Information Sheet

R Maries County (Mo).
587 Photograph collection, ca. 1880s-1930s.
Forty-six views.

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These are photographs copied from Volumes 1-9 of the scrapbook collection at the Old Jail Museum at Vienna, Missouri. They feature significant locations, buildings, events, and individuals, mostly in Maries County, Missouri. Many of the views are of Vienna, but there are also photographs of Belle, Paydown, Safe, Summerfield, Vichy, the Gasconade River, St. James in Phelps County, Meta in Osage County, and Dixon in Pulaski County. The views have been copied on 35mm black and white film.

These views present a broad sampling of life in Maries County and nearby areas in the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Many of the views show Vienna, the seat of Maries County. Local landmarks include the office of the Maries County Home Advertiser, the Vienna and Maries hotels, Maries County courthouse, the Maries County Bank, the Catholic church and school, several stores and businesses, the Felker, Hefti, Hutchison, and Terrell residences, and the Old Jail Museum. Other items from Vienna include views of a Liberty Bond rally in 1918, the town’s baseball team, a music club, the Bryan-Seward and Free Silver clubs, and road grading with steam tractors. Among many Maries Countians pictured are Valsin G. Latham, Nate Rowan, and Martha Hyer Bowles.

From outside Vienna, the collection includes photographs of Paydown, Indian Ford, and Johnson Ford on the Gasconade River, Coppedge’s steam mill at Safe, the post office and mill at Vichy, the railroad depot at Summerfield, the summer school for teachers at St. James in Phelps County, and a bird’s eye view of Dixon in Pulaski County.

Some of the views have been published in Maries County, Missouri (three vols., Vienna, Mo.: Historical Society of Maries County, 1989-1995).

Shelf List

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## Description

02. Hefti residence.
03. Johnson Ford, Gasconade River, Maries County, Mo.
04. John W. Terrell residence, S. Mill St., Vienna, Mo., 1908.
05. Old Grist Mill, Vichy, Mo.
06. Vienna Hotel and Feed Stable (Spratley Hotel), S. Main St., Vienna, Mo., ca. 1910.
08. John Otto general store, Vienna, Mo. Otto was in business, 1882-1921. The building burned during the 1930s.
09. Maries County courthouse, Vienna, Mo., built 1869-1870.
11. View looking south on Main Street, Vienna, Mo., ca. 1904.
12. Visitation Catholic Church, Vienna, Mo.
13. Indian Ford Bridge, Gasconade River, ca. 1902.
17. Old Jail Museum, Vienna, Mo.
18. Interior of George J. Redel store, ca. 1936
19. Vienna baseball team, pre-1907.
20A. T. A. Felker residence, Vienna, Mo. Built ca. 1890.

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Negative sheet B: From Scrapbooks 6-9

### Description

01. Vienna Hotel, Vienna, Mo., 27 December 1913
03. Ribbon badge for Vienna Free Silver Club.
05. Paydown, Mo., ca. 1913.
06. Valsain G. Latham (1814- ).
07. Coppedges’s steam mill, Safe, Mo.
08. Liberty Bond rally, Vienna, Mo., 1918.
13. Early printers. Nate Rowan on left.
15. Main Street, Vienna, Mo.
16. Maries County Bank, built 1902.
17. Steam tractor and road graders.
   Discontinued ca. 1930.
24. Interior of Vienna Producers Exchange, ca. 1927.
   Schenker Rainey, unknown, unknown. Second row from top: Mollie Holmes, Kate Branson,
   Kate Otto, Lola Roberts, Bertha Schenker, Edna Lindner. Third row: Floyd Felker, Michael
   Eads, Annie Groves, Lillian Felker, “Dr. Fritz’s wife.” Front row: Lettie Rowan, Leslie Gramp,
   Elsie Snodgrass, Mabel Schenker.

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