



Cyrus T. Kimmel Diary (C1131)

Collection Number: C1131

Collection Title: Cyrus T. Kimmel Diary

Dates: 1865-1870

Creator: Kimmel, Cyrus T., 1832-1908

Abstract: Primarily 1865 entries during Civil War service, recorded at Ironton, Whitewater, Cape Girardeau, Bloomfield, Brunswick, Bowling Green, and St. Louis, Missouri, and Millers Station, Arkansas. Scattered entries for 1866-1870. Also includes an invitation to New Year's Union Ball, Brunswick, Missouri, December 30, 1865, and poem. Kimmel served as an assistant surgeon in the 2nd Missouri State Militia Cavalry.

Collection Size: 0.2 cubic feet
(1 volume)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

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Biographical Note:

Cyrus T. Kimmel (1832-1908) was born in 1832. He was the son of Melinda Reed and Cyrus Kimmel. He married Mattie Beazley (1854-1944), and they had at least two children, Clarence (1876-) and Karl (1878-1965).

He obtained his medical degree at Washington University around 1860. After that Kimmel was the village physician for Brunswick, Missouri. During the Civil War he served as an assistant surgeon in the 2nd Missouri State Militia Cavalry. After the war he remained in Brunswick. In the 1880s the family move to Kansas City.

Cyrus Kimmel died in 1908.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged into the following series:

Diary

Scope and Content Note:**Diary**

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