatic copies of the finished Constitution.

Some French.

Cite as: William Grymes Pettus Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1206

**Peugnet Family.** 

**Papers, 1779-1949.** 16 boxes; 2 oversize folders

Correspondence and papers concerning the Peugnet family; awards of honor to Peugnet men from Napoleon Bonaparte; estate papers; materials regarding property in Minnesota and New York; materials regarding mineral rights; genealogy; scrapbook of French letters. Some French.

Cite as: Peugnet Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1207

Pfeiffenberger, Lucas (1834-1918).

**Papers, 1848-1949.** 4 boxes; 10 volumes

Alton, Illinois, architect. In partnership with Henry Armstrong (Armstrong and Pfeiffenberger), 1858-1870. Partner in firm of Pfeiffenberger and Hugo, from 1870 on. Thereafter partner in firm of L. Pfeiffenberger and Sons,

Six volumes of records of Armstrong and Pfeiffenberger, architects and contractors, 1858-

1870. Daybook of Pfeiffenberger and Hugo, architects and contractors, 1970-1872. Index to architectural drawings, circa 1902-1923, and letterbook, 1900-1907, of L. Pfeiffenberger and Sons, circa 1902-1923. Manuscript boxes contain specifications for houses, buildings, parks and various other works, mostly in Illinois, by firm. Two oversize boxes of rolled architectural drawings. Collection also contains two architectural publications thought to have belonged to Lucas Pfeiffenberger; and a childhood scrapbook of Pfeiffenberger's son Andrew, who died young of tuberculosis.

Cite as: Lucas Pfeiffenberger Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1208

Pfeiffer, Charles.

Papers, 1851-1918. 4 folders (approximately 150 items)

Papers include travel permits from Wilhelmine Toecck; clippings, letters with genealogical notes concerning Pfeiffer and Rotteck families; handwritten dissertation by Pfeiffer (in German), concerning street construction; engineering notes by Pfeiffer, 1854; correspondence of Pfeiffer; specifications for steel and iron to be used in New Monongahela Bridge at Pittsburgh, circa 1871; paper read before St. Louis Railway Club by Herman Pfeiffer, 1918 regarding Terminal Railroad Association; and issue of Railway Engineering and Maintenance date June 1941. German.

Cite as: Charles Pfeiffer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1209

Phelan, Sidney Towner (1896-1964).

Papers, 1899-1960. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Collection consists primarily of letters written by Mr. Phelan, and signed "Towner," to his mother, Mary Towner Phelan, while serving as an ambulance driver during World War I. There are a few letters written to or by other people as well as a large photo album. As might be expected the letters do not contain a great deal of the harsher details of his service but the photo album contains several graphic reminders of the horrors of combat during World War I. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Sidney Towner Phelan Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3135

Phelps, Adele Quinette (1887-1987).

World's Fair Chronicle, 1903-1904. 11 folders

Adele Quinette was born in St. Louis on 23 December 1887, the daughter of Stephen Francis (1849-1913) and Lydia Mindwell Quinette (1853-1921). In the early 1900s, the family lived at 4460 Morgan Street, approximately two miles from Forest Park, the site of the World's Fair. In 1904, Adele was sixteen years old and attended Hosmer Hall, a private school for girls.

The collection is comprised of one volume kept by St. Louis teenager, Adele Quinette, about the 1904 World's Fair; one photograph of Miss Quinette; and a CD-Rom containing PDF files of the volume. Miss Quinette numbered the volume's pages and the folders reflect this numerical order. The observations of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition took place between 1903 and 1904. The 132-page volume is unlike a diary or journal because there are no dated entries. In several instances, Miss Quinette added chapter numbers and titles or page headings to separate her topics. She possibly used the volume as a school project, writing in a report format and adding photographs, clippings, and souvenirs as illustrations for her narrative. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Adele Quinette Phelps World's Fair Chronicle, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# Phelps County, Missouri.

Collection, 1950-1960.

Transferred to Alphabetical Files—Mann, Clair V.

#### A1211

Phelps, Seth Ledyard.

Letterbook, 1861 Jan 2-1864 Sept 9. 2 boxes (approximately 350 items)

Seth Ledyard Phelps, a native of Ohio, enlisted in the U.S. Navy in October 1841, and eventually rose to the rank of lieutenant commander. He resigned October 29, 1864.

Letterbook consists of correspondence primarily to and from Seth Ledyard Phelps while commanding U.S. Navy gunboats on the western waters from 1861 to 1864. Correspondence contains accounts of naval operations mainly along the Mississippi, Tennessee, and Red Rivers, including the movement of gunboats to capture Forts Henry and Donelson, and operations during the Red River Campaign. The collection also contains extensive correspondence regarding repairs to the *U.S.S. Eastport* and its eventual destruction, and repairs to the *U.S.S. Choctaw* and *U.S.S. Lafayette*. Principal correspondents include Admiral David D. Porter, Captain Alexander M. Pennock, and Commodore Andrew Hull Foote, in addition to 3 letters of General William T. Sherman.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Seth Ledyard Phelps Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1212

Philibert Family.

Papers, 1852-1930. 4 folders (approximately 75 items)

Joseph Philibert came to St. Louis in 1801. He was an Indian trader.

Papers include genealogical information; record book of Joseph Philibert, 1852-1853; records prices for animal furs; various deeds for lands in St. Louis; family correspondence between members in St. Louis and other Missouri towns; letters with news of farm activities; Edmund Philibert's account of 28 visits to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1904; letters regarding fair visits; letter of Florence [McCollien], dated May 7, 1905, describing the exposition grounds after the closing of the fair.

Cite as: Philibert Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1213

Philip H. Lenz and Son Realty Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1908-1954.** 2 boxes; 6 volumes

Located in the Wainwright Building. Incorporated in 1914; dissolved in 1953; 1944 Elmer Lenz takes over.

Includes proceedings (1914-1953); incorporation papers (September 20, 1914); stock certificates (1914-1953); deeds, titles, and contracts (1923-1953); ledger (1932-1953); rents and receipts (1941-1953); assets and equities statement (1945-1952); check stubs (1941-1953); assets and equities statement (1945-1952); check stubs (1945-1954); journal (January 1, 1953-April 1954); unidentified photography; capital stock tax returns and anti-trust affidavits (1915-1953); franchise tax returns (1918-1954); income tax returns (1944-1953); ledgers (1908-1954); journals (1934-1945); cash bonds (1944-1953); and Elmer L. Lenz personal accounts (1946-

1950).

Cite as: Philip H. Lenz and Son Realty Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1214

# Phillips, Alroy S.

# **Papers, circa 1914-1950s.** 26 boxes

Alroy S. Phillips was chairman of the Workmen's Compensation Commission during the last two years of the administration of former Governor Baker and early months of Governor Caulfield's term. He was a state senator from 1911-1915, ran for the Republican nomination for Supreme Judge in 1922, 1924, and 1928, and was appointed prohibition administrator for Missouri and Arkansas in 1926. He resigned to become chairman of the Compensation Commission in January 1927. As first chairman of the Commission, Phillips organized its work. In 1943-1944, Phillips also served at the Missouri State Constitutional Convention.

A second body of papers concern the revision of the Missouri Constitution; several political maps, 1943 St. Louis Congressional districts, St. Louis State Representative Districts, 1954, St. Louis Magistrate districts, 1952 St. Louis Senatorial districts, St. Louis 1859 black population map, 1950 St. Louis census tracts and reports. Includes papers relating to his work in obtaining for the state of Missouri its Workmen's Compensation Act.

Cite as: Alroy S. Phillips Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1215

# Philpott Family.

Philpott-Bassett family papers, 1832; 1854; 1967. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes genealogy; correspondence of both families with photostats and originals-Jefferson City to A.M. Philpott Jefferson City to mother in Middle Grove, Missouri, and Woodson Bassett, in Virginia to family in Middle Grove; photograph of Alexander Martin Philpott; typescript manuscript by Charles H. Philpott titled "Alexander Martin Philpott: A Virginia-Born Missourian Who Died In the Gold Rush" (August 1967).

Cite as: Philpott-Bassett Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1217

# Picot Family.

Papers, 1844-1866. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Papers include checks of Louis G. Picot chiefly drawn on L.A. Benoist and Co.; bank account of Ann Biddle with Bank of the State of Missouri, 1846; memorandum of Broadway Hotel specifications, March 21, 1859.

Cite as: Picot Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1945

Piggott Family.

Papers, 1922-1947. 10 items

Collection includes correspondence of Carl W. Veale, Los Angeles, California, with the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1947, relating to his research on the Piggott and related families; Missouri Historical Society family history form filled out by Mrs. Cora Jones Heltzell of St. Louis, which records the descendants of Capt. James Piggott; correspondence of Miss Alice Wientge, St. Louis, with the Missouri Historical Society, dated 1922, relating to Capt. James Piggott; and copy of family register of the Piggott, Wood, Lake, Jones, and Heltzell

families, including information on births, marriages, and deaths.

Cite as: Piggott Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1218

Pike County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1896-1970.** 3 folders (30 items)

Collection consists of reminiscences of William Campbell Orr and Ms. Elizabeth Whitaker of Antioch Presbyterian Church, its members and preachers, other Pike County families and tales of life in Pike County. Also contains clippings of residents of Pike County.

Cite as: Pike County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1219

Pilcher, Joshua.

**Papers, 1791-1898.** 3 folders

Cite as: Joshua Pilcher Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2338

Pilgrim Congregational United Church of Christ (St. Louis, Mo.).

"Pilgrim's Social Concerns and Responsibilities Newsletter," 1980 Dec. 1 item

This four-page newsletter "deals principally with the activities of the Delmo Housing Corporation, celebrating its 40th anniversary this year. The articles are written by Dr. W. Wilder Towle, who is a member of the Social Action Committee, and by Dr. Ralph Pumphrey, a long time member of Pilgrim."

Cite as: Pilgrim Congregational United Church of Christ "Pilgrim's Social Concerns and Responsibilities Newsletter," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1220

Pillow, Gideon.

Papers, 1846-1853. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Gideon Pillow was a soldier in the Mexican War.

Papers consist of letters to and from Gideon to family members while engaged in the Mexican War.

Cite as: Gideon Pillow Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A0088

Pinckert, Carl W. (1898-1985)

# Forward 22 Club Scrapbook, 1941-1949. 1 volume

Carl W. Pinckert was born in Missouri on October 16, 1898. He was a veteran of World War I and won a Purple Heart for injuries he suffered during the Battle of Argonne Forest. In 1922, after graduating from Iowa State University, Pinckert started work as an engineer with the Bemis Brothers Bag Company and remained with the company until his retirement in 1963.

During World War II, Pinckert was part of a local group that volunteered to be air raid wardens under the supervision of the Office of Civilian Defense. The group was designated as Sector 2, Zone 9 in District 2, with boundaries of Brannon Avenue on the east, Tholozan Avenue on the south, Macklind Avenue on the west, and Oleatha and Marquette avenues on the north. The group had its first meeting on July 22, 1942. In December 1945, after the war ended, the group changed its name to the Forward 22 Club. The name came from combining the words "former" and "wardens" and the club had 22 members. The club focused on various civic

activities, such as neighborhood rat control and dangerous intersections. Pinckert became president of the club in February 1947. The club ended in 1949. Pinckert died on October 4, 1985 in St. Louis.

The scrapbook contains minutes, correspondence, photographs, training certificates, membership lists, arm bands, badges and other items that document the entire history of the group as air raid wardens and the Forward 22 Club. The scrapbook also includes front pages of the December 8, 1941 issues of the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*, the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, and the *St. Louis Star-Times*. The photographs include the officers of the club and the group's picnic in 1946 and 1947. The correspondence primarily documents efforts to control rats in the neighborhood and manage dangerous intersections.

Cite as: Carl W. Pinckert Forward 22 Club Scrapbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1221

## Pinckert, Nellie.

# Household account books, 1966-1984. 5 folders

Cite as: Nellie Pinckert Household Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1222

# Pinnell, Eathan A. (1834-1925).

# Civil War journals, 1862-1894. 3 volumes

Eathan A. Pinnell was born November 17, 1834, in Crawford County, Missouri. In July 1861 he enlisted in the Missouri State Guard and rose to the rank of sergeant. He joined the Confederate army in August 1862, serving as captain of Company D, 8th Missouri Infantry until the end of the war. After the war he resided in Cuba, Missouri, and St. Louis. Ultimately he was elected judge of Crawford County, Missouri. In 1870, he married Frances Ester Collins. In 1893, Pinnell moved to Bronson, Florida, with his family. He died August 15, 1925, in Jacksonville, Florida.

Collection contains Pinnell's diary (224 pages), which describes the affairs of the 8th Missouri Infantry in southern Missouri, Arkansas, and Louisiana from August 1862 to June 1865. Diary includes accounts of the Battle of Prairie Grove, Arkansas; actions during the Red River Campaign, including of the Battle of Pleasant Hill, Louisiana; operations against General Steele's expedition to Camden, including the Battle of Jenkins' Ferry, the surrender at Shreveport and the subsequent journey home to St. Louis; and information on camp life, marches, and diet. Diary also contains postwar entries. Collection also contains Pinnell's descriptive book of the 8th Missouri Infantry (71 pages). (Diary is published in Michael E. Banasik, Serving with Honor: The Diary of Captain Eathan Allen Pinnell of the Eighth Missouri Infantry (Confederate), Iowa City: Camp Pope Bookshop, 1999.)

Cite as: Eathan A. Pinnell Civil War Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2385

# Pioneer Klondyke Transportation Company (St. Louis, Mo.).

# Circular, circa 1898. 1 item

This 8-page circular promotes investment in the company. The cover page of the circular states, "A Klondyke! at home. A chance for those who cannot go to the Klondyke to safely invest small sums in the Land of Gold."

Cite as: Pioneer Klondyke Transportation Company Circular, Missouri History Museum

#### A1620

Pioneers, The (Saint Louis, Missouri). Records, 1879-1995. 4 boxes

The Pioneers, organized in 1879 "to promote literary taste and to cultivate general knowledge," was a study club of Jewish women. Its active membership was limited at different times to between 30 and 45 women at least 21 years of age who had been residents of St. Louis for at least a year. Active members must participate in the literary programs on a regular basis by preparing papers on specific topics. The programs revolve around an annual theme.

Club records including seven volumes of minute books dated 1879-1961; minutes, 1962-1995 (unbound); minutes include membership lists, programs, and financial records; Pioneers programs, 1960-1982; material regarding the 100th birthday party of the organization; papers delivered by Pioneers; and pamphlets, fliers and programs for 1985-1986; program books, 1989-1995.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: The Pioneers Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1224

**Plant, Benjamin, 1794-1876.** 

**Journal, 1818.** 1 volume (130 pages)

Resident of New York, apparently unrelated to the Plant family of St. Louis.

Travel journal of young New Yorker through Missouri, 1818.

Cite as: Benjamin Plant Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1223

Plant Family.

**George P. Plant Milling Company and Plant family papers, 1797-1927.** 3 boxes; 10 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Frederick William Plant (1817-1860) and brother William Marshall Plant (1823-1868), sons of Samuel Plant (1777-1847) and Delicia Mary Poignand, brothers of George Poignand Plant (1814-1875), Samuel Plant (1819-1866), and Alfred Plant (1821-1907), all of whom came to St. Louis from Massachusetts in the 1840s. George Poignand Plant founded Geo. P. Plant and Co., proprietors of Franklin Mills and Plant's Flouring Mills, in 1851; company purchased by George P. Plant Milling Co. in 1883, and sold to Oklahoma and Texas milling interests in 1926. Frederick William and William Marshall Plant established a tool and seed business in 1845, succeeded by the Plant Seed Company, Alfred Plant, president.

Personal and business correspondence, ledgers, deeds, business papers, and other data, concerning George P. Plant Milling Company, St. Louis, its predecessors, Franklin Flour Mills and Plant & Bros., and the Plant family of St. Louis and Massachusetts. Includes papers of George Poignand Plant, his brother and partner Samuel Plant, George's son George Janvier Plant (died 1897), one of Samuel's sons George Hague Plant (born 1847), and Samuel, son of George Hague Plant. Specific material includes letterbooks and personal account ledgers of Samuel Plant, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1797, 1800-1848; cashbook of Lancaster Cotton Manufacturing Co., Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1830-1837; farmer's memoranda book, 1834; George H. Plant engineering notebook, 1838; family correspondence between branches of the family in St. Louis and in Pennsylvania and New York; records pertaining to family business activities in addition to the Milling Company; specifications for First Trinitarian Congregational Church, St. Louis,

1854-1855; Samuel Plant memoranda book, 1864; diaries of Alby Easton Plant, 1881, 1888, 1894, 1896, 1897. Additional records include cashbook (1851-1863), with memoranda regarding milling equipment (1851-1883); and two minute books (1883-1911 and 1912-1927) of Geo. P. Plant and Co. and successors milling interests. Letterbook no. 4 of Frederick W. Plant, St. Louis seed merchant, 1852-1855. Address book of Plant Seed Co., 1874. Letterbook of Samuel Plant, 1818-1837, before the move to St. Louis. Additional business papers in the collection include bills, receipts, bank statements; city and state manufacturers licenses; tax receipts; copies of the articles of incorporation of George P. Plant Milling Co. and various agreements; letterheads of local and out-of-state firms; stock certificates in the company; inventories, and specifications of equipment; business correspondence.

Cite as: George P. Plant Milling Company and Plant Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2397

Planters Hotel, The (St. Louis, Missouri).

Advertising card, circa 1896-1905. 1 item

The advertising card includes an illustration of The Planters Hotel.

Cite as: The Planters Hotel Advertising Card, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1225

**Poems Collection, 1850-1983.** 3 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder Collection includes poems about Missouri, Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis, etc.; collection of poems by Eugene Field, proofs from *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*. Cite as: Poems Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1226

Poepping, C., Mrs.

Collection, 1778-1800. 1 box; 2 oversize folders

The collection contains papers of court cases tried in St. Louis in the colonial era. These cases relate primarily to land claims and disputes, debts, and disputes regarding business transactions and financial accounts. The collection includes documents in French and Spanish. Most of the documents have been translated.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Mrs. C. Poepping Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1227

Pohlman, George.

Collection, 1910-1950s. 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

George Pohlman was from Macon, Missouri. He did genealogical research on different families.

Genealogical information on different Missouri families compiled by George Pohlman. Cite as: George Pohlman Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1228

Police collection, 1861-1974. 3 folders (approximately 50 items); 2 oversize folders

Papers include payroll of metropolitan Police Department of St. Louis, September-December 1861; appointment of Col. Matthew Kiely, Chief of St. Louis Police Force, 1905; various articles and newsclippings regarding John M. Shea, Chief of the St. Louis Police Department Bertillon

Bureau, 1903-1926; circular regarding reward in connection with the robbery of the home of Adolphus Busch, 1915; collection of letters to Thomas Doherty from police officials in St. Louis, Kansas City, and Chicago regarding his lectures on polygraph machine, 1938-1941; newsclippings regarding polygraph machine, 1939-1941; various police related brochures. Cite as: Police Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1229

**Political collection, 1814-2016.** 4 boxes; 1 oversize box; 1 oversize folder (in AMD)

This collection contains manuscript and printed materials pertaining to political subjects, especially elections, mostly in St. Louis, St. Louis County, and Missouri. This material was acquired from a variety of separate sources, and is housed together by virtue of its subject matter. Materials include circulars, notices, certificates, maps showing ward boundaries, propaganda sheets and handbills; election returns; poll books (including one from Warren County, Missouri); materials relating to national political conventions held in St. Louis in 1896 (Republican), and in 1904 and 1916 (Democrat); and a variety of party tickets for various local and national elections. The collection also contains two volumes of abstracts of votes cast in the city of St. Louis in the state Republican primary election, August 4, 1914. Pledge card regarding peaceful settlement in Vietnam, 1966. Program, bingo card and poster from the 2016 Presidential Debate held at Washington University.

Indexed in the archives card catalog.

Cite as: Political Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1230

Polk County, Missouri.

**Collection, 1858-1973.** 1 folder (11 items)

Survey of swamp lands and overflowed lands in Polk County, August 30, 1858; document signed Grant to [M] Rankin of Polk County of 40 acres in township 34, November 27, 1868; receipt for poll tax received, L.P. Hueye, 1901; news account, 1973, of presentation of plaque by Townsend family to Polk County. Collection also includes seven deeds, dated 1878-1895. Cite as: Polk County, Missouri, Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2466

# Polk County Agricultural and Mechanical Society Third Annual Fair (Bolivar, Missouri). Broadside, 1860 Oct 2. 1 item

Broadside contains a list of premiums to be awarded at the fair.

Cite as: Polk County Agricultural and Mechanical Society Third Annual Fair Broadside, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1231

Pollock, M.E.F.

**Collection, 1861-1904.** 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

M.E.F. Pollock served as volunteer aid to Confederate General Slack at the Battle of Pea Ridge. In late 1864 he recruited three companies of men, mostly from Reynolds County, Missouri, for the Confederate service. Following the war Pollock returned to St. Louis where he worked as a lawyer.

Collection contains official military correspondence and orders mostly regarding Pollock's recruiting efforts for the Confederate army in Arkansas and along the Missouri border. Also includes commission of Richard T. Morrison as aide-de-camp with the rank of lieutenant colonel

in the Missouri State Guard, dated May 18, 1861; rosters of Pollock's squadrons of recruits; typescript statement of Pollock, dated January 18, 1904, regarding the history of saddle bags and a coat he donated to the Missouri Historical Society; and a record book containing the list of Camp Jackson prisoners exchanged for federal prisoners captured by General Price at Lexington, Missouri, made at the office of Barret and Pollock—J.R. Barret being one of the commissioners of exchange, dated after 1875.

Cite as: M.E.F. Pollock Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1232

Pollock, Oliver.

**Papers, 1781-1782.** 1 folder (3 items)

Papers include letters of Oliver Pollock to Louisiana governor Don Bernardo de Galvez regarding supplies ordered for campaign of George Rogers Clark against British. Letters ordering establishment of credit and payment of claims incurred by Pollock. Letter of John Hanson to Stephen Miro, governor of Louisiana, regarding Pollock and determination to do justice to him.

Cite as: Oliver Pollock Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1233

Pommer, William Henry.

Papers, 1819-1935. 15 boxes

Musician, composer, and professor of music at the University of Missouri–Columbia. Correspondence; and manuscript music collection.

Music catalogue by Janice Wenger, appendix to William Henry Pommer: His Life and Works, D.M.A. thesis, University of Missouri, Kansas City, 1987.

Cite as: William Henry Pommer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1234

Pondrom, Joseph N.

Collection, 1785-1842. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

Collector.

Collection contains various land grants, indentures for Indiana, Tennessee, Missouri; military appointments; marriage license, 1814.

Cite as: Joseph N. Pondrom Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1235

Pontchartrain.

**Papers**, [1704]. 1 folder (7 items)

Minister to Louis XIV.

Contemporary copies of unidentified manuscript, [1704].

French

Cite as: Pontchartrain Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3079

Ponzi, Jean.

Earth Day Papers, 1988-1996 (bulk 1989-1990). 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Jean Ponzi is a long-time advocate for environmental sustainability in St. Louis. Ponzi was hired by Earth Day 1990 to serve as festival coordinator. In this position, she was responsible

for contacting, contracting, and communicating with festival exhibitors, entertainers, food vendors, and grounds personnel. After 1990, Ponzi continued to be involved in the Earth Day Festival. She served as Mistress of Ceremony in 1991, coordinated the All-Species Parade in 1995 and 1996, and was the chair of the Earth Day St. Louis Advisory Council.

The papers consist of documents relating to the planning of Earth Day 1990 St. Louis and a program for the 1996 Earth Day celebration. The papers are divided into two series: **Earth Day 1990 St. Louis** and **Earth Day Community Festival 1996**, which consists of one file. The files in the **Earth Day 1990 St. Louis** series are arranged alphabetically by topic and date from 1988 to 1996. The bulk of the papers date 1990; there are no documents from 1991 to 1995. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Jean Ponzi Earth Day Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1236

Pope, Pierce Smith.

**Papers, 1793-1797.** 1 folder (11 items)

Pierce was to take over the military post along the Mississippi River in the name of the United States.

Papers regarding the evacuation of posts along the Mississippi according to the treaty between Spain and the United States.

Cite as: Pierce Smith Pope Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2185

Poppenhusen, Wm.

**Receipt, 1896.** 1 folder [formerly Alphabetical File]

Receipt from Wm. Poppenhusen, successor to Henry Poppenhusen, dealer in hardware, stoves and tinware, Washington, Missouri, 1896.

Cite as: Wm. Poppenhusen Receipt, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1237

Porter, Clyde H.

Papers, 1949-1957. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Letters of Clyde H. Porter regarding the Santa Fe Trail; and biographical data on Porter, James Kipp, and Charles Robertson communicated to Charles van Ravenswaay and others. Cite as: Clyde H. Porter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1238

Porter, David D. (1813-1891).

**Papers, 1862-1864.** 2 boxes

David D. Porter was born June 8 1813, in Chester, Pennsylvania. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1829. During the Civil War he commanded the Mississippi Squadron, and after the fall of Vicksburg in July 1863, was promoted to rear admiral. Following the unsuccessful Red River Campaign of 1864, he was sent to command the North Atlantic Blockading Squadron. After the war he served for several years as superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and in 1869 he moved to Washington, D.C., where he served as assistant to the Secretary of the Navy. He died February 13, 1891, in Washington.

The collection, most of which was donated by a manuscript collector, consists primarily of correspondence to Admiral Porter from several high-ranking Union officers—including generals Nathaniel P. Banks, Ulysses S. Grant, John A. McClernand, and William T. Sherman—regarding

operations in the lower Mississippi River Valley. Collection contains accounts of the Yazoo River Expedition, the Arkansas Post Expedition, the Vicksburg Campaign, the siege of Jackson, Mississippi, and the Red River Campaign. Also contains information on gunboats and the operations of the Mississippi Squadron.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: David D. Porter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1239

# Porter, Eliot F., Jr.

Campaign to Save Sam Wah Laundry collection, 1978-1986. 1 box (9 folders).

The Sam Wah Laundry, located at 4381 Laclede in St. Louis, was the last hand wash Chinese laundry in St. Louis. It had been purchased or inherited by two brothers, Gee Wong and Gee Hong, from their uncle Sam Wah, and had served as the Gee brothers' residence and place of business for 56 years, when, in 1978, the Washington University Medical Center Redevelopment Corporation and The Station Partnership (also known as Team 4) attempted to evict the Gee Brothers. Popular opposition of friends and customers of the Gee brothers led to their fight to remain in business at their original location. A combination of publicity, legal action, and fundraising efforts that financed the rehabilitation of the Sam Wah Laundry, bringing it up to city codes, enabled the business to remain in operation so long as either of the two brothers lived. Gee Wong, the elder of the brothers who was often erroneously known as Sam Wah, died in 1985[?] and Gee Hong died in 1986.

This collection consists of papers of *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* reporter Eliot F. Porter, Jr., who, among others, led the fight to save the Sam Wah Laundry. Included are correspondence of the principals involved; editorials and notes of Eliot Porter; newsclippings; and documentation related to the efforts of the Friends of Sam Wah to raise funds for the rehabilitation of the Sam Wah Laundry. Also of note in the collection is the initial sign from the door of Sam Wah Laundry announcing their closing, and the original condemnation notice that was posted. "Save Sam Wah" campaign buttons transferred to the Division of Museum Collections. Cite as: Eliot F. Porter, Jr., Campaign to Save Sam Wah Laundry Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Porter, Fitz-John

See Fitz-John Porter court martial collection

### A1240

Porter, Valentine Mott.

**Papers**, [1898-1915]. 1 folder (approximately 15 items)

Missouri Historical Society Board Member.

Papers contain some correspondence of Porter in California; genealogical information regarding family; article with photographs, L'Affaire Fery, a fishing village in Canada. Cite as: Valentine Mott Porter Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1241

Post, Eliza G. Randolph (1789-1876).

Collection, 1805-c.1962. (bulk dates 1815-1876) 3 boxes

Married to Justus Post, came to St. Louis from New York in 1815, then to a farm in St. Louis County, fourteen miles upriver from St. Charles at Bonhomme, Missouri, in 1816. In 1830, moved to Illinois, living first in America, then Caledonia, then on a farm outside of Caledonia in

Pulaski County on the Ohio River. Upon the death of her husband in 1846, she began to live with relatives and friends, including her son Augustus Post, in Alton, Illinois, and her nephew, Erastus Post, in St. Louis County near Bridgeton.

Twenty-two diaries detailing daily activities of Eliza Post and her family in St. Louis, St. Louis County, Illinois, and on trips to the northeast to visit her family. Diaries include a record of her marketing expenditures, 1812-1832; condensed autobiographical information dating from 1815-1876; and a list of books read between 1851 and 1868. Also includes photocopies of family letters, transcriptions/indexes of select diaries, and information on Eliza's descendants. Formerly the Eliza G. Randolph Post Memorandum Books. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Eliza G. Randolph Post Collection, Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis.

#### A1242

Post, Justus (1780-1846).

Collection, 1807-1947 (bulk 1807-1821). 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Justus Post was born in 1780, the youngest of eight children born to John and Lois Post of Vermont. On 6 August 1808, Justus married Eliza G. Randolph. They had three children: Dr. Julius Augustus John (1809-1856), Marcus Aurelius (1811-1832, Black Hawk War veteran), and Alexander (1825-1838). Justus Post served in the U.S. Army and retired with the rank of colonel after the War of 1812. In 1815, he moved his young family to St. Louis and began purchasing land in Bonhomme Township, St. Louis County.

The collection contains biographical information, estate records, a bank register and other financial documents. A series of letters to his brother, John Post, comprise the bulk of the collection. They describe his arrival in St. Louis, the people, the land, and his plans for the farm land purchased in St. Louis County. Includes some typed transcriptions of the letters. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Justus Post Collection, Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis.

#### A1243

**Postal Service collection, 1821-1958.** 4 folders (approximately 150 items); 1 oversize folder Papers include circulars, maps, promotional and historical material, time tables, etc. pertaining to air mail service in St. Louis and the United States; general postal service related items; letter dated Washington, Kentucky, 1821, describing postal duties; notice of establishment of post office in Bellefontaine, 1826.

Cite as: Postal Service Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3004

Postel, Urban Stuart (1895-).

Masonic Enrollment Certificate, 1918 June 1. 1 item

Certificate of the Mississippi Valley Consistory, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Free-Masonry, East St. Louis, Illinois, enrolling Urban Stuart Postel in the Grand Army of Princes of the Royal Secret, Thirty-second Degree.

Cite as: Urban Stuart Postel Masonic Enrollment Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1244

**Postlethwaite, Samuel (1772-1825). Journal, 1800-1801.** 1 folder

Born in Carlisle, Pennsylvania; merchant; settled in Natchez; married Ann Dunbar in 1805. Journal of Postlethwaite's journey down the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers from Louisville to Natchez via flatboat, with maps, charts, and surveys of distances, plus typescript transcription. Cite as: Samuel Postlethwaite Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1621

Potters Wheel collection, 1904-1907. 4 boxes; 18 volumes; 1 oversize folder

The Potters were a group of St. Louis women artists and writers who issued a monthly magazine called *The Potter's Wheel* from 1904-1907. Only one copy of the magazine was handlettered and hand-illustrated by the Potters. *The Potter's Wheel* contained a variety of artistic output, including poetry and prose, photographs, calligraphy artwork, needlework and the like. The Potters were all young women in their late teens and early twenties and members included poet Sara Teasdale, artists Caroline Risque and Petronelle Sombart, photographers Grace and Williamina Parrish, and writers Vine Colby, Inez Dutro, Celia Harris, Edna Wahlert and Guida Richey. Their mentor, Lillie Rose Ernst, was a botany teacher at Central High School and later an administrator with the St. Louis Public School System. She alternately encouraged and challenged them. The Potters went their various way after 1907, some of them to marry, others for further study or to actively pursue careers in distant places.

The collection contains fifteen issues of *The Potter's Wheel*. The issues contain poems, short stories, watercolor prints, photographs--mostly portraits, various hand-painted designs, plays, fabric covered designs, and photographs of sculptures. Also in the collection; four criticism notebooks that accompanied each issue in which the girls critiqued each others work; Christmas party book, consisting of paintings and photographs of the girls, completed for Lillie Rose Ernst; tiny notebook describing each of the Potter's personality characteristics, dedicated to L.R. Ernst; five booklets in published form with poems (one with photo portraits of the girls) from *The Potter's Wheel*, 1910; play title *The Soul's Inheritance* by George Cabot Lodge; play titled *Whitsuntide*, *Ye Comets Tail* by Will [Williamina] Parrish and Vine Colby, 1908; and play titled *The Pursuit of the Ideal*, 1908.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: The Potter's Wheel Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1245

Pratt, John Vernon (1926- ).

Papers, 1922-1958 (bulk 1944-1946). 2 boxes

John Vernon Pratt served from February 1944 to March 1946 in the United States Navy as seaman, first class. He was stationed primarily at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, where he was attached to the submarine force flag ship, the *U.S.S. Litchfield*. After the war he worked with and retired from the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

Collection includes World War II correspondence of John Vernon Pratt to his parents, Clarence E. and Bessie Pratt, from 1944-1946. Letters discuss family news, St. Louis events, details of naval training, life at Pearl Harbor, and general wartime news. Related correspondence of family and friends to Bessie Pratt from 1943-1945 includes war-related information and family news. Also includes the following publications: "1955 Directory of Landing Facilities in Missouri"; "Army Laughs: A Pocketful of Fun"; several St. Louis theater programs, mostly of the St. Louis Municipal Opera; "Stuart's Parliamentary Points of Order," 1922; Official Schedule of the 1952 Tournament Woman's International Bowling Congress, Inc.; St. Louis Classic League Official Schedule, 1950-1951; 1948 roster of the St. Louis Browns. Also includes reproductions of bowling photographs of Pratt.

Cite as: John Vernon Pratt Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1247

# Pratte, Bernard S.

# **Account book, 1849-1850 and 1865-1866.** 1 volume (300 pages)

Ledger of mill accounts and sales of flour and meal of Bernard S. Pratte, Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, 1849-1950, at front of volume. Daybook of Pratte and Son, general store at St. Mary, Missouri, 1865-1866, at rear of volume.

Cite as: Bernard S. Pratte Account Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1246

# **Pratte Family.**

# Pratte-Nidelet family collection, 1771-1959. 1 box; 2 oversize folder

This collection consists mainly of the correspondence of the Pratte and Nidelet families. It includes the genealogy of the Pratte, Nidelet, and allied families, including the family of Ramsey Crooks; a 1787 census of Sainte Genevieve, Missouri (contemporary copy); letters of Etienne (Stephen) Nidelet to his mother, 1802-1833; letters of Emilie Labadie Pratte to daughter Celeste Pratte Nidelet, 1830-1844; and a few items relating to Dr. James C. Nidelet, Confederate army surgeon.

Some French.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Pratte-Nidelet Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Pratte, J.

See J. Pratte and Sons

#### A1248

# **Preetorius Family.**

# Scrapbooks, circa 1890-1920. 1 folder; 2 volumes

Scrapbook of St. Louisan William C. Preetorius, including invitations, letters, and clippings, regarding national and St. Louis politics and personalities, with mention of President William McKinley, General John A. Logan, James G. Blaine, Jay Gould, Theodore Roosevelt, and Eugene Field, and also including material on German-American attitudes to World War I, circa 1890-1920. Scrapbook of Anna Muenchen Preetorius (Mrs. William C.) concerning her involvement in St. Louis women's home front activities during World War I. Volume includes minute book of the Auxiliary of Company G, 5th Missouri Infantry; material on the Red Cross, Salvation Army, Relatives' Auxiliary of the Saint Louis National Guard, et al, 1917-1920. Some German in William C. Preetorius scrapbook.

Cite as: Preetorius Family Scrapbooks, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1249

# Preisler, Ernst.

# **Architectural Collection, circa 1906-1911.** 3 boxes

An architect working from 211 Hagan Building (10th and Pine), St. Louis. The collection includes specifications and plans for residences in St. Louis. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ernst Preisler Architectural Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1250

# **Presidents Collection, 1802-1969.** 2 boxes; 2 oversize folders, 2 volumes

Collection was assembled, in part, as an autograph collection that contains examples of the signature of each American president. Most items are land grants, letters of appointment, and thank-you notes, assembled together by virtue of their autographs rather than their content. In addition, there are items relating to various presidents such as inaugural invitations, memorials, and newsclippings. Specific items of interest include: several Martin van Buren personal letters, 1808-1843; a few Zachary Taylor letters relating to the War of 1812, 1814-1816; an autograph letter of James K. Polk discussing his decision not to seek renomination for the presidency and his desire to retire from politics, 1848; Millard Fillmore's correspondence with John F. Darby concerning an anonymous letter he received; a John Tyler letter relating to Stephen A. Douglas, 1858; the original manuscript of a speech delivered by ex-president Grover Cleveland for the semi-centennial of the Young German Men's Association, Buffalo, New York, March 11, 1901; Woodrow Wilson correspondence with Isaac H. Lionberger, 1904-1924; and a leather-bound, hand-tooled volume from the Bixby Collection titled "Original Letters and Documents of the Presidents of the United States of America," containing examples of presidential manuscripts from George Washington to William Howard Taft. Every American president is referenced in the collection through Richard Nixon. The collection excludes Confederate President Jefferson Davis. In oversize is newsclippings about President John F. Kennedy and a tissue printed program for President Woodrow Wilson's visit to Manchester, England. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Presidents Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1251

Price Family.

Papers, 1840-1961. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Genealogy of Price and Willis families; numerous receipts, accounts of Dr. Ed Price in [New] Brunswick, circa 1840; short essay by Judge Thomas Shackelford titled "A Chapter of the Unwritten History of Missouri: General Sterling Price," dated Glasgow, Missouri, December 11, 1905, which recounts his interactions with Price in the Missouri state convention of 1861; letter of Bryan Snyder, Jr., regarding Sterling Price history, May 15, 1961.

Cite as: Price Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1253

Pride, George Greenwood (1826- ).

Papers, 1850-1902. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

George Greenwood Pride was born June 4, 1826, in New York. He moved to St. Louis in the 1850s and was involved in railroad construction. In 1862, he served as a volunteer aide-de-camp to General Ulysses S. Grant and in November of that year was appointed Chief Engineer of Military Railroads. In 1881, he moved to Huntington, Indiana, where he died December 11, 1906.

Collection contains mostly business correspondence, receipts, bills regarding the selling of cotton and like materials to southern cities during the Civil War; also personal and business papers regarding the taking of Vicksburg.

Cite as: George Greenwood Pride Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1254

**Primm Family.** 

# Papers, 1827-1896. 2 folders (approximately 75 items)

Papers include newsclippings, letters, etc. Body of letters consist of papers removed from a scrapbook regarding Judge Wilson Primm's speeches before the Missouri Historical Society and other similar institutions regarding early St. Louis history; genealogy of Primm family. Cite as: Primm Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3094

Prince, Vida "Sister" (1933-).

# Mississippi River Oral History Project Notes, 1964-1998. 4 folders

Prince began her career with oral history in 1979 when she answered an advertisement for volunteers at the Holocaust Museum & Learning Center. She interviewed over 100 people in St. Louis touched by the holocaust. In 1986, Sister Prince began working with the Missouri Historical Society in several capacities. She taught programs in how to conduct oral history interviews, did research for exhibits, and conducted oral history projects relating to several museum exhibitions. Prince also pursued independent projects.

The collection is comprised of notes and research compiled by Sister Prince for an independent project on the Mississippi River dating from 1964 to 1998. The folders are arranged alphabetically by type of document.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Vida "Sister" Prince Mississippi River Oral History Project Notes, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3071

Prince, Vida "Sister" (1933-)

Oral History Collection, 1942-2014. 6 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Prince began her career with oral history in 1979 when she answered an advertisement for volunteers at the Holocaust Museum & Learning Center. She interviewed over 100 people in St. Louis touched by the holocaust. In 1986, Sister Prince began working with the Missouri History Museum in several capacities: teaching programs in how to conduct oral history interviews, doing research for exhibits, and conducting oral history projects relating to several museum exhibitions. In 1993, Prince embarked upon an independent oral history project in which she explored how race affected people of color in their daily lives in St. Louis. After consultations with staff at the Missouri Historical Society, she interviewed 40 people. She called the project "Race and Memory in St. Louis."

The collection ranges in date from 1942 to 2014 and is arranged alphabetically into three series: **Race and Memory Oral History Project** series, which is subdivided into the **Interviews** and **Management** subseries; **Book** series; and **General Subject Files** series. Interview transcriptions and supporting documentation for the "Race and Memory" oral history project comprise the bulk of the collection, 1993-1996. There are also files about the management of the project; files about Prince's book, *That's the Way It Was* (The History Press, 2013), which resulted from the oral history project; and general subject files relating to Prince, black history, and prominent civil rights figures in St. Louis. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Vida Sister Prince Oral History Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2290

**Prior Family.** 

# Papers, 1944-1945. 3 boxes

William King Prior was born December 2, 1905, in Marshall, Missouri, the second son of Jerome and Agnes Prior. He attended Sion Academy in Marshall from 1913 to 1920, Marshall High School from 1920 to 1924, Missouri Valley College in Marshall from 1924 to 1926, and the University of Missouri in Columbia from 1926 to 1928. He enlisted in the Enlisted Reserve Corps at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, on October 2, 1942, and began Signal Corps School in Kansas City, Missouri, on November 23, 1942. He married Helen Vogel (born November 22, 1911), the daughter of Felix and Theresa Vogel (nee Lock) on December 25, 1942. On February 4, 1943, he was sent to Camp Reynolds in Greenville, Pennsylvania. On August 23, 1943, he was sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where he stayed until September 1, 1943, when he was transferred to Camp Kohler in Sacramento, California. On March 4, 1944, he was relocated again to Fort Slocum in New Rochelle, New York. On March 13, Prior and his company began their journey to Europe aboard the Acquatina, the sister ship of the Luisitania. On March 22, the ship made port in Grennock, Scotland, in the Firth of Clyde. The company then took a train to England. On April 11, Prior and his company were sent to Qulten Park in Cheshire, England, where he was a cadre in HQ Co. of the 86<sup>th</sup> Replacement Battalion. On May 9, 1944, Prior's battalion was moved to Yoevil, England. On June 7, 1944, the day after the D-Day Invasion, his battalion boarded the Arthur Sewall set for Normandy Beach in France. On July 1, the battalion was moved to Cartigny-l'Epinay, and on July 12 to St. Clair sur l'Elle. After his time in France, he was sent to Holland where he spent his nights at the home of a Dutch family. On December 25, 1944, he was sent to Germany. He was sent back to France on July 12, 1945. After the war, he served as assistant superintendent for the Marshall State School and Hospital Complex. William King Prior died in September 1984.

The collection consists mainly of correspondence between William King Prior and his wife, Helen, while he was serving in World War II and she was home in Jefferson City, Missouri. Also includes a history of the Prior family, several photographs, and programs. The collection also includes a packet of translated emails between Nikolaus Messmer and Prince Maximilian of Germany. Apparently, Prior had taken some family heirloom postcards from a castle in Germany that his company lived in during the war. Prior's niece, Helen Backer, wanted to return the postcards to the Prince and his family. She enlisted the help of a neighbor who spoke German and eventually sent the cards to the prince along with several of Prior's original letters describing the castle and several German towns for the castle's archives. The collection includes photocopies of these items that were sent to the prince.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Prior Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1255

Pritchett, Carr Waller.

Memorabilia of Carr Waller Pritchett, 1904: condensed somewhat by Betty Huston Pritchett, with remembrances of her grandfather / Chattanooga, Tennessee, 1952. 1 volume (30 pages)

Born in Virginia in 1923, migrated with family to Missouri in 1935. Lived in Glasgow and Fayette, Missouri, founder of Pritchett School in Fayette, Missouri, attended Harvard University, teacher, mathematician, and astronomer.

Mimeographed typescript biography of life of Carr Walter Pritchett as educator in Fayette and Glasgow, Missouri. Includes material on guerrilla warfare in Missouri during the Civil War. Cite as: "Memorabilia of Carr Waller Pritchett, 1904, condensed somewhat by Betty Huston Pritchett, with Remembrances of her Grandfather, manuscript, Chattanooga, Tennessee, 1952,

Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1256

**Proetz Family.** 

**Papers**, **1872-1885**; **1966-1971**. 2 folders

Collection contains an autograph album of Laura K. Proetz, 1872-1885; and an obituary, 1966, and biographical essays by Charles Nagel, 1971, about Laura's son Victor H. Proetz, St. Louis architect and Smithsonian Institution curator.

Cite as: Proetz Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2444

Professional Nurse Day.

Proclamation, 1979 May 12. 1 item

Proclamation of May 12, 1979, as Professional Nurse Day, signed Gene McNary, supervisor, St. Louis County, Missouri.

Cite as: Professional Nurse Day Proclamation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2153

Progressive Series Piano Studios (St. Louis).

Program, 1924. 1 folder

Piano recital program for students of instructor Mary E. Lyng, South Grand Avenue, St. Louis, February 29, 1924.

Cite as: Progressive Series Piano Studios (St. Louis) Program, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3127

Propper Thread Company (Saint Louis, Mo.).

**Records, 1958-1965.** 17 folders; 2 oversize folders

The Propper Thread Company was a manufacturer of prewound paper shell bobbins. It was located on the third floor of 920 Washington Avenue in the heart of St. Louis's textile district. By 1965, Propper Thread became a division of Threads-Incorporated, and by 1975 the company became Threads-Incorporated and no longer used the Propper name.

The records relate to Propper Thread Company's work to design a new bobbin winding machine and contain plans, lists, and notes relating to parts used in the machine; correspondence; computations; and patent records research from 1958 to 1965. The files are arranged alphabetically by topic/type of document.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Propper Thread Company Records, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1257

**Prouhet Family.** 

**Papers, 1832-1900.** 1 folder; 1 oversize folder (42 items)

The collection consists primarily of deeds for land in St. Louis County, receipts of St. Louis businesses, and receipts for St. Louis County real estate and personal property taxes. Some French.

Cite as: Prouhet Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1258

# **Provenchere Family.**

# **Papers, 1809-1824.** 1 box

Family correspondence (photocopies).

French, with typescript translations.

Donor obtained photocopies from Mrs. John Tylick (Martha Straut).

May not be reproduced, the Missouri Historical Society does not own originals.

Cite as: Provenchere Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1259

# Prunty Seed and Grain Company (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1875-1931.** 58 volumes

Firm of Charles E. Prunty, wholesale grain dealers.

Six letterbooks (1874-1898, interrupted run), seven cashbooks (1878-1879, 1915-1818, and 1929-1930), ten journals (1878-1901, interrupted run), accounts payable ledger (1898-1925), U.S. Express Co. shipping record (1876-1877), insurance accounts with Western Bascome's Insurance Agency (1877-1880), two checkbooks (1928-1931), and 28 collection books (1875-1892). Also includes 1903 Polk's Flourmill, Grain and Bakers Directory of the U.S.; catalog #11 of the Hill Clutch Company, no date, Cleveland, Ohio-power transmission machinery. Cite as: Prunty Seed and Grain Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1260

# Public Question Club (Saint Louis, Missouri).

**Records, 1905-1957.** 4 boxes

The Public Question Club was organized in 1903 with the purpose to discuss vital social, political, scientific, industrial, economic, educational and religious questions. The members were carefully selected by a committee from a wide variety of professions.

Collection includes organizational records, 1905-1957, including minutes of board, business and dinner meetings records, correspondence, assignments (for programs), subject topics, programs, speeches, printed material, club rosters from 1929-1957, and Public Question Club record books from 1921-1937.

Cite as: Public Question Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1261

# Quarantine Island collection, [1818-1981]. 1 flat storage box

Collection of material regarding Quarantine or Arsenal Island in the Mississippi River near St. Louis. Consists of typescripts of ordinances, court cases, boundaries, etc., relating to Quarantine Island; typescript historical note; photostatic maps of the Mississippi River; map of St. Louis, 1855; and other sketches.

Cite as: Quarantine Island Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1262

# Quarton, Jonathan.

Papers, 1789-1899. 3 folders (approximately 100 items)

Jonathan Quarton was a lawyer and justice of the peace of Alton, Illinois.

Correspondence between J. Quarton and his family in England regarding new life in America; various tax forms of J. Quarton; tax receipts, etc., for justice of the peace; receipts etc. of Rebecca S. Godfrey estate in which J. Quarton was administrator; record book of J. Quarton, Alton justice of the peace, 1865-1874, contains posting of animals, marriage records, coroner's inquest records (personal not official record book); account book of J. Quarton, 1896-1899; items regarding justice of the peace and Godfrey estate, 1896-1899.

Cite as: Jonathan Quarton Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1263

# **Queen Mineral Ranch Mining Company.**

# **Records, 1896-1956.** 1 box

Queen Mineral Ranch, a Missouri corporation controlled by the Mercantile Commerce and Trust Company (St. Louis), was organized in 1896. Its principal asset was 177 acres of mining land in Gilpin County, Colorado. Charles B. Stark was elected president of the company in 1918 and continued until his death in 1924. His sister Margaret Stark was elected president of the corporation in 1927.

Prospective brochure regarding the Queen Mineral Ranch and Springdale Lode Mine submitted to prospective associates by Bowles and Bennett, 1936; report titled "Uranium Occurrence at the Cherokee Mine Queen Mineral Ranch, Gilpin County, Colorado," by Ray A. Bennett, Atomic Energy Commission, 1954; correspondence of the Mercantile Trust Company, 1948-1950; mining leases, 1948-1956; stock certificates, 1896-1956; maps, 1919; cashbook and ledger, 1935-1956; tax returns and financial statements, 1933-1944.

Cite as: Queen Mineral Ranch Mining Company Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3161

# Queenie Schiele Day.

# Proclamation, 2001. 1 item

Frances "Queenie" Fendler was born February 26, 1901. She earned a bachelor of arts degree from Washington University in 1922. In that same year, she married Herbert S. Schiele (1899-1984). In the 1940s, along with Rabbi Ferdinand Isserman and other friends from Temple Israel, Queenie Schiele founded the Nursery Foundation of St. Louis. It was the first interracial day nursery in the region and became a full-service child development center before its closing in 2013. For many years, the Greater St. Louis Book Fair funded the school. In 1950, the Urban League of St. Louis recognized Mrs. Schiele for her work in improving living conditions for minorities. She died July 9, 2003.

The collection is comprised of one item: a proclamation signed by Missouri governor Bob Holden declaring February 26, 2001, as Queenie Schiele Day. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Queenie Schiele Day Proclamation, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1264

Query Club.

**Records, 1891-1915.** 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

The Query Club was organized in 1890 by a group of women "of excellent educations and keen minds with no particular outlet for their activities." They came together "for the cultivation of different and broader points of view for the comparison of ideas and general mental improvement." The club stayed small, a group of no more than 25 friends, meeting every two weeks in private homes to present papers they had prepared on topics in history, literature, religion, philosophy, science, and current events.

Contains minute book with membership lists, treasurer's accounts, and annual lists of discussion topics, 1891-1904; correspondence concerning the nature of the club, 1915; program of meetings including bibliography of suggested readings, 1903-1904.

Cite as: Query Club Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1265

# R.B. Bacon and Brothers (Boonville, Missouri).

**Letterbook, 1859-1860.** 1 volume (315 pages)

General merchandise firm.

Holograph copies of business letters, with inventory of merchandise.

Cite as: R.B. Bacon and Brothers Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1266

# Rabenberg, Edward H.

**Papers, 1911-1956.** 2 folders

Scrapbook regarding Edward H. Rabenberg's political and banking career; two political campaign cards; photocopies of newsclippings regarding Edward and Katherine Rabenberg. Cite as: Edward H. Rabenberg Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1267

# **Race relations collection, 1914-1970.** (approximately 50 items)

Collection includes circulars, pamphlets, newsclippings, etc. dealing with segregation in St. Louis. Many items pertaining to the segregation plan, 1916; United Welfare Association of St. Louis; Jewish discrimination; new housing law, 1968; leaflets, newspapers regarding civil rights activities in St. Louis; personal notes regarding boycott of United Fund.

Cite as: Race Relations Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2439

# Racquet Club, The (St. Louis, Missouri).

# 75th Anniversary Celebration Poster, 1981 Oct 24. 1 item

Poster announces the 75th anniversary celebration to be held October 24, 1981, and includes a brief history of the club's founding.

Cite as: The Racquet Club 75th Anniversary Celebration Poster, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1810

Rader, Perry S. (1859- ) Papers, 1889-1931. 1 folder

Perry S. Rader was born November 24, 1859, in Carthage, Missouri. He was the son of the Reverend A.M. and Isabella Rader. Rader attended Central Methodist College (Fayette, Missouri), and later studied law under Judge J.P. Strother in Marshall, Missouri. He served one year as vice principal of the Brunswick (Missouri) School District. Rader became editor and part-owner of the *Howard County Advertiser* before returning to law. In 1889, he was accepted into the bar and moved to Brunswick. He acquired interest in and became editor of the *Weekly Brunswicker*. Rader married Bennie Younger in 1889. As an amateur historian, Rader published a number of books and articles on Missouri history.

The collection consists of correspondence and manuscripts written by Rader. Cite as: Perry S. Rader Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3075

Ragtime to Rock 'n Roll.

Oral History Project Records, 1989-1993. 16 folders

In 1989, the Missouri Historical Society embarked upon an oral history project to support an upcoming exhibition entitled, *Ragtime to Rock 'n Roll: St. Louis African American Music*, which opened on February 4, 1990. Between 1910 and 1920, St. Louis's African American population increased 60 per cent as part of the Great Migration from the rural south to the industrialized north. While such an increase in the African American community brought many changes, the exhibit focused on the influences in music. The oral history project explored African Americans connected to the development and longevity of ragtime, blues, gospel, jazz, rock 'n roll, and classical music.

The collection is arranged alphabetically by interviewee name and is comprised primarily of project documentation: tape information sheets and tape indexes. Additional materials include: an introductory letter to interviewees, sample interview questions, a brochure for the exhibition and its accompanying programs, one interview transcript (Hines), a small number of newsclippings, and one obituary. There are also notes on a meeting with Judge Nathan B. Young, handwritten notes for a few interviews, preliminary research, and research notes taken from the oral history interviews at the National Ragtime and Jazz Archive at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Ragtime to Rock 'n Roll Oral History Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1268

Railroads collection, 1830-1969. 2 boxes; 1 volume; 1 oversize item

Collection contains correspondence regarding building of various railroads, traveling on railroads, etc.; various timetables, printed matter, etc., all pertaining to railroads in the United States, mainly in the Midwest and western United States; scrapbook of fronts of railroad timetables from United States, 1881. In addition, this collection contains a report relating to the transcontinental railroad. Probably a draft, and of unidentified origin, this report relates to plans in the mid–nineteenth century to construct a national Pacific railroad, and, citing the potential of American development in California and Oregon, focuses on the construction of the Missouri portion of this proposed transcontinental railroad.

Cite as: Railroads Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1269

Rambo, Jacob ( -1840).

Papers, 1812-1959. 2 folders (approximately 25 items)

Jacob Rambo was in charge of mines in Leadmine, Missouri.

Papers include photocopy of handwritten record of Old Mines Baptist Church, September 1836–February 1844; photocopies of documents concerning the administration of the estate of Jacob H. Rambo; genealogical information; data concerning 3rd Company, 1st Battalion, 6th Regiment, Missouri Mounted Militia, under Capt. John Davis and Lieut. Rambo; papers for a Illinois detachment under Col. Stephen Byrd for which Rambo acted as quartermaster; and ammunition and provision returns and several lists of men who were delinquent at battalion musters.

Cite as: Jacob Rambo Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2372

Randolph, George Brown. Papers, 1895-1901. 2 folders

George Brown Randolph was born July 26, 1844, in Jefferson County, Kentucky. During the Civil War, he served in the Union army from Kentucky. He married Miss Elizabeth Reader Lewis in Cincinnati, Ohio, in September 1872. He later resided in Anniston, Alabama.

The collection consists primarily of typescript copies of correspondence gathered by George B. Randolph regarding the genealogy of the Randolph family of Virginia, Alabama, and Kentucky.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: George Brown Randolph Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1270

# Randolph, John.

Papers, 1828-1829. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Papers include letters from J. Randolph of Roanoke to Dr. John Brockenrough of Richmond regarding political matters of the day and general friendly, family correspondence; with typescripts.

Cite as: John Randolph Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1271

# Rankin, William.

Diary and accounts, 1856-1867. 1 volume; 1 folder

Diary kept by William Rankin of Rankin's Mill, Cooper County, Missouri, 1867, with accounts and miscellany dated 1856-1866.

Cite as: William Rankin Diary and Accounts, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1272

Ranlett, Seth A. (-1881).

**Diary, 1850-1885.** 1 volume (222 pages)

Seth A. Ranlett was a New Yorker who joined the eastern exodus of social reformers and missionaries to the American West in the mid–nineteenth century. He was a member of William Greenleaf Eliot's Unitarian Church of the Messiah in St. Louis, member of the St. Louis school board, and director of Washington University.

Diary of life in St. Louis, continued by Ranlett's wife after his death in 1881, and her return to Boston in 1882. Diary mentions William Greenleaf Eliot, Chester Harding, and Thomas Hart Benton, among others, with discussions of social life, education, and social reform.

Cite as: Seth A. Ranlett Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A3063

Rassieur, B. Franklin, Jr. (1927-).

Citizens Committee for Quality Education through Neighborhood Schools Papers, 1964-1972 (bulk, 1969-1972). 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

B. Franklin Rassieur, Jr., was born on 13 March 1927 to Benjamin Franklin and Pauline Rassieur and graduated from the John Burroughs School in 1944. By 1969, Frank and his wife, Mary, lived at 7116 Westmoreland, University City, Missouri. Rassieur was a key organizer of the Citizens Committee for Quality Education through Neighborhood Schools, serving as treasurer and later as co-chair. The Committee was formed in the summer of 1969 after the Board of Education for the University City School District announced its intent to study the student population and to possibly reorganize the school district in order to achieve racial balance in the schools.

The papers relate to the Citizens Committee for Quality Education Through Neighborhood Schools maintained by one of its co-founders, B. Franklin Rassieur, Jr. It is arranged alphabetically by topic and dates from 1964 to 1972, with the bulk of the collection dating from 1969 to 1972. The records include newspaper clippings, newsletters, lists of member/donor/volunteer names, campaign information about the committee's candidates and school board elections from 1970 to 1972, information about the University City community, petitions circulated by the committee, and many handwritten notes by Rassieur. Finding aid available.

Cite as: B. Franklin Rassieur, Jr., Citizens Committee for Quality Education Through Neighborhood Schools Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1273

Rauchenstein family.

**Papers, 1850-1948.** 2 boxes; 3 volumes

Frank W. Rauchenstein, founder of the *Clayton (Missouri) Watchman-Advocate*, married Frederika (Fritzie) Robyn, the daughter of Charles Robyn.

Family correspondence of Frank W. Rauchenstein, his family in Switzerland; correspondence of Robyn family; correspondence of Friederika (Fritzie) Robyn, later Mrs. Frank W. Rauchenstein, and others. Scrapbook kept by Friederika Rauchenstein, mostly obituaries of family and friends; reminiscences of Mrs. Rauchenstein written in 1840; family papers. Account books of Charles Robyn's St. Louis County general store, consisting of a ledger (1870-1879) and two sales journals (1871-1882). Addition to collection includes family letters addressed mostly to Frederika and Frank W. Rauchenstein, late 1800s; childhood diary of Frederika Robyn; Frederika Robyn report cards, 1878-1882; invitations, including an 1898 Veiled Prophet invitation, calling cards, and newsclippings. Also, Robyn family genealogy by Ernst Robyn. Some German handscript.

Cite as: Rauchenstein Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1274

Rauchenstein, Frank W. (1852-1900).

# Bartholdt-Rauchenstein correspondence, 1892-1918 (bulk 1892-1901). 1 box

Collection consists primarily of political correspondence addressed to Frank W. Rauchenstein by Richard Bartholdt, U.S. representative from Missouri (Republican). Bartholdt's correspondence includes discussions of his re-election campaigns, German-Americans in the U.S. House of Representatives and in his district, immigration, Missouri and St. Louis Republican party politics, and patronage activities, especially regarding post office appointments. The collection also includes several letters of condolence from Bartholdt to Frederika Rauchenstein (1901) following the death of her husband; a few additional letters relating to political issues received by Rauchenstein from other correspondents; and printed items, among which is a speech of Bartholdt's (1915) relating the attitudes of German-Americans about World War I (neutrality).

Cite as: Bartholdt-Rauchenstein Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1802

Rausendorf Family.

Papers, 1892-1988. 5 boxes; 2 oversize folders (3 items)

Charles Rausendorf (1854-1917) came to the United States from Germany in 1883. In 1887, he married Caroline Sharp (1864-1953), who was born in Jefferson County, Missouri, to Carl

Sharp and Maria Hauser. The couple had four children: August (1889-1961), Anna (1896-1913), Mathilda (1894-1969), and Walter (1900-1977). Raymond Rausendorf (1923-1995), the only child of August and Olivia Rausendorf, served in World War II. In 1952, he married Peggy Jo Wilson, daughter of Perry Wood Wilson and niece of A.C. Bruce.

The collection consists of Rausendorf family records, photographs, and journals. Includes correspondence from August Rausendorf's World War I service and from Raymond Rausendorf's World War II service.

Cite as: Rausendorf Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1275

Reardon, James A.

Papers, 1891-1940. 4 folders (approximately 100 items)

James A. Reardon was president of Reardon Glue Company, 1535 North Broadway, St. Louis.

Papers include personal mementoes of Reardon from the Louisiana Purchase Exposition; 1896 Republican national convention and Democratic convention mementoes; 1905-1906 correspondence regarding the St. Louis Public Museum and by-laws of museum; correspondence with the Missouri Historical Society, 1902-1905; Louisiana Purchase Exposition correspondence, 1899-1903, finance, etc.; notes and recipes regarding Reardon's Liquid Glue; correspondence regarding 1900-1914 Progressive party, Franklin Club of St. Louis. Cite as: James A. Reardon Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2954

Reavis, Burton.

Papers, 1932-1950s. 5 items

Papers contain three annual golf permits for the Municipal Golf Course issued by the St. Louis commissioner of Parks and Recreation to Burton Reavis, 5330 Delmar, 5368 Delmar, and 5512 Delmar, 1932-1933; annual tennis permit issued by the St. Louis commissioner of Parks and Recreation to B. Reavis, 1932; and Forest Park Municipal Golf Course scorecard, circa 1940s-1950s.

Cite as: Burton Reavis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1276

Reavis, L.U.

Papers, 1808-1889. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

L.U. Reavis was an author and lecturer who traveled throughout the United States promoting St. Louis, and also proposed moving the national capital to St. Louis. He wrote several books and pamphlets on the history of Missouri and St. Louis.

Papers include lectures and writings of Reavis. Some correspondence from the Chicago Historical Society.

Cite as: L.U. Reavis Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1277

Reed, James A.

**Collection, 1939-1949.** 1 folder (4 items)

Two letters from James Reed to Cyril Clemens, 1939-1940, regarding the Mark Twain Society banquet; typescript circular signed Cyril Clemens titled "Curious Case of the Senators Widow," which advertises a biography of Sen. James A. Reed by Lee Meriwether and published

by Clemens; and newspaper article, 1934[?], titled "Hitlerism Attacked by James A. Reed in Address at Chicago."

Cite as: James A. Reed Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1278

Reed, Joseph B. (1831- ). Papers, 1861-1944. 3 folders

Joseph B. Reed was the proprietor of the Cairo Foundry and Machine Shops in Cairo, Illinois.

Papers include family genealogical material; articles of co-partnership between Joseph B. Reed and Hugh M. Mann for the engine building and machine shop business on Carr Street, 1861-1863 (the business was to be known as the Union Iron Works); balance sheets; several letterheads of the Cairo Iron and Machinery Supply Store and the Cairo Iron Works; correspondence of Reed regarding the furnishing of his home in Cairo, a couple of letters of soldier Russell Reed to his family during World War I (he was stationed in the United States and in France); and World War II letters of Frank B. Reed and R.S. Reed.

Cite as: Joseph B. Reed Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1279

Reedy, William Marion (1863-1920).

Papers, 1895-1950. 6 folders (approximately 100 items)

William Marion Reedy was born in St. Louis in 1863. He was educated in the public schools and in St. Bridget's parochial school, Christian Brothers College, and St. Louis University. He went to work in 1880 for the *St. Louis Republican*. He afterward worked for several local newspapers and in 1896 took charge of the *Mirror*. He was married three times. His third wife was Mrs. Margaret Helen Chambers. He died in 1920 in San Francisco.

Papers include correspondence of Reedy with Albert Bloch in Munich, Germany, regarding literary rights issues of the day, his personal life, work, etc.; correspondence with Gano Bryan about Father Sullivan and women's rights (1909); body of collection concerns the death of Reedy, reminiscences and tributes to Reedy; some issues of *Reedy's Mirror* and *Mirror*. Other correspondents in the collection include Francis A. House, Witter Bynner, Mrs. Anne George DeMille, Mrs. D.N. Knefler, John L. Hervey, Miss Minnie Lawrence, Charles H. Dennis, Dr. M. Gabriel Seelig, Mr. Tate, Silas Bent, and W.M. Van der Weide.

Cite as: William Marion Reedy Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1280

Rees, Amos.

Papers, 1827-1884. 2 folders (approximately 80 items)

Papers include deeds and indentures for land situated in Ray, Clay, and Jackson counties, Missouri, all concerning Amos Rees.

Cite as: Amos Rees Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A2567

Reese, David W. (1843-1928).

**Journals, 1917-1923.** 2 volumes (193 pages)

David W. Reese was born November 1, 1843, in Cardigan Shire, South Wales. He emigrated to the United States with his parents in 1846, settling in Newark, Ohio. During the Civil War, he served in Company D, 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry. After the war, he moved to Clinton,

Missouri, where he lived until his move to Springfield, Missouri, in 1882. After a brief stay in Springfield, he moved to West Plains, Missouri, where he engaged in flour milling and banking. He married Ann Jones at Granville, Ohio, on February 5, 1868. His wife died December 1, 1912. He then married Sidna B. Simpson on September 17, 1914. David W. Reese died July 10, 1928, in West Plains, Missouri.

The two journals of David W. Reese include frequent brief entries regarding his expenses and income. These financial accounts are interspersed with comments on local events in West Plains, the weather, deaths in the community, and crops and farming. On November 1, 1920, Reese entered an autobiographical sketch in his journal.

Cite as: David W. Reese Journals, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1281

Reier, Alice Henderson ( -1969).

School friendship book, 1919-1921. 1 folder; 1 volume

Alice Henderson graduated from Cleveland High School in June 1921. She married Paul G. Reier of Glen Arm, Maryland, and they resided in Maryland. Alice and Paul Reier had one daughter, Nannilou (Nan).

School friendship book of Alice Henderson Reier during her years as a student at Cleveland High School in St. Louis. Includes autographs and snapshots of classmates, invitations, newsclippings, and small keepsakes.

Cite as: Alice Henderson Reier School Friendship Book, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2363

Reifsnider, Frank.

**Papers, 1858-1923.** 5 items

Collection contains the following five items: (1) St. Louis County real estate tax receipt issued to S. Gratz Moses, December 31, 1858. (2) Deed for the sale of property in Warren County, Missouri, from Joseph W. Hoover and Mary G. Hoover, his wife, of Jackson County, Missouri, to Frank Reifsnider of Summit County, Ohio, November 24, 1892 (filed oversize). (3) Typescript will of Rufus J. Lackland, 1623 Lucas Place, St. Louis, Missouri, June 21, 1900. Includes codicils dated July 22, 1904, and February 11, 1905. His estate is given to his children, Sarah Scott, Lamartine Lackland, Morrison Lackland, Edgar C. Lackland, Fanny Taylor, Margaret A. Ives, and Mary S. Trezevant, and his son-in-law Thomas J. Scott. Witnesses, Wm. H. Thompson and E.M. Hubbard. Will was certified in the St. Louis Probate Court, November 30, 1923. (4) State of Maine certificate of organization of a corporation for the American Kaolin Company, organized at Augusta, Maine, May 25, 1903. The owners of the shares in the company are listed as William H. Hoover, Frank Reifsnider, F.L. Dutton, C.L. Andrews, and E.F. Whittum. (5) Envelope of J.W. Hoover, civil engineer, Kansas City, Missouri, addressed to Miss Birdie Reifsnider, Akron, Ohio.

Cite as: Frank Reifsnider Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1282

Reilly, John G.

**Papers, 1849-1863.** 1 box

Papers include correspondence with family in Platteville, Wisconsin, discussing everyday life with mentions of visits to St. Louis.

Cite as: John G. Reilly Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1283

# Reily and Dillon.

# **Letterbook**, **1836-1837**. 1 volume

St. Louis wholesale grocers, commission and forwarding merchants, firm of John P. Reily and [possibly Patrick M.] Dillon, succeeded by Reily and Chouteau in June 1836, the firm of John P. Reily and [possibly Henry] Chouteau.

Letterbook dated March 28, 1836–June 2, 1837.

Cite as: Reily and Dillon Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3112

# Reisenleiter, Harry Lee (1922-1998).

World War II Papers, 1942-1986. 4 folders; 1 oversize folder

Harry Lee ("Lee") Reisenleiter was born July 10, 1922, to Albert and Edna (Rogles) Reisenleiter. He entered the U.S. Army on October 6, 1942, and volunteered as a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne, 508th Parachute Infantry Regiment ("Red Devils"), Company B. The paratroopers of the 508th dropped into France in the early hours of June 6, 1944, D-Day. Reisenleiter was wounded on June 13 and rejoined his company after a hospital stay to fight across Europe. He received a Bronze Star and two Purple Hearts. Reisenleiter was discharged from military service on September 22, 1945. He died December 8, 1998, and is buried at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery.

The papers are comprised of military documents, correspondence/telegrams, 82nd Airborne Division wartime publications, ration books, and newspaper clippings relating to Harry Lee Reisenleiter's World War II military service. The papers are arranged alphabetically by type of document and date from 1942 to 1986. The bulk of the collection dates from 1944 to 1945. Date gaps exist from 1946 to 1958 and from 1960 to 1985.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Harry Lee Reisenleiter World War II Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2506

# Reller, J.F.O.

## Membership card in Columbia School Patrons' Association, circa 1919. 1 item

Membership card expires September 1, 1919. The Columbia School Patrons' Association was located at St. Louis and Garrison Avenues in St. Louis.

Cite as: J.F.O. Reller Membership Card in Columbia School Patrons' Association, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## Remington, Frederic

See Clarke, Powhatan H. Papers.

# **Reppy Papers**

See Frissell, Willard.

#### A2512

# Republic Iron Works, Limited (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania).

Price List, circa 1880. 1 item

Price list for the Republic Iron Works, Limited, manufacturers of galvanized, Juniata,

charcoal and common sheet iron.

Cite as: Republic Iron Works, Limited, Price List, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2493

# Republican City Central Committee (St. Louis, Missouri).

# Petition to the president of the United States, circa 1904. 2 items

The committee petitions the president to appoint a postmaster for St. Louis, and encourages him to immediately remove postmaster F.W. Baumhoff. The petition is accompanied by an endorsement signed Wm. Dutzi.

Cite as: Republican City Central Committee Petition to the President of the United States, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2240

#### Resurrection of Our Lord Parish.

Collection, 2005. 1 folder (2 items)

Collection contains two typescript articles relating to Resurrection of Our Lord Catholic parish in south St. Louis: "Resurrection Church: Msgr. George Dreher's Gift" (by John F. Knoll, class of 1955) and "Resurrection School: A Very Short History (by Father Gerald J. Kleba, class of 1955). Both articles are dated June 4, 2005.

Cite as: Resurrection of Our Lord Parish Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2441

## Reuf, William Andrew.

## Marriage certificate, 1903 Nov 25. 1 item

Marriage certificate of William Andrew Reuf, St. Louis, Missouri, and Anna Margaret Coughlin, St. Louis, Missouri, at Holy Rosary Church.

Cite as: William Andrew Reuf Marriage Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1284

## Reuss, Adolph.

# **Papers, 1819-1875.** 1 box

School notes, Masonic certificates, autograph albums, etc., of Dr. Adolph Reuss of Germany and Belleville, Illinois; accounts of income and expenses.

Mostly in German handscript.

Cite as: Adolph Reuss Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1285

## **Revolutionary War Collection, 1770-1957.** 13 items

The collection consists primarily of photostats of documents. Includes a land grant to Robert Jones by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania (original document) for services rendered in the army of the United States, June 13, 1787.

Cite as: Revolutionary War Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1286

Reymershoffer, Charles (1873-1955).

# Papers, 1906-1942. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Charles Reymershoffer was an artist who furnished the catalogue of pictures and illustrations for William Romaine Hodges' biography of the artist Carl Wimar, which was published in 1908. Reymershoffer died October 25, 1955, in St. Louis, Missouri.

Correspondence to C. Reymershoffer concerning Carl Wimar's "Buffalo Hunt"; letter of C.M. Russell to Charles Reymershoffer, August 23, 1907, regarding identification of Indians in Wimar's "Buffalo Hunt"; letter from Reymershoffer to Mrs. Atherton Noyes, August 16, 1940, discussing Indian painter (typescript); series of letters regarding his search for work and his views of Germany and World War II; information regarding Clark Indian Museum. Cite as: Charles Reymershoffer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1287

**Reynolds, George D.** (1841-1921). **Papers, 1801-1929.** 2 boxes; 2 volumes

George D. Reynolds was born December 16, 1841, in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. His family moved to Springfield, Illinois, in the 1850s, and in 1862 he enlisted as a private in Company K, 2nd Illinois Light Artillery. In October 1863 he was commissioned major in the 6th U.S. Heavy Artillery (Colored), and served as an administrator in the Freedmen's Bureau for the southern district of Mississippi at Natchez. He was mustered out in March 1866 with the rank of lieutenant colonel. Soon after the conclusion of the war he completed his law studies and moved to Potosi, Missouri, and later to St. Louis, where he served for many years as judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals. He died March 18, 1921, in St. Louis.

Collection contains genealogical material of Reynolds and related families; various military papers, 1862-1867, including Reynolds' provost marshal records, Natchez, Mississippi, freedmen and refugees, 1864-1866; deeds to land in Washington and Madison Counties, Missouri, 1867-1879; letters from President William H. Taft, 1910-1911; correspondence of Robert T. Lincoln, George D. Reynolds, President William H. Taft, and others concerning statue of Abraham Lincoln by George Gray Barnard; paper regarding Reynolds' estate settlement; speeches and manuscripts by Reynolds on various subjects including General U.S. Grant, Abraham Lincoln, Camp Jackson, Pennsylvanians in Missouri, and dueling.

Cite as: George D. Reynolds Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1288

**Reynolds, Thomas (1796-1844). Papers, 1819-1907.** 1 box

Thomas Reynolds was born March 12, 1796, in Bracken County, Kentucky. In early years he became a citizen of the state of Illinois, and there filled the several offices of clerk of the House of Representatives, attorney general, speaker of the House of Representatives and chief justice of the Supreme Court. In 1829, he moved to the state of Missouri, and was successively speaker of the House of Representatives, judge of the Second Judicial Circuit, and died governor of the state in 1844.

Legislator and judge of both Illinois and Missouri and governor of Missouri. Papers of Governor Thomas Reynolds, his son Ambrose D. Reynolds, and his grandson Thomas Y. Reynolds, including letters on legislative subjects to Gov. Reynolds, material relating to properties of the Reynolds family, and a murder charge against St. Louis news reporter Thomas Y. Reynolds in October 1897 (accused of killing James Kirby). Gov. Reynolds' correspondents include David R. Atchison, Thomas Hart Benton, Gov. Daniel Dunklin, Joel H. Haden, Claiborne F. Jackson, Gov. John Miller, W.B. Napton, John S. Phelps, and B.F. Stringfellow.

In part; Papers found by Sidney Probst in the basement of his violin shop, 1019 Chestnut Street, and presented to the Missouri Historical Society when building was torn down in August 1925. Cite as: Thomas Reynolds Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1289

**Reynolds, Thomas C. (1821-1887).** 

Papers, 1844-1906. 5 folders (approximately 200 items)

Thomas Lyttleton Caute Reynolds was born in 1821. He was educated in Europe was admitted to the bar in Virginia in 1844. He was appointed the secretary of the U.S. legation at Madrid in 1846, and later relocated in St. Louis in 1850. He was the U.S. district attorney for Missouri in 1853-1856. He dueled with B. Gratz Brown in 1856. He was elected lieutenant governor of Missouri on a ticket with Claiborne Jackson for governor in 1860. Upon the death of Governor Jackson in 1862 he was recognized by Missouri Confederate soldiers as governor of Missouri. At the close of the war he exiled himself in Mexico, 1866-1869. He was a representative from the City of St. Louis in the 28th General Assembly of Missouri, 1875-1876. In 1884, he was appointed a member of the U.S. commission to visit South and Central American states to report on commerce between them and the United States. He committed suicide March 30, 1887, in St. Louis.

Papers include correspondence, mainly copies, of T.C. Reynolds during his political life as secretary of legation at Madrid, 1846; removal to St. Louis in 1856; Civil War years while serving as governor of the Confederate state of Missouri; his exile years in Mexico, 1866-1869; later discussion of Civil War events with Jefferson Davis, William T. Sherman, John. O. Shelby and others; acceptance of commissionship to Central and South America, 1884. Bound typescript of Reynolds' 1867 manuscript titled "General Sterling Price & the Confederacy" is available in the library.

Cite as: Thomas C. Reynolds Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1290

## Rhoads, William H.

# Philippine Islands diary, 1900 Aug 15-Nov 23. 1 volume

William H. Rhoads, from Sedalia, Missouri, served as a corporal in Company B, 27th U.S. Volunteers, and was stationed at Mariquina, Philippine Islands, following the Spanish-American War. He was in charge of the camp canteen.

Daily record of army life at and around Mariquina, Philippine Islands, with daily menus entered in red ink.

Cite as: William H. Rhoads Philippine Islands Diary, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1291

# Ribarich, Frank.

**Collection, 1902-1913.** 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes voucher numbers 73, 74, and 78 for expenses at Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company for India signed by commissioner-general to Asia; acknowledgments to Mrs. M.E. Smith and Mrs. W.E. Cotton for copies of book about their father, "Biography of George R. Snow," biographical sketch of John M. Wherry, clerk under General Lyon in the Civil War, 1905.

Cite as: Frank Ribarich Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1294

# **Rice, Edward Parker (1832-1915).**

Papers, 1859-1916. 2 folders (approximately 100 items)

Edward Parker Rice was born August 22, 1832, in Bangor, Maine. He served as a private in Company K, 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months) from May to August 1861. In late August he was detailed as a part of a body guard composed of members of the 3rd United States Reserve Corps (3 months) to escort the remains of General Nathaniel Lyon from St. Louis to Connecticut. From 1862 to January 1864 he served as captain and major in the 7th Enrolled Missouri Militia. He later served as captain in the Lyon Guard. He died June 20, 1915, in St. Louis.

Contains official military papers of Edward P. Rice including order regarding the Essex Guard, dated 1862; special orders, general orders, and other papers regarding the 7th Enrolled Missouri Militia in St. Louis, dated 1863 to January 1864; two documents regarding the Lyon Guard, 1864; accounts of the escort of the remains of General Lyon; pension papers of Rice including affidavit of William K. Patrick, dated 1914; and a roster of Company D, 7th Enrolled Missouri Militia, dated 1912. Also includes photograph of Rice, genealogical notes, and a land grant to Rice in Jackson, Missouri, dated September 1, 1859.

Cite as: Edward Parker Rice Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1293

# Rice Family.

**Papers, 1879-1961 (bulk 1918).** 1 box; 1 volume

Mr. and Mrs. John Rice were married circa 1880. Their children included Lawrence, Cyril, James R., Nellie, Monica, Maurice K., and Mollie (Mary), who married Alvis Ritter. The Rice family resided near Cameron, Missouri. Maurice K. Rice served in the army and was stationed at Camp McArthur in Waco, Texas, in 1918.

Collection consists primarily of letters to Maurice Rice from his family while he was stationed at Camp McArthur in 1918. Collection also contains other family correspondence; newsclippings regarding the Rice, Ritter, and Kenney families; and a family photograph album. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Rice Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1292

# Rice Family.

**Charles M. and May Goldman Rice Family Papers, 1843-1978.** 34 boxes; 1 flat storage box; 6 volumes

The Rice family of St. Louis was a prominent Jewish family of German origin. Initially named Reuss, the family anglicized their name upon immigration. They became prominent in the St. Louis area in the person of Jonathan Rice (died 1903), who immigrated from Germany during the 1850s. He was the first vice-president of the Rice-Stix Dry Goods Company, begun in 1862. He married Aurelia Stix, the daughter of his business partner William Stix. They had three children: Erna, Henry, and Charles. Erna and Henry died in 1895. Thus their only child to survive to adulthood was Charles Marcus Rice (1882-1950). Charles married May (Margaret) Nanette Goldman (1882-1960) in September 1908, after concluding his legal studies at Washington University in 1907. May was the daughter of German immigrant Jacob D. Goldman (1845-1925) and Sarah Hirsch (died 1890). Jacob had developed a dry goods business in Arkansas after the Civil War, but moved to St. Louis in 1875 where he co-founded the dry goods firm of Adler, Goldman and Company. He also co-founded the Lesser-Goldman Cotton

Company with Julius Lesser in 1892. Jacob and Sarah Goldman had four children: May, Alvin G., Florence, and Hortense. Jacob Goldman was also the developer of Hortense Place in St. Louis, which he named after his daughter, who died in infancy. Charles and May Rice similarly had a significant impact on St. Louis history, both in terms of Charles' professional life and both of their philanthropic activities. In 1909, Charles joined with Joseph W. Lewis in a legal partnership, which lasted the remainder of their professional lives and formed the basis of one of the most prominent law firms in St. Louis. In that same year, May and Charles moved into their first home at 51 Kingsbury Terrace, which Charles' mother had built for them as a wedding gift. They remained there until 1914, when they moved to Oak Knoll where they spent most of their married lives. Charles and May Rice had three children: Jay G., Erna S. and Jonathan C. Rice. Jay married Bonnie Dell Lafferty, and worked as a buyer for the book department for Famous-Barr. Erna Sarah Rice married William N. Eisendrath. She was a biology professor at Washington University and he was director of the Washington University Art Museum.

The collection consists of biographical information on family members and associates, personal correspondence, diaries, scrapbooks and newsclippings, and printed matter from or about organizations with which family members were involved or in which they held an interest. In particular, this collection includes a few business records of Jonathan Rice, 1895-1896, and a bound memorial resolution adopted by the Jewish Federation on the occasion of his death in 1903. The bulk of the collection consists of the records and papers of Charles M. and May Goldman Rice, 1899-1960, which include records of Buckeye Plantation, 1936-1948, a sharecropping operation near Sikeston, Missouri; records of the Boy Scouts of America in St. Louis, 1911-1914, of which Charles Rice was treasurer; records of the Kingsbury Place and Kingsbury Terrace Associations, in which Charles Rice served as a trustee and treasurer, 1911-1914; records of the Crawford County Caverns Company, which the Rices owned and which operated Onondaga Cave, 1946-1973; May Goldman Rice's travel diaries, 1901, 1903, and 1909, wedding books, 1908, family and philanthropic correspondence and memorabilia, 1899-1960. The collection also includes correspondence of Erna Sarah Rice Eisendrath, consisting primarily of condolence letters she received upon the death of her parents in 1950 and 1960; and papers of Jay G. and Bonnie L. Rice, 1927-1978, which include Jay's retirement scrapbook, 1970, and Bonnie's records of her tenure as president and vice-president of the Women's Division of the Academy of Science, 1959-1961. The collection also includes business records of L.B. Tebbetts and Sons Carriage Company, 1901-1911. It is, however, unknown at this time what the connection between the Rice and Tebbetts families might be, or how these records came to be part of this collection. A group of photographs from this collection was transferred to Photographs and Prints Department.

Addendums I and II to the collection cover five generations of the Rice family, beginning with Jonathan Rice's parents, Seligmann and Jetta Rice of Bamberg, Germany, and considerably expand the parent collection of Charles M. and May Goldman Rice Family Papers. Each generation contributes a significant amount of personal and family correspondence. Correspondence of note includes the writings of Jonathan and Aurelia Stix Rice (husband to wife), 1874-1902; Harry Rice to his parents, Jonathan and Aurelia, during his college years, 1892-1894; Erna Rice Eisendrath to her parents, Charles and May Rice, and siblings, Jay and Jonathan, during her college years, circa 1926-1930, and married life in Chicago, circa 1930-1950. Papers include passports of Jonathan Rice and family to Germany (1886-1900); writings and translations of Aurelia Stix Rice; business records of Charles M. Rice regarding his Lodge, Onondaga Cave, and Buckeye Plantation; memorial broadsides, articles, and volumes for various family members; certificates, newsclippings, and ephemeral items (dance cards, invitation, keepsakes). Photographs of family members and their homes have been transferred to the

Pictorial Department. A St. Louis Country Day newspaper (1926) has been transferred to the Library.

Some German and Hebrew.

Papers consist of materials that were in the possession of Bonnie L. Rice, the mother of the donor, at the time of her death.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles M. and May Goldman Rice Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1295

Rice, John P. (1837-1930).

Papers, 1862-1930. 2 folders (approximately 30 items)

John P. Rice was born April 21, 1837, in Knox County, Kentucky. During the Civil War he served as sergeant of Company I, 4th Missouri State Militia Cavalry, from February 1862 to May 1863. He served as commissary sergeant and lieutenant of the 48th Missouri Infantry from November 1864 to June 1865. He died January 18, 1930, in St. Louis.

Contains official military papers of John P. Rice, including appointments, discharges, commission, muster-in roll, muster-out roll, and pension papers. Also contains Spanish-American War official papers of Daniel O. Rice.

Cite as: John P. Rice Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1296

Richards, John R.

**Letterbook**, **1881-1893**. 1 volume

Letterpress correspondence of St. Louis real estate dealer, includes letters addressed to Phoebe Couzins, Samuel Cupples, H.K. Johnston, Richard Ridgley, Stephen Ridgley, R.M. Scruggs, Abner Stone, Mrs. Mary Walker, Prof. Waterhouse, Mrs. Ellen A. Stone, C.S. Greeley, and George W. Lubke.

Cite as: John R. Richards Letterbook, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1297

Richardson, John.

**Papers, 1837-1893.** 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

John Richardson came to the Spanish possessions from Kentucky, in 1787. He lived in the St. Charles District in 1797. He purchased lots in Soulard and the Chouteau tracts in St. Louis.

Papers include land papers regarding Auguste Chouteau and Antoine Soulard property in Jefferson County. Also includes John Richardson, Jr., land and tax papers.

Cite as: John Richardson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2416

Richardson, John.

Stock certificate, 1857 Sept 28. 1 item

Certificate of John Richardson for five shares of stock of the Saint Louis & Iron Mountain Rail Road Company.

Cite as: John Richardson Stock Certificate, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2424

Richeson, Booker.

# Land grant, 1832 Feb 11. 1 item

United States land grant of Booker Richeson for 80 acres of land in the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 14, Township 43 North, Range 6 East, in the district of lands subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri. Document signed by President Andrew Jackson.

Cite as: Booker Richeson Land Grant, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1298

Ricketts, Claude B.

Papers, 1899-1947. 1 box, 1 volume

Collection consists of business papers of Claude B. Ricketts, St. Louis, Missouri. Includes the Railway Exchange Building Company (Saint Louis, Missouri) minute book, 1912-1923; papers, photographs, newsclippings, and plats related to St. Louis downtown urban planning, 1927-1935; two reports from J.W. McKnight and Company (Saint Louis, Missouri) relating to bus, streetcar, and subway transportation in St. Louis, 1934; and the program and appendices of the Architectural Competition for the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, 1947. The collection also contains the printed will and probate of Charles H. Peck, 1899; the Building Owners' and Managers' Association St. Louis Constitution and By-Laws, 1928 revision; and the 1931 Veiled Prophet Ball program.

Cite as: Claude B. Ricketts Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1299

Riddle, Alexander.

Letters, 1840 Oct 12–1850 June 23. 1 folder

Letters from Sarah A. Treadway, Alton, Illinois, and from W.E. Riddle (brother) to Alexander Riddle in St. Louis.

Cite as: Alexander Riddle Letters, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1300

Ridenhour, Edward (1847-1895?).

Family Papers, 1865-1932. 5 folders; 1 volume

Edward Ridenhour was born in the St. Louis area around 1845 and spent much of his life in the town of Labaddie as a farmer. He volunteered for the 40th Missouri Infantry in 1861 and served throughout the Civil War. After his discharge in 1865, he returned to Labaddie and died some thirty years later.

Collection contains family papers dealing largely with the Civil War service, pension, and estate settlement of Edward Ridenhour. The first folder includes Ridenhour's discharge from the 40th Missouri Infantry in 1865, receipts for membership dues for the Grand Army of the Republic, and pension paperwork for the stipends his widow received after his death in 1895. The second folder contains documents relating to the pension and to the Ridenhour estate. The third folder contains land documents pertaining mostly to the Ridenhour family and ranging in date from 1870 to 1932. Much of the land recorded in the deeds is in the area of Labaddie, Missouri. The final folder contains handwritten notations of the Ridenhour family history as well as a short notation of the history of Labaddie, an unidentified family photograph, and the calling card of a Josie Larretto, and an 1814 Ridenhour family Bible.

Cite as: Edward Ridenhour Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1301

Ridgway, Joseph.

# **Papers**, **1812-1859**; **1923.** 2 folders (approximately 35 items)

Joseph Ridgway moved to St. Louis from Massachusetts circa 1837.

Papers include letters to family in New Westbury, Massachusetts, regarding family news, everyday happenings, tobacco and real estate business news, some mention of copper mining. Cite as: Joseph Ridgway Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1302

Riehl Family.

Papers, 1848-1934. 2 boxes

Family records of the Riehl family of St. Louis and southern Illinois. Includes receipts, bills, insurance and property records, and correspondence.

Some German handscript.

Cite as: Riehl Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2340

Ries, Ed (1931- ).

**Reminiscences titled "When I Was a Boy," circa 2006.** 1 item (9 pages; pages are numbered 13-21)

Ed Ries grew up in Webster Groves and Chesterfield, St. Louis County, Missouri. His family first lived on Forrest Ave. in Webster Groves. (The 1941 St. Louis County directory lists the family at 690 North Forest Ave.). The family moved to a home on Ossenfort Road in Chesterfield, before moving back to Webster Groves.

Reminiscences of Ed Ries, written for his children, discuss his experiences as a young boy living in Chesterfield and Webster Groves circa 1939-1948. He recounts growing up in Chesterfield on the land his father named Hollyhock Hill. He discusses chores, the flooding of the Missouri River, peddlers, attending Wildhorse Creek School in Chesterfield, his experiences living in a small, two-bedroom house in Webster Groves, and attending Webster Groves High School. Reminiscences include a reproduction of a photograph of Ed Ries (page 19). Cite as: Ed Ries Reminiscences Titled "When I Was a Boy," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1303

Rieser, John (1825-1900).

Papers, 1850-1890. 1 folder (approximately 215 items); 1 oversize folder

John Rieser was born in Austria in 1825. During the Civil War he served in the following regiments: captain, Company B, Stewart's Cavalry Battalion (Union); Company E, 16th Illinois Cavalry; and 2nd lieutenant, Company K, 51st Missouri Infantry. He died February 4, 1900.

Collection includes Rieser's discharge papers, commission, muster-out roll, and pension document; two morning reports of Stewart's Cavalry Battalion; and four muster rolls of Company B, Stewart's Missouri Cavalry Battalion. Also includes document granting U.S. citizenship.

Cite as: John Rieser Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1304

Ripley County, Missouri.

**Records, 1833-1860; 1870-1879.** 10 volumes

Collection consists of Ripley County, Missouri, records copied and collected by southern Missouri historian John R. Hume. They include two volumes of marriage records copied by

Hume (1833-1853, 1853-1866); one volume of Circuit Court proceedings (1834-1853); two volumes of County Court proceedings (1841-1847, 1847-1853) of which records after 1850 are exclusively probate court records; three record books of the clerk of the County Court consisting of letters of administration of estates (1834-1853) of which records dated 1849-1851 are of the judge of the Probate Court, record of wills filed (1840-1885), and justice of the peace commissions (1834-1856); and two justice of the peace docket books (1857-1860, 1870-1879), the first of which consists of executions on promissory notes in Current River Township. Cite as: Ripley County, Missouri, Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1305

# Ritter, H.A.

**Collection, 1847-1905.** 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Collection includes deed of burial lot from Britton A. Hill, president of board of trustees of Oakland Cemetery to Edward Coop, September 20, 1847; circulars of U.S. Sanitary Commission Army and Navy Claim Agency, March 12 and July 20, 1864; three manuscripts regarding charges preferred against 1st Sergeant Archy L. Mayson by 1st Lieut. Jacob Roesener, Company G, 6th U.S. Volunteer Infantry, 1865; special orders of Col. W.R. Davis for Jacob Roesener, and others in regard to stores received from Capt. S.D. Childs, September 15, 1865; other materials regarding the Civil War.

Cite as: H.A. Ritter Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1306

# Roach, Harry F.

# Syndicate Trust Building Architectural Plans, circa 1895. 2 volumes

One volume (2 copies, 72 pages/42 plates) of drawings and specifications for the Office Building for the Syndicate Trust Co. (northeast corner of 10th and Olive). A stamp on front leaf of the second copy reads "John Hill Construction Company, 915 Olive St., St. Louis." Cite as: Harry F. Roach Syndicate Trust Building Architectural Plans, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1307

# Roach, Ruth Hunter.

**Papers, 1947-1973.** 5 boxes

Mrs. Ruth Hunter Roach, wife of Leonard V. Roach, was an authority on St. Louis silver and author of *St. Louis Silversmiths*, published by Eden Publishing Company, St. Louis, 1967.

Correspondence regarding research and publication of her book, 1943-1973; card index file regarding silversmiths, research notes, and literary manuscripts including typescripts, revised proofs, and galley of *St. Louis Silversmiths*.

Cite as: Ruth Hunter Roach Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1308

# **Roads collection, 1805-1970.** 3 folders (approximately 200 items)

Collection includes petitions for roads from St. Louis to Florissant, Platin Creek, Meramec River, Coldwater, St. Andrew, River Gingras, River au Boeuf, Maline River, etc.; clippings on early highways and transportation facilities; pamphlet titled "The Old Trails Road: The National Highway as a Monument to the Pioneer Women Proposed by the Missouri D.A.R." (1911; 11 pages); pamphlet titled "Story of the Lost Trail to Oregon–No. 2, Illustrated" by Ezra Meeker (summary of transcontinental car trip in Pathfinder car) (1916; 32 pages); pamphlet titled

"History of Old Road, Pioneer Settlers and Early Communities of St. Louis County" by Henry Hertich (no date; 42 pages); typescript manuscript by J.H. Long titled "Old Roads, New Roads, More Roads for Missouri (1941; 48 pages); and material on Missouri roads from Mrs. Schaaf pertaining especially to the King's Highway.

Cite as: Roads Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1309

Robbins, Leroy K.

Papers, 1898-1943. 6 folders (approximately 25 items)

Papers include muster rolls of Company C, 1st Missouri Volunteer Infantry; genealogical data on Robbins family; rations, descriptions of volunteers, etc.

Cite as: Leroy K. Robbins Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1310

Robertson, Andrew.

**Ledger, 1839 Jan 1–1843 July 24.** 1 volume (100 pages)

Grocery, labor, and personal accounts, Walnut Hill (Walnut Grove), Missouri. Published recipes and domestic hints affixed to blank pages, circa 1860s.

Cite as: Andrew Robertson Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1311

Robertson, Charles Franklin (1835-1886).

**Diaries, 1868-1885.** 6 volumes

Second bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Missouri, born in New York, graduated from Yale in 1859, completed theology course in 1862, served as cure and rector in New York state parishes, elected bishop of the diocese of Missouri in 1868, arrived in St. Louis on November 6, 1868.

Diaries of Robertson's tenure as bishop in St. Louis of the diocese of Missouri of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Diaries commence with his consecration on October 25, 1868, through 1885, a few months prior to his death. Diaries cover October 25, 1868, to October 1, 1876, June 1 to September 26, 1878, and May 2, 1879, to October 15, 1885.

Cite as: Charles Franklin Robertson Diaries, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1312

**Robertson, William B.** (1893-1943).

**Collection, 1923-1964.** 1 box

William B. Robertson was born October 8, 1893, in Nashville, Tennessee. He has been regarded as a pioneer in St. Louis aviation and was a co-founder of the Lambert–St. Louis Municipal Airport. He organized and served as president of the Robertson Aircraft Corporation, which was involved in the original airmail contract for the St. Louis to Chicago run. He was a sponsor of the flights of Charles Lindbergh and also of the St. Louis Robin, which set a record for the longest time spent in the air. The Robertson Aircraft Corporation produced troop-carrying gliders for the army. Robertson was killed in 1943 when he and several prominent St. Louisans were making a demonstration flight of one of the gliders and a wing came off and it crashed to the ground.

Collection contains correspondence, preservation copies of newsclippings, and magazine clippings concerning the growth of aviation in St. Louis. Includes information regarding Charles A. Lindbergh's flight across the Atlantic; Robertson Air Field; operating statements of Robertson

Airplane Service Co. issued to the Post Office Department; glider crash (1943) that killed Mayor William Dee Becker and William. B. Robertson; endurance flight of Dale "Red" Jackson and Forest O'Brine in St. Louis "Robin" for 420 hours, 21 minutes; newsclippings relating to air mail contracts in U.S.; development of air service; *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* section (1942), "Flashback in St. Louis' Importance in the History of World Aviation."

Cite as: William B. Robertson Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1313

# Robins, Thomas.

# "Facts of a Family" / manuscript, circa 1930. 1 box (211 pages)

Collection consists of a history of the Robins family, compiled by Thomas Robins, dating back to sixteenth-century Europe. The collection also contains correspondence relative to the family history.

Cite as: Thomas Robins, "Facts of a Family," manuscript, circa 1930, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1314

# Robinson, J.E.

Papers, 1870-1908. 4 folders (approximately 50 items)

Seven letters, 1892, from Willie and Helen Robinson, Wesleyan Female Institute, regarding boarding school life; business correspondence of J.E. Robinson, 1900-1902, regarding grading and shipping of grains, endorsements for positions as grader and inspector; congratulations on appointment as chief inspector, Maritime and Merchants Exchange, New Orleans; and telegrams and message backing Robinson in dispute over discharge of McKenzie from Maritime Exchange, New Orleans, 1903-1908.

Cite as: J.E. Robinson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1315

# Robinson, John H. (1782-1824).

Papers, 1810-1816. 1 folder (approximately 20 items)

John H. Robinson was born in Augusta County, Virginia. He came to St. Louis in 1804 after completing the study of medicine and on December 24, 1805, he married Sophie Marie Michau. Dr. Robinson was a friend of Zebulon Pike and joined his expedition in 1806 as a volunteer. He was commissioned surgeon in the U.S. Army stationed at Fort Bellefontaine in 1808, and in 1810 he was stationed at Fort Osage. He went to Mexico in 1815 and fought in the Mexican War of Independence. He died in Natchez, Mississippi, in 1824.

Typed copies and photostats. Collection relates to the charges against Robinson that "he has been engaged in the unlawful business of exciting the citizens of the United States to the invasions of the Spanish provinces beyond the Mississippi," January 21, 1816. Also includes a biography of John Robinson.

Cite as: John H. Robinson Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Robyn, Charles. Account books.

See Rauchenstein family.

## Robyn, E.

See E. Robyn and Co. [Hermann, Missouri?].

#### A1316

# Robyn Family.

Papers, 1840-1946. 5 folders (approximately 50 items); 1 oversize box

Genealogical material regarding the Robyn family and newsclippings regarding family; original copies of the autobiography and biographical notes of William Robyn; document signed Wm. Robyn, 1840, regarding the excellence of the St. Louis German Brass Band; and William Robyn manuscript music collection.

Cite as: Robyn Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1317

# **Rodney Family.**

**Papers, 1811-1922.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Family papers dealing mostly with real estate possessions in and around Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and relating to the cotton trade and river transportation.

Cite as: Rodney Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2065

#### Rogers, E.E.

# Letter to son Francis, 1915 Jan 14. 1 item

Letter of E.E. Rogers, Crowthers & Rogers Manufacturing Co., St. Joseph, Missouri, to son Francis, discusses family news.

Cite as: E.E. Rogers Letter to Son Francis, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3160

# Rogers, Howard J. (1861-1927).

Collection, ca. 1900-1904. 1 box.

In 1901, Howard J. Rogers accepted three positions with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company in St. Louis: chief of the Department of Education, chief of the Department of Social Economy, and director of congresses. He edited an eight-volume set titled Congress of Arts and Sciences, Universal Exposition, St. Louis, 1904, which was published from 1905 to 1907 by Houghton, Mifflin, & Company. Rogers and his family resided in St. Louis from approximately September 1901 through the summer of 1904. Joseph Edwin Rogers, their son, attended Smith Academy, and Mrs. Rogers was a member of the St. Louis Choral-Symphony Society. In April 1904, she organized a musical reception at the St. Louis Women's Club to introduce her sister, Mary Elizabeth Turner Salter, where they both performed compositions written by Mrs. Salter. After the fair, the Rogerses returned to New York where Prof. Rogers held positions with the State Education Department and the Red Cross.

The collection dates from circa 1900 to 1904 and is comprised primarily of invitations along with a poem dedicated to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, newspaper clippings, blank address postcards from Paris, and a school report card. Most of the events relate to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, but there are also a small number of invitations to local graduation ceremonies, a wedding, and a wedding anniversary celebration in New York. The bulk of the collection dates from April through June 1904 and is arranged alphabetically by topic and/or type of document.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Howard J. Rogers Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A1318

# Rohrbach, Gerwin K.

# Business records, 1960-1993. 4 cubic feet

President of General Planning and Resource Consultants, University City, Missouri.

Records of city planner Gerwin K. Rohrbach, consisting of clippings, correspondence, and reports regarding city planning projects primarily in Missouri, Illinois, and Ohio, 1960-1971. Of note are records concerning the city design of Oak Park, Illinois, and many smaller Missouri and southern Illinois communities and some suburban St. Louis communities. Records regarding the proposed development of Chapel Spring, Illinois, at the site of a proposed southern Illinois airport that would have served the St. Louis metropolitan area, 1973-1989. Later newsclippings regarding the long-term successes of Rohrbach's project. Includes 14 rolls of 35 mm color slides. Cite as: Gerwin K. Rohrbach Business Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1319

# Rombauer, Robert Julius (1830-1925).

Papers, 1861-1864. 1 volume; 1 folder

Robert J. Rombauer was born January 10, 1830, in Hungary. He emigrated to the United States with his family in 1853, eventually settling in St. Louis. He served as lieutenant colonel of the 1st United States Reserve Corps (3 months) in the summer of 1861 and then as colonel of the 1st United States Reserve Corps. In 1909, he wrote *The Union Cause in St. Louis*. He died September 25, 1925, in St. Louis.

Volume includes adjutant's order book of the Turner Hall Detachment of the First Regiment of the U. S. Missouri Reserve Corps, July 15-24, 1861, and for the Bird's Point Detachment of the First and Second Regiments, plus the morning reports, on board the steamer *G.W. Graham*, and at Camp Lyon, Bird's Point, Missouri, July 30-Aug 12, 1861; copies of Rombauer's letter to Abraham Lincoln, March 4, 1863, asking for a position in the Regular Army and outlining his previous experience in the Hungarian Army; a copy of Rombauer's memorial to Lincoln concerning the proper conduct of the war; his illustrated report to John C. Fremont on the siege of Vicksburg; an annotated and illustrated abstract of Mahan's field fortifications; Rombauer's notes on the Radical Reform party and his reasons for opposing the election of Lincoln; and some Spanish grammar exercises.

Some German handscript and some Spanish.

Cite as: Robert Julius Rombauer Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1320

# **Roos**, Lawrence K. (1918- ). **Papers**, circa 1962-1974. 165 boxes

Lawrence K. Roos was born in St. Louis on February 1, 1918. He graduated from St. Louis Country Day School in 1936 and from Yale University in 1940. After serving in the U.S. Army from 1941 to 1945, he worked for Westheimer and Co., a St. Louis advertising and public relations firm. In 1946, he was elected to the Missouri legislature, and re-elected in 1948. From 1950 to 1955, he served as the executive vice-president of the Mound City Trust Company. In 1962, Roos was elected St. Louis County supervisor, a position which he held for three consecutive terms. Roos' administration brought numerous changes to the county and its governing organization, including home rule, improved infrastructure and police training, and the addition of several county parks. After his political tenure, Roos was elected executive vice-president and a director of First National Bank of St. Louis. Among his various civic and political positions, Roos served as the chairman of the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council, a member of the executive committee of the Regional Industrial Development Corporation, a

presidential appointee on the U.S. Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, director and member of the Greater St. Louis United Fund, and president of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. In 1967 and 1968, Roos was nominated for the St. Louis Award, and in 1974, the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* named him Man of the Year.

Papers consist of personal correspondence, campaign records, general office files, scrapbooks, logbooks, and newsclippings collected during Roos' 12 years as St. Louis County supervisor.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lawrence K. Roos Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1321

# Roper, Emma P.

Collection, 1830-1902. 3 folders (approximately 35 items)

Collection includes diary of Charles P. Warner titled "trip to the mountains," 1850[?], which describes trip from St. Louis to North Dakota; recipe book of H.R. Patterson [Horace Reed Patterson], 1836; Odd Fellows membership certificates for John Denning, 1846-1847; three certificates of exemption from service in the militia granted to John W. Denning, St. Louis, 1862-1865; photograph of John W. Denning, taken in St. Louis, July 2, 1886; membership certificate of Horace R. Patterson in the Saint Louis and Murdock's Lake Fishing Club, August 28, 1866; deed of William P. Freeman and his wife, Sarah, to Peter W. Johnston, 1859 for land in Stoddard's addition, St. Louis; log book of steamboat *Lillie Martin* describing two trips to Fort Benton, Montana, 1865-1867; 1867 log book of Steamer *Abeona*, one trip from St. Louis to Fort Benton.

Cite as: Emma P. Roper, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### Δ1322

# Rosati, Joseph, Bishop (1789-1843).

Papers, 1818-1825. 1 folder (approximately 30 items)

Bishop Rosati received his theological training in Rome. He was ordained in 1811 and transferred to the Mississippi Valley in 1815. He was appointed superior of Vincentians in America, head of St. Mary of the Barrens when consecrated bishop in 1824. He became the bishop of St. Louis in 1827. He is buried in the New Cathedral, St. Louis, his remains having been brought from Rome in 1854 after a century of legal problems were solved.

Papers include typescript copies, made by Ida Schaaf, of original correspondence at the St. Louis Archdiocese Seminary, 1818-1822, regarding mundane happenings in the parish at Ste. Genevieve; and typed copies of original diaries of Rosati's at Kenrick Seminary, 1822 and 1825. Latin.

The Missouri Historical Society does not own originals, typescript copies may not be published. Cite as: Bishop Joseph Rosati Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

### A1323

# Rose-Uhri family.

Papers, 1846-1930. 4 boxes; 2 volumes; 1 oversize folder

Papers of the Uhri and Rose families, 1846-1930, including naturalization papers and military certificate for Andrew Uhri, 1852-1861; correspondence of Henry Uhri to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Uhri, 1920-1919; family bills and receipts; advertising flyers, 1900-1930; newsclippings; advertising cards, St. Louis, circa 1900-1930; greeting cards (to Mrs. William C. Uhri), circa 1895-1930; notebooks and pocket calendars; maps/plats including East

St. Louis, 1874, and St. Louis, no date; architectural drawings for Dr. Edward Rose's house on Walnut Street; certificates; an unidentified leather travel diary with compass and pencil, that includes short descriptions of a trip to Europe (1912), a trip to the western United States (1915), and a world map; and a Conrad Rose family record book, circa 1859-1868, titled "Househronik." Some German.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Rose-Uhri Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3061

Rosen, Berthold B. (1918-2006)

World War II Papers, 1943-1945. 4 folders

Berthold ("Bert") Benjamin Rosen was born to Lucille (Brasch) and William Rosen in St. Louis on 13 August 1918. Lucille was a daughter of Leo and Effie Brasch. William Rosen was a native Russian and worked with Lucille's father at the family furniture store. Berthold went by several nicknames, his mother always called him "Bud" or "Buddy," and others knew him as "Bert." Bert joined the Army Air Force in February 1943, trained in mechanics and navigation of gliders, and served in North Africa from December 1944 to May 1945.

The papers are arranged chronologically and consist of letters written by Bert Rosen to his wife and mother while serving in the Army Air Force dating from 1943 to 1945. There are also five theatre programs from the Army's I.B.S. Special Service productions in Sicily dating from December 1943 to February 1944.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Berthold B. Rosen World War II Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

### A3162

Rosen, Yvonne A. (1928- ).

Papers, 1951-2001. 16 folders.

Yvonne A. "Bonnie" (Marglous) Rosen was born February 20, 1928, in St. Louis, Missouri. She attended Jackson Park Elementary School and Hanley Junior High School and graduated from University City High School in 1945. She received her undergraduate degree from Washington University and pursued graduate studies at the George Warren Brown School of Social Work. While at Washington University, Bonnie was among the founding members of Humanity, Inc., which was a discussion group that was the forerunner of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality (CORE). She was an active member of CORE from its origins in 1947 until 1951.

The collection contains materials related to Rosen's work on Victory without Violence: The First Ten Years of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality, a history of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality. The papers also include a small number of her academic papers and her master's thesis in the areas of social work and anthropology. The papers are divided into two series: the CORE Series dates from 1951 to 2001, and the Professional Series dates from 1955 to 1993. Both series are arranged alphabetically by title and/or topic with the bulk of the collection dating from 1994 to 1996.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Yvonne A. Rosen Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2939

**Rosenthal, William A.** (1837-1910).

# **Papers, 1862-1960s, no date.** 13 items

William A. Rosenthal was born June 12, 1837, in Germany, and came to St. Louis with his parents circa 1850. He operated a jewelry and watchmaking business in St. Louis from the late 1850s to 1880s. On April 16, 1859, he married Blandina Ruff. William A. Rosenthal died January 1, 1910, in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of official military papers of William A. Rosenthal during the Civil War. Several of these documents relate to his business interests in Helena, Arkansas. Finding aid available.

Cite as: William A. Rosenthal Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2421

# Ross-Gould List & Letter Co. (St. Louis, Missouri).

# Advertising circular, circa 1916. 1 item

Includes a reproduction of an article from the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat*, September 17, 1916, titled "Ross-Gould Firm Gets New Home in Steinberg Building."

Cite as: Ross-Gould List & Letter Co. Advertising Circular, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1324

# Rotary Club of Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri).

# Membership records, 1929-1950. 10 volumes

Committee reports on membership; membership proposal cards. Numerically arranged volumes; no. 1-8, 10-11. There is no number 9.

Cite as: Rotary Club of Saint Louis Membership Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2970

# Rouse, Mary, Miss.

# Invitation, 1893 Aug 26. 1 item

Invitation ". . . to attend a Surprise Party, tendered to Miss Mary Rouse, at Plumer's Hall, Corner of 13<sup>th</sup> and Benton, on Saturday Evening, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 1893." Invitation sent by "The Committee."

Cite as: Miss Mary Rouse Invitation, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A2379

# Rozier, Edgar J.

# Papers, 1910-1911. 8 items

Collection includes membership card of Edgar J. Rozier in the Edgewater Club, St. Joseph, Michigan, for the year 1911; printed prospectus of the Flat River Mining Company, St. Louis, Mo., circa 1911 (8 pages); letter signed W.H. Mayfield, The Mayfield Sanitarium, 920 North Taylor Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., to Edgar J. Rozier, February 17, 1911, offering to sell his holdings in the Flat River Mining Company (letterhead and envelope include illustrations of the sanitarium); typescript letter signed L. Bertram Cady, L. Bertram Cady Company, tailors, 421 Olive Street, St. Louis, to Mr. E.J. Rozier, 4451 Westminster Place, St. Louis, March 16, 1911, promoting the company's products; state of Missouri County Resident Hunter's License issued to Edgar Rozier, authorizing him to hunt in Washington County, November 1, 1910; typescript letter of Wetzel, tailors, New York, to Edgar Rozier, St. Louis, Mo., informing Rozier of David Rice's upcoming visit to St. Louis; printed card of Wetzel announcing David Rice's appearance

at the Planters Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.; and receipt of Morgens Bros. C. & D. Co. [Morgens Bros. Cleaning & Dyeing Co.], 3407-3409-3411 Olive St., to Mr. E. Rozier (letterhead includes illustration of building).

Cite as: Edgar J. Rozier Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1325

Rozier Family.

**Papers, 1806-1900; 1923-1934.** 1 box; 1 volume (approximately 200 items)

Papers include genealogical information, clippings regarding Rozier family; receipts and notes to John Audubon, 1810, 1814; Rozier family correspondence to Francois Rozier, Nantes, France, regarding family matters, education of children, business (i.e. skins, mines); document signed Ferdinand Rozier, September 11, 1820, order for night patrol to prohibit slaves from running at large, Ste. Genevieve; Ferdinand Rozier, various places, to family regarding family and business; "Rules and conditions under which all peaceable persons will be admitted to work on the lands of the subscribers," Decemer 6, 1826, handwritten document outlining 11 conditions for working mines of Valle and Valle; journal, in French, no. 8, 1837 June 28 to 1838 July 20, with typescript describing life in area around Ste. Genevieve, with mentions of mines, taking care of animals, loneliness, despair, no identification; journal, 1840 April 15 to May 13, partly code or shorthand, with typescript of what is actually written, possibly written by Ferdinand Rozier; correspondence about collection. A notebook of genealogical information on the Rozier family including obituaries. Contains four lectures of Firmin Rozier, dated 1878-1888, and a circular for the Old Ste. Genevieve Academy, operated by Firmin Rozier, dated 1854. Some French.

Cite as: Rozier Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1326

Rozier, Henry.

**Ledger, 1828 Feb 14-1841 Aug 9.** 1 volume (140 pages)

Commission and shipping merchant's record of steamboat shipments from Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, mostly to New Orleans, Louisiana (1828-1841); and later unidentified general merchandise accounts (1864).

Cite as: Henry Rozier Ledger, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1327

Rozier, Henry.

"Old Ste. Genevieve" / Manuscript, no date. 1 folder (22 pages)

Manuscript of speech of Henry Rozier on the history of Ste. Genevieve.

Cite as: Henry Rozier, "Old Ste. Genevieve," Manuscript, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1328

Rubelmann Family.

Papers, 1803-1897. 4 folders (approximately 200 items)

Wedding invitations, family correspondence of Umrath family and Rubelmann family in St. Louis; bound volume, "Aus meinem Leben von Jakob Lucas," typed. German.

Cite as: Rubelmann Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1329

# Ruff, Charles F.

# Papers, 1846-1859. 2 boxes

Charles F. Ruff married Annie Dougherty, daughter of Major John Dougherty, in 1842 in Liberty, Missouri. He died October 1, 1885.

The collection relates to the personal life and military career of Major Charles F. Ruff. The bulk of the collection consists of returns for clothing and camp garrison and horse equipage invoices for Companies I and II, Mounted Riflemen, at points on the "Oregon Route" and at Columbia Barracks and Fort Childs, Oregon Territory; Jefferson Barracks, Missouri; Mobile, Alabama; New Orleans, Louisiana; and Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. Additional materials include a notebook of the Santa Fe expedition (1846) and other materials relating to the Mexican War; correspondence with Major John Dougherty, 1852-1859; biographical information; and a sketch of the life of Annie Dougherty Ruff.

Cite as: Charles F. Ruff Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3133

# Ruff, Charles F. (1818-1885) and Annie E. (1824-1909).

Family Papers, 1836-ca. 1890 (bulk 1842-1850). 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Annie Elizabeth Dougherty was the only daughter of John and Mary Dougherty, born August 29, 1824, at Fort Atkinson, Council Bluffs, Nebraska Territory. On November 4, 1842, she married Charles Frederick Ruff, a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army, son of William and Rachel Ruff of Philadelphia. He had a long military career, serving in the Mexican War, the Civil War, and along the western frontier. For more information on Annie E. Ruff and her family, see Annie's Story: The Extraordinary Life of Annie Dougherty Ruff by Mark William Kelly (2015, MHS Library B/R89k).

The family papers primarily include letters written and received by Annie E. Ruff, Charles F. Ruff, and several family members; some business and political correspondence and also land documents that belonged to John Dougherty; and two photographs. The papers are arranged chronologically.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles F. and Annie E. Ruff Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A1330

# Rumbold, Charlotte.

Papers, 1846-1946. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Charlotte Rumbold was a social reformer who worked in St. Louis for the Open Air Playground Committee in 1902, spent nine years as playgrounds supervisor for the city starting in 1906, and compiled a descriptive report on terrible housing conditions for the city's Civic League in 1908. She also organized a large, successful Pageant and Masque in Forest Park in 1913 to celebrate the city's 150th anniversary. A suffragist and popular speaker, her motto was, "If we play together, we will work together." In 1914, the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* named her the "best-known young woman in St. Louis." The following year, when she asked for a raise from St. Louis as New York was recruiting her for a \$4,000-per-year position, despite public outrage, the city's Board of Aldermen voted against her raise given that "she is not a voter." She resigned and moved to Cleveland, Ohio, to work for the Chamber of Commerce as secretary of the city planning committee, where she studied Cleveland's housing situation and made recommendations. She was responsible for Cleveland's first group housing in 1917, and she

continued her work to eliminate slums and improve housing conditions and public spaces. She died at age 90 in Cleveland.

Collection regarding Dr. Caroline Rumbold, noted plant pathologist and specialist on fungus diseases of trees; regarding her sister Charlotte Rumbold, early feminist and for many years director of playground recreation in St. Louis; regarding the related Engelmann, Ledergerber, and Hildenbrandt families; diaries of Caroline Rumbold's trip around the world in 1928; translations of Adolph Engelmann's letter to his family while serving in the Mexican War; photographs, newsclippings, passports, birth certificates, and other documentary material. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charlotte Rumbold Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1331

Rumbold, Frank M., General.

Papers, 1890-1927. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Frank M. Rumbold was commander of the 128th Field Artillery, and served in the Spanish-American War and World War I.

Papers concerning the military career of Frank M. Rumbold and his command of the 128th Field Artillery.

Cite as: Frank M. Rumbold Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1332

Runge, Edward C., Dr. (1856-1904).

Papers, 1897-1942. 2 folders (approximately 50 items)

Dr. Edward C. Runge came to St. Louis in 1883. He found work checking baggage in Union Station. In 1888, he started classes at the St. Louis Medical College, and graduated in 1891. Dr. Runge married Ms. Emily Foote. He also took a position under Dr. Frank R. Fry in the Neurological Clinic of the St. Louis Medical College. He also held the position of instructor in physiology at the St. Louis Medical College. In 1895, Dr. Runge was appointed superintendent of the St. Louis Insane Asylum.

Two annual reports of the superintendent of the St. Louis Insane Asylum (27th, 1897; 33rd, 1903) (transferred to library); typescript letter signed Edward Runge to Health Commissioner Max Starkloff, June 6, 1898, regarding transferring St. Louis Insane Asylum to the state with lists of maintenance costs, etc.; annual reports of "Vacation Playground" (1900-1904), playground during summer school vacation for children started by Wednesday Club (transferred to library); report of review of eight years of work at the St. Louis Insane Asylum, by Dr. Runge, 1903 (transferred to library); memorial notices of Dr. Runge; certificate appointing Mrs. Emily F. Runge assistant probation officer, 1907; deeds, photographs of patients at asylum and juvenile court offenders; book of compositions of Emily Foote, 1892; collection of newsclippings regarding the insane asylum.

Cite as: Edward C. Runge Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2333

Russell, Cyrus.

Collection, 1845; no date. 3 items

Collection contains undated typescript reminiscences of Cyrus Russell (2 pages) and his son C.S. Russell (7 pages), civilians living near Pilot Knob, Mo. Contains Cyrus Russell's account of his being taken prisoner, and C.S. Russell's account of the family's encounters with soldiers during the time of the Battle of Pilot Knob. Collection also contains letter signed Cyrus Russell,

Arcadia, Madison County, [Missouri], to Mr. S.D. Chapin [Samuel D. Chapin], [Somers, Tolland County, Connecticut], March 26, 1845. In this letter, Russell tells Chapin that he has "made arrangement with Collins & Kellogg of St. Louis to receive the money at Hartford"; provides instructions for selling his trees, barn, and land in Somers; and mentions the prices at which he has recently sold oats and potatoes in Missouri.

Cite as: Cyrus Russell Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1333

## Russell, Edna Frances.

# **Correspondence 1922, 1933-1952.** 2 boxes

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Russell of Fulton, Missouri, teacher of English and education in Orrick, Missouri (1934-1936), Memphis, Missouri (1937-1938), and at the University of Missouri (1940-1951). Married George K. Morgan in 1951, whereupon she left her teaching position to join him at Fort Polk, Louisiana, and then returned to Fulton, Missouri, when he was shipped overseas.

Correspondence received by Edna Frances Russell from her parents in Fulton, Missouri, friends, and from her fiancé and husband, army Lieutenant George K. Morgan, when he was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Camp Polk, Louisiana, Camp Stoneman, California, and on board the *General Black* during the Korean War. Includes only a few letters written by Edna herself. Of note is one letter written by her father regarding the work of the Missouri Relief and Reconstructions Commission during the depression (letter of October 4, 1933).

Cite as: Edna Frances Russell Correspondence, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1334

# Russell, William (1778-1857).

# Land records, 1811-1861. 4 volumes

William Russell was born in Frederick County, Virginia, came to St. Louis in 1804, and served as surveyor for the United States government in Missouri and Arkansas. He speculated in large tracts of land in Missouri, Illinois, and Iowa. His only daughter, Ann, to whom he left his estate, married Thomas Allen, who then managed his holdings.

This collection consists of records written by William Russell to document his land holdings in Missouri, Illinois, and Iowa, and references transactions dated 1807-1853. These records also include annotations dating up to 1861, some of which were probably made by Russell's son-in-law Thomas Allen. Collection also includes a one-volume record of Russell's orchard at Crystal Springs, Missouri, with memoranda on fruit production and planting (1835-1854). In addition, contained on the first 29 pages of the earliest volume are field notes, plat drawings, and other records of surveys made by Russell in 1811-1812 in his capacity as U.S. government surveyor, and furnish detailed descriptions of lands and lots in the St. Louis area.

Cite as: William Russell Land Records, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1335

# Rutgers College collection. 1787-[1857]. 1 folder (approximately 50 items)

Mostly typescripts. Journal of Arend Rutgers, 1787-1827, account of trip from Utrecht, Holland, to St. Louis; A. Rutgers sold his tract of land to the government to be used as the St. Louis Arsenal, copy of original; typed letters of people like Elijah Lovejoy regarding articles in the *Observer*; Thomas H. Benton, 1839, letters regarding political news of the day; correspondence to A.R. Corbin discussing national politics, 1836-1856; two letters, typed copies, U.S. Grant to "Dear Father," December 28, 1856, and February 7, 1857, containing family news

and difficulty with farming.

Cite as: Rutgers College Collection, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A1336

Rutledge, Wiley Blount (1894-1949).

Papers, 1936-1949. 1 folder (approximately 25 items)

Dean of Washington University School of Law, 1931-1935. While in St. Louis he was active in the city, state, and national bar associations. He served as associate judge of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Political and personal correspondence with Luther Ely Smith, Fred Gerber, etc; biographical notes and clippings regarding Rutledge's career and social activities.

Cite as: Wiley Blount Rutledge Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# Ryrie, D.D.

See D.D. Ryrie and Co. (Alton, Illinois).

*NOTE:* Collections for the <u>City of St. Louis</u> and for <u>St. Louis County, Missouri,</u> 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; 1 oversize folder

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; 1 oversize folder

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

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. Collection is also known as the St. Louis Recorded Archives and the French and Spanish Archives.

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 Collection, 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, 1947-1966 (bulk 1963-1966). 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, memoranda, and financial statements of the corporation. Also includes papers relating to the Gateway Arch, Busch Memorial Stadium, and the many events sponsored by the St. Louis Bicentennial Corporation. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Saint Louis Bicentennial Corporation, Inc., 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.

#### A2985

# St. Louis Browns.

# Official American League Schedule, 1952. 1 item

Cite as: St. Louis Browns Official American League Schedule, 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. Swekosky (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; 1 oversize item

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 Infirmary, 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.** 13 boxes; 1 volume

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 Advertizer, 1861 Dec 10-1862 Mar 10. 2 volumes

The *Saint Louis County Legal Record and Advertizer* was an official newspaper of St. Louis County, publishing legal notices.

Cite as: Saint Louis County Legal Record and Advertizer, 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, 1980-2006 (bulk 1989-1998). 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

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. Finding aid available.

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; 5 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); 1 oversize item

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.

#### A3078

# St. Louis Oral History Project

**Records, 1989-1992.** 1 folder

Vida Sister Prince conducted several oral history interviews from 1988 through 1992 for the Missouri Historical Society. This small collection of interviews covers a variety of topics about life in St. Louis during the first half of the  $20^{th}$  century.

The records include tape information sheets for each interview, notes, and background clippings. There are no transcripts. Most of the interviews took place in 1991 and 1992; one took place in 1989. There is not a single theme connecting all the interviews. Individuals were chosen to be interviewed based on recommendations from staff members. Bob Chambers, Elsa Ketzner, and Bill Shana reminisced about their lives in St. Louis. The Chambers interview focused on World War II home front years and Shana spoke about St. Louis's Czech community. The Kunz, Pruitt, and Taylor interviews focus on art and artists in St. Louis. Edna Kunz was married to artist and architect Victor Kunz. Vesta Pruitt and artist Spencer Taylor were both involved with the mural at St. Louis Lambert International Airport, *Black Americans in Flight*. Finding aid available.

Cite as: St. Louis Oral History Project Records, Missouri Historical Society 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.

# 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 Papers, 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 or 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 Bylaws, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# 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. 1 item 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; 3 oversize folders

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 newsclippings.

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 Louisanais, 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 Amoureaux

and correspondence of James Simms and J.N. Amoureaux.

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 fiancee, 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.

## A3123

# **San-Del Printing Company.**

Collection, ca. 1917-1930. 1 box; 7 oversize folders

The San-Del Printing Company was founded in 1915 and located at 604 Gratiot Street in St. Louis, with Armand F. Delporte as president and Charles G. Sanftleben as secretary/treasurer. Delporte moved to Chicago circa 1920, and in 1921 Charles G. Sanftleben became president, George Sanftleben became vice president, and Sophia Dallmeyer, formerly the bookkeeper, became the company's secretary. In 1948, John J. McSorley (1909-1981) purchased the company, changed the name to McSorley Printing Company in 1965, and closed it in 1968.

The collection consists of advertising and packaging literature printed by the San-Del

Printing Company from circa 1917 to 1930. The publications are arranged alphabetically by the name of client/company, with the exception of tobacco-related advertisements/packaging, which are placed in a single folder. Much of the collection is undated.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: San-Del Printing Company Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A2981

Sanguinet, Eugene Oberly (1872-1930).

Papers, 1875-1943. 5 folders; 1 oversize folder

Eugene Oberly Sanguinet was born November 2, 1872, in St. Louis. He served for 24 years in the Missouri National Guard before moving to Houston, Texas, circa 1914. He was appointed a captain in the Texas National Guard in 1917, and commanded the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, 131<sup>st</sup> Field Artillery, in France during World War I. Following the war he worked as vice president and sales manager of the William S. Barnickel Chemical Company in St. Louis. He died November 4, 1930, in St. Louis, and was survived by his widow, Clara Ann Sanguinet.

The collection consists primarily of military papers of Eugene O. Sanguinet, including appointments, commissions, correspondence, orders, enrollment certificate, and discharge certificates.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Eugene Oberly Sanguinet Papers, 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; 1 oversize folder

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-inlaw 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.

# A3083

Schaab, Henry (1814-1892).

Family Collection, 1844-2006 (bulk c.1876-1967). 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Henry Schaab was born in Germany in 1814. He became a naturalized American citizen in 1844 and married Mary Doerr with whom he had five children (John, George, Fred, Anna M., and Frank L.). In 1859, Henry opened Schaab Stove and Tinware in 1859 at 2024 South Broadway in St. Louis. He died in 1892, leaving the store to his son, Frank L. Schaab (1866-1961). Frank married Theresa Hepp (1871-1936) in 1895. They had two children: Theresa (Schaab) Rinderer (1896-1963) and Frank J Schaab (1903-1969).

The collection contains documents and a scrapbook pertaining to Henry Schaab, his descendants, and their business, Schaab Stove and Furniture, that was located on South Broadway in St. Louis for over a century. Documents date from 1844 to 2006, with the bulk of the items dating from circa 1876 to 1967. There is a gap from 1968 to 2005. The collection is arranged alphabetically by topic. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Henry Schaab Family Collection, Missouri Historical Society 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. Includes the following families, individuals, and subjects: Aubuchon, Beauvais, Bogy, Bolduc, Boverie, William Brinton, James S. Brown, Robert Tarver Brown, Thomas Joseph Brown, William Brown, Nicholas Cady, Caron, Henri Carpentier, Chauvin, Collins, Moses Cox, Charles Cushing, D'Auby, Delassus, Detchemendy, Henry W. Dodge, John Baptiste Duclas, Dudley, Dufour, DuPlasse, Eaverson, Feake (or Feke), Fredericktown, Mo., Flournoy, Garin, Gould, Guibord, Heins (or Hines), Iron Mountain Company, Alice Izard, Jenny Janis, Jones, Lagrave, George Lincoln, Louis Linn (or Lynn), Long, Aeneas Mackey, John Mead, Menard, Missouri settlements/Missouri statehood, Joseph Francis Moreau (or Moro), Cora Vallee Murphy, New Bourbon, Newlin (or Newland), Mrs. Mary Augustine Papin, Joseph Paxton, Francis E. Pope, Pratte, John Ramsey, James Rigdon, Rozier, St. Charles, Ida M. Schaaf, Andrew Scott, John Scott, Sharpe, Mrs. Alice M. Shaw, William Shaw, John Shay, Mrs. Minnie Sturgeon, Tarver, J.F. Darby Taylor, Test, Tucker, Valle, Wilkinson, and Winthrop. (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, 1854-1895.** 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 handscript in letterbooks.

Cite as: George Schlossstein Account Books, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3130

Schmitz, Edgar Ferdinand (1888-1967).

Papers, 1913-1919. 1 folder; 1 oversize folder

Edgar Ferdinand Schmitz was born June 14, 1888, in St. Louis, the youngest of four children of Rudolph (1852-1941) and Helene Appolonia (Lepphardt) Schmitz (1854-1937). He attended medical school and became a licensed physician in 1912. Edgar was inducted into the U.S. Army Medical Corps as a first lieutenant on June 21, 1917. He served in Europe during World War I from July 22, 1917, to April 28, 1919. From late 1917 to 1918, Edgar was attached to the 1st Battalion, King's Regiment (Liverpool) during the Battle of Cambrai and Operation Michael. He was awarded the British Military Cross for valor in May 1918. Edgar received an honorable discharge on May 7, 1919, and died June 12, 1967.

The papers contain the passport, World War I military documents, and a newspaper clipping relating to Dr. Edgar Ferdinand Schmitz. The papers date from 1913 to 1919, with a gap from 1915 to 1916, and are arranged chronologically.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edgar Ferdinand Schmitz Papers, Missouri Historical Society 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.

# A2979

# Schoenadel Family.

# Papers, 1904. 1 folder

The collection includes the following items: (1) Booklet titled "Guide to St. Louis and World's Fair, 1904" (16 pages). (2) Eleven admission tickets issued by the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company. (3) Louisiana Purchase Exposition stockholder's coupon ticket booklet of Edmund C. Krug, 2746 Allen Ave., 1904, which includes his photograph. (4) Identification card of F.C. Johnson of the Wilkes-Barre Record for The World's Press Week, May 16-21, 1904, at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. (5) Letter signed Fred [Schoenadel], St. Louis, to brother Joseph Schoenadel and Rose, May 18, 1904, includes descriptions of the World's Fair and working at The Inside Inn. Letter is written on stationery of The Inside Inn, which includes an engraved illustration of the inn; verso contains a map of St. Louis and a map of the fair grounds. Accompanying envelope also includes an illustration of the inn. (6) Letter signed Fred Schoenadel, St. Louis, Mo., to his brother Joseph Schoenadel, Electric Car Barn, Cumberland, Maryland, June 18, 1904, includes descriptions of working at The Inside Inn and dating a German Catholic girl. Also mentions that he got John May a job. Accompanying envelope includes an illustration of the Mines & Metallurgy Building. (7) Postcard signed Fred to his brother Joseph J. Schoenadel, Electric Car Barn, Cumberland, Maryland, July 14, 1904, postmarked World's Fair, St. Louis. Asks his brother to hold his mail, and that he will soon leave for Colorado Springs.

Cite as: Schoenadel Family Papers, 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 J. 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 Ottilie 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-decamp 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 (113 pages)

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.

## A2975

Second Presbyterian Church (St. Louis, Mo.).

Invitation, 1915 Mar 5-7. 2 items

Invitation of the Second Presbyterian Church (Taylor Ave. and Westminster Place) to the commemoration of the anniversary of the installation of Rev. Samuel J. Niccolls as pastor. Invitation includes the following names of committee members: H.B. Alexander, 4028 Westminster Place; Selden P. Spencer; John A. Laird; Mrs. John H. McCluney; and Miss Grace Niccolls. Also includes card announcing reception and anniversary sermon. Cite as: Second Presbyterian Church Invitation, 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 handscript.

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

Seversted, Per (1921- ).

The Per Seversted 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.

# A2996

# Shapiro, Benjamin.

# Papers, 1942-1984. 1 folder

Papers contain 24 cards issued to St. Louisan Benjamin Shapiro by numerous states certifying that he is a licensed architect; business cards of Benjamin Shapiro; and Selective Service registration certificate card of Benjamin Shapiro, 6926 Kingsbury Blvd., St. Louis, February 15, 1942[?].

Cite as: Benjamin Shapiro Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2973

# Shaw Club.

# Souvenir, 1882 Apr 14. 1 item

Souvenir of the Shaw Club for entertainment held at the LaClede Hotel, St. Louis, April 14, 1882. Souvenir includes a portrait of Henry Shaw on the cover; a dance card; a photograph of a building at the Missouri Botanical Garden; and the names of officers and committee members. These members include J.C. Kirk, president; Jno. B. LaBarge [John B. LaBarge], vice president; H.G. Lehmer, secretary and treasurer; W.S. Halliwell and Jos. L. Kick [Joseph L. Kick], reception committee; Mark R. Chartrand, Aug. Heman [August Heman], Saml. Moffitt [Samuel Moffitt], L.F. Curtis, and Jno. H. Martin [John H. Martin], floor committee; and H.F. Kirk, Jr., musical director.

Cite as: Shaw Club Souvenir, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2976

Shaw, Henry (1800-1889).

# Burial Service Program, 1889 Aug 31. 1 item

Program for the burial service of Henry Shaw at Christ Church Cathedral, August 31, 1889. Includes a portrait of Shaw.

Cite as: Henry Shaw Burial Service Program, 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.

# A3093

# **Sheppard, Charles Howard (1895-1987) and Opal Winifrede (1894-1965) Family Papers, c.1900-1965 (bulk 1916-1921).** 8 boxes

Charles Howard ("Howard") Sheppard met Opal Winifrede Trost in 1916 while they were college students, they wed in 1921 and had four children. Howard served in the U. S. Army in World War I in France but did not see battle. He was a civil engineer in Alton, Illinois, and a principal in the firm of Sheppard, Morgan & Schwaab.

The collection contains mostly correspondence along with some photographs, newspaper clippings, military records, and probate records relating to the Howard and Opal Sheppard family. The papers are arranged alphabetically by topic and type of document and span from 1916 to 1965 with the bulk of the collection dating from 1916 to 1921. Most of the collection is comprised of correspondence between Howard and Opal from 1916 to July 1921. There are several date gaps in the correspondence with the largest gaps occurring: August 1921-1925, September 1926-August 1941, and October 1944-1951.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles Howard and Opal Winifrede Sheppard Family Papers, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

# A1506

# Shepperd, David.

Papers, 1810-1869. 2 folders (approximately 70 items); 1 oversize folder

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 McMahon 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.

## A3096

Sherman, James (1911-1991).

World War II Papers, 1943-1946. 5 boxes, 1 volume.

James Sherman was born May 25, 1911, in Uman, Ukraine, Russia, the youngest of nine children of Aron and Etta Sherman. His older siblings included George, Oscar, Isadore, Joseph, Elizabeth Freiman, Leon, and Adolph. He received his naturalization certificate in 1937. On June 4, 1936, James married Dorothy Markenson (1914-2002) and had two sons: Allen (born 1938) and Stephen (born 1941). When his brothers were drafted in 1942 and 1943, James worked long hours with both the Sherman Brothers' Dry Goods stores and the Sherman Hat Company. On May 12, 1944, at age 32, he was inducted into the U.S. Navy. He trained at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station and then shipped to Hawaii. On August 14, 1944, James was assigned to the offices of the Commander Destroyer Pacific (ComDesPac) where he remained until the fall of 1945. On October 5, 1945, he was assigned to the destroyer USS *Taussig*. James filed a dependency discharge request in November 1945 and was officially discharged on February 1, 1946. (For more information on James Sherman and his family, see *The Life of James Sherman*, 1911-1991 by Steve Sherman [MHS Library StL/B/Sh553].)

The collection is comprised primarily of letters and greeting cards written and received by James Sherman while he served in the U.S. Navy during the final fourteen months of World War II. There are also documents relating to Sherman's military service and his discharge. The papers are divided into two series: Correspondence and Subject Files. The Correspondence series is arranged chronologically; the Subject Files series is arranged alphabetically by topic/type of document. The collection dates from August 1943 to January 1946 with the bulk of the collection dating from July 1944 to September 1945. An alphabetical list of James Sherman's correspondents and the dates of their letters appears as an appendix. Finding aid available.

Cite as: James Sherman World War II Papers, Missouri Historical Society 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.

## A2936

Sherman, William Tecumseh (1820-1891).

Letter to H.M. Rolland, 1890 July 28. 1 item

Letter signed W.T. Sherman [General William T. Sherman], New York, to H.M. Rolland, commander, Ransom Post 131, Grand Army of the Republic, St. Louis, Mo. Discusses his arrangements for attending the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in Boston. ". . . . I will be there as a delegate from Missouri and not as 'General Sherman.' I have been tortured beyond the limit of politeness to ride on horseback in the Procession, as also in a carriage with the President (Harrison, who in my guess will not be there), but I have adhered to my purpose to be there as a high private or not at all. . . ."

Cite as: William T. Sherman Letter to H.M. Rolland, 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.

## A3021

Shreve, Henry Miller (1785-1851). Papers, 1841-1845, 1900. 7 items

Collection contains five letters signed Henry M. Shreve to his wife, Mary Shreve: (1) Letter dated Hermitage, April 21, 1841, describes a robbery of ninety thousand dollars in paper and coins and the murder of Mr. Weaver and Mr. Baker. Mentions that wife is in Louisville visiting old friends. States that he brought Frank and Dave to the Boguy Factory[?] Company and discusses their wages. (2) Letter dated Washington, May 3, 1844, states that Brother Thomas wrote him a letter mentioning Mrs. Vhooses[?] and Hossiot[?]. Discusses the chances of his success, and a conference in Baltimore. Speculates on the upcoming presidential election. (3) Letter dated Baltimore, January 11, 1845, stating that he cannot yet come home because he has more work to do. Writes that Judge Pestle must go to Washington, and that he himself went to Brownsville and now has a cold for which he took medicine. Wishes he had brought Henry for company. (4) Letter dated Washington, February 8, 1845, stating that all communication to New York was stopped by recent snowfalls. Mentions Preston King stopping one of his bills and briefly describes the bill passing process. Mentions the City Council of St. Louis, and that he got a commission that made people—especially Judge Bowlin—realize his importance. (5) Letter dated Washington, February 17, 1845, complains that his friends don't believe in his bill. States

that Colonel Polk arrived and praised his "Removal," and that Colonel William Y. Butler is the hope for the head of the War Department. Says that he is sharing a house with Levi Tylor and Colonel Sam Churchill, who are from Louisville. Complains that S. Penn[?] is not his friend and is betraying him. Misses the kids and his wife and writes for Rebecca to wait for him. Cite as: Henry Miller Shreve 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, newsclippings 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.

# A2959

# Simon, Brookmire & Clifford.

# "A Graphic Financial History for the Panic Year 1907," 1908. 1 item

Chart issued by the Statistical Department of Simon, Brookmire & Clifford, stock and bond brokers, 315 North 4<sup>th</sup> St., St. Louis, was one of "a series covering the Financial Markets and reflecting the influence of fundamental conditions upon values for the period since 1885." Copyright 1908 by James H. Brookmire.

Cite as: Simon, Brookmire & Clifford "A Graphic Financial History for the Panic Year 1907," Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3026

# Singer, Rudolph.

Collection, 1918-1945. 4 folders; 1 oversize folder

The collection consists of documents and letters relating to the Rudolph Singer family and their flight from Nazi German to the United States in 1938. A distant cousin, Wallace Rindskopf of St. Louis, sponsored their entry into America. The family, Rudolph, his wife Elsbeth, and young son Tom, arrived in New York City in December 1938 and came to St. Louis in 1939.

German documents include Rudolph's driver's license, national identity card, certificates of origin for Rudolph and Elsbeth, and passports for the family marked with a red "J" on the first page denoting their Jewish status. The letters concern the steps taken to relocate the family, including the first letter written by Julius Stern, Elsbeth's father, asking for Rindskopf's assistance in February 1938. By July 1938, RIndskopf signed an Affidavit of Support swearing he could support the family upon their arrival in the U.S.

Tom Singer wrote a book in 2012, *Never Forget: My Family's Flight from Nazi Terror*. Almost every document and letter in this collection appears in the book. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Rudolph Singer Collection, Misouri 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 K.

Skinker family papers, 1839-1924. 3 boxes

Thomas K. Skinker was born June 9, 1845, in St. Louis County, Missouri, the son of Thomas Skinker and Jane Neilson Skinker. He graduated from Washington University and was admitted to the Missouri bar in 1867. He worked as a lawyer in St. Louis for several decades. He married Adela Bertha Rives of Virginia in 1869. Their children were Charles Rives Skinker (born December 18, 1870), Isabella Neilson Skinker (born June 23, 1873), Bertha Rives Skinker (born April 15, 1876), Alexander Rives Skinker (born October 13, 1883), and Jane Neilson Skinker (born April 9, 1885). Thomas K. Skinker died January 27, 1924, in St. Louis.

The collection consists primarily of Skinker family correspondence, the bulk of which is between Thomas K. Skinker and his wife, Bertha Rives Skinker. The collection also contains several folders of tax receipts of Thomas Skinker dated 1839-1886. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Thomas K. Skinker Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1518

Slaves and slavery collection, 1772-1950. 7 folders (96 items); 2 oversize folders

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.

[Smith, C.E.?].

Plats and maps.

See C.E. Smith & Co. Collection.

#### 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 newsclippings, 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 Wulfing, 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 Française 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 Française 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; 3 oversize folders

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. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Michael E. Spatz Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## 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 Roehamption, 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.

# 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.

#### A3037

# Stark, Lloyd C..

# **Collection, 1916-1950.** 3 folders

Lloyd Crow Stark (1886-1972) was born in Louisiana, Missouri. He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy and married Margaret Pearson Stickney of Baltimore, Maryland, in 1908, and they had two sons before her death in 1930. In 1931, Lloyd C. Stark married Katherine Lemoine Perkins (1901-1993) of St. Louis, Missouri, and they had two daughters. Stark served in the U.S. Navy from 1908 until 1912, when he returned to Louisiana, Missouri, and served as vice-president and general manager of Stark Brothers Nurseries. His business career was interrupted in 1917, by World War I when he volunteered for the army and served in the United States and in France. Stark was elected governor of Missouri in 1936 and served one term from 1937 to 1941. Stark passed away on 17 September 1972.

In 1916, Stark started a relationship with Maud B. (Cartwright) MacBride that lasted for years. At the time, both Stark and MacBride were each married with two children. Stark was the father of Maud's youngest daughter, Barbara Leigh MacBride. Barbara married James Bradley and resided in Des Moines, Iowa.

The collection consists of 16 letters written to Maud B. MacBride by Stark and newspaper clippings saved by MacBride about Stark. Being love letters, the correspondence lacks the mention of daily news and events that prove helpful in dating letters that bear no date. Stark wrote several times of America's reluctance to enter World War I and of his plans to re-enter the military once the U. S. entered the war in April 1917. Maud saved newspaper clippings of Stark's career that span from 1917 to 1945.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Lloyd C. Stark Collection, Misouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A2947

# Stark, Lloyd C.

# Letter to Charles A. Wyers, 1940 Sept 30. 1 item

Typescript letter signed Missouri governor Lloyd C. Stark, Jefferson City, Mo., to Charles A. Wyers, 7251 St. Andrews Drive, Normandy, Mo., appointing Wyers as a member of the Legal Advisory Board for Registrants for the Third Legislative District of St. Louis County under the Selective Service Act of 1940.

Cite as: Lloyd C. Stark Letter to Charles A. Wyers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2538

# Starkloff Family.

# Papers, 1977-2002. 10 boxes

Max Starkloff was born in St. Louis in 1937, the son of Carl and Hertha Starkloff. After a disabling automobile accident at the age of 21, Starkloff lived with his mother for four years, and then moved to a nursing home, the only option for people with severe disabilities at that time. During the twelve years he lived at the nursing home, Starkloff set out to make the necessary changes so that he and others with disabilities could live independent lives. In 1970, Starkloff cofounded Paraquad with Colleen, whom he would marry in 1975. Paraquad is an independent living center that continues to provide services and advocacy for people with disabilities. In 2003, Starkloff and his wife left Paraquad to establish the Starkloff Disability Institute. The Starkloffs continue their work to fully integrate and change societal attitudes about people with disabilities.

The collection contains correspondence and records of Max Starkloff and his wife Colleen in regards to their work with Paraquad on behalf of people with disabilities, including letters exchanged between Max and Congressman Richard Gephardt, speeches of Max, press clippings, corporate records of Paraquad with organizational structure and financial information, photographs, and information regarding a trip of the Starkloffs to Japan. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Starkloff Family 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.

# A3055

Stein, Melburn F. (1913-2016).

**Papers, 1913-2016.** 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Melburn (Mel) Frank Stein was born on 23 December 1913 to Theodore and Clara (Duddey) Stein in St. Louis. He served in the Civilian Conservation Corps in 1933. Stein enlisted in the Marines twice. From 1937 to June 1941, he served in China and the Philippines. After Pearl Harbor, Stein re-enlisted in February 1942 and earned the Bronze Star for his conduct during the battles of Bougainville, Guam, and Okinawa. Upon his discharge, Stein returned to the St. Louis Police Department, with which he served for 31 years. In April 1953, he was instrumental in foiling the Southwest Bank robbery. Stein was married twice, to Joyce Maddock and to Mavis Olmsted, and had two children. He died in 2016 at the age of 102.

The collection contains Stein's discharge certificates from the CCC and the Marines, a diary from his service in China, Marine documents from the Pacific, his Bronze Star citation; biographical information, newspaper clippings about his police career; and vital records of his family members, including Joyce Stein's immigration documents. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Melburn F. Stein Papers, Missouri Historical Society 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 handscript.

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); 1 oversize item

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); 1 oversize folder

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.

#### A3017

Stewart, Charles A., Jr.

**Papers, 1939-1946.** 3 boxes

Charles Albert Stewart, Jr. was born October 1, 1921 in St. Louis, Missouri to parents Charles A. Stewart, Sr. and Grace Stewart. He had one brother, Robert Stewart. Charles A. Stewart, Jr. attended Hadley Technical High School in St. Louis, Missouri before joining the U.S. Marine Corps on January 15, 1940. He began his training in San Diego, California, followed by eight months of service in Tianjin, China. He was captured as a prisoner of war by the Japanese on December 8, 1941 while serving as an American Embassy Guard in Beijing, China. His four years of imprisonment by the Japanese in China included time at Woosung Prison Camp, Ward Road Jail, torture at the Japanese "Bridge House," and two failed escape attempts before he was liberated by U.S. rescue teams on August 18, 1945. He married Delores H. Peterson on April 2, 1946 in Randolph County, Arkansas, before settling in St. Louis, Missouri. He died June 6, 1978 in Houston, Texas.

The collection consists of correspondence from Charles A. Stewart Jr., to his family, various newspaper articles and clippings, and a scrapbook, that document his military service during World War II and his time as a prisoner of war. The collection, which ranges in date from 1939-1946, is divided into correspondence, scrapbook, and newspaper articles, and arranged chronologically within each section. The correspondence includes letters from Charles A. Stewart Jr. to his family in which he discusses general conditions as a prisoner of war, but without detail presumably due to censorship. The correspondence also includes a letter from Commander Winfield Scott Cunningham, with whom Charles A. Stewart Jr. was briefly imprisoned. The scrapbook, presumably put together by Mrs. Grace Stewart, was donated unbound and the original order has been lost. It includes photographs of Charles A. Stewart Jr. during his service and World War II ephemera. The scrapbook also includes a signed letter, dated November 29, 1945, from President Harry S. Truman to Charles A. Stewart Jr. that

expresses gratitude for Stewart's military service. The newspaper articles headline pivotal moments of World War II before and after the United States' declaration of war. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Charles A. Stewart, Jr., Papers, 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.

## A3084

# Stockstrom, Bertha F. (1865-1941).

# Recipe Book, n.d. 1 folder

Bertha Friedericke Stockstrom was born in 1865 to Freiderich W. and Freidericke (Thilenius) Meister in St. Louis, Missouri. In 1889, she married Louis Stockstrom (1858-1945) and the couple had three children: Eleanor McMillan Browb, Arthur L. Stockstrom, and Jessie B. Russell. Bertha was a friend of Irma Rombauer, author of *The Joy of Cooking*, with whom she

most likely shared recipes. Bertha and Irma both grew up in prominent German households and they both worked with the South Side Charity Circle.

The recipe book is undated and includes mostly handwritten recipes. Additionally, there are loose pages of printed and handwritten recipes, a page of verses, and a pattern with notes for knitting a baby sweater, the only non-cooking item in the book. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Bertha F Stockstrom Recipe Book, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1577

Stoddard, Amos (1762-1813).

Papers, 1796-1812; 1904-1958. 20 folders (approximately 250 items); 1 oversize item 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); 1 oversize folder

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); newsclippings 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.

#### A2949

Stouse, Thomas.

# Enrollment certificate in the Missouri Militia, 1865 June 29. 1 item

Enrollment certificate of Thomas Stouse as a militiaman of Missouri, assigned to Company H, Jefferson County Regiment of Missouri Militia, dated Enrolling Office, Houses Springs [House Springs], June 29, 1865. Includes his age (27), occupation (farmer), and a physical description.

Cite as: Thomas Stouse Enrollment Certificate in the Missouri Militia, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1580

# Strauss, Julius Caesar.

# **Order books, 1908-1920.** 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, 1908, 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.

## A3072

# Strong Seed Planted.

# Oral History Collection, 1858-1994 (bulk 1988-1990). 2 boxes.

From November 1988 to April 1990, the Missouri Historical Society conducted an oral history project in conjunction with an exhibition about the civil rights movement in St. Louis. Staff and volunteers interviewed 24 people, many of whom were active with CORE (Congress of Racial Equality), the NAACP, or with other aspects of the movement. Project coordinators identified the Jefferson Bank protest planned by CORE, as a significant shift in the civil rights movement in St. Louis.

The collection is arranged alphabetically by interviewee name and spans from 1958 to 1994. It is comprised of project documentation such as tape information sheets and indexes to the taped interviews, background clippings relating to the interviewees and their civil rights activities, a few obituaries, and letters from Missouri Historical Society staff regarding the project. There are some partial transcripts and 15 full transcripts for the 23 interviews included in the oral history project. Three of the interviewee folders are restricted.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Strong Seed Planted Oral History Collection, Missouri Historical Society 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; 1 oversize folder

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; 1 oversize folder

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.

#### A3029

Sunder, John E. (1928-2011).

# Family Papers, 1890-ca. 1943. 1 folder

John E. Sunder, the son of Leo John Sunder and Loretta O'Toole Sunder, was born on October 10, 1928, in St. Louis. He received his B.A., M.A., and Ph. D from Washington University. He served in the United States Army and was stationed in Korea for two years. Later, he moved to Texas where he taught Western History at the University of Texas. He died on April 3, 2011.

Leo John Sunder was born on October 4, 1893, in St. Louis. He was the son of Johann Bernard Sunder, who was born in Germany, and Christina Ortbals. He worked as a machinist at the Hoyt Metal Company in Granite City, Illinois. He enlisted in the United States Army on October 5, 1917, and served until May 23, 1919. He was assigned to Company M, 109<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, 28<sup>th</sup> Division, and fought in the Allied advance towards the Vesle River in France, where he survived a gas attack. He spent his remaining time in the military recovering from his wounds at a hospital. After his service ended, he returned to Hoyt Metal Company, and married Loretta O'Toole of St. Louis in June 1926 in Cuba, Missouri. He died on September 19, 1955.

John Sunder's uncle, Edward R. Dependahl (sometimes spelled Dependahl), was born on December 16, 1895, in St. Louis. He enlisted in the United States Army on June 22, 1918, in Wyoming, and was discharged in 1919. That same year, he married Mildred O'Toole in St. Charles, Mo. Before World War I, Edward worked as a rancher/cowboy in Wyoming, and after the war, he returned to St. Louis and became an automobile salesman. Edward Dependahl died on May 11, 1963.

The collection contains World War I-era letters exchanged between Leo John Sunder and his family in St. Louis while he was serving in Europe, which mention the injuries Leo suffered in France during a mustard gas attack and an outbreak of Spanish Influenza in St. Louis. The collection also includes military documents relating to the service of Pvt. Leo John Sunder and Pvt. Edward R. Dependahl; a circular letter of General John J. Pershing thanking American soldiers for their service in the World War, dated February 28, 1919; certificates of marriage; State of Missouri Employment Certificates for John O'Toole and Mildred O'Toole; World War II ration books; a confirmation record for Elizabeth Robins (mother of Mildred and Loretta O'Toole); registration certificates of Edward Dependahl in the selective service; and a typed list of rules for patients at a tuberculosis camp.

Additional family postcards and photographs were transferred to the Photographs and Prints Department.

Finding aid and transcriptions available.

Cite as: John E. Sunder Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A2141

# Sunder, 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. Sunder 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; 3 oversize folders

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 newsclippings 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, 1851-1869; 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.

# A3030

# Saint Louis, Missouri, Public Schools.

Records, 1766-2008. 117 boxes; 20 oversize boxes; 11 flat storage boxes; 15 oversize folders The Missouri State Legislature passed an act on February 13, 1833, entitled, "An act to establish a corporation in the city of St. Louis for the purpose of public education." Among the stipulations, the act gave title, possession, and control of all lands designated for school purposes to the corporation. In 1836 the citizens of St. Louis voted to sell the Commons and to allocate ten per cent of the sale to the support of public schools. The school board managed the lands, leasing much of it to raise funds for building schools, renting school space, paying salaries, and for covering the general expenses of the public school system. On April 1, 1838, the St. Louis Public Schools opened its first school building at the southwest corner of 4th and Spruce known as South School and later as Laclede Primary School. Prior to this, the district rented spaces appropriate to house students. Erecting new school buildings continued as St. Louis grew and twenty new schools were built before 1860. Included in the tally was Central High School, the first high school building in the district. The district boasts several firsts in education. In 1873, under the direction of Susan Blow, the first public kindergarten in North America opened in St. Louis. Sumner High School opened in 1875, the first African-American high school west of the Mississippi. Then in 1905, the district purchased items that were displayed at the 1904 World's Fair as the basis of the Educational Museum. The department was unique in public education and grew into the nation's first audiovisual department. The district was responsive to the needs of its pupils. In 1868, it opened its first vocational school. As tuberculosis became a greater health concern, it offered open-air schools to at-risk children. Schools for the deaf and for children with disabilities opened in the early 20th century. More schools were built in the 1950s. In 1954, the St. Louis Public Schools began the process of desegregation. Charles Guggenheim directed a documentary short about desegregation in St. Louis in 1956, A City Decides. In 1972, five parents who had grown frustrated with the bussing solution to segregation filed a complaint in the U.S. District Court that the Board of Education and the State of Missouri followed policies and practices that encouraged segregation. This led to two decades of court involvement, to the creation of the Voluntary Interdistrict Choice Corporation, and an extensive capital improvement program. In the 21st century, the school district struggled with the results of urban flight. The St. Louis Public Schools hit its highest enrollment of over 115,000 students in 1967 and its lowest of just over 23,500 students in 2011. The district systematically closed schools and began selling many of the historic buildings in order to shrink its size to match the declining enrollment. It determines the buildings' fate with the assistance of a Building Revitalization Collaborative in order to redevelop the closed schools into projects that benefit the city's neighborhoods.

The collection contains property records relating to land owned by the St. Louis Public Schools, school subject files (containing brochures, commencement programs, newspaper clippings, class reunion notices/programs, PTA records, and school anniversary programs),

scrapbooks, Audiovisual Services classroom guides, Office of Public Information records (including tax and bond issue campaign plans, advertisements, publicity photos, working files/notes, and media-related items), Board of Directors meeting minutes, specifications for school buildings, and more. Individual student records are not included in the collection and are maintained by the St. Louis Public Schools.

Finding aid is available.

Cite as: St. Louis Public Schools Records. 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 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; 5 oversize folders

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 Infirmary (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 Advertisining 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 handscript.

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.

#### A2961

Taylor-Walker Family.

Papers, 1913-1921. 4 items

Collection includes the following four items: Diploma of Virgil S. Walker issued by the Board of Education of the City of St. Louis for completion of the studies prescribed for the general course of the high schools, June 13, 1913; certificate for proficiency in penmanship awarded to Lucille M. Taylor for acquired excellence in practical business writing by study and practice from the Zaner method of arm movement writing as a student in Granite City public schools, given at Columbus, Ohio, March 8, 1918; Palmer method of business writing student's certificate for proficiency in rapid legible business writing awarded to Lucille Taylor, given at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, January 17, 1921; and Public Schools of East St. Louis certificate awarded to Martha Lucille Taylor for completion of the course of study prescribed by the Board of Education for the eighth grade of the Horace Mann School, given at East St. Louis, Illinois, June 23, 1921.

Cite as: Taylor-Walker Family Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A1605

Teasdale, Sara, 1884-1933.

Papers, 1905-1956, 1976-1980. 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 Rosetti. 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 newsclippings 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.

# A3165

Teneau, Billie Ames (1928- ). CORE Papers, 1947-2006. 2 boxes.

Billie Gene (Coil) Teneau grew up in DeSoto, Missouri, where her father was the superintendent of schools. At age eighteen, she married Joseph L. Ames in 1944. After World War II, the couple moved to St. Louis to attend Washington University. They became involved with students who eventually became members of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality (CORE). The Ameses divorced in 1955. In 1958, Billie married Richard Teneau.

The collection consists primarily of oral history interview transcripts, memoirs, and various planning and research materials related to Victory without Violence: The First Ten Years of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality, a history of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality. There are also materials relating to Teneau's involvement in national CORE and several publications relating to segregation in St. Louis and to events about civil rights history in which Teneau participated. The files are arranged alphabetically by title and/or topic and date from 1947 to 2006.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Billie Ames Teneau CORE Papers, Missouri Historical Society 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. Loui-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, 18741889, 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. 18 boxes; 2 oversize folders

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, 1797-1958, no date (bulk 1797-1866). 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Michel Desravines Tesson (1759-1845) was born on the island of Santo Domingo in 1759. He came to the United States in 1793, settling in Philadelphia. In 1810 he moved to St. Louis, where he engaged in business. On February 14, 1811, he married Miss Adelaide Baroussel, who

was also from Santo Domingo. The couple had two children who lived to adulthood: Edward P. Tesson (1812-1883) and Coralie Tesson, who married Edward Polkowski. Michel Desravines Tesson died in New Orleans in 1845. In 1862, Edward P. Tesson's son Edward M. Tesson (1840-1901) married Laura A. Forsyth, who was the granddaughter of Thomas Forsyth (1771-1833). Thomas Forsyth served as an Indian agent at Peoria and Rock Island, Illinois, and died in St. Louis in 1833.

This collection contains papers of the related families of Michel Desravines Tesson and Thomas Forsyth. The bulk of the collection consists of correspondence, accounts, receipts, and bills relating to Thomas Forsyth's work as an Indian agent in Illinois in the early nineteenth century. The collection also contains papers relating to the genealogy of the Tesson, Forsyth, and related families; correspondence (mostly in French) of the Michel Desravines Tesson family and attorneys in France relating to the revolution in Santo Domingo and to family properties confiscated by the Haitian government after the revolution; and three daybooks of Thomas Forsyth with the Peorias, 1806-1816.

Some French.

Finding aid available.

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; 1 oversize item

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.

## A3116

Thomas, Martha (1839-1913).

# Louisiana Purchase Exposition Ticket, 1904. 1 item

Martha Edwards was born in England in 1839 and came to the United States in 1857. According to the 1880 census, Martha married George Thomas (1837-1900), a carriage manufacturer, and they had six children. After becoming a widow in 1900, Martha lived with her son, Henry Thomas, at 5014 Kensington Avenue. She died September 2, 1913.

The collection is comprised of one stockholder's coupon ticket booklet issued to Martha Thomas for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis in 1904. This booklet includes a photograph of Mrs. Thomas pasted inside the front cover. There are five pages of unused daily admission coupons but also evidence of several pages having been used. Pasted to the back cover is a "complimentary season frank" good for one free admission with the purchase of a regular admission ticket to three Pike attractions: Galveston Flood, Battle Abbey, and New York to the North Pole.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Martha Thomas Louisiana Purchase Exposition Ticket, Missouri Historical Society 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; 4 oversize folders

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 Finkelnburg & 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 businessrelated 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.

# A2969

## Tobin, Matthew J.

# Promotional Card, 1907 Mar 9. 1 item

Card promoting citizens to vote for Matthew J. Tobin for membership in the House of Delegates, 14<sup>th</sup> Ward, in the St. Louis Democratic primary election, March 9, 1907. Card states in part, "Union men take notice! Mr. Matthew J. Tobin has been indorsed by Local Union, No. 35, United Association Journeymen Plumbers, Gas Fitters, Steam Fitters and Helpers, with names of officers and seal attached."

Cite as: Matthew J. Tobin Promotional Card, 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.

## A2943

# Toelle, Paul

Papers, 1917-1963. 3 boxes; 1 oversize folder

Paul E. Toelle was born November 20, 1888, in Missouri, and was a Federal Prohibition Agent during the era of United States Prohibition. After the abolition of Prohibition in 1933, Toelle was transferred to the Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms unit of the Department of Treasury where he worked as an Alcohol Tax Administrator until he retired in 1953. Toelle resided at various addresses in St. Louis County, Missouri with his wife, Mrs. Mabel Burrows Toelle, and two daughters. He died August 12, 1973, in St. Louis.

The Paul E. Toelle Papers contains circulars, notes, letters, and publications pertaining to Paul E. Toelle's work as a Federal Prohibition Agent and his education to become an agent. Post-Prohibition materials are included from Toelle's position as an Alcohol Tax Unit Administrator. The papers regarding his career as a Prohibition Agent include folders of notes on his raids, daily reports, circulars regarding rules and regulations for Prohibition Agents and Alcohol Tax Administrators, and Toelle's correspondence regarding his jobs and positions. The notes on raids provide information on the location of the raid, the liquor that was found, and the people involved. A detailed list of the raids can be found at the end of this inventory. The papers regarding his schooling to become an agent include folders of material on Constitution and Laws, Criminal Investigation, Criminal Procedure, Enforcement Law, Extension Courses, Prohibition, and class notes. The papers within each folder are arranged chronologically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Paul Toelle Papers, 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 Suton (Sutton) and Sappington families including John L. Suton, 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 newsclippings; 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 newsclippings, 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.

## A3007

## **Tuberculosis Ball Game.**

## **Circular, [1923] June 14.** 1 item

Circular for tuberculosis baseball game at Sportsmans Park between the St. Louis Cardinals and Boston. Proceeds from this annual game were donated to the Tuberculosis Society of St. Louis.

Cite as: Tuberculosis Ball Game Circular, 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.

## A3146

Tullock, Alonzo J. (1854-1904).

# Louisiana History Collection, 1794-2009. 1 box

Alonzo J. Tullock (1854-1904) was a civil engineer based in Leavenworth, Kansas, with an interest in the Louisiana Purchase. He spent many years amassing a collection of books and manuscripts relating to the topic. Tullock purchased many manuscripts from Armand Hawkins, an antiquities dealer in New Orleans, who received the documents from the grandson and greatgrandson of Charles Auguste Dehault Delassus (1767-1842). Delassus was the last lieutenant governor of Upper Louisiana from 1799 to 1804 and served as civil and military commander of the post at New Madrid from 1794 until his promotion in 1799. Francisco Luis Héctor, Barón de Carondelet (1747-1807) served as governor of the Spanish colonies of Louisiana and West Florida between 1791 and 1797.

The collection contains eleven letters, and translations, written by Baron de Carondelet dating from 1794 to 1797 along with correspondence, newspaper clippings, and articles concerning Alonzo J. Tullock's Louisiana history collection dating from 1895 to 2009. The collection is divided into two series: the Carondelet series and the Tullock series. The Carondelet series is arranged chronologically; the Tullock series is arranged alphabetically by type of document. Date gaps in the collection are as follows: 1795, 1798-1894, 1898-1900, 1902, 1904-1954, 1956-1973, 1975-2002, 2004-2006, 2008. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Alonzo J. Tullock Louisiana History Collection, Missouri Historical Society 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 (approximately 1861-1924).

**Scrapbooks, 1882-1918.** 8 boxes

Charles Turner was born in Sterling, Kentucky, ca. 1861. He married a woman named Sarah, and the couple had two children: Augusta ("Gussie") Turner and Ralph Turner. The family lived in St. Louis where Mr. Turner was active in the local Republican Party in the late nineteenth and

early twentieth centuries. He was also active in many local civic organizations, the A.M.E. Church, and the African American community. Mr. Turner worked as a clerk for various St. Louis companies before being appointed sergeant at arms by the St. Louis City Council during a Republican administration, a title he held from about 1894-1901. While sergeant at arms, his duties included overseeing police department supplies. His son Ralph Turner was later appointed to serve as sergeant at arms for the City Council in 1913. In 1903 Charles Turner was employed as a clerk for the World's Fair, and by 1910 he was working as an express driver. Around 1915, he began working as a sanitation inspector, first for the Municipal Courts Building and later for the St. Louis Health Department. He died in Chicago, Ill., on August 30, 1924, and he was buried in St. Louis on September 2, 1924.

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 the Market Street Black business district, Black schools and cultural events, and politics.

Collection was formerly known as the Saint Louis African-American Newsclippings Collection. 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.

## A3018

Turner, Ike and Tina. Concert Ticket, October 9, 1965. 1 item Ticket to performance by Ike and Tina Turner and their All Star Revue, presented by the 2 plus 2 Club, at the St. Louis Armory, 3676 Market Street.

Cite as: Ike and Tina Turner Concert Ticket, 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.** 2 oversize folders (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.

## A3143

# Unemployed Citizens League Local No. 4 (Saint Louis, Mo.). Record Books, 1933-1938. 5 folders.

The Unemployed Citizens League Local No. 4 was an African American group and met at All Saints Episcopal Church. On 17 July 1932, a group of approximately 17 citizens met at the Soulard Branch of the St. Louis Public Library to organize the Unemployed Citizens League of St. Louis. Its mission was to "carry on self-help and co-operative activities among the unemployed of St. Louis." African American registered nurse M. Antoinette Howard was among those who attended the meeting, and she later took part in UCL conferences in St. Louis, speaking on relief for African Americans. Howard became an advisor and supervisor to Local No. 4, not an elected officer, working to get the local UCL involved politically, by writing letters to organizations and politicians and establishing a Child Welfare Clinic at All Saints Church in which children could be seen by nurses and doctors.

The collection is comprised of blank letterhead and three bound notebooks containing records relating to the Unemployed Citizens League of St. Louis Local No. 4 and a blank

application for the St. Louis Housewives' League. The records are arranged alphabetically by title and date from 1933 to 1938. There are no records for 1936.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Unemployed Citizens League Local No. 4 (Saint Louis, Mo.) Record Books, Missouri Historical Society 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.

# **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 Confederate 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.

## A3046

United States Customs Service, St. Louis District.

Records, 1831-1966. 2 boxes; 1 oversize folder

The U.S. Customs Service was created on 31 July 31, 1789, four days after the First Congress ratified the Constitution. The act established customs collection districts in more than 100 coastal, river, Great Lakes, and inland ports. The Port of St. Louis was designated Collecting District No. 45.

The Customs Service Records are comprised of small amounts of several types of records kept by the staff of the U.S. Customs Service in St. Louis. The records include common carrier

and customs bonds, manifests, customs brokers licenses, employee records, stamps for imported goods, and contracts relating to building the U.S. Custom House and Post Office in St. Louis. Finding aid available.

Cite as: U.S. Customs Service, St. Louis District Records, Missouri Historical Society 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.

## A2948

# **United States Golf Association.**

# Ticket to the 47th Annual Open Championship, [1947 June 12-15]. 1 item

Ticket to the Open Championship held at St. Louis County Club, St. Louis County, Mo. Cite as: United States Golf Association Ticket to the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Open Championship, 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.

## A2937

# The United States Time Corporation (Waterbury, Connecticut).

Letter to Mrs. Elmer C. Lehr, 1944 Feb 18. 1 item

Typescript letter of the Repair and Service Department of The United States Time Corporation, Waterbury, Connecticut, to Mrs. Elmer C. Lehr, 4973A Mardel, St. Louis, Mo, February 18, 1944. "This will acknowledge your request of February 14 concerning a 'Mickey

Mouse' watch on which you are desiring service. On June 1, 1942, our entire facilities were converted for the production of war goods only. Since this total conversion, we are not permitted to manufacture parts or materials for repair purposes, or are we allowed to assemble complete watches. . . ."

Cite as: Letter of The United States Time Corporation to Mrs. Elmer C. Lehr, 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.

# A3175

# Unknown Soldiers/Unsung Heroes: Youth Activism in the St. Louis Civil Rights Movement Oral History Project.

# **Transcripts, 2004-2005.** 1 box

In the Unknown Soldiers/Unsung Heroes Oral History Project, the Missouri Historical Society examined the participation of young people in St. Louis's civil rights movement. The project focused on the role of the St. Louis Committee of Racial Equality (CORE) for a 10-year period beginning in 1948 and the activism by a group of high school students in the NAACP Youth Council in 1960 and 1961. Both groups primarily targeted segregated eating facilities. The society also published a teacher's manual based on the project: Unknown Soldiers/Unsung Heroes: Youth Activism in the St. Louis Civil Rights Movement, 1948-1961: A Teacher Resource Manual (MHS Library: StL / 323.1 / Un58).

The collection contains oral history interview transcripts, interview summary and context synopses, topics indexes, biographical information and family history forms, and other documentation relating to the project. Additionally, there are items such as leaflets and yearbook pages provided by some interviewees to help tell their stories. Gwen Moore, historian at the Missouri Historical Society, conducted all seventeen interviews in 2004 and 2005. The files are arranged alphabetically by interviewee name. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Unknown Soldiers/Unsung Heroes: Youth Activism in the St. Louis Civil Rights Movement Oral History Project Transcripts, Missouri Historical Society 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: François 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 Gianinni 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. May not be reproduced in its entirety or published without permission of owner of the original journal.

Cite as: Dominique F. Verdenal Journal, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# A3008

## Verdin, James.

# Washington Fire Company Certificate, 1854 Aug 24. 1 item

Illustrated certificate of the Washington Fire Company (St. Louis, Missouri) given to James Verdin who has served as an active fireman for seven years and is by charter exempt from jury and military duty.

Cite as: James Verdin Washington Fire Company Certificate, 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 handscript.

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 newsclippings 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, 26<sup>th</sup> Infantry. He served along the Mexican border before going with the first contingent to France in June 1917. He fought in the battles of Cantigary 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 solider 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.

## A2997

Wagener, Hy.

Receipts, 1916 Oct. 3 items

Three receipts of Hy. Wagener [Henry Wagener or Henry Wagner], Affton, Missouri, from the following St. Louis businesses: Schneidt's Studio, 3301 South Jefferson Ave.; Frank L. Schaab Stove Co., 2022-2024 South Broadway; and Kluegel, Poppitz & Kirchhoff, 2501 and 2503 South Broadway.

Cite as: Hy. Wagener Receipts, 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; 1 oversize folder

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.

# A3081

Waller, Martha Ann (1872-1946).

Scrapbook Collection, 1861-1925 (bulk 1861-1901). 1 box; 2 volumes; 1 oversize folder Martha Ann (Mattie) Anderson and her older sister Lizzie Anderson Wright (1864-1938) completed the kindergarten teacher training program run by the St. Louis Public Schools. They both taught in St. Louis. Mattie Anderson married James Mercer Waller in 1901. Lizzie Anderson married Frank M. Wright. Their father, Major Alexander G. Anderson (1830-1900) joined the confederate Missouri State Guard, was appointed as Commissary for the 8<sup>th</sup> district in July 1861 and served with Gen. Francis Cockrell until the end of the war.

The collection dates from 1861 to 1925 and is comprised primarily of six scrapbooks kept by Mattie Anderson Waller containing items dated from 1861 to 1901. Five of the volumes relate to Mattie's teacher training. There are two documents from Mattie's older sister, Lizzie Anderson Wright: her kindergarten teacher training certificate signed by Susan Blow (1883), her membership in the United Daughters of the Confederacy (1925). In the Family Scrapbook are seven Civil War documents saved by Major Anderson including: his appointment as Commissary for the 8<sup>th</sup> district of the Missouri State Guard (5 July 1861), a special order after the Confederate defeat at Vicksburg, and his oaths of loyalty (Alabama and U.S.A.) along with various forms of confederate money and securities.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Martha Ann Waller Scrapbook Collection, Missouri Historical Society 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.

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, Fayett[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.

# 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.

#### A2938

## Washington Park Cemetery (St. Louis, Missouri).

Card Index, circa 1920s-1980s. 71 boxes

In 1920, Andrew H. Watson and Joseph J. Hauer established Washington Park Cemetery in Berkeley, north St. Louis County, to serve African Americans. It became a prestigious cemetery for blacks from the 1920s to the 1960s. Interstate 70 cut through the cemetery in 1955. In 1992, the northern half of the cemetery was condemned for Metrolink and airport expansion. Several thousand bodies were moved to Memorial Park Cemetery, Lake Charles Cemetery, Oak Grove Cemetery, and St. Peters Cemetery.

The collection consists of two indices. The first index, which is arranged numerically by section and lot numbers, provides information on who purchased the lot, the price of purchase, the date of sale, and the names of people buried in the lot. The second index is arranged alphabetically by the name of the deceased and provides the last residence, age, place of birth, undertaker, place, cause and date of death, and the date of interment. Researchers can find a card in the name index and then check the section index to find the names of additional people buried in a lot.

Cite as: Washington Park Cemetery (St. Louis, Missouri) Card Index, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### A1718

**Washington University collection, 1870-1979.** 9 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.

#### A3115

Washington University School of Medicine.

## Collection, 1930. 1 folder

In 1891, responding to a national concern for improving doctors' training, Washington University acquired the independent St. Louis Medical College and established a medical department. In 1899, Missouri Medical College joined the department, uniting the two oldest medical schools west of the Mississippi River. By 1918, the department officially became the School of Medicine under the guidance of university board member Robert S. Brookings.

The collection contains a 1930 commencement program for Washington University, which includes the School of Medicine, and the Rules and Regulations of the Student Honor System for the School of Medicine.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Washington University, School of Medicine Collection, Missouri Historical Society 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.

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 Boeschenstein. 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 newsclippings 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, H.

# 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: H. 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, 1911-1968. 6 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 newsclippings 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.

#### A2999

Welkener, Geo.

# Stock Certificate of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, 1904 June 28. 1 item

Stock certificate of Geo. Welkener [George Welkener] for five shares of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company.

Cite as: Geo. Welkener Stock Certificate of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, 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 oversize 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.

#### A3038

Wells-Gordon Family.

Collection, 1825-2015. 1 box (13 folders); 1 oversize folder

The collection is divided into two series: Wells-Howard Family series (f.1-7) and the Gordon-Hutchinson Family series (f.8-13). Each series is arranged chronologically within each family name. The Wells-Howard Family series contains letters and documents relating to Rolla Wells (1856-1944), his wife, Jane Howard Parker (1857-1917), and to her parents and siblings. The Gordon-Hutchinson Family series, contains letters, deeds, and other documents pertaining to Lindell Gordon, Jr., who married Rolla Wells' granddaughter, Maud Miller Streett, and his ancestors.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Wells-Gordon Family Collection, Missouri History Museum, St. Louis.

#### A1732

Wendell Willkie presidential campaign newsclipping collection, 1940. 1 box; 1 oversize

folder

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).

## A3028

Westbrook, Harold William (1895-1977).

Papers, 1917-1919. 1 folder

Harold William Westbrook was born November 6, 1895, and died August 24, 1977. His father was Lucien H. Westbrook, a furniture dealer. His mother Emma was of German descent. Harold was raised in Centralia, Illinois, with his older sister Evelyn. He served during World War I as a switchboard operator and lineman in Battery H, 149th Field Artillery Battalion, 42nd "Rainbow" Division, and participated in four major campaigns: Champagne, Château Thierry, Saint-Mihiel, and the Meuse-Argonne Offensive. He was discharged in mid-1919 after staying in Europe as part of the United States Occupation Force. After the war, he married Irene and they had a son named William. He worked as a proprietor of a retail dry-goods store.

Eugenia Cayce was born July 25, 1898, and died September 11, 1989. Her parents were Charles C. Cayce, who worked for the Shoe Travelers Association, and Clara Johnson. She had a sister named June. Eugenia was raised in Vienna, Illinois, where she met Harold early in her life, attending grammar school with him. Her family relocated to St. Louis before 1910. After graduating from Soldan High School in 1916, Eugenia worked as a clerk and a stenographer for the Missouri Pacific Railroad. In 1921, she married Edwin Roy Waldemer.

The collection contains twelve letters and five postcards written by H.W. Westbrook to his friend, Eugenia Cayce. The letters and postcards date from December 9, 1917, to April 2, 1919, and detail Westbrook's time in the United States Army in France, Germany, and Luxembourg during World War I.

Finding aid and transcriptions available.

Cite as: Harold William Westbrook Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

#### 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.

# 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.

#### A3126

# Wet Willy's Water Slide (Peerless Park, Mo.).

# Architectural Drawings, 1978. 1 oversize folder

In June 1978, the first Wet Willy's Water Slide opened west of St. Charles along Interstate 70, as St. Louis's first water slide attraction. By December 1978, plans were underway to open a Wet Willy's on a bluff overlooking the intersection of Interstate 44 and state highway 141 in Peerless Park, Missouri. It was designed by Galen B. Pellham, an architect from Springfield, Missouri. The park was a mainstay of the area from approximately 1979 to 1999.

The architectural drawings are blueline copies comprised of six numbered sheets dated November to December 1978. The sheets include a site plan that shows the entire facility including the slide flumes and lower pool; floor plans and elevations for the building; various plans, details, and sections for the pool and building; and electrical and mechanical plans. There is also a logo for the business in the margins of the drawings. A stamp on the verso of Sheet 6 provides the permit number issued by Peerless Park Building Commissioner, Rudolph Beuc Jr. on December 20, 1978. It also lists James Kell and Mike Ingeam as owners and Charles Hoke as the builder.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Wet Willy's Water Slide (Peerless Park, Mo.) Architectural Drawings, Missouri Historical Society 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, newsclippings, 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.

## Whitman Family.

Papers, 1855-1960. 1 folder (approximately 50 items); 3 oversize 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.

#### A2957

Wilkerson, Jerome F., Monsignor.

Funeral Homilies, 1983-1991. 2 items

Two printed homilies given by Monsignor Jerome F. Wilkerson: homily at the funeral of Thomas Lanier (Tennessee) Williams, St. Louis Cathedral, March 5, 1983, and homily at the funeral of Dorothy McBride Orthwein Bates (Mrs. Charles F. Bates, II, "Dotsy"), Annunziata Church, January 22, 1991.

Cite as: Mongisnor Jerome F. Wilkerson Funeral Homilies, 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.

#### A2968

Williams, James, Mrs.

**Papers, 1942.** 3 items

Papers contain the following items regarding Mrs. James Williams' work with World War II fundraising efforts in St. Louis: a distinguished service award certificate of the Greater St. Louis War Chest, Inc., to Mrs. J. Williams, November 26, 1942; 1943 War Chest Campaign manual of Mrs. James Williams titled "Giving Is Fighting This Year," which contains a circular letter from Women's Division chairman Mrs. Kathleen Kelley, typescript instructions to captains and workers, promotional information, and a typescript pledge list; and an envelope of The War Chest, Broadway and Olive, addressed to Mrs. James Williams, 4938 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, postmarked November 11, 1942.

Cite as: Mrs. James Williams Papers, 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 Sedletzeck, 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.

#### A3020

Wilson Family.

**Papers, 1841-1938.** 13 folders

David Wilson was born in the early 19<sup>th</sup> century in Virginia. He married Annie Vinyard and they had several children. One of their daughters, Martha, married Peter Politte. David Wilson moved his family from Virginia to Jefferson County, Missouri, in 1834. After the death of his wife in the 1840s and his wife's mother on November 16, 1844, Annie's father, Christian Vinyard, moved in with the Wilson family. Christian's son, Elisha Vinyard, was born in Kentucky and moved to Clay County, Missouri, and then to Oregon, where he had a successful farm, married, and had two children. David Wilson died in 1855. Martha's husband, Peter Politte, moved to California during the Gold Rush, but he failed to find any substantial wealth there, suffered from bad health, and died in 1864. David Wilson's brother Jonathan M. Wilson (born 1797) was a slave trader in New Orleans. His daughter Rachel married Elkanah D.W. Carper, a doctor who graduated from the University of Maryland's Medical School, and they lived together in Baltimore. Elkanah Carper died in April 1852 at New Castle, Virginia, at the age of 34.

Collection consists primarily of mid-nineteenth-century correspondence of the Wilson, Carper, Politte, and Vinyard families.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Wilson Family Papers, 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.

#### A3113

# Winthrop, Michael B. and Lois M.

Certificates, 1960-ca. 1968. 1 folder

Michael B. Winthrop (1916-1976) and his wife, Lois (Oberman) Winthrop (1924-1990), worked at the Religious School of the United Hebrew Congregation in St. Louis. For twenty-eight years, Lois Winthrop taught kindergarten, supervised the primary department, and served as registrar and principal.

The collection contains three certificates presented to Michael and Lois Winthrop for their service to the Religious School of the United Hebrew Congregation. The certificates are arranged chronologically, and each is in English with some Hebrew. Michael received certificates for ten years of service on February 13, 1960, and for eighteen years of service circa 1968. Lois received a certificate for ten years of service, identical to the one Michael received for eighteen years, circa 1968.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Michael B. and Lois M. Winthrop Certificates, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

#### A3159

## Wired Women Dance Inc. (Saint Louis, Mo.).

**Records**, **1983-1999**. 1 box, 1 oversize folder

Wired Women Dance Inc. began in June 1983 when Barbara Lau, Connie Lane, and Mary C. Carpenter sought a location to socialize with other women. It produced plays and brought nationally known musical and comedy acts to St. Louis. As comic and musical event productions increased, the weekly dances decreased. Wired Women secured various venues in the St. Louis area. It was a cornerstone of lesbian social life in the St. Louis area for a generation. Wired Women dissolved in 2004.

The collection contains records for Wired Women Dance Inc. dating from 1984 to 1999. The records are divided into two series: Administrative and Events. The Administrative series is arranged alphabetically by topic/type of document and dates from 1983 to 1999. The Events series is arranged alphabetically by topic and dates from 1984 to 1999. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Wired Women Dance Inc. Records, Missouri Historical Society 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 pharmaceutists, had laboratories in Philadelphia and St. Louis.

This four-page advertisement promotes lithia tablets, bromo soda, tono sumbul cordial, liquid pancreopepsine, 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.

# 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 rostrom 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.

## 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).

### A3111

# World War Adjusted Compensation Act.

**Collection, 1919-1935.** 1 folder

The World War Adjusted Compensation Act of 1924, or the Bonus Act, was a United States federal law passed on May 19, 1924, that granted a benefit to veterans of American military service in World War I. It promised veterans compensation for wages lost during their World War I service. However, payments were not going to be issued until 1945. Discussions about veteran compensation legislation began in 1918, with individual states passing legislation on the issue of bonus compensation for soldiers. In 1922, Missouri created a Soldiers' Bonus Commission, to oversee the payment of \$15 million to veterans of World War I. The state of Minnesota passed an act in September 1919 to pay bonuses to its veterans.

The collection consists of printed items relating to bonus compensation legislation for World War I veterans from private organizations, states, and the Government Printing Office. The materials date from 1919 to 1935 and are arranged chronologically. Finding aid available.

Cite as: World War Adjusted Compensation Act Collection, Missouri Historical Society Archives, St. Louis.

## A1771

## World War I collection, 1915-1970. 11 boxes; 4 oversize folders

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.

#### A3104

Wren, Pelagie Green (1942-2013).

Memorial Service Program, 2013. 1 folder

Pelagie Green Wren was born on September 6, 1942, to Marguerite and James Hudlin Green. In 1962, Mrs. Wren was the first African American woman to dance in the chorus at the Muny. She also performed with the St. Louis Civic Ballet, the St. Louis Dance Theatre, the Israeli Harakuda Folk Dancers, and the Legend Singers. Mrs. Wren was a graduate of Harris Teachers College and taught physical education and dance in the St. Louis Public Schools for more than

thirty years. She also operated the Pelagie Green Wren Academy of Dance in midtown St. Louis. Mrs. Wren died September 19, 2013, and was buried at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery.

The collection contains the program for the memorial service for Pelagie Green Wren held on October 1, 2013. It includes a biography of Mrs. Wren and several photographs. Finding aid available.

Cite as: Pelagie Green Wren Memorial Service Program, Missouri Historical Society 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. Correspondents include Rodman Wanamaker; Mary E. Whitman, Paris; Halsey C. Ives, Paris; Jiro Harada, Tokyo, Japan; Robert Henri, New York; Dr. Edward H. Angle, Pasadena, California; William Marion Reedy, St. Louis; Dr. William Everett Wilson, San Diego; Dr. Edward C. Kirk, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Frederick W. Coburn, Lowell, Massachusetts; William S. Bedal, St. Louis; Henry R. Lohmann, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Dr. Allan G. Brodie, Chicago; Carl Vogt, 11 Aberdeen Place, St. Louis, Missouri; Charles Nagel, 19 Lenox Place, St. Louis, Missouri; J.N. Watson, Glendale, California; John L. Meyer, A. Driemeier Storage and Moving Co., 3613-3617 North 20<sup>th</sup> St., St. Louis, Missouri; Arthur W. Green, The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, St. Louis, Missouri; Paul S. Limerick, Clayton, Missouri; and Jack Pickering, Washington University. Also includes typescript notes regarding the estate of Charles P. Davis, March 12, 1935 (written on stationery of Harry G. Davis, 7722 Maryland Ave., Clayton, Missouri).

Cite as: Edmund H. Wuerpel Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

## A3041

## Wulf, Edward F. and Viola E.

## **Papers, 1917-1968.** 1 box; 17 volumes

Edward Wulf worked as a bookkeeper with Brecht Butcher Supply. He volunteered to serve with the American Red Cross in 1918. His sister, Viola, was an office worker, an active member of the Rose Croix Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, an active member of the Missouri Walk Ways council, and belonged to a club called the Black Cats.

The collection is comprised of correspondence, church and entertainment programs, and news clippings sent home by Edward Frank Wulf while he served with the American Red Cross in France during World War I and as he travelled to and from Europe. The correspondence spans primarily from October 1918 through September 1919. Viola kept 17 volumes of diaries from 1931 until her death in February 1968.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Edward F. and Viola E. Wulf 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 form 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.

# **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.

## 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 newsclippings, 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.

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. Louisan.

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, Cliffen [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.

#### A2934

Young, John, Dr. (1836-1914).

**Papers**, **1847-1955**. 1 box; 1 oversize folder

Dr. John Young practiced medicine in Southwest Kansas and Northwest Arkansas for most of his career. He was born in Overton County, Tennessee in 1836 and began his study of medicine under the tutelage of Dr. David S. Booth, in Missouri and later, Sparta, Illinois. From 1862 to 1873 he lived in the West doing odd jobs, and returned to St. Louis in 1874 to complete his medical studies at the Missouri Medical College. He practiced for several years in Sherman City, Kansas before locating to Springdale, Arkansas, where he practiced medicine the remainder of his life. Young married Sophie Franklin, of St. Mary's, Canada West (now Ontario), and was the father of three children, Franklin Young, born in 1879, John Young, born in 1880, and Daisy Young, born in 1882. Young died in 1914.

The collection includes correspondence from Dr. David S. Booth, and a number of Dr. Young's classmates at the Missouri Medical College. Also included are a number of letters addressed to Sophie Franklin from various family members, and contemporary medical advertisements, and articles.

Finding aid available.

Cite as: Dr. John Young Papers, Missouri History Museum Archives, St. Louis.

# 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.

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 ladings, 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.