Collection Summary

Title
Alfred Megrail Papers

Date
1860-1984

Extent
1 archive box

Name and Location of Repository
Midwest Genealogy Center, Independence (Mo.)

Reference code: MGC 1111-AMP

Processed by: Nicole Schlagel, 2016; finding aid created by Kayla Hopkins, 2016.

Name of Creator
Megrail, Alfred

Biographical History
Alfred Megrail was born in Jefferson County, Ohio on January 9, 1824 to James W. Megrail and Mary Earnshaw. He married his wife, Amy Hammond, on September 2, 1847 in Wayne Township, Ohio. After Amy’s death on April 7, 1854, Alfred married Rebecca Gilbert on December 4, 1857. Between his two marriages, Alfred had three children, Mary, George, and Amy. Alfred Megrail passed away on December 14, 1862 in Bloomingdale, Ohio.

Scope and Content
This collection consists of two letters from the Jefferson County Genealogical Library addressed to Peter Wilson, one page of lined paper that lists the names and locations of genealogical research, four short correspondences from Alfred Megrail from various dates, and one journal of Alfred Megrail dated 1860. The items in this collection range from 1860 to 1984.
**Collection Inventory**

**System of Arrangement**
These records are arranged in 2 series.

Series 1, Genealogical Research
  Folder 1, Jefferson County Genealogical Library Letters (2)
  Peter Wilson Family Research

Series 2, Alfred Megrail Personal Items
  Folder 1, Alfred Megrail Personal papers
  Folder 2, Alfred Megrail journal

**Rights and Access**

**Conditions Governing Access**
The collection is open for research use by appointment.

**Physical Access**
Most records within this collection are housed within an archival box.

**Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use**
Permission to publish, quote, or reproduce must be secured from the Midwest Genealogy Center.

**Languages and Scripts of the Material**
Materials in the collection are entirely in English.

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**
This collection was donated to the Midwest Genealogy Center by Peter Wilson.

**Accruals**
No further accruals are expected for this collection.

**Existence and Location of Originals**
Originals owned by the Midwest Genealogy Center.

**Notes**
The following sources were consulted during the preparation of the biographical history:

  http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GId=19057252