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Summary information

Repository: Sloan Museum of Discovery

Title: H.J. Bachtel Papers

Reference code: 1957.1

Date: 1880 - 1900 (creation)

Physical description: The collection is housed inside a single legal-length Hollinger box. The box is aged to an undetermined extent. Loose leaf papers and smaller booklets are housed in folders. Some of the folders are known to be acid-free. Plastic bags originally housing the smaller booklets were removed during processing and discarded.
0.5 linear feet.

Custodial history

The contents of this collection were originally described individually. Their records were deleted in PastPerfect and they are now described collectively in this finding aid and in PastPerfect. This was part of an effort to better intellectually and physically curate the archives.

Scope and content

The collection is composed to numerous account booklets from Union Trust & Savings Bank. Other unlabeled booklets document accounts as well. The account booklets document financial transactions between the 1880s and 1890s. There are other booklets detailing checks issued to various entities and persons. These booklets document activities from the late 1890s to the early 1900s. Other records include newspaper clippings, invoices, receipts, and financial statements.

The records, while extensively documenting financial transactions, do not reveal much in the way of who H.J. Bachtel was and little about his business. That business involved customers renting sheds for ten cents for their horses in the 1880s to early 1900. Feed could be bought for an additional charge of five cents. This information is found only on one document detailing the charges.

Notes

Restrictions on access

No restrictions. Researchers must contact the Collections Department to arrange use.

Conditions governing use

No restrictions. Reproduction is done under guidelines developed by the Collections Department.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
- **Level of detail:** Full
- **Status description:** Draft

Access points

- Hubbard, George (subject)
- Bachtel, H.J. (subject)
- Keeney, Howard B. (subject)
- Mathewsen, F.H. (subject)
- Smith, Gerald H. (subject)
- Algoe & Miller (subject)
- Algoe & Miller Hardware and Stoves (subject)
- Bachtel family (subject)
- Benefactor (subject)
- Carlton Co. (subject)
- Communism (subject)
- Crapo Lumber (subject)
- Detroit, Michigan (subject)
- Durant, William (subject)
- Fascism (subject)
- Fishing license (subject)
- Flint High School (subject)
- Flint Trolley Coach Inc. (subject)
- Genesee County Safety Guide (subject)
- Jellis, Stone, & Co. (subject)
- Ontario, Canada (subject)
- Peerless Dealer's News (subject)
- Perry furniture (subject)
- Randall Lumber (subject)
- Sterner Co. (subject)
- Ten Cent Sheds (subject)
- Troy Laundry (subject)
- Union Trust & Savings Bank (subject)
- University of Michigan (subject)
- University of Michigan Alumni Association (subject)
- Warnick Bros. (subject)

Series descriptions

Reference code	Title	Dates	Physical description
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	File - Checking booklets (2)	1890-1900
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	File - Postcard and envelopes	
	File - Invoices – Receipts – Handbill – Payroll – Letters	
	File - Handbill	
	File - Flint Area documents	
	File - Newspaper articles	
	File - Miscellaneous pamphlets and receipts	
	File - Statements – H.J. Bachtel Business	