Guide to the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Illustrated Fragment
MSS.3150

This finding aid was produced using the Archivists' Toolkit
February 09, 2011
Describing Archives: A Content Standard
Table of Contents

Summary Information ................................................................................................................................. 3
Biographical/Historical note .................................................................................................................. 4
Scope and Contents note .......................................................................................................................... 4
Administrative Information .................................................................................................................... 4
Collection Inventory ............................................................................................................................... 5
### Summary Information

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th><strong>Repository</strong></th>
<th>W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Title</strong></td>
<td><em>Uncle Tom's Cabin</em> Illustrated Fragment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Date</strong></td>
<td>circa 1850</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Extent</strong></td>
<td>0.05 Linear feet</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Language</strong></td>
<td>German</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Language of Materials note</strong></td>
<td>Material is entirely in German.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Abstract</strong></td>
<td>Fragment of an illustrated German translation of <em>Uncle Tom's Cabin</em>.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Preferred Citation note**

*Uncle Tom's Cabin* Illustrated Fragment, W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama
Biographical/Historical note

According to Grace Edith MacLean in "Uncle Tom's Cabin in Germany" (1910), failure of social movements in the German Empire from 1830-1848 provided fertile conditions for reception of Harriet Beecher Stowe's novel. As of 1910, there were 75 distinct editions of the novel in German, including 11 abridgements for children. Presumably, most of these translations occurred in the decade following the original publication of Uncle Tom's Cabin in 1852.

Scope and Contents note

The collection contains four pages from an illustrated German translation of Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama November 2010

Conditions Governing Access note

None

Provenance

Gift of Wade Hall, 2008

Processed by

James N. Gilbreath, 2010
## Collection Inventory

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Fragment</th>
<th>Box</th>
<th>Folder</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Fragment</td>
<td>SC0052</td>
<td>3150.1</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>