DESCRIPTION

Two letters, from John B. Allen and John Wasson in Tucson, to S. Cadwallader in Wisconsin about the prospects in Tucson and about the business economics of the Tucson Citizen newspaper. Wasson has put the Citizen business up for sale and Allen writes to Cadwallader about Tucson’s future. The letters are dated March 15, 1875 and March 9, 1875 respectively.

1 box, .1 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

John B. Allen was a merchant and rancher. He served as Tucson Mayor, 1876-, and Territorial Treasurer, 1867 to 1875, and member of the Arizona House of Representatives in 1867, 1873, and 1891. John Wasson was Surveyor General of Arizona territory, 1870-1882, and editor and publisher of the Arizona Citizen newspaper in Tucson from 1870 to 1875. He also was a commissioner from Arizona for the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia in 1876.

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