

Title: McKinley, William

Reference Code: Mss-0871

Inclusive Dates: 1899

Quantity: 0.03 cu. ft.

Location: Sm Mss

Abstract: William McKinley was born January 29, 1843 and served as president of the United States from 1897 to his assassination in 1901. His presidency coincided with important events such as the Spanish American War and the annexation of Hawaii. He died on September 14, 1901, eight days after being shot by anarchist Leon Czolgosz while attending the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo, New York. He was succeeded by Theodore Roosevelt.

Scope and Content: Collection includes a variety of materials relating to President McKinley's visit to Milwaukee in October 1899, including postcards, a sightseeing itinerary that includes a visit to the Soldiers' Home, and lists of guests and seating assignments for a banquet at the Pfister Hotel.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English