

**Title:** Soubron, Wilhelm Otto Collection

**Reference Code:** Mss-1915

**Inclusive Dates:** 1860 – 1917

**Quantity:** 000.03 cu. ft.

**Location:** Sm Mss

**Abstract:** Wilhelm Soubron was born in Bremen, Germany, in 1846. His family immigrated to Milwaukee in 1856, where Wilhelm studied at the German-English Academy. A cigarmaker by trade, he became one of the first to join the ranks of Milwaukee Socialists. He also devoted time writing poetry and then began a career as a journalist with the *Milwaukee Daily Herold*. He passed away in May 1917.

**Scope and Content:** The collection consists of an original book of Soubron's verse and prose; two business cards from his years as a reporter; a newspaper photo of Soubron; an unpublished poem; and miscellaneous biographical information.

**Access and Use:** No restrictions

**Language:** English & German