

Allan and Jacob Ketcham papers

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Ketcham, Allan, 1879-
Creator	Ketcham, Jacob, 1810-
Title	Allan and Jacob Ketcham papers
Date	1818-1896
Extent	0.3 Cubic feet 1 manuscript box
Language	English

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Jacob Ketcham was born in Tennessee in 1810. He married Rachel W. Heacock April 7, 1840 in Daviess County, Indiana. They had five children: Emily, Alfred, Hannah, Cyrus and Mary and a grandson, Allen K., born in 1879. They lived in Madison, Indiana in 1850. He died before the census of 1880.

"Ketcham, Jacob". 1850 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Ketcham, Jacob". Indiana, Marriage Collection, 1800-1941. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

Biographical Note

Allan [Allen] Ketcham [Ketchem] [Ketchum] was born in November 17, 1879 in Indiana to Cyrus and Margaret Ketcham. He had three siblings; Alfaretta, May and Walter and was the grandson of Jacob and Rachel Ketcham. He married Harriet Kirkpatrick on June 12, 1917 in Indianapolis, Indiana. They had a son, James Bennett who was born around 1919. Allen worked as an electrician at a power plant in Indiana in 1920, in Texas in 1930 and was widowed and retired by 1940.

"Bennett, James." 1940 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Ketcham, Allan R.". 1900 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

Ketcham, Allen". Indiana, Select Marriages, 1780-1992. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Ketchem, Allan". 1940 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Ketchum, Allan K.". 1920 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Ketchum, Allan". 1930 United States Federal Census. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Ketchum, Allan". U.S., World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942. Retrieved 2015/06/19. <http://interactive.ancestrylibrary.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes autographed, signed letters; tax receipts and legal documents; an account book including newspaper clippings; and a death notice from Ketcham family members and local government officials in Indiana, Ohio, and Tennessee ranging from 1818 to 1896 regarding family matters, taxes, business matters and miscellaneous.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2015/06/19 by Edythe Huffman. EAD finding aid created 2015/06/19 by Edythe Huffman.

Controlled Access Headings

Family Name(s)

- Ketcham family

Geographic Name(s)

- Indiana
- Ohio
- Tennessee

Subject(s)

- Account books
- Clippings
- Correspondence
- Legal correspondence
- Tax collection

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Richard Heacock account book, 1818-1836	1	1
Allen Ketcham correspondence and papers, 1834-1879 and undated	1	2
Allen Ketcham correspondence and papers, 1880-1896 and undated	1	3
Jacob Ketcham papers, 1823-1874	1	4