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SUMMARY

Size. 0.9 linear ft (354 items).

Geographic locations.

Louisiana, Texas.

Inclusive dates. 1821-1960.

Languages.

English, German, French, Latin.

Summary.

Personal, business, and legal papers and photographs of Gertrude B. Saucier and family of Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Muster rolls of the

Louisiana Volunteers of the Confederate States Army.

Source.

Gift, 1978.

Access.

No restrictions.

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Citation.

Gertrude B. Saucier and Family Papers, Mss. 3293, Louisiana and Lower Mississippi Valley Collections, LSU Libraries, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Stack

UU:82; OS:S

designation.

Also available on.

Microfilm 5735, Series B, Reel 17 Only Muster Rolls are on microfilm

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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Gertrude Bott Saucier (1881-1978), a life-long resident of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, was the daughter of John Phillip (or Johan Philipp) Bott (1845-1884) and Mary Buchel Bott (1851-1922). Both sets of her grandparents, Michael (or Michel) Buchel (1812-1865) and Margeretha Pfeifer Buchel (1821-1907), and John Jacob Bott (1814-1860) and Philippina Michel Bott (d. 1860) were of German descent. Gertrude Bott married Moore Duvernais Saucier (1880-1946), a native of Marksville, Louisiana, in 1903. She was an Honorary President of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The papers consist primarily of business, personal, and legal papers of the Buchel and Bott families, with a few items from the Saucier family. Included are lists of births, baptisms, and deaths, death notices, receipts for taxes, goods, school tuition and court costs, and a few account books. The legal papers include the loyalty oath of Michael Buchel (1862) and a true copy of the naturalization papers of Jacob Bott (1856).

The printed items include a copy of *Constitution und Nebengesetze der deutschen Unterstutzungs-Gesellschaft von Baton Rouge, La.*, 1851 (the constitution and by-laws of the German Benevolent Society of Baton Rouge).

Thirty-one muster rolls of the Louisiana Volunteers of the Army of the Confederate States, covering 1862-1864, are present; the 2nd, 7th, 8th, 10th, and 15th Regiments and the 3rd Battalion are represented.

The photographs consist primarily of studio portraits of individuals, most unidentified, a fair number of which were taken at the Lytle studios in Baton Rouge. Various other New Orleans and a few out-of-state studios are also represented. An interior view of a Presbyterian church in Baton Rouge (at the corner of N. Fourth Street and Florida Street) is included. Some of the snapshots were taken in New Orleans, Fort Livingston, and Dallas and Marshall, Texas. Views of several houses, probably in Baton Rouge, and a large photo of members of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, taken at a banquet during the 54th annual convention in Miami, Florida, in 1947, are also present.

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INDEX TERMS

Baton Rouge (La.)--History.

Buchel family.

Bott family.

Deutschen Unterstutzungs-Gesellschaft von Baton Rouge, La. German Americans--Charities.

German Americans--Louisiana--Baton Rouge.

Louisiana--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Registers.

Muster rolls.

Saucier, Gertrude B. (Gertrude Bott), 1881-1978.

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Stack location	<u>Box</u>	Folder	Contents
			Manuscripts
UU:82	1	1	Buchel papers, 1821,1843,1849-1850 (10 items)
		2	Buchel papers, 1851 (6 items)
		3	Buchel papers, 1852 (12 items)
		4	Buchel papers, 1853-1856 (9 items)
		5	Buchel papers, 1861-1869 (13 items)
		6	Buchel papers, 1870-1876 (11 items)
		7	Buchel papers, 1881-1922 (8 items)
		8	Buchel papers, undated (10 items)
		9	Gertrude B. Saucier papers, 1902-1944, undated (16 items)
		10	Gertrude B. Saucier papers, 1953-1960 (16 items)
		11	Bott papers, 1851-1879 (8 items)
		12	Bott papers, 1880-1881 (5 items)
		13	Bott papers, 1882-1884 (9 items)
		14	Bott papers, 1885-1889 (5 items)
		15	Bott papers, 1893-1897 (10 items)
		16	Bott papers, 1900-1947, undated (22 items)
		17	J.P. Boot [i.e., Bott] account book, 1884 (1 item)
		18	Constitution und Nebengesetze der deutschen Unterstutzungs-Gesellschaft
			von Baton Rouge, La., 1851 (constitution and by- laws of the German
			Benevolent Society of Baton Rouge, La.) and The Ladies notebook and
			calendar, 1883 (2 items)
		19	Baton Rouge, La. telephone directory, June 1946 (1 item)
			Photographs
			(name of photographer/studio if known)
UU:82	1	20	Bott child, Chicago; Selina Miller, St. Louis (2 items)
		21	Unidentified portraits, Baton Rouge (Dambly Bros. and Jno. J. Burke) (3 items)
		22	Jesse Earl Thomas and 3 unidentified portraits (Art Parlors, Baton Rouge)
			(4 items)
		23	Unidentified babies (A.D. Lytle, Baton Rouge) (5 items)
		24	Presbyterian Church, Baton Rouge (A.D. Lytle) (2 items)
		25	Unidentified portraits (A.D. Lytle) (5 items)
		26	Unidentified children at First Communion (A.D. Lytle, Lytle) (3 items)
		27	"C.W.C." and unidentified portraits (A.D. Lytle, Lytle, Lytle's Studio) (5
			items)

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		28	Unidentified children (Lytle, Lytle's Studio (5 items)
		29	Unidentified portraits (A.D. Lytle, Lytle) (5 items)
		30	Unidentified portraits (A.D. Lytle) (5 items)
		31	Portrait of G.B. Saucier and snapshot (both taken in Marksville) (2 items)
		32	Unidentified portraits (L. Robira, New Orleans) (2 items)
		33	Unidentified portraits (E. Simon and Simon, New Orleans) (5 items)
		34	Unidentified portraits (Barnes & Lhoste, R. E. Hansens, T. Lilienthal, Rojas & Conner, all of New Orleans) (4 items)
		35	Mary Bott and unidentified portraits (Hartsook, A. A. Constant, Lilienthal, A. Daliet, Clarke, all of New Orleans) (5 items)
		36	Unidentified portraits (Washburn, New Orleans (3 items)
		37	Unidentified portraits (Hutchings, St. Louis; Harwood, Vicksburg; E. Hoffmeister, West Point, Miss.) (4 items)
		38	Portraits (postcards) (2 items)
		39	Unidentified small portraits (3 by F. J. Walsh, Trenton, N.J. and 1 from Philadelphia, 1899) (4 items)
		40	Snapshots from trip to Texas (5 items)
		41	John Drew and unidentified portraits, (Lewis Fearson, Jr.; Owen Bros.) (3
		41	items)
		42	Unidentified small portraits (4 items)
		43	Small portraits, "Aunt Mary" and unidentified (5 items)
		44	Unidentified portraits (4 items)
		45	Small portraits, "P. Bott," "Pat" and others (5 items)
		46	Snapshots (5 items)
		47	Snapshots (5 items)
		48	Farrnbacher's store and unidentifiable (2 items)
		49	Snapshots: baseball team and others (5 items)
		50	Snapshots (5 items)
		51	Group portraits: Gertrude Bott and schoolmates (4 items)
		52	Gertrude B. Saucier and traveling companions, at Sloppy Joe's, Havana, Cuba (1 item)
		53	"Oakdale Field Trial," Alexandria, La. 1928 (1 item)
		54	Class photos (Peerless Studio, Lake Charles) and unknown (2 items)
		55	Bank office, Eastland (Texas?) (3 items)
		56	Group photo, houses and boy at First Communion (3 items)
OS: S		57	United Daughters of the Confederacy banquet (1 item)

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			2nd Rgmt., Company G, La. Volunteers, Apr. 30-June 30, 1863
			2nd Rgmt., Company H, La. Volunteers, 1862 (no months given)
			2nd Rgmt., Company H, La. Volunteers, May 1-June 30, 1863
			3rd Battalion of Infantry, Company D, May 1-June 30, 1862
			7th Rgmt., Company B, La. Infantry, 1864
		59	8th Rgmt., Company G, La., June 30-Aug. 31, 1862
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La., Aug. 31-Oct. 31, 1862
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La., Oct. 31-Dec. 31, 1862
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La., Dec. 31, 1862-Feb. 28, 1863
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La., Aug. 11-31, 1863
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La. Volunteers, Aug. 31-Oct. 31, 1863
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La., Dec. 1, 1863-Feb. 29, 1864
			8th Rgmt., Company G, La. 1863-1864
			8th Rgmt. Field, Staff & Band, La. Volunteers, Aug. 31-Nov. 12, 1863
		60	10th Rgmt., Company B, La. Volunteers, July 1-Aug. 31, 1863
			15th Rgmt., Company B, La. Volunteers, May 1-June 30, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company B, La., May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company C, La. Infantry, Sept. 1-Dec. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company D, La. Volunteers Infantry, May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company E, La. Infantry, May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company F, La., May 1-June 30, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company F, La. Volunteers, May 30-Aug. 31, 1862
		61	15th Rgmt., Company G, La., May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company H, La. Volunteers, Apr. 30-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company H, Infantry, May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company H, La. Volunteers, Aug. 31-Dec. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company I, La. Volunteers, May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Rgmt., Company K, La. Volunteers, May 1-Aug. 31, 1862
			15th Louisiana Rgmt., Abstract of Payments made by Captain W. T.
			Scorell, Asst. Quarter Master, C.S. Army, for the months of August,
			September, and October, 1862
			15th Rgmt., La. Volunteers, Account Current. Disbursements under
			Official Bond, Capt. W. T. Scorell Asst. Quarter Master, C. S. Army,
			Nov. 7, 1862