



Collection Summary

Title

John B. Moritz collection

Date

1920-1970s

Extent

1 archival document box & 1 oversize box

Name and Location of Repository

Midwest Genealogy Center, Independence (Mo.)

Reference code: MGC 1128-JBMC

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Name of Creator

Moritz, John B.

Biographical History

John B. Moritz was born in Malta Bend, Missouri on July 11, 1909 to John B. Moritz, Sr. and Nora Mae [Saunders] Moritz. John attended Shawnee Mission High School in Shawnee Mission, Kansas and graduated in 1927. On March 15, 1935, John married Mary West in Jackson County, Missouri. They lived in the Kansas City area where John was a lawyer. John died on April 27, 1978 and was buried at East Slope Memorial Gardens in Kansas City, Missouri.

Scope and Content

This collection consists of personal items and photographs from John B. Moritz. The personal items include correspondence and memorial books for John and his mother, Nora. The rest of the collection is photographs; both loose and photo album pages.



Collection Inventory

System of Arrangement

These records are arranged in 3 series.

Series 1, Correspondence

Series 2, Memorial Books

Folder 1, John B. Moritz

Folder 2, Nora M. Moritz

Series 3, Photographs

Folder 1, Loose photographs

Folder 1, Photo Album 1

Folder 2, Photo Album 2

Folder 3, Photo Album 3 [oversize]

Rights and Access

Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research use by appointment.

Physical Access

Records within this collection are housed in file folders. Some photographs are contained within archival print preservers. One folder is oversized and stored near the collection.

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.

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:

- Ancestry.com. *1910 United States Federal Census* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006. Year: *1910*; Census Place: *Grand Pass, Saline, Missouri*; Roll: *T624_823*; Page: *1B*; Enumeration District:*0170*; FHL microfilm: *1374836*
- Ancestry.com. *1940 United States Federal Census* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012. Year: *1940*; Census Place: *Kansas City, Jackson, Missouri*; Roll: *T627_2172*; Page: *8A*; Enumeration District:*116-369*.
- Ancestry.com. *Missouri, Marriage Records, 1805-2002* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2007.