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**Introduction**

Addition of Benecke family materials. Includes professional and personal correspondence, photographs, glass plate negatives, cartes-de-visite, stereograph cards, diaries, clippings, volumes, periodicals, scrapbooks, Grand Army of the Republic materials, Missouri Constitutional Convention materials, genealogical data, ephemera, and miscellaneous material. Includes Magruder, Sasse, Zillman, and other related families.

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Ask Dr. Weil by Dr. Andrew Weil, c. 1996
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Official Manual State of Missouri, 1943-1944
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The Adams Family by James Truslow Adams, 1930
Those Who Love: A Biographical Novel of Abigail and John Adams by Irving Stone, 1965
Descent From Glory: Four Generation of the John Adams Family by Paul C. Nagel, 1983
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