ADRIAN RIVET
PAPERS, 1840–1864

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Adrian Rivet was born in France around 1822 and came to the United States where he became a naturalized citizen of the United States in 1844 at Greenfield, Hancock County, Indiana. He became prominent businessman in Hancock and Marion Counties, Indiana in the 1850s living in Cumberland in Hancock County. In 1855 he was named to the Indiana delegation for the Paris Exposition. Rivet was listed as living in Rensselaer, Jasper County, in 1860.

Sources:

Ancestry, Library Edition. http://search.ancestrylibrary.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?rank=1&new=1&MSAV=0&msT=1&gss=angs-g&gsfn=Adrian&gsln=Rivet&mswpn_ftp=Cumberland%2c+Hancock%2c+Indiana%2c+USA&mswpn=39708&mswpn_PInfo=8-0|1652393|0|2|3247|17|0|1277|39708|0|uidh=vv4&pcat=ROOT_CATEGORY&h=2062965&db=1860usfedcenancestry&indiv=1

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The bulk of the collection consists of Rivet’s business records including receipts indentures, and two pocket journal account books relating to Rivet’s various business ventures in Hancock, Marion and Jasper counties, 1840–1864. Also included are letters to Rivet in French from friends primarily in the Cincinnati, Ohio region, 1848–1860. Additional items include Rivet’s naturalization paper in Greenfield, Hancock County, 18 September 1844, his appointment as a delegate from Indiana to the Paris Exposition, 1855, handwritten poetry in French and English and documents regarding his membership in the Masonic Lodge.
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