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Introduction
Approximately 1 cubic foot.

The collection contains photographs, a scrapbook, newspaper clippings, other related materials of the Burwell and Tate Families of Kansas City, Missouri.

Moses T. Burwell was born on July 16, 1844, in Illinois. Burwell married Isabella Goodfellow on October 5, 1865, in Clark County, Ohio. In 1872, Burwell established the Gibson City’s first bank. By 1892, Burwell and his family moved to Wichita, Kansas, and by 1896, the family had settled in Kansas City, Missouri. In 1898, Isabella Burwell died of pneumonia and three years later Moses Burwell married Emma Isham. Burwell and Isham moved to Colorado City, Colorado, to organize a bank shortly after their marriage. Burwell died on March 10, 1908, in Colorado City, Colorado.

George and Mary Jane Tate were the parents of Bernice Tate, who married Guy Burwell, the son of Moses and Isabella Burwell.

Donor Information
The papers were donated to the University of Missouri by Helen Burwell Gale on August 11, 1987 (Accession No. KA0433).

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Related Collections
Bernice Tate Burwell Collection (K0234)

Location Note
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Box List

Box 1
Burwell Family Scrapbook and Photo Album, 1879-1908
Burwell Family Genealogy, 1865-1929
Autograph Books
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Burwell’s 20th Anniversary Party, 1885
Nettie Burwell, 1885
Mary Burwell, 1888
K0233 (KA0433)
BURWELL-TATE FAMILY PAPERS

Thomas Burwell, 1886-1889
Work History of Luther Burns, Husband of Mary Burwell Burns, 1935
Tate Family Papers, 1850-1918
Olive Street Baptist Church Program, 1904
Pictures of Family Scenes, 1880s-1900s
Photographs
  Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Burwell
  Burwell Family Group Photographs
  Burwell Infants, Nettie, Lucy or Lydia
  Guy Burwell
  Lucy Burwell
  Mary Alice Burwell Burns and Luther Burns
  Nettie Burwell
  Thomas Burwell
  Aunt Mary Burwell
  Bernice Tate Burwell, 1930s
  Helen Burwell Gale, 1930-1937
  Mary Burwell Roberts, 1930s
  Burwell Portraits, 1930s
  Burwell Home, 418 Prospect, Colorado City and “Potwin Suburb" (2 folders)
  Mr. and Mrs. George Tate
  Tate Family Portrait, George, Winston, Mary Ann, Nellie, George, Jr., Henry, Bernice
  Brad Tate
  George Tate, Jr.
  Henry Tate
  Winston Rousseau Tate
  Winston Family
  Relatives, Engram, Matteson, and Hawke Families
  Family Friends
  Infants, Unidentified
  Boys, Unidentified
  Girls, Unidentified
  Men, Unidentified (3 folders)
  Women, Unidentified
  Couples, Unidentified
  Families, Unidentified
  Groups, Unidentified

Box 2
Oversize Items