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Descriptive Summary

Barcode numbers

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Language

English

Collector

Nelson County (Va.) Circuit Court

Physical Characteristics

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Location

The Library of Virginia

Repository

The Library of Virginia

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Acquisition Information

These items came to the Library of Virginia in a transfer of court papers from Nelson County.

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Related Material

Additional Nelson County records can be found on microfilm at the Library of Virginia. Consult [A Guide to Virginia County and City Records on Microfilm](#)

Historical Information

Nelson County was formed in 1807 from Amherst County. The county was named for Thomas Nelson, Jr., governor of Virginia from June to November 1781.

Scope and Content

Nelson County (Va.) Minute Books, 1876-1919, record all matters brought before the court on a daily basis when it was in session including but not limited to: civil and criminal suits, appointments of county officers, appointments of guardians and administrators, deed recordings, naturalization registrations, and court fees. Clerks would transfer information from minute books to appropriate order book, deed book, fiduciary book, etc.

Index Terms

Corporate Names:

Nelson County (Va.) Circuit Court.

Subjects:

Public records--Virginia--Nelson County.

Geographical Names:

Nelson County (Va.)--History.

Genre and Form Terms:

Judicial records--Virginia--Nelson County.

Local government records--Virginia--Nelson County.

Minute books--Virginia--Nelson County.

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