



## Conway, Missouri Cyclone Photograph (R1431)

**Collection Number:** R1431

**Collection Title:** Conway, Missouri Cyclone Photograph

**Dates:** 1908

**Creator:** Bradbury, John

**Abstract:** The collection consists of one photograph of the showing the destruction of Charles A. Garrison's property by a tornado on November 23, 1908, northeast of Conway, Missouri.

**Collection Size:** 0.1 cubic feet  
(1 folder)

**Language:** Collection materials are in English.

**Repository:** The State Historical Society of Missouri.

**Restrictions on Access:** Collection is open for research. This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Rolla](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at [rolla@shsmo.org](mailto:rolla@shsmo.org). Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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**Preferred Citation:** [Specific item; box number; folder number] *Conway, Missouri Cyclone Photograph* (R1431); The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Rolla [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-Rolla].

**Donor Information:** The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by John Bradbury on January 03, 2001 (Accession No. RA0841).

**Processed by:** Processed by Erin Smither, October 19, 2017

### Historical Note:

The Conway, Missouri cyclone of 1908, struck on Monday evening November 23. Local papers described the damage as "two dwellings are reported to have been damaged, two or three barns blown down, fences laid low and hay stacks scattered over the farms." The Lebanon Republican

mentioned Mr. Garrison by name, reporting that “The farm house and barn of Charles Garrison, northeast of town, were entirely devastated.” No one was injured in the storm.

Charles Garrison was born on December 2, 1861, the son of William Russel Garrison and Mary Janice Ingalls in Indiana. He married Mary E. Howerton on November 21, 1895 and they had two children, Ethel and Clyde. He died on February 6, 1949 at the age of 87. He is buried in Dotson Cemetery in Laclede County, Missouri.

**Arrangement:**

The collection has been arranged in one folder.

**Scope and Content:**

The collection consists of one photograph of the “House and barn of C.A. Garrison Destroyed by Cyclone November 23, 1908, ½ mile NE of Conway, Mo.”

**Container List:**

f. 1                                      Photograph, 1908

**Index:**

Index Term	Folder	Image
Conway (Mo.)	1	yes
Garrison, Charles Albert, 1861-1949	1	yes
Laclede County (Mo.)	1	yes