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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 246 BUSH, John Lafayette, 1877-1961

½ box. 5 folders. 71 items. 1877-1949. Originals

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

John Lafayette Bush was born in 1877 the son of Dr. W. V. Bush and Florence (Snodgrass) Bush of the Hadley community, Warren County, Kentucky. In 1917 he was elected surveyor for Warren County, defeating incumbent John B. Floyd. In 1927 he donated land in Hadley for the construction of a high school. He died in 1961 and is buried in Fairview Cemetery, Bowling Green, Kentucky next to his wife Ettie Manning Bush.

COLLECTION

This collection consists of four surveyor's notebooks, from 1913 to 1944, and numerous surveys, deed searches, and field notes compiled by John L. Bush, surveyor, Warren County, Kentucky. The correspondence folder includes the announcement of his candidacy for County Surveyor of Warren County in 1917.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1		1877-1949	71 items
Folder 1	Inventory		1 item
Folder 2	Surveys and deed searches	1913-1949	39 items
Folder 3	Surveying notebooks	1913-1944	4 items
Folder 4	Field notes	1877-1908	21 items
Folder 5	Business correspondence	1911-1923	6 items

CATALOG CARD

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Notebooks, surveys, and field notes compiled by Warren County, Kentucky native Bush who was elected County Surveyor in 1917.

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Bowling Green – Surveys and surveying, 1913-1949
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CHRONOLOGICAL CARDS

1877
1894
1908-1925
1926-1949

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