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An Inventory of Its Inmate Case Files and Commitment Papers

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OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

- Agency:** Minnesota State Training School for Boys.
Series Title: Inmate case files and commitment papers.
Dates: 1868-1917.
Quantity: 29.25 cu. ft. (29 boxes and 1 partial box).
Location: See Detailed Description section for box locations.

ARRANGEMENT OF THE RECORDS

The files are arranged by case file number.

INDEX TERMS

These records are indexed under the following headings in the catalog of the Minnesota Historical Society. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Topics:

- Admitting.
- Juvenile corrections—Minnesota.
- Juvenile delinquents—Institutional care—Minnesota.
- Juvenile detention homes—Minnesota—Admission and discharge.
- Juvenile justice, Administration of—Minnesota.
- Schools—Minnesota.

Places:

- Red Wing (Minn.).

Organizations:

Minnesota State Reform School.

Types of Documents:

Case files.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Restrictions:

These files contain private information on individual prisoners. Researchers may apply to use these records in accordance with the State Archives access statement.

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RECORDS

Note to Researchers: To request materials, please note both the location and box numbers shown below.

Location	Box	
113.J.20.3B	1	File Nos. 6-416. Missing File Nos. 1-5, 9, 14-17, 19, 63, 75, 129 (Benjamin Miller), 129 (John Kasberger), 148-150, 168, 203, 252, 275 (William McGinnis), 275 (Agnes Morency Jones), 293.
113.J.20.4F	2	File Nos. 417-896. Missing File Nos. 423, 497-498 (with Attorney General), 517, 588, 593, 615-616, 639-641, 672-674, 696, 736, 743, 760, 768, 785, 789 (not regularly committed), 817 (not committed). File No. 802: William Hendrickson, Hennepin County (same name for two different people committed for two different deeds). Unnumbered file: George Ott, Stearns County (between File Nos. 589-351 and 590). Unnumbered file: John McCarthy, Ramsey County (between File Nos. 769 and 770/771/772). Unnumbered file: Isadore Gunhiner (between File Nos. 794 and 795).

Location	Box	
113.J.20.5B	3	File Nos. 897-1417. Missing File Nos. 909-910, 924 (see 927), 949, 959, 962, 971, 1003, 1115, 1147, 1156, 1236, 1268. Unnumbered file: Martin Yost, Hennepin County, #00 (between File Nos. 1074 and 1075).
113.J.20.6F	4	File Nos. 1218-1725. Missing File Nos. 1449, 1592, 1594, 1597. File No. 1275 assigned to two people: Albert Bitner, Hennepin County, 1892; Alvaren Snow Allen, 1893 (executive pardon). File Nos. 1494 and 1497 are filed together.
113.J.20.7B	5	File Nos. 1726-1913. Missing File Nos. 1728 (see 2006), 1792 (paroled), 1797. Unnumbered files: James G. S. Foster, Frank Holten and Henry Schultz, Gustus Murray, Mathew Connoly, and Henry Weldon (between File Nos. 1825 and 1826).
116.L.15.6F	6	File Nos. 1914-2046. Missing File Nos. 1929, 1987, 2003, 2015. File No. 1938 includes a statement of expenses, 1904. Unnumbered files: John Montour, Otter Tail County, Charles Kasperson, Otter Tail County (between File Nos. 1994 and 1995). Unnumbered file: Antone Sapjak, Winona County (between File Nos. 1996 and 1997).
116.L.15.7B	7	File Nos. 2047-2154. Missing File Nos. 2056 (recommitted as 2708), 2066, 2088, 2093.
116.L.15.8F	8	File Nos. 2155-2252. Missing File Nos. 2193, 2226.
116.L.16.1B	9	File Nos. 2253-2330. Missing File Nos. 2265.
116.L.16.2F	10	File Nos. 2331-2397.
116.L.16.3B	11	File Nos. 2398-2461. Missing File No. 2406 (defective commitment; no papers).
116.L.16.4F	12	File Nos. 2462-2510.
116.L.16.5B	13	File Nos. 2511-2569.
116.L.16.6F	14	File Nos. 2570-2615.

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116.L.16.7B	15	File Nos. 2616-2665.
116.L.16.8F	16	File Nos. 2666-2755.
116.L.17.1B	17	File Nos. 2756-2832.
116.L.17.2F	18	File Nos. 2833-2903.
116.L.17.3B	19	File Nos. 2904-2978.
116.L.17.4F	20	File Nos. 2979-3069. Contains photocopies of File No. 3067: Cunin, Adelard, 1907-1909. Cunin was known in his later life as George "Bugsy" Moran, a 1930s Chicago gangster. Includes letters written by his family and friends. The originals are housed in the Society's Reserve Collection.
116.L.17.5B	21	File Nos. 3070-3163.
116.L.17.6F	22	File Nos. 3164-3242.
116.L.17.7B	23	File Nos. 3243-3345.
116.L.17.8F	24	File Nos. 3346-3444.
116.L.18.1B	25	File Nos. 3445-3543.
116.L.18.2F	26	File Nos. 3544-3627.
116.L.18.3B	27	File Nos. 3628-3741.
116.L.18.4F	28	File Nos. 3742-3896.
116.L.18.5B	29	File Nos. 3897-4148.
116.L.18.6F	30	File Nos. 4150-4247. File No. 4272: Transcript of testimony, State v. Chester Boisvert (Aitkin County District Court), 1917. 1 folder.