DESCRIPTION

Ledger containing cash accounts for Joseph Neugass and his Tucson Restaurant, dated August 1873 to December 1874, and a property deed, miscellaneous accounts and notes, and one printed funeral notice for David Morgan dated, Sept. 12, 1873. Includes a deed for the sale of the Tucson Restaurant to M. Lesinsky & Co. from Joseph Neugass for $500 on January 21, 1871. There is also a note from L.C. Hughes asking Neugass to feed a man who was without money and friends and charge it to Hughes. The ledger presents a list of the Tucson residents of the period and they pay Neugass or he pays them.

1 box, .25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

According to the 1870 census, Joseph Neugass was born about 1836 in Prussia. In 1870, he was keeping a restaurant in Tucson. In February 1872, the Tucson Restaurant moved to the Stevens House at the corner of Main and Pennington. He was elected as Justice of the Peace on November 21, 1874, and married to Julia Fulton of San Francisco on Dec. 8, 1877, and is still in Tucson in the 1880 census.

RELATED MATERIAL - MS 0713 (Rare) Theodore Schmidt Co. ledger

ACQUISITION

Unknown.

ACCESS

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PROCESSING

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