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K0524

Modern Jeweler [journal]  
1901-1981  
89 bound volumes

*Jewelers' trade journal published in Kansas City, MO.*

**HISTORY:**

Previous titles included *Kansas City Jeweler and Optician* (1901-1913);  
*Jeweler and Optician* (1913-1914?); and *Mid-Continent Jeweler* (1915-????)

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#### DESCRIPTION OF THE PAPERS:

Set of bound volumes of a trade journal for Jewelers, opticians, and watchmakers which began as a regional journal and became a national journal for the trade.

#### INVENTORY:

##### **BOX 001**

###### *Kansas City Jeweler and Optician*

- Volume 1 May 1901-April 1902
- Volume 2 May 1902-April 1903
- Volume 3 May 1903-April 1904 (covers in back of volume)
- Volume 4 May 1904-April 1905
- Volume 5 May 1905-April 1906
- Volume 6 May 1906-April 1907
- Volume 7 May 1907-April 1908
- Volume 8 May 1908-April 1909
- Volume 9 May 1909-April 1910
- Volume 10 May 1910-April 1911
- Volume 11 May 1911-April 1912
- Volume 12 May 1912-April 1913 (two copies)

##### **BOX 002**

###### *Jeweler and Optician [Kansas City dropped from name]*

- Volume 1913 V. 13 – May 1913-April 1914
- Volume 1914 V. 14 – May 1914-April 1915

*Note: name changed July 1914 to “Jewelry”: Mid-Continent edition. A new journal “Optometry” was created but is not in the SHSMO-KC holdings. The name changed again in May 1915 to Mid-continent Jeweler.*

###### *Mid-continent Jeweler*

- Volume 1915 V. 15 – May 1915-April 1916

Volume 16 May 1916-April 1917  
 Volume 17 May 1917-April 1918  
 Volume 18 May 1918-April 1919  
 Volume [1]9 May 1929-April 1920  
 Volume 20 May 1920-April 1921  
 Volume 21 May 1921-April 1922

**BOX 003**

Volume 22 May 1922-April 1923  
 Volume 23 May 1923-April 1924  
 Volume 24 May 1924-April 1925  
 Volume 25 May 1925-April 1926  
 Volume 26 May 1926-April 1927  
 Volume 27 May 1927-April 1928 (2 copies)  
 Volume 28 May 1928-April 1929  
 Volume 29 May 1929-April 1930  
 Volume 30-31 May 1930-April 1932

**BOX 004**

Volume 1931-1932 V. 31 – May 1931-April 1932  
 V. 32 – May 1932-January 1933  
 V. 33 – May 1933-October 1933  
 V. 35 – June 1935-December 1935  
 Volume 1936-1937 V. 35 – January 1936-April 1936  
 V. 36 – May 1936-April 1937  
 V. 37 – May 1937-December 1937  
 Volume 1938-1939 V. 37 – January 1938-April 1938  
 V. 38 – May 1938-April 1939 [September 1938 missing]  
 V. 39 – May 1939-December 1939  
 Volume 1940-1944 V. 39 – April 1940 (January-March 1940 missing)  
 V. 40 – May 1940-December 1940 [see below for missing]  
 V. 43 – April 1944 [see below for missing]  
 V. 44 – May 1944-December 1944  
 Volume 1941-1942 V. 40 – January 1941-May 1941 [error in issue numbering]  
 V. 41 – June 1941-May 1942 [February 1942 missing]  
 V. 42 – June 1942-December 1942  
 Volume 1943 V. 42 – January 1943-April 1943  
 V. 43 – May 1943-March 1944 [July mismarked V.42#15]

Volume 1945 V. 44 – January 1945-April 1945  
V. 45 – May 1945-December 1945

Volume 1946 V. 45 – January 1946-April 1946  
V. 46 – May 1946-December 1946

Volume 1947 V. 46 – January 1947-April 1947  
V. 47 – May 1947-December 1947

**BOX 005**

Volume 1948 V. 47 – January 1948-April 1948  
V. 48 – May 1948-December 1948

Volume 1949 V. 48 – January 1949-April 1949  
V. 49 – May 1949-December 1949

Volume 1950 V. 49 – January 1950-April 1950  
V. 50 – May 1950-December 1950

Volume 1951 V. 50 – January 1951-April 1951  
V. 51 – May 1951-December 1951

Volume 1952 V. 51 – January 1952-April 1952  
V. 52 – May 1952-December 1952

Volume 1953 V. 52 – January 1953-April 1953  
V. 53 – May 1953-December 1953

Volume 1954 V. 53 – January 1954-April 1954  
V. 54 – May 1954-December 1954

Volume 1955 V. 54 – January 1955-April 1955  
V. 55 – May 1955-December 1955

**BOX 006**

Volume 1956 V. 55 – January 1956-April 1956  
V. 56 – May 1956-December 1956

Volume 1957 V. 56 – January 1957-April 1957  
V. 57 – May 1957-December 1957

Volume 1958 V. 57 – January 1958-February 1958  
V. 57 – March 1958-December 1958 [change in issue #s]

Volume 1959 V. 58 – January 1959-December 1959

Volume 1960 North Central edition V.59 – January 1960-December 1960

Volume 1960 South Central edition V.59 – January 1960-December 1960

Volume 1961 North Central edition V.60 – January 1961-December 1961

Volume 1961 South Central edition V. 60 – January 1961-December 1961

Volume 1962 North Central edition V. 61 – January 1962-December 1962

Volume 1962 South Central edition V. 61 – January 1962-December 1962

*Note: name changed Modern Jeweler.*

Volume 1963 V. 62 – January 1963-December 1963

### **BOX 007**

*Note: Volume numbering changed skipping V. 63.*

Volume 1964 V. 64 – January 1964-December 1964

Volume 1965 V. 65 – January 1965-December 1965

Volume 1966 V. 66 – January 1966-December 1966

Volume 1967 V. 67 – January 1967-December 1967

Volume 1968 V. 68 – January 1968-December 1968

Volume 1969 V. 69 – January 1969-August 1969

V. 70 – September 1969-December 1969 [shift in numbering]

Volume 1970 V. 71 – January 1970-December 1970

### **BOX 008**

Volume 1971 V. 72 – January-June 1971

Volume 1971 V. 72 – July-December 1971

Volume 1972 V. 73 – January-June 1972

Volume 1972 V. 73 – July-December 1972

Volume 1973 V. 74 – January-June 1973

Volume 1973 V. 74 – July-December 1973

Volume 1974 V. 75 – January-June 1974

Volume 1974 V. 75 – July-December 1974

Volume 1975 V. 76 – January-June 1975

### **BOX 009**

Volume 1975 V. 76 – July-December 1975

Volume 1976 V. 77 – January-June 1976

Volume 1976 V. 77 – July-December 1976

*Note: Volume numbering changed reusing V. 76.*

Volume 1977 V. 76 – January-June 1977

Volume 1977 V. 76 – July-December 1977

Volume 1978 V. 77 – January-June 1978

Volume 1978 V. 77 – July-December 1978

Volume 1979 V. 78 – January-June 1979

Volume 1979 V. 78 – July-December 1979

**BOX 010**

Volume 1980 V. 79 – January-June 1980

Volume 1980 V. 79 – July-December 1980

Volume 1981 V. 80 – January-June 1981

Volume 1981 V. 80 July-December 1981

*Previous inventory indicated an Oversize Volume --1933-1935 (incomplete) which may be misfiled. It is not on flat box, wrapped oversize, or book lists and therefore may be an error in the original inventory. The years are covered in the volumes above with no apparent missing issues.*