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ADMINISTRATIVE RECORDS

Assessment List, 1867–1869, Carondelet City Assessor

Case Book, 1859–1873 County Court, St. Louis County

Commissions to St. Louis County Officials, 1875–1877, St. Louis County Court

Mayor's Docket, 1861–1870, Mayor of Carondelet

Original (Signed) Ordinances & Resolutions of St. Louis County Council, Books 1951–1958, St. Louis County Council

Proceedings, 1866–1869, Carondelet City Council

Record of Official Acts of Henry Kortjohn, St. Louis County, Notary Public, 1875–1881

Register of County [Poor] Farms, 1867–1875, St. Louis County

Revised Bill of Measurement & Prices for the County Courthouse, 1863, St. Louis County Auditor

St. Louis County Court Records, 1824–1950; indexes, 1824–1877; [This court was administrative rather than judicial in nature.]

St. Louis County Ward Books [Dependent on County Support], Book 1, 1890 through Book 6, 1939

CEMETERIES

Records include Catholic, Lutheran, Evangelical and United Church of Christ, and other St. Louis cemeteries†*

CENSUS RECORDS

Carondelet [Mo.]: Census of 1857–1858 (Wards 1, 2, and 3); Census of 1869

Census Enumeration District Descriptions for 1830–1930

Census of the City of St. Louis of Persons over 6 Years and under 20 Years with Names of Persons with Whom They Reside, 1847

St. Louis Census, 1847, 1850–51, '53, '56, '57, '58, '60, '63, '64, '65 & '66

St. Louis, Mo. 1870 Census Soundex

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CHURCH RECORDS

Catholic Archdiocese of St. Louis†

Catholic Diocese of Belleville†

Evangelical and United Church of Christ†

Lutheran†

COURT RECORDS (JUDICIAL)

St. Louis Circuit Court [County] Indexes, Records and Case Files, 1804–1876 [Chancery, Civil, and Criminal]†

St. Louis Law Commissioners Court [County], 1851–1864†

St. Louis Land Court [County], 1853–1865†

St. Louis Court of Common Pleas [County], 1841–1865†

DIRECTORIES

Missouri State Gazetteer and Business Directory, 1860

St. Louis Business Directories, 1902–1907; 1911–1916; 1918–1928

St. Louis City Directories, 1821–1860

St. Louis City Directories, 1860–1980

St. Louis County Directories, scattered years, 1893–1979

FUNERAL HOMES

Records for more than twenty St. Louis funeral homes from the late 19th century to the late 20th century†

GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

Territorial Papers of the United States: The Territory of Louisiana–Missouri, 1803–1821. Ask for assistance at desk.

Territorial Papers of the U. S. Senate, 1789–1873: Louisiana–Missouri, 1804–1822. Ask for assistance at desk.

State Department Territorial Papers: Missouri, 1812–1820. Ask for assistance at desk.

Tax Assessment Lists for Collection Districts in the State of Missouri, 1862–1865

HOSPITAL RECORDS

St. Louis City Hospital No. 1, Sept. 1849–1900 and 1927

St. Louis Female Hospital, 1876–1905

LAND RECORDS

See also “Maps” section.

■ Before the 1876 City-County split

Collet's Index [Deeds] (St. Louis Co., Mo.), Grantors and Grantees, 1804–1854

Index to French and Spanish Archives, 1771–1803

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Land Commissioners' Minutes, 1st and 2nd Boards

O.W. Collet's General Index to St. Louis County Archives [French & Spanish records, 1771–1803]

St. Louis Deed Records [pre-1804, French, and Spanish], vols. 1–6

St. Louis Deed Records [pre-1804, French, Spanish, and English] (translated), vols. 1–6

St. Louis Deed Records: Deed Indexes, Direct (1804–1900) and Inverted (1804–1891)

St. Louis Deed Records: Deeds, vols. A–Z⁶, 1804–1854

City specific before the 1876 City-County split

Record of Deeds for Lots Sold in Commons Under Ordinances, 1843, City of St. Louis

Record of Deeds to City of St. Louis, 1830–1888, [includes land deeded to the City of St. Louis only]

Record of Sales, City Commons: City of St. Louis, 1842

St. Louis Lands: Blocks of the City of St. Louis and Carondelet and Common Fields of St. Louis, 1840

St. Louis City Assessor Office Plat Books, 1972

Missouri records regarding land in St. Louis County & City

Missouri Field Notes & Plat Indexes

Missouri Field Notes, Private Surveys, v. 1–v. 71

Missouri Individual Private Surveys, No. 1–No. 3344

Missouri Plat Surveys, v. 1–v. 49

Missouri Record of Private Surveys, v. 1–v. 20

Record of Land Titles in Missouri: French & Spanish Land Grants, 1804–1829

Record of Land Titles in Missouri: Private Land Claims, 1804–1867

Recorder Hunt's Minutes, 1825–

■ St. Louis County after 1876 city–county split

St. Louis County Deeds, Bks 1–1128, 1877–

St. Louis County Direct and Inverted Indexes to Deeds, 1877–1930

LICENSES & PERMITS

Dram Shop License Books, 1891–1910

Doctors and Druggists Permits, 1921–1933

MAPS

Hutawa's Atlas of St. Louis County, circa 1868

Land Ownership Maps, St. Louis, 1857

Pitzman's Atlas of the City and County of St. Louis, 1878. (CD-ROM M27F)

St. Louis City Ward Maps (CD-ROM M27C)

St. Louis County Plat Book, 1909 (CD-ROM 27D)

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MISCELLANEOUS

Partial Index to St. Louis Records, 1800s–1900s

Indexes some St. Louis City Birth Registers, marriages, hospitalizations, official oaths, St. Louis City Death Registers, and 1850 federal census entries for City of St. Louis. (not an all-inclusive index)

School Record by Congressional and School Townships, St. Louis County

NATURALIZATIONS

St. Louis Naturalizations and Index†

NEWSPAPERS

See “St. Louis City & County Newspapers on Microfilm” guide available on the History & Genealogy collection guides rack.

ORPHANAGES

German General Protestant Orphan's Home Intake Records*

Index to St. Louis Orphanages in the 1900 Census—A print index is available on the index shelves.

St. Louis City Registrar: Journal of Commitments to House of Refuge, 1854–1899

PROBATE RECORDS†

■ Before the 1876 city–county split

St. Louis County Will Books and Indexes, 1816–1880 [includes City and County prior to 1876 split]

St. Louis City and County Probate Index Prior to 1890 [City and County before split]

St. Louis Guardianship Case Files, 1802–1875 [City and County]

St. Louis County Probate Case Files [Prior to 1877] (includes City of St. Louis)†

■ St. Louis City after 1876 city–county split

St. Louis City Will Books and Indexes, 1880–1967

St. Louis City Probate Index, 1890–1989

St. Louis City Probate Case Files 1877 and Later

St. Louis City Index to Administrators' Account Books, Probate Court, Account Books 18–90

St. Louis Guardianship Case Files, 1876–1901 [City of St. Louis]

■ St. Louis County after 1876 city–county split

St. Louis County, Missouri Estate Index, 1877–

St. Louis County Probate Case Files, after 1876,
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St. Louis County Probate Court Closed Estate Files

St. Louis County Probate Court, Index to Deceased, 1876–1973

St. Louis County [Probate Court], Index to Wards: Minors or Incompetent Individuals, 1879–1973

St. Louis County [Probate Court], Register of Wards (Minors or Incompetent Individuals), vols. 1–6

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St. Louis County Wills, 1877–1969; indexes, 1878–1976

VITAL RECORDS

■ Births

Index to St. Louis City Births, 1910–1929

St. Louis City Births, 1850–October 1910

St. Louis County Births, 1883–1910†

■ Deaths

St. Louis City Deaths, Feb. 1850–Jan. 1909. An index through 1901 is available on *Ancestry* and through 1908 is available on *Deaths Recorded in the City of St. Louis, 1850–1908* (CD #27B)

St. Louis Coroner's Inquests, 1806–1839

Coroner's Records, 1916 – 1921, St. Louis County

St. Louis City Coroner's Records, 1845–1900†

St. Louis City Burial Certificates, 1882–Oct. 1908; Jan. 1900;
July 1960–Sept. 1960†

St. Louis County Coroner's Records, 1940–1990

St. Louis County Register of Deaths, 1883–1910

Index to St. Louis County Deaths, 1910–1936

■ Marriages

Index to St. Louis City Marriages, 1806–1965. Includes St. Louis County marriages for 1808–1876. Printed indexes for 1804–1883 are located on the index shelves.

Index to St. Louis County Marriages, 1877–1980. To check for St. Louis County marriages for 1808–1876, use Index to St. Louis City Marriages microfilm.

St. Louis City Marriages, 1808–1966. Includes St. Louis County Marriages for 1808–1876.

St. Louis County Marriages, 1877–1980. To check for 1808–1876 St. Louis County Marriages, see St. Louis City marriages microfilm.

VOTER REGISTRATION

St. Louis City Register of Voters, Voter Affidavits, Canceled Voter Affidavits, and Abstracts of Votes†

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