

Title: Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul Railway

Call Number: Mss-1750

Inclusive Dates: 1850 – ongoing

Bulk: 0.8 cu. ft.

Location: BV, Sh. 113
OS SM “C” (10 items)
OS XLG (1 item)
MV, F22 (1 item)

Historical Note: This collection contains various documents associated with the Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railway (a.k.a. The Milwaukee Road). It was chartered in 1847 as the Milwaukee & Waukesha Railroad. The railway was later organized on May 5, 1863, as the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company. On February 11, 1874, its name was changed to the Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul Railway.

Administrative Note: The collection was processed on June 29, 1993, by Jeewon K. Schally. Material was added in 1995 and 1996 and was processed by Janet Geronime. Additional material was added to the collection in 2001, 2003, 2005 and was processed by Kevin Abing. In 2007 material was added to the collection and processed by L. Chasco. Additional materials added on March 1, 2019 by Tia Stenson (material donated by Geo. Indea on June 6, 1940, old accession number 397 294/39 (M190.246).

See Also: Blueprints Collection for Machine Shop Side Elevation 1879, Round House No. 1879, Bridge and Building Department Aug. 19, 1904 Side Elevation Bib #31 D-G

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