

## Collection Summary

**ID Number:** MSS 064

**Title:** Carl Krause Collection

**Extent:** 2 Boxes

**Span Dates:** 1860s – 1940s

**Language:** English

**Geographic Location:** Indiana

**Abstract:** The Carl Krause collection consists of patents, workbooks, research materials, and other items on various engineering topics in Evansville, IN from 1868 to 1949.

**Historical Notes:** Carl W. Krause (1900-1992) was born in 1900 and graduated from the University of Wisconsin with bachelor's degrees in mechanical engineering and chemical engineering. In 1937, he began working at Cardinal Corporation in Evansville, IN, working with plastics engineering. During World War II, he taught at Evansville College, now the University of Evansville. Krause was sent to Washington, D.C. to serve as a consultant on plastics for the Signal Corps. He returned to Hoosier Cardinal in 1944, and later left to found Kent Plastics Corporation and Shawnee Plastics. He and his wife, Catherine (nee Ost), had one daughter, Cathy. Krause passed away on March 10, 1992.

- **Sources:** Evansville Vanderburgh Public Library: Evansville Historical Newspapers, Browning Genealogy Database

## Selected Search Terms

**Keywords:** Local Businesses; Local History

**Related Materials:** Business and Industry; History; Publications; Regional History; Related Materials -- 1851-1900; Related Materials -- 1901-1950; Related Materials -- n.d.

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