

Retention and Classification Report

Agency: Provo (Utah). Justice of the Peace (1537)

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83990 *Civil justice docket books
83991 *Criminal justice docket books
83992 *Minutes

AGENCY: Provo (Utah). Justice of the Peace

SERIES: 83990

3

TITLE: Civil justice docket books

DATES: 1909-1911; 1918-1919.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

DESCRIPTION:

These docket books contain completed forms used to document actions of the justice of the peace in civil cases. The cases largely concern the collection of monies owed to businesses and to Provo City. Recorded information includes: names of defendants, attorneys, dates summons served, judgments rendered, and the signature of the justice of the peace. The 1909-1911 volume covers case numbers 1-239 and contains a few loose papers and correspondence concerning the court. The 1918-1919 volume covers case numbers 367-508 as well as one city court case.

RETENTION AND DISPOSITION AUTHORIZATION:

These records are in Archives' permanent custody.

APPROVED: 03/1989

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

Paper: Retain in Office for 10 years and then transfer to State Archives with authority to weed.

APPRAISAL:

Historical

This retention is based on the historical value of the records to document civil cases handled by the justice of the peace.

PRIMARY DESIGNATION:

Public

AGENCY: Provo (Utah). Justice of the Peace

SERIES: 83991

3

TITLE: Criminal justice docket books

DATES: 1888-1909.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

TOTAL VOLUME: 0.80 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

This docket contains completed forms concerning misdemeanor cases heard by the justice of the peace court. The cases largely concern public intoxication and disturbing the peace violations, but also include many traffic violations. Recorded information includes: names of defendant, attorney, dates, changes in actions, fines, decisions, pleas, judgments rendered, and signature of the justice of the peace. The volume contains an alphabetical index listing the name and page number.

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APPRAISAL:

Historical

This retention is based on the historical value of these records to document the misdemeanor crimes committed in Provo.

PRIMARY DESIGNATION:

Public

AGENCY: Provo (Utah). Justice of the Peace

SERIES: 83992

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TITLE: Minutes

DATES: 1873-1892.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

TOTAL VOLUME:

DESCRIPTION:

This volume contains a summary of the proceedings of justice court sessions. It contains: the name of the case, name of judge, date, a summary of the proceedings of court cases indicating fines assessed, judgments and decisions rendered, time sessions convened and adjourned, and all court orders. The volume includes an alphabetical index containing name and page number.

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