Inmon Family Papers
(SP0141)

Collection Number: SP0141

Collection Title: Inmon Family Papers

Dates: 1972-1987

Creator: Inmon, James Bayard, circa 1900-1984

Abstract: The Inmon Family Papers contain genealogical research created and compiled by James Bayard Inmon, including surname files, newspaper clippings, and generation charts. The materials date from 1972 to 1987 and relate to families throughout Greene County, Missouri.

Collection Size: 0.1 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 but may be stored offsite. 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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Donor Information: The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by the Ozarks Genealogical Society on October 2, 2024 (Accession No. SPA0143).

Custodial History: The collection was originally donated to the Ozarks Genealogical Society in Springfield, Missouri, in 1983. After the organization closed in 2024, all manuscript collections were transferred to the State Historical Society of Missouri-Springfield Research Center.

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Historical Note:

James Bayard Inmon was born around 1900 in Stone County, Missouri to William Alexander Inmon and Laura May Massey. He was a veteran of World War I and graduated from Southwest Missouri State University (SMS), now known as Missouri State University, in 1929. He also studied vocational guidance and psychological testing at the University of Missouri, the University of Kansas, and Purdue University. In 1946, James became director of the Veterans Advisement Office at SMS and then the director of guidance in 1948. By 1959, he returned to his position as the veterans' advisor and began administering student loans under the National Defense Education Act of 1958. Following his retirement in 1963, James became a member of the Downtown Kiwanis Club and of the Ozarks Genealogical Society in 1971. On December 16, 1972, he married Edith Michael Middleton in Springfield, Missouri. James Bayard Inmon passed on February 16, 1984, and is buried in Maple Park Cemetery in Springfield, Missouri.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged into 1 folder.

Scope and Content Note:

The Inmon Family Papers contain genealogical research created and compiled by James Bayard Inmon, including surname files, newspaper clippings, and generation charts. The materials date from 1972 to 1987 and relate to families throughout Greene County, Missouri. While some folders contain original documents, the majority of the collection contains photocopies. The collection has been arranged into 1 folder and left in original order.

Container List:

Box 001 f. 1 Inmon family charts, 1972-1987

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