

Berrodin Collection
Special Collections – Akron Summit County Public Library

ACCESSION #: 2007-24

ACQUISITION: This collection was donated by Robert Berrodin in April of 2007.

ACCESS: Restricted access; materials fragile; access by request at Main Library Special Collections only.

VOLUME: 6 Boxes, 1 oversize envelope, approximately 2 LF

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE: Robert Berrodin is descended from the Berrodin family that lives in Akron, many of whom owned retail establishments in Akron since the early 1900s.

RELATED COLLECTIONS: Special Collections photograph collection, Family Histories.

SCOPE AND CONTENT: This collection mainly consists of early unidentified photographs, including tintypes, carte de visites, and early photo albums. There is also one folder that includes a biographical description of Louis Berrodin and his family who were some of the earliest of this family to arrive in this country from France. Also included is where his passenger list can be found, Berrodin family charts, a copy of Louis Berrodin's Will and Testament, and also reproductions of photographs of his direct descendants.

ARRANGEMENT: Some random arrangement by size of photographs, many items left in original order.

INVENTORY:

SERIES 1: Documents and photograph reproductions

Folder 1: Contains a biographical description of Louis Berrodin and his family who came to this country from France. Also included are Berrodin family charts, a copy of Louis Berrodin's Will and Testament, and also reproductions of photographs of his direct descendants.

SERIES 2: Photographs

Box 1: Card photographs: early carte de visites and postcard photographs, unidentified, ranging from size 3" x 5" to 5 "x 7".

Box 2: Miscellaneous unidentified early photographs.

Box 3: Miscellaneous unidentified early photographs.

Box 4: Photo album, with velvet cover, containing miscellaneous unidentified early photographs. Extremely fragile.

Box 5: Photo album containing miscellaneous unidentified early photographs. Extremely fragile.

Box 6: Oversize photographs, photographs of the funeral of Albert Berrodin d. 1903, and many miscellaneous unidentified early photographs, including 22 tintypes.