

Title: Sanderson, Edward and Elizabeth B. Collection

Reference Code: Mss-1193

Inclusive Dates: 1899, 1901

Quantity: 000.03 cu. ft.

Location: Sm Mss

Abstract: Edward Sanderson was born in Massachusetts in March 1826. He moved to Milwaukee in 1847 and went into the milling business with his brother William. The Phoenix Mill became one of the largest in the area. He was an influential figure within Wisconsin's Republican Party, though he never sought office for himself. In 1856, he married Elizabeth Byron, and she and Edward were prominent in Milwaukee's civic, social and philanthropic affairs. Edward passed away in May 1889, while Elizabeth died in 1901.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of photocopied newspaper clippings, obituaries, photos and an "In Memoriam" book for Edward. Also included is miscellaneous and genealogical material related to the Budd family who were ancestors of the Sandersons.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English