

C Peak, Bettie, (1838-1858), Papers, 1857-c.1925
4294 0.2 cubic feet (3 folders)

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INTRODUCTION

Two scrapbooks, one with assorted newspaper clippings dealing with local news, humor, marriages, and obituaries. The clippings include some genealogical material, including John L. Peak, former United States minister to Switzerland, prosecuting attorney of Jackson County, and deacon of Calvary Baptist Church, and Mattie Lee Peak, who was John L. Peak's niece and adopted daughter. The other scrapbook contains assorted handwritten poetry. In addition, there are nine images, which consist of cartes-de-visite, and tintypes of unidentified men, women, and a child, along with a photograph of downtown Palmyra, Missouri.

DONOR INFORMATION

The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Ruth Bradfield on 8 August 1978 (Accession No. 2189).

FOLDER LIST

f. 1	Scrapbook: handwritten poetry, 1857-1925
f. 2	Scrapbook: newspaper clippings, local news, humor, obituaries, 1882-c.1925
f. 3	Photographs, unidentified men and women, child, and Palmyra, Missouri, street scenes and courthouse, c.1860s-c.1920s

INDEX TERMS

Index Term	Folder	Image
Missouri, Palmyra	3	Yes
Missouri, Palmyra	1-3	
Peak, Bettie	1-3	
Peak, Howard	2	Yes
Peak, John L. (1839-)	2	Yes
Peak, Mattie Lee	2	Yes
Scrapbooks	1-2	