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Historical Note:

Richard Young has degrees in art, anthropology, and historic preservation, all from Southeast Missouri State University. He has participated in academic-related archaeological excavations each year since 2001 and works as a research assistant at Saint Louis University. He focuses on particularly documenting prehistoric and historic artifacts and activities at caves throughout Southeast Missouri. The collection contains 10 cultural resource surveys conducted for academic or personal research.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged into a single series arranged chronologically.

Scope and Content Note:

This collection contains ten cultural resource survey reports. The first report, *Mack's Chapel and the African American Community of Seventy-Six, Missouri* documents a now-extinct post-Civil War African American community of formerly enslaved people who once flourished in southeastern Perry County, Mo. Of particular interest to researchers are the approximately 300 African American individuals which Young identified to have lived in Seventy-Six from 1850-1945. Sources include vital records, census records, deed records, county school records, newspaper accounts, slave narratives, published sources and first-person interviews.

Seven of the reports are related to caves in Ste. Genevieve and Perry Counties. *One Hundred Years of Caving in Perry County, Missouri: As Reported in Community Newspapers between the years 1862 and 1962* (2024) compiles a century of cave-related newspaper reports in an easily accessible indexed format. The six cultural resource survey reports feature in-depth analysis of caves in Perry and Ste. Genevieve counties, noting prehistoric or historic utilization or modification. The reports are drafted in a manner to protect the name and location of sensitive archeological resources, and final reports have been filed with Missouri's State Historic Preservation Office. Details of the findings of the studies will be of particular interest to researchers interested in prehistoric artifacts and evidence of aboriginal populations in Perry County, Mo.

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Beal, Luly V.	1	
Beal, Mary	1	
Beal, Mathilde	1	
Beal, Vera C.	1	
Beal, Viena	1	
Beale, Charles	1	
Beale, Mable	1	
Beale, Valley M.	1	
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Blechle, Joseph	10	
Bock, William	10	
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Boss Mill	10	
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Braemer, Gotlieb	10	
Brammer, Jens	10	
Brown, Gene	1	
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Buford, Ellen	1	
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Cashion, Mrs. J.B.	5	
Caves--Perry County (Mo.)	3-8	Yes
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Cole, Joseph	1	
Collier, Amanda	1	

Craven, John	1	
Craven, John Jr.	1	
Craven, Luly	1	
Craven, Nancy	1	
Craven, Tibby	1	
Craven, William	1	
Davis, Charles	1	
Davis, Lizzie (Mary E.)	1	
Dempster, Hubert	5	
Dempster, Robert	5	
Donnel, Bose	1	
Drum, Dennis	5	
Endrie, John	5	
Enslaved persons--Perry County (Mo.)	1	
Estel, Theodore	10	
Eulinberg, Annie	1	
Eulinberg, Hayes	1	
Eulinberg, Shannon	1	
Evans, Oliver	10	
Farrar, Albert	1	
Farrar, Carl	1	
Farrar, Edward	1	
Farrar, Fred	10	
Farrar, Ida	1	
Farrar, John	1	
Farrar, Levi	1	
Farrar, Nora,	1	
Farrar, Pearl	1	
Farrar, Willie	1	
Faulkner, Fannie	5	
Favier, Vincent	5	
Fenwick, Joseph	10	
Fiehler, Ester	5	
Fiehler, Howard	10	
Fiehler, Ralph	5	
Fiehler, Vivian	10	
Fischer, Bern	5	
Fischer, Rudy	5	
Frohna (Mo.)	10	Yes
Frohna Feed Store (Frohna, Mo.)	10	Yes
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Giboney, Dave	1	
Giboney, Jessie	1	
Giboney, Ottovan	1	
Giboney, Thomas	1	
Gillenwater (Gillenwaters), Fred	1	
Gillenwaters, Calvin	1	
Gillenwaters, Charlie	1	
Gillenwaters, Christolph	1	
Gillenwaters, Christopher	1	
Gillenwaters, Fasters	1	
Gillenwaters, Fred	1	
Gillenwaters, Harmand	1	
Gillenwaters, Harrison	1	
Gillenwaters, Herbert	1	
Gillenwaters, Howard	1	
Gillenwaters, Idellia R.	1	
Gillenwaters, James	1	
Gillenwaters, Lawrence	1	
Gillenwaters, Marvin	1	
Gillenwaters, Rudolph	1	
Gillion, Joe	5	
Gochring, Theo.	10	
Golier, Christian	10	
Goodlow, Amelia	1	
Goodlow, Joseph	1	
Goodlow, Wm. Henry	1	
Gorham, Illinois	10	
Grebing, Vernon	10	
Green, Frank	1	
Green, Hattie	1	
Guth, Harry Jr.	5	
Guth, Nicholas	5	
Hamilton, Charoline	1	
Hamilton, Henry	1	
Hamilton, Ignatius	1	
Hamilton, Jenna	1	
Hamilton, Louis	1	
Hamilton, Michael	1	
Hampton, Johnnas	1	
Hampton, Mary	1	
Hampton, Treasy	1	

Hatch, George S.	1	
Hayden, Casolie	1	
Hayden, Rufus	1	
Heanley, Sherwood	1	
Heimbokel, Edward "Boots"	10	
Hesse, Charles	10	
Hicks, Richard	1	
Hildebrand, Sam	10	
Hilpert, John	10	
Himphill, Walter	1	
Hindelang, Mamie	5	
Hines, Lafayette	1	
Hoehn, Alvin H.	5	
Hoose, Thomas	5	
Hughey, Elizabeth J.	1	
Hughey, John A.	1	
Hughey, Margaret E.	1	
Hughey, Milus	1	
Hughey, Ruth M.	1	
Hull, Charles	1	
Hull, Mable	1	
Hull, Rosa L.	1	
Hull, Valley	1	
Huss, Genevieve	5	
Ingram, Jane	1	
Ingram, Jefferson	1	
James, John	1	
Kaempfe, Martha	10	
Kaempfe, Otto	10	
Kassel, Theo.	10	
Keyl, Ernst W.	10	
Killian, Thomas	10	
Klepzig Mill	10	
Klump, Emil	5	
Koestening, Fred	1	
Kramer, Herbert	10	
Kramer, William	10	
Lane, Allie Ann	1	
Lane, Jane Knox	1	
Lane, Joseph	10	
Lane, Joseph	1	

Layton, Junior	5	
Lee, Catherine Ann	1	
Lee, Grant	1	
Lee, James	1	
Lee, Sara A.	1	
Logan, Henry	1	
Lohmann, Emil	10	
Lottes, Gabriel	1	
Lueders, August	10	
Lueders, Charles	10	
Lueders, Paul	10	
Lueders, Wilmer	10	
Lukefahr, Karen	10	
Lungwitz, Earl	5	
Mack's Chapel (Perry County, Mo.)	1	Yes
Mahnke, General	10	
Mangels, Herman G.	1	
Maninger, Anna	1	
Maninger, Bill	1	
Maninger, Rudolph	1	
Markwort, Henry	5	
Martin Buchheit House (Sainte Genevieve, Mo.)	2	Yes
Martin, Karen	10	
Martin, Mariah	1	
Martin, Robert	10	
Mattingly, Allie	1	
Mattingly, Amy M.	1	
Mattingly, Anardell A.	1	
Mattingly, Angeline	1	
Mattingly, Authur	1	
Mattingly, Charles	1	
Mattingly, Charles Jr.	1	
Mattingly, Charlotte	1	
Mattingly, Clara	1	
Mattingly, Edder	1	
Mattingly, Edward	1	
Mattingly, Emilie	1	
Mattingly, Emma	1	
Mattingly, Etta I.	1	
Mattingly, Ezekiel	1	
Mattingly, Frank	1	

Mattingly, Joseph	1	
Mattingly, Lacy M.	1	
Mattingly, Levi J.	1	
Mattingly, Louise	1	
Mattingly, Mollie	1	
Mattingly, Oather	1	
Mattingly, Ottis	1	
Mattingly, Rena	1	
Mattingly, Rudolph W.	1	
Mattingly, Vina	1	
Mattingly, W.J.	1	
Mattingly, William Jr.	1	
Mattingly, Willie	1	
McLane, Alfred A.	10	
Mclane, John A.	10	
McLean, Sarah	1	
Meister, Milbert (Mike)	10	
Melitzer, John	10	
Meyr, Evelyn	10	
Miles, Henry	5	
Miller, Ida	1	
Miller, William	10	
Miner, Frances E.	1	
Mitchell, Mary	1	
Moechel, Frederick	10	
Moore, C.B.	5	
Mueller, Rubin	10	
Naeper, Fredrike	10	
Nance, David	1	
Oswald, Rudy	10	
Pedroley, Lester	5	
Petzoldt, Meta	10	
Piercen, Samuel	1	
Platisha, Rev. J.B.	5	
Price, Columbus	1	
Pringle, Edna	1	
Pringle, Harris	1	
Pringle, Howard	1	
Pringle, Maggie	1	
Pringle, Marcell	1	
Pringle, Martha	1	

Pringle, Myrtle M.	1	
Pringle, Paris W.	1	
Pringle, Roy L.	1	
Pringle, Vanida	1	
Puntmann, Thelburn	5	
Reeves, J.W.	5	
Rhyne, Jesse	5	
Rhyne, Virgil	5	
Richmond, L.W.	1	
Robb, Anthony J.	1	
Robb, Charles Hy	1	
Robb, Joseph C.	1	
Robb, Mahelia	1	
Robb, Mary E.	1	
Robb, Sarah	1	
Robb, William A.	1	
Rohlfing, Miss.	5	
Roth, Nelson	10	
Roth, Richard	10	
Roth, Theo.	10	
Rowan, Eva	1	
Sabo, Stephen	5	
Sanders, Mrs. William	5	
Schaupert, Elmer	10	
Schlichting, Henry	1, 10	
Schmidt, Henry	10	
Schmidt, Oscar	10	
Schremp, Everett	5	
Schroeder, August	10	
Schroeter, Oscar	10	
Schuessler, Robert	10	
Schweiss, William	5	
Seems, Amelia	1	
Seems, Anthony	1	
Seems, Elizabeth	1	
Seems, Fannie	1	
Seems, James	1	
Seems, Louis	1	
Seibert, Henry	1	
Seibert, John	1	
Seibert, Josephine	1	

Seibert, Mary	1	
Seventy-Six (Perry County, Mo.)	1	Yes
Shaner, Angeline	1	
Shaner, Coroglia	1	
Shaner, Jerre	1	
Shaner, John	1	
Shaner, Louis	1	
Shaner, Martha	1	
Shirmer, Martin M.	10	
Shirmer, Reinhold	10	
Shirmer, Rudolph	10	
Sides, Stan	5	
Simms, Cletus	1	
Simms, Lucille	1	
Simms, Vivian	1	
Sims, Ada M.	1	
Sims, Clifford	1	
Sims, Emma	1	
Sims, Herbert E.	1	
Sims, Louis T.	1	
Sims, Shirley I.	1	
Sims, William	1	
Smith, Amanda	1	
Smith, Amelia	1	
Steffens, Herbert	1	
Steffens, Leo	1	
Steffens, Rudolph	1	
Steffens, Thelma	1	
Stelling, John	10	
Stephan, Martin	10	
Stewart, Timothy	1	
Stokes, Don	5	
Stueve, Claus, Judge	10	
Suggs, George G.	1	
Swank, Moritz	1	
Thompson, Leo	5	
Thompson, William	1	
Triller, Dennis	5	
Tucker, Joseph	10	
Tucker, Leonard	5	
Unger, Greg	10	

Valle, Frank	10	
Van Note, Dr.	5	
Villard, Mary	1	
Vogel, Adele	5	
Walker, Cyrus	10	
Walker, D.L.	1	
Walker, Thomas	1	
Walter, Johanna Christiana Caroline	10	
Waters, Alfred Jr.	1	
Waters, Alfred M.	1	
Waters, Lisie	1	
Weber, C.A.	10	
Weinhold, Dorothy	1	
Weinhold, Edwin	10	
Weinhold, Gotthilf	10	
Weinhold, Johann Heinrich	10	
Weinhold, Joseph	10	
Weinhold, Martin	10	
Weinhold, Theobald C.	10	
Weinrich Beer Cave (Perry County, Mo.)	8	Yes
Weisbrod, Earl	5	
Weisbrod, Verda	5	
Weiss, Wallace	5	
Welp, J.H.	10	
Wilkinson, John	1	
Wilkinson, Ross	1	
Wilkinson, William R.	1	
Williams, Amond	1	
Williams, Ann	1	
Williams, Frederick	1	
Williams, Henry	1	
Williams, Ida	1	
Williams, Patsy	1	
Wilson, Andrew	1	
Wilson, Aurie	1	
Wilson, Carrie	1	
Wilson, Dorothy	1	
Wilson, Edgar	1	
Wilson, Edna	1	
Wilson, Ira	1	
Wilson, J.W.	1	

Wilson, May	1	
Wilson, Ralph	1	
Wilson, Richard	1	
Wilson, Walter	1	
Wilson, William M.	1	
Winn, Charles	5	
Winter, August	10	
Winter, C.	10	
Wukasch, M.	10	
Yokum, Gregory "Tex"	5	
Young, Charles	5	
Zilliken, P.N.	10	