

# Apollo Club of Kansas City Collection (SC184)

## *Introduction*

The Apollo Club of Kansas City Collection consists of four concert programs from 1897 to 1899, as well as a photocopy of a newspaper clipping from the *Kansas City World* with pictures and names of club members from 1897.

## *Descriptive Summary*

Creator: Apollo Club of Kansas City  
Title: Apollo Club of Kansas City Collection  
Dates: 1897-1899  
Size: 0.02 linear feet, 2 folders  
Collection Number: SC184

## *Donor Information*

Found in collection.

## *Citation Note*

Apollo Club of Kansas City Collection (SC184), Missouri Valley Special Collections, Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City, Missouri.

## *Historical Sketch*

The Apollo Club of Kansas City was a male chorus group. Active at the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, the club performed at least two concerts each season and also hosted special recitals featuring musicians such as organist Alexandre Guilmant. Performances took place in Coates Theater (10<sup>th</sup> and Broadway) and the Auditorium Theatre (9<sup>th</sup> and Holmes). The club may have been the Kansas City chapter of a national male chorus.

## *Scope and Content Note*

This collection is comprised of Apollo Club of Kansas City concert programs and a newspaper clipping about the club. The collection is arranged by type of materials and then chronologically.

### **Series 1: Research file, April 25, 1897**

The research file contains a photocopy of a newspaper clipping from the April 25, 1897 *Kansas City World*. These three pages contain drawings and names of Apollo Club members.

**Series 2: Programs, 1897-1899**

This series contains four Apollo Club of Kansas City concert programs from 1897-1899. The programs include music performed, concert venue, musician accompaniment, and listings of officer and member names. The program for an engagement with organist Alexandre Guilmant also contains a two-page biography on Guilmant and reviews from several publications.

*Collection Inventory***Series 1: Research file, April 25, 1897**

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