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Descriptive Summary

Collection number

MS 283

Language

English

Creator

Barksdale, Lena; Fry, Henry; Fry, Wesley; Barksdale, James S.

Extent

3 folders.

Location

Archive Room Shelves

Repository

Albemarle Charlottesville Historical Society

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Acquisition Information

Gift of Hollis Fry McLemore, February 1994

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Biographical/Historical Information

This collection chiefly concerns the Barksdale and Fry families of Albemarle County, Virginia.

Henry Fry (1738-1823) was the son of Col. Joshua Fry, who, along with Peter Jefferson, mapped Virginia. Henry Fry married Susan Walker. Their son, also Henry Fry (1773-1815) married Mildred Maury. The Frys intermarried with the Barksdale family.

Scope and Content

The papers consist of correspondence and receipts. Included is a contract from H.C. Michie for "Meadow Brook," 21 May 1877.

Index Terms

Persons:

Fry, Henry

Fry, Wesley

Barksdale, James S.

Family Names:

Barksdale family

Fry family

Arrangement

3 folders. The primary folder is family correspondence and receipts. Folder A is a photocopy of the Fry family bible. Folder B is a photocopy of the Barksdale family bible. Both bibles were deposited at the Library of Virginia.