Information Sheet

R Carthage (Mo.).

695 Funeral home records, 1887-1938.
Three folders, photocopies.

This collection is available at <u>The State Historical Society of Missouri</u>. If you would like more information, please contact us at shsresearch@umsystem.edu.

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The undertaking business represented by these records stems from the firm established at Carthage by Daniel Teeter and managed by his son, Charley Teeter, until 1948.

The record book in Folder 1 is not indexed. The accounts are arranged chronologically, in most cases by name of the person making the funeral arrangements. Entries begin in February 1887 and continue through February 1893.

Folders 2 and 3 contain record books for 1900-1938. The entries include the names and dates of death of the deceased, as well as the name of the persons who made the funeral arrangements. An index is at the front of each folder. Miscellaneous notes and printed death notices are included at the end of both folders.

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Shelf List

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Folder 01: Record book, 1887-1893 (unindexed)

Folder 02: Record book, 1911-1938 (index in front)

Folder 03: Record book, 1900-1938 (index in front)

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Index Cards

Carthage (Mo.).
Funeral homes—Missouri—Jasper County.
Jasper County (Mo.).

Registers of births, etc.—Missouri—Jasper County. Undertakers and undertaking—Missouri—Jasper County. Weng Mortuary (Carthage, Mo.).