Finding aid of the Jefferson Bridgeford Letters C057735

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Title: Bridgeford, Jefferson Letters
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Contributing Institution: Society of California Pioneers
Language of Material: English
Physical Description: 1.0 folder(7 letters, 26 pages)
Date: 1850
Abstract: The contents of this folder are the photocopies of seven handwritten letters and envelopes written by Jefferson Bridgeford to his wife, Margaret E. Bridgeford, and his child, Eugene, in Paris, Monroe County, Missouri, during the year 1850. Jefferson Bridgeford writes about weather and work conditions as a store owner, his health, the health of his companions, matters of business, and his travels around and out of the state.

Conditions Governing Access note
Collection open for research.

Conditions Governing Use note
There are no restrictions on access.

Preferred Citation note

Donor
Donor and date of acquisition unknown.

Biographical note
Jefferson Bridgeford ran a provision store in Northern California during 1850.

Scope and Contents note
The contents of this folder are the photocopies of seven handwritten letters and envelopes written by Jefferson Bridgeford to his wife, Margaret E. Bridgeford, and his child, Eugene, in Paris, Monroe County, Missouri, during the year 1850. The dates of the letters and the places from which the letters were sent are as follows: Sacramento, January 25; Maryesville (sic) (Fremont), April 2; Fort Chiles (?), May 28; Platt Ferry, June 20; South Irafs (?), June 28; Navada (sic) City, July 23; Sacramento, October 26. Jefferson Bridgeford writes about weather and work conditions as a store owner, his health, the health of his companions, matters of business, and his travels around and out of the state.

Existence and Location of Originals note
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