

August and Joseph Mayworm Papers MS-349

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Summary Information

Repository	Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections
Creator	Mayworm, August, Sr., b. 1840
Creator	Mayworm, Joseph, 1880-1925
Title	August and Joseph Mayworm Papers
Date [inclusive]	1881-1919
Extent	0.68 cubic feet 2 manuscript boxes
Language	English
Language of Material	English and a small amount of German.
Mixed materials [Box]	1-2
Abstract	August and Joseph Mayworm operated a saloon in Tamarack, Michigan and acted as agents for the C. C. Douglass Company. This collection consists of financial records of August and Joseph Mayworm. The records detail their operation of a saloon and boardinghouse, as well as their work for the C. C. Douglass Company.

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Biographical/Historical note

August Mayworm was born March 1840 in Prussia. He moved to Grant Township in Keweenaw County in the 1870s. By 1882, Mayworm had moved to Tamarack and opened a saloon and boardinghouse. As well as running the saloon, he became an agent for the C. C. Douglass Company; collecting rents and selling property on its behalf.

August's son Joseph (born 1880) was working at the saloon with his father from at least 1901. He became the saloon keeper around 1906. When August died (probably in 1915), Joseph appears to have taken over his work for the C. C. Douglass Company. By the time Joseph Mayworm died in 1925, the saloon (which converted to a soft drink parlor during prohibition) had already closed.

Collection Scope and Content Summary

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Arrangement

The collection is arranged alphabetically.

Administrative Information

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Access

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Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- C. C. Douglass Company.

Genre(s)

- Account books
- Bankbooks
- Financial records
- Ledgers (Account books)
- Tax records

Geographic Name(s)

- Osceola (Mich.)
- Tamarack (Mich.)

Subject(s)

- Bars (Drinking establishments)--Michigan--Tamarack
- Boardinghouses--Michigan--Tamarack
- Business enterprises--Michigan--Tamarack

MARC

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Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Account Book 1881-1901	1	1
Bills and Receipts 1893-1894, 1916	1	2
C. C. Douglass Company: General 1915	1	3
C. C. Douglass Company: Journal Pages 1903-1912	1	4
C. C. Douglass Company: Ledger 1898-1919	1	5
C. C. Douglass Company: Ledger 1915-1918	1	6
C. C. Douglass Company: List of Tenants by Block 1892	1	7
C. C. Douglass Company: Receipts 1900-1906	1	8
Correspondence circa 1900	1	9
Customers' Accounts Book 1882-1895	1	10
Customers' Accounts Book 1901-1905	1	11
Customers' Accounts Books 1902-1907	1	12

Ephemera circa 1890s-circa 1900s	1	13
First National Bank of Lake Linden: Account Books 1897-1913	1	14
First National Bank of Lake Linden, Savings Department: Bank Book 1897-1908	1	15
Index to Accounts undated	1	16
Ledger 1903-1904	2	1
Liquor Dealer's Bond 1890	2	2
Opal's Store (Hubbell): Account Book 1910-1913	2	3
Religious Materials 1894-1895, undated	2	4
Tax Receipts: Houghton County 1887-1888	2	5
Tax Receipts: Osceola Township 1888-1914	2	6
Tax Receipts: Osceola Township (not in Mayworm's name) 1888-1890	2	7
Tax Receipts: Retail Liquor Dealers Special Tax 1906-1907	2	8
Tax Receipts: Schoolcraft Township 1886	2	9