

Warren K. Schlotterer family papers and local history collection

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Summary Information

Repository	Goschenhoppen Historians, Inc.
Creator	Schlotterer, Warren K.
Title	Warren K. Schlotterer family papers and local history collection
Call number	06
Date	circa 1750-1960
Extent	5.5 linear feet
General Physical Description note	6 records cartons and 1 oversize box
Language	English
Abstract	Warren K. Schlotterer (1881-1968) was a local historian in Schwenksville, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Warren K. Schlotterer family papers and local history collection, circa 1750-1960, includes papers from Warren K. Schlotterer's family, as well as materials collected by him on local history topics focused around Montgomery County, Pennsylvania and surrounding areas.

Biography/History

Warren K. Schlotterer (1881-1968) lived and operated a jewelry shop in Schwenksville, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. He was a local historian and genealogist who served as the Schwenksville town historian and, in 1936, published *A Genealogical Reference Record of the Descendants of Dielman Kolb*.

Bibliography:

Kebs, Mary Beltz. *A History of Schwenksville*. Schwenksville, Pa: Schwenksville Bicentennial Committee, 1976. March 3, 2008. Accessed December 22, 2011. <http://schwenksville-pa.org/history/history1.html>.

Scope and Contents

This collection includes papers from Warren K. Schlotterer's family, as well as materials collected by him on local history topics focused around Montgomery County, Pennsylvania and surrounding areas. Subjects covered include Pennsylvania Dutch religions and churches, Montgomery County schools, and other local history topics. The bulk of the material is newspaper clippings, but there are also some original manuscripts collected by Schlotterer, as well as postcards, trade cards, calling cards, and other kinds of ephemera. There is a significant amount of newspaper clippings and ephemera relating to local railroads, including maps, timetables, and tickets.

Administrative Information

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Sponsor

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Access Restrictions

Contact Goschenhoppen Historians, Inc. for information about accessing this collection.

Immediate Source of Acquisition Note

Gift of Warren K. Schlotterer.

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Schwenkfelder Church.

Geographic Name(s)

- Montgomery County (Pa.)
- Pennsylvania Dutch Country (Pa.)
- Schwenksville (Pa.)

Personal Name(s)

- Kolb family

Subject(s)

- Local history
- Pennsylvania Dutch
- Railroads
- Schools
- Schwenkfelders