

Title: Wettstein, Theodore Collection

Reference Code: Mss-1543

Inclusive Dates: 1830 – 1851

Quantity: 000.03 cu. ft.

Location: Sm Mss

Abstract: Theodore Wettstein, a native of Elberfeld, Germany was a new arrival to Milwaukee in 1848. A businessman by profession, Wettstein and business partner P. Carline formed Wettstein & Carline, dealers in dry goods and wine, with an establishment on Spring Street. Theodore Wettstein also organized the first “subscription ball” in Milwaukee and later, operated the Wettstein Hotel on East Water near the city hall area.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of a translated biography, personal documents, mementos, notes, academic material, and a photocopied newspaper clipping.

Access and Use: No Restrictions

Language: English