

**Title:** Koubeck, Charles Papers

**Call Number:** Mss-2976

**Inclusive Dates:** 1896 – 1944

**Bulk:** 1.4 cu. ft.

**Location:** WH, Sh. C164

**Historical Note:** Charles Koubeck was a long-time real estate/insurance agent in Milwaukee. He was born in Czechoslovakia in 1880. He and his family moved to the U.S. when Charles was three years old. In 1910, he began working with the J. M. Schneider Real Estate Co. Ten years later, he started his own real estate/insurance company, which he continued to operate until shortly before his death in 1955. Koubeck was a prominent booster of Milwaukee's south side and was very active with Milwaukee County's Democratic Party. He was also involved with many professional, business, civic, and church organizations such as St. Wenceslaus Church, the Catholic Order of Foresters, the Wisconsin Geological Society, the Wisconsin Archeological Society, the Milwaukee Association of Accountants & Bookkeepers, and the Wisconsin Association of Real Estate Brokers.

**Abstract:** The records consist of correspondence, insurance records, publications, receipts, flyers, programs, and other ephemera that document Koubek's business and social activities. There is also material related to Charles' son Raymond Koubek.

**Administrative Note:** The collection was processed on April 24, 2004 by Kevin Abing.

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