



## Hochstatter School, Washington County, Missouri Records (R0226)

**Collection Number:** R0226

**Collection Title:** Hochstatter School, Washington County, Missouri Records

**Dates:** 1879-1897

**Creator:** Hochstatter School (Washington County, Mo.)

**Abstract:** The Hochstatter School, Washington County, Missouri Records contain a microfilm copy of a district clerk's record book and attendance register for School District No. 3, Hochstatter School in Washington County, Missouri. The rural school district was located south of Potosi.

**Collection Size:** (1 roll of microfilm)

**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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**Donor Information:** The records were loaned for microfilming to the University of Missouri by the Mine Au Breton Historical Society on August 16, 1985 (Accession No. RA0304).

**Custodial History:** These two volumes of school records remained in Charles O. Seyfarth's family after his death and the school's discontinuation. His granddaughter donated them to the Mine Au Breton Historical Society in 1985.

**Related Materials:** Additional materials related to the Hochstatter School, Washington County, Missouri Records can be found in the following collections:

*Rock Springs School, Washington County, Missouri Records (R0228)*

*Hopewell Elementary School, Washington County, Missouri Records (C0852)*

**Processed by:** Processed by John F. Bradbury, August 20, 1985. Revised by Kathleen Seale, December 9, 2021.

### **Historical Note:**

Hochstatter School was located in a rural school district 2 ½ miles south of Potosi, Missouri in Washington County. The school began on April 5, 1879 with a meeting at the “old store house at Crammer’s sawmill.” C. V. F. Hochstatter donated an acre of ground for a building site and was elected district clerk. A petition in 1891 resulted in building a new school on a site closer to the center of the district. The new site was on an acre tract donated by Charles O. Seyfarth, a school director and district clerk succeeding C. V. F. Hochstatter. Hochstatter School was also known as Seyfarth School.

### **Arrangement:**

The collection has been arranged in its original order.

### **Scope and Content Note:**

The collection contains records of the Hochstatter School located in Washington County, Missouri. The records include a record book with school meeting minutes, directors’ proceedings, financial records, enumeration of youth, register of orders, register of teachers, district clerk’s report, and oaths of school directors. The collection also contains a teacher’s register which includes attendance records, school curriculum, a visitors’ register, and summary of attendance and achievement.

### **Container List:**

Roll 1	v. 1	Record book, 1879-1892
	v. 2	Teacher’s register, 1893-1897

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