

Title: Edward E. Gillen Company

Reference Code: Mss-0832

Inclusive Dates: 1920's- 1980

Bulk: 3.3 cu ft.

Location: WHS, B078

Creator: donated by Edward E. Gillen Company, Jullane Jackson, shareholder.

Abstract: The Edward E. Gillen Company was founded in Milwaukee in 1894. The company became famous for using innovative ideas for marine construction and also for being one of the leading drivers of the timber piles upon which much of downtown Milwaukee was built. The company is also known for its knowledge of local geology and construction sites. On February 12th 2012, the company split into the Michels Foundations and Edward E. Gillen Marine, LLC.

Scope and Content: This collection contains project files, equipment lists, bank statements, bills of sales, income and retained earnings statements and job ledgers.

Administrative Note: Processed by Joe Kuczynski, September 10, 2014

Arrangement:

Name	Box	Folder
Bill of Sales 1920-1960's	1	1
Master Oaths for Renewal of License of Vessel	1	2
Papers with Purchase of Hathaway Equipment	1	3
Papers on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad.	1	4
Letters regarding Illinois river dredging.	1	5
Deeds for corporate office	1	6
Bank Notes	1	7
Life Insurance contracts	1	8
Construction Permits	1	9
Investments	1	10
Time Certificate of deposits	1	11
Auto Titles	1	12
Company Bonds and notes	1	13
Construction Bid Cards 1920-1960	2	Loose in Box
Job Ledgers 1923-1935	3	Loose in Box
Operating/financial statements, 1920-1943, 1944-1960, 1963-1970.	4	Loose in Box
Expenses Ledger 1948-1951	4	Loose in Box