

**Title:** Johnston, John Papers

**Reference Code:** Mss-0611

**Inclusive Dates:** 1882 – 10-4

**Quantity:** 0.04 cu. ft.

**Location:** Sm Mss  
MV. Sh. 080 (1 item)  
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**Abstract:** John Johnston (1836-1904) was a successful Milwaukee banker, businessman and noted community activist/philanthropist. He was actively involved with several charitable and educational organizations and also donated land for the site of a new emergency hospital.

**Scope and Content:** The collection contains correspondence with E.W. Williams re mistakes in A.M. Thompson’s *Political History of Wisconsin*, 1900; a certificate from American Tract Society, 1882; a memorial resolution from Milwaukee Rifle Club, 1904; a diploma from Marshall University (in Latin), n.d.; and a resolution from the Milwaukee Common Council regarding the donation of land from Johnston for the emergency hospital, 1892.

**Access and Use:** No restrictions

**Language:** English, Latin