



# Guide to the William Gustavus Metzerott Papers, 1838-1889.

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## Summary

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**Collection Title:**

William Gustavus Metzerott papers, 1838-1889

**Creator:**

Metzerott, William Gustavus

**Abstract:**

This collection contains business and personal papers, correspondence, and photographs of Metzerott who operated under the firm name, W.G. Metzerott & Co. Some material is in French, but most is in English or German. Metzerott writes to his wife in English. Also included are his will, passport, and information about the drive to establish the Garfield Memorial Hospital, headed by Gen. Sherman. Metzerott was on the board.

**Extent:**

3 Linear Feet (6 boxes; 1,000 items)

**Physical Location:**

For current information on the location of these materials, please consult the Library's online catalog.

**Language:**

English

**Language:**

The materials in this collection are mostly in English and German. Metzerott writes to his wife in English. A small amount of the material is in French.

**Collection ID:**

RL.10130

**Permalink:**

<http://library.duke.edu/rubenstein/findingaids/metzerottwilliam/>

**Preferred Citation**

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## Background

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### Scope and Content

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## Acquisition Information

The William Gustavus Metzerott Papers were received by the David M. Rubenstein Rare Book & Manuscript Library as a purchase in 1973.

## Processing Information

This collection has not been processed. Materials were reboxed by written language-English, German, or French.

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## Names and Subjects

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- Business records -- Washington (D.C.)
- Photographs
- Garfield Memorial Hospital (Washington, D.C.)
- Metzerott, William Gustavus
- W.G. Metzerott & Co.
- Sherman, William T. (William Tecumseh), 1820-1891

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## Collection Inventory

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### William Gustavus Metzerott papers, 1838-1889

Papers [German], undated	Box 1
Papers [German], undated	Box 2
Papers [English], undated	Box 3
Papers [English], undated	Box 4
Papers [English and French]	Box 5

Papers [English]

Box 6

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