

JACOB B. POWER PAPERS, 1856-1865

Collection #
SC 2431

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USER INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 3 items

COLLECTION DATES: 1856-1865

PROVENANCE: Robert Russo, date unknown

RESTRICTIONS: None

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ALTERNATE FORMATS: None

OTHER FINDING AIDS: None

RELATED HOLDINGS: possibly SC 1215, Jacob and Julius Power Papers

ACCESSION NUMBER: 94.0618x

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Jacob B. Power (fl. 1846-1865) lived in Fayette County, Indiana. In 1846 he was licensed for five years as a justice of the peace; in 1852 he served for a few months (August-November) as a rural postmaster (given both as Fairview, Fairview Township, and as Groves). He belonged to the Odd Fellows lodge in Connersville. Apparently by 1865 he had moved to Indianapolis, where the city directory lists him in 1862 as a wagon-maker and in 1867 as a day

policemen.

Sources: Materials in collection

History of Fayette County (1885), p. 97

History of Fayette County (1917), pp. 195, 233

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This collection contains three items. Two, dated 1856 and 1858, document Power's membership in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Connersville. The third item, dated 5-11-1865, is a recommendation by Governor O. P. Morton of Powers as "a gentleman of character and undoubted loyalty" who wishes to visit Washington on business.

CATALOGUING INFORMATION

MAIN ENTRY: Power, Jacob B., fl. 1846-1865

SUBJECT ENTRIES: Power, Jacob B., fl. 1846-1865

Morton, Oliver P. (Oliver Perry), 1823-1877

Independent Order of Odd Fellows--Indiana--Connersville

Secret societies--Indiana--Connersville

Connersville (Ind.)--Associations, institutions, etc.

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