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HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Zaccheus Sherman Weller (1820-1898) was a Methodist minister born in Connecticut who moved to Jefferson City, Missouri by way of Ohio in 1860. During the Civil War the Methodist Conference transferred him to the Pittsburgh, PA Conference. At the close of the War he moved back to Missouri. He eventually settled in Macon. In March 1898 he was bestowed an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Chaddock College in Quincy, IL. He died nine months later and was buried in Oakwood Cemetery in Macon.

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

Related Collections

Union Provost Marshal papers, available online through Missouri Digital Heritage, courtesy of the Missouri State Archives: <https://s1.sos.mo.gov/records/archives/archivesdb/provost/>.

MS456 James Sullivan Civil War Collection
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A PDF of the letter is available on Manuscript DVD #1 in the Reference Room.

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