



Louis and Bernita Anna (Quick) Kallenbach Family Papers (S1216)

Collection Number: S1216

Collection Title: Louis and Bernita Anna (Quick) Kallenbach Family Papers

Dates: 1897-1960

Creator: Kallenbach Family

Abstract: The collection contains correspondence that Louis and Bernita Kallenbach and their sons, Maurice and Travis, sent to or received from relatives, friends, and business associates. The collection also contains photographs, school report cards, and a bank book.

Collection Size: 1 cubic foot
(29 folders)

Language: Collection is predominantly in English. Materials in German are indicated at the folder level.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

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Biographical Note:

Louis Kallenbach (1875-1965) was born in Macon County, Illinois, on January 1, 1875, to Morris Kallenbach (1841-1927) and Louisa Eckhardt (1849-1917). Kallenbach studied dentistry at Morris Sims Medical College in St. Louis, as well as at the Louisville Medical College and the Kansas City Dental College, from which he graduated in 1901. Kallenbach subsequently opened a dental practice in Walnut Township, Kansas, and married Bernita Anna Quick (1885-1978), of Kansas City, Missouri, on December 10, 1901. In 1908, Louis Kallenbach moved his family to St. Louis, Missouri, where he opened a dental office. The Kallenbach's had two sons, Maurice (c. 1905-) and Travis Earl (C. 1903-1959). Travis Kallenbach followed his father's footsteps and operated a dental practice in the St. Louis area. Dr. Louis Kallenbach died in Florida on June 15, 1965; Bernita Kallenbach subsequently died in April 1978, in Clearwater, Florida.

Arrangement:

The Louis and Bernita Anna (Quick) Kallenbach Family Papers are alphabetically arranged by the sender of correspondence or type of correspondence, and chronologically thereunder.

Scope and Content Note:

Family papers of Louis and Bernita Anna (Quick) Kallenbach and their children, Maurice and Travis Earl, include correspondence and telegrams sent to or received from relatives, friends, and business associates concerning Louis Kallenbach's dental practice, in Walnut Township, Kansas, and St. Louis, Missouri; sickness in the family, including Louis and Bernita's caring for Louisa Eckhardt Kallenbach until her death in 1917; the Great Depression and its effects on the Kallenbach's; and the births of Louis and Bernita Anna (Quick) Kallenbach's grandchildren. The last two folders contain photographs of unidentified individuals and ephemera, including school report cards and a bank book.

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