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**MS 840  
WALES, HAZEL DOTY  
WALES PAPERS, 1844-1896**

**DESCRIPTION**

The collection consists of material on Joseph Gilbert Doty (1844-1907), an Arizona miner and father of Hazel Doty Wales. The collection consists of one folder containing a biographical sketch of Doty, one handwritten letter dated 1896, several newspaper clippings and one mining prospectus on the Promontorio Group of Mines (a group of mines in the Magdalena district in Sonora). The collection also contains photographs of Joseph Gilbert Doty and his mine in Mineral Park, Arizona.

1 Box, .25 linear feet

**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE**

Joseph Gilbert Doty was born in Freehold, New Jersey in 1844. He ran away from home at age 16 and traveled extensively. He designed and appraised jewelry. He married Cora Lucille Brown in 1885 and they had four children. According to information on the back of photographs in his portrait file, he owned a mine in Mineral Park, Arizona. He died in 1907.

**ACQUISITION**

The papers were donated by Hazel Doty Wales in 1956 and 1960.

**ACCESS**

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**PROCESSING**

The collection was processed by Riva Dean, Archives Manager in May 1997.