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Descriptive Summary

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1991.1

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English

Physical Characteristics

9 items.

Repository

Special Collections, Kegley Library

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection is open to research.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Acquisition Information

Donated by Gary T. Laing in December 1991.

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Biographical/Historical Information

Owned by John S. Dix and his wife Lena Snavely Dix, Dix and Sons was a general merchandise store located in Crockett, Wythe County, Virginia. John Dix also owned a kraut factory near the railroad depot in Crockett. The Dix family eventually sold the store and moved to Pulaski, Virginia.

Scope and Content

The four ledgers in this collection, Items 1, 2, 4, 6, are arranged alphabetically by customer name. Two ledgers (Items 1, 2) have a name index at the front of the ledger. Ledgers give customer name, description and cost of items purchased, date purchased, and debit and credit status of customer. The four daybooks in this collection (Items 3, 5, 7, 8, 9) are arranged chronologically and give customer name, description, and cost of item purchased, and debit and credit status.

Contents List

Item 1. Ledger. 24 August 1899 - 31 December 1901.

Extent

500 p.; name index; 6 pages missing.

Item 2. Ledger. 1 January 1901 - February 1902.

Extent

572 p.; name index.

Item 3. Daybook. 1 January 1904 - 18 May 1904.

Extent

396 p.

Item 4. Ledger. 1 January 1905 - December 1905.

Extent

360 p.; pages 1-21 missing.

Item 5. Daybook. 1 August 1905 - 31 December 1905.

Extent

600 p.; pages 1-6 missing.

Item 6. Ledger. 1 January 1906 - 31 December 1906.

Extent

352 p.

Item 7. Daybook. 31 August 1907 - 31 March 1908.

Extent

804 p.

Item 8. Daybook. 1 April 1908 - 31 July 1908.

Extent

604 p.

Item 9. Daybook. 10 March 1909 - 31 December 1909.

Extent

500 p.