



Choate Family Papers (SP0040)

Collection Number: SP0040

Collection Title: Choate Family Papers

Dates: 1837-1860

Creator: Choate, John K., 1827-1860

Abstract: The Choate Family Papers consist of correspondence between John K. Choate and his siblings, Aaron, Tom, and Elisabeth.

Collection Size: .1 cubic foot
(1 folder)

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-Springfield](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at springfield@shsmo.org. Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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Biographical Note:

John K. Choate was born November 3, 1827, in Tennessee, the son of Richard D. Choate and Martha Washington McMackin. He was the eldest of eleven children. His siblings included Aaron, Thomas Jefferson, Mary F., Casey Elizabeth, Nancy Emily, William N., Francis Marion, Sarah L., Hugh D., and Rosannah P. John Choate lived in Neosho, Missouri, which is where he died on July 5, 1860, at the age of 32. He died of typhoid on the same day as his sister Casey Elizabeth. She was 25 years old.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged in chronological order in one folder.

Scope and Content Note:

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Container List:

Box 001 f. 1 Correspondence, 1837-1860

Index:

Index Term	Folder
Choate, Aaron, 1829-1911	1
Choate, Casey Elisabeth, 1835-1860	1
Choate, John, 1827-1860	1
Choate, Thomas, 1831-1896	1
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Newton County (Mo.)	1