MANUSCRIPT COLLECTIONS
Joe Kleene Photograph Collection

Abstract: Copies of five photographs of Jefferson City places, people, and events: 1903 flood, St. Peter's Church, Groundhog Club, and Kleene Bros. Grocery Store in the Millbottom.

Extent: 5 Images

Physical Description: Photographs; Negatives

Location: Missouri State Archives; Stacks

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Alternative Formats: TIFF

Access Restrictions: None

Publication Restrictions: None

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BIOGRAPHICAL AND HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Joseph H. Kleene (1884-1967) was a grocer who owned the Kleene Brothers Grocery Store with his brother Victor. The store was located in the Millbottom area of Jefferson City on West Main Street. Kleene was a founding member of the Groundhog Club. These images were donated by his son, Joseph F. Kleene (1927-2011).

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION
Related Collections

MS064 David Denman Photograph Collection
MS266 Historic City of Jefferson Collection
MS272 Ehrhardt Photograph Collection
MS297 Mark Schreiber Photograph Collection
MS314 Tom Sater Capital City Collection
MS315 Lynn Shaffer Jefferson City Photograph Collection
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MS394 Priesmeyer Shoe Factory Photograph Collection
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MS400 Gary Kremer Jefferson City Photograph Collection
MS402 Jefferson City Circus Photograph Collection
MS421 Henry Gensky Photograph Collection
MS426 Jefferson City News Tribune Photograph
MS433 Dr. Joseph Summers Collection
MS463 Jefferson City Photographs by Kendal Mertens
MS467 Ott Construction Company Photograph Collection
MS483 Mary Wilhite Jefferson City Photograph Collection
MS481 Martha Rutledge Jefferson City Photograph Collection


Additional External Resources

Unknown
SERIES

Photographs, 1903-1940s

Scope and Content

These are 5”x7” copy prints and 4”x5” copy negatives of original photographs. The originals were retained by the donor. Images are of Jefferson City and concern the 1903 flood, St. Peter’s Church, the Groundhog Club, and Kleene Bros. Grocery.

All images have been digitized and are on Manuscript DVD #7 in Reference. Two of the images (#2 & #3) are also on the Z Drive.

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<td>C.E. Hess and Ernest Decker sit in a boat floating down Main Street during the 1903 flood. The Capitol Building is in the background. (See also MS433_190_142 for an identical image.)</td>
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<td>Members of the Jefferson City Groundhog Club are gathered outside their meetinghouse next to the Missouri River. There are a stack of beer kegs and firewood on the ground as well. Joe Kleene, Sr. was a member.</td>
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<td>View of St. Peter’s Church and the Sisters of Notre Dame Convent building on Broadway Street across from the Capitol. There is smoke in the air.</td>
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<td>Joe Kleene, Sr. and his sister Mayme/Mary Kleene stand on the left side of their grocery store at 501 W. Main Street. Two customers – a woman and a girl – are on the right.</td>
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<td>Joe Kleene, Sr. stands outside Kleene Brothers Grocery Store in the Millbottom, 501 W. Main Street.</td>
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