

Title: Von Bodenstedt, Friedrich Collection

Reference Code: Mss-2053

Inclusive Dates: 1879 – 1880

Quantity: 000.03 cu. ft.

Location: Sm Mss

Abstract: Friedrich von Bodenstedt (1819-1892) was a well-known 19th century author and poet. He was born in Germany and worked for a time as a tutor in the family of Prince Gallitzin at Moscow, Russia. He studied Persian literature and, when he returned to Germany, he was appointed professor of Slavonic at Munich. In 1858, he switched his focus to early English literature and produced several important translations including Shakespeare's sonnets.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of newspaper articles from the *Milwaukee Sentinel* describing von Bodenstedt's visit during his 1879-1880 tour of America. He spoke to the Germania Society, delivering a lecture on Oriental poetry and a lecture on Omar Khayyam.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: German and English