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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Hart, John, 1811-1872
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Title	John Hart papers
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Biographical Note

John Hart was born on March 1, 1811 in Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany. He married Barbara Eichhorn and immigrated to the United States in May, 1846. In Germany, Mr. Hart spelled his name Johannes Herd, but starting using John Hart sometime after arriving in the U.S. and moving to Indiana. He and his wife, Barbara, had eight children that lived to adulthood: John, Katherine (or Catherine) , Apolonia, Margaret, William, Phillip, Alexander, and Joseph. Hart died on November 4, 1872.

John Hart's son William (W.R.), was born in Lafayette, Indiana on December 25, 1851. He married Martha Belle Upp in April 1878 and had four children that lived to adulthood. William Hart moved to Boswell, Indiana and lived there for 40 years and died on November 23, 1935.

Sources:

“Hart, John.” *1960 United States Federal Census*. Retrieved 2015/07/13. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

“Hart, John.” *1970 United States Federal Census*. Retrieved 2015/07/13. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Hart, John." Find a Grave Memorial # 40118027. Retrieved 2015/07/13. <http://www.findagrave.com>

“Hart, William Rochester.” *The Boswell Enterprise*, 6 December 1935, p.1. Print.

"Hart, William R." Find a Grave Memorial # 13752091. Retrieved 2015/07/13. <http://www.findagrave.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes photocopies of the personal papers and letters of John Hart, William Hart and other family members, ranging from 1848 to 1935. Some of the photocopied items are illegible.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Family Name(s)

- Hart family

Personal Name(s)

- Hart, Barbara

Subject(s)

- Correspondence
- Genealogy
- Obituaries
- Receipts