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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

Ms.2013.021

Unit Date

1810-1900

Language

The materials in the collection are in English.

Abstract

This collection includes 19th century personal papers (correspondence, legal document, land-related materials, and tax receipts) from the Henry Iddings Family of Floyd County, Virginia.

Creator

Henry Iddings Family

Creator

Iddings, Henry, 1762-1854

Extent

0.5 Cubic Feet 1 box, 1 oversize folder

Repository

Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

Administrative Information

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Source of Acquisition

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Processing Information

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Biographical Note

The Iddings family immigrated to America from Radnorshire, Wales, and first settled in Chester County, Pennsylvania. James Iddings is the first Iddings found in a record for the area now known as Floyd County. Henry Iddings was likely James Iddings nephew.

Henry Iddings was born in Pennsylvania in 1762. In 1789, he married Abigail Richardson. They had eleven children between 1790 and 1817. Iddings died in Virginia in 1854. More information about Iddings and his descendants is available in the collection.

Scope and Content

This collection consists of personal papers from the Henry Iddings family of Floyd County, Virginia. Papers include tax tickets and receipts, land grants, deed, estate settlement papers, correspondence, promissory notes, and other ephemera. Materials date from approximately 1810-1900. Prior to 1830, the current Floyd County was part of Montgomery County. Some early documents may refer to Montgomery County. Also included is a family produced genealogy of the descendants of Henry Iddings and his wife, Abigail Richardson.

Keywords

Civil War
Floyd County (Va.)
Montgomery County (Va.)
Local/Regional History and Appalachian South
United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865
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Iddings, Henry, 1762-1854

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Arrangement

This collection is arranged alphabetically by material type.

Description of Subordinate Components

Correspondence

Unit Date 1837-1900

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Contracts and Legal Documents-Copies

Unit Date 1810-1899

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Contracts and Legal Documents-Copies

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Civil War Oaths

Unit Date 1865

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Descendants of Henry Iddings and Abby Richardson (Genealogy)

Unit Date 1996

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Land Grants

Unit Date 1819-1820, 1841, 1843

oversize 1 (folder)

Land and Survey Documents

Unit Date 1836-1900

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Photographs-Copies

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Receipts and Promissory Notes

Unit Date 1814-1893

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Receipts and Promissory Notes

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Tax Receipts

Unit Date 1834-1899

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 10 (folder)