# INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, LODGE # 629, NEW AMSTERDAM, MINUTE BOOK, 1887-1893

## Collection Information

**Volume of Collection:** 1 bound volume  
**Collection Dates:** 1887-1893  
**Provenance:** Sylvia D. Hoffert, Chapel Hill, NC, 25 August 1997  
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**Other Finding Aids:** None  
**Related Holdings:** Odd Fellows, Independent Order of, Greensburg (SC 1159); Odd Fellows, Independent Order of, Reserve Lodge No. 102, Montezuma (F 275); Odd Fellows, Independent Order of, Oxford (BV 0828); Odd Fellows, Independent Order of, Milton-Wayne County (BV 1781-1782), Odd Fellow, Independent Order of, Philoxenian Lodge No. 44 (OM 266). See also: card catalog under the heading: Independent Order of Odd Fellows.  
**Accession Numbers:** 1997.0655
HISTORICAL SKETCH

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows is a secret fraternal society that evolved in late 18th century England. The origin of the name Odd Fellows cannot be traced. The American order was founded in 1819.


SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection consists of a minute book kept by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Lodge No. 629, in New Amsterdam, Indiana (Harrison Co.). The entries date from February 17, 1887 to June 24, 1893.

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