

CG Counts Family, Papers, 1884-1983  
2 0.2 cubic feet (7 folders)

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#### INTRODUCTION

This collection contains a genealogy written by Hilde W. Beaty of five generations of the Counts' family, starting with the Nicholas, Aaron, John Adam, and William David family lines. The family papers contain complete, and incomplete, correspondence and writings from George, J.W. (Julian), Henry, Joel, and Gilbert Counts, and others with unidentified authors. Photographs of identified and unidentified Counts' family, as early as 1884, are present. Diplomas received by Gilbert and J.W. Counts marking completion of education are stored separately in oversized folders. Miscellaneous papers from the family bible, with two bible pages recording life events removed and transferred to the collection.

Many of the Counts' family are buried in Mayberry Cemetery located in Avon Township, Ste. Genevieve County, Missouri. The Southeast Missouri counties of Ste. Genevieve, Madison, and St. Francois, along with the townships of Avon, Saline, and Doe Run, are identified in the correspondence.

#### DONOR INFORMATION

The records were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Eugene A. Counts on 17 September 2015 (Accession No. CGA0008).

#### FOLDER LIST

f. 1	Counts' Family Genealogy, 1983 (approximately 50 pages)
f. 2	Photographs of Counts' Family, 1884-1893, n.d.
f. 3	Letters written by J.W. (Julian) Counts, 1891-92, n.d.
f. 4	Life events recorded on bible pages and miscellaneous papers
f. 5	Letters to Gilbert Edward Counts, 1913, 1954
f. 6	Miscellaneous letters written or received by Counts' family members
f. 7	Oversize folder with diplomas for Gilbert and J.W. Counts

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