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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

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Unit Date

1708-1926

Language

The materials in the collection are in English.

Abstract

This collection consists of materials regarding Reverend Charles A. Miller and his family's history.

Creator

Miller, Charles A. (Charles Alexander), 1819-1893

Creator

Miller, Melinda Taylor, 1836-1906

Extent

0.5 Cubic Feet 1 box

Repository

Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

Administrative Information

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Processing Information

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Biographical Information

Charles Alexander Miller was born in Christiansburg, Virginia, on November 19, 1819. He was educated at Washington College and later at Union Seminary. On his return to Southwest Virginia, Miller was licensed by the Montgomery County Presbytery in 1849, and served as a home missionary in Giles County (1849-1851). He was fully ordained as a Presbyterian minister in 1854 and went on to work at the Kimberlin Church (Giles County) and later at the White House Church (Radford) until his death on March 26, 1893.

Melinda Taylor Miller (1836-1906) was the second wife of Reverence Charles A. Miller.

External source:

"Melinda Otey Taylor Miller", Findagrave.com,
https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/10942709/melinda_otey_miller, accessed April 22, 2024.

Scope and Content

This collection contains eighteenth-century manuscript items from the Miller family in Germany and Pennsylvania as well as documents relating to Charles A. Miller's land ownership and business receipts. Also included are Miller's diary, account book, and information regarding the genealogy of his second wife, Melinda Taylor Miller.

Keywords

Local/Regional History and Appalachian South

Montgomery County (Va.)

Women -- History

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Arrangement

The collection is arranged alphabetically by subject matter.

Description of Subordinate Components

Account Books, John Miller

Unit Date 1708-1726

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Container 1 (folder)

Apprenticeship Certificate, David Miller

Unit Date 1799

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Container 2 (folder)

Authorization to Perform Marriages, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1854

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Bank Book, Mrs. C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1901-1902

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Container 4 (folder)

Correspondence, Mrs. C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1893-1903

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Container 5 (folder)

Diary and Account Book, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1858

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Container 6 (folder)

Genealogy of the Taylor Family, Mrs. C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1926

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Memorandum and Account Books, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1874-1880

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Memorandum and Account Books, unknown owner

Unit Date 1900-1913

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Memorial for C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1893

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Oath of Allegiance, Ludwig Miller

Unit Date 1778

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Property Deeds, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1855-1879

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Container 12 (folder)

Receipts, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1840-1849

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Receipts, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1850-1859

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Container 14 (folder)

Receipts, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1860-1869

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Container 15 (folder)

Receipts, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1870-1879

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Container 16 (folder)

Receipts, C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1880-1889

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Container 17 (folder)

Receipts, C.A. Miller and Mrs. C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1890-1899

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Container 18 (folder)

Receipts, Mrs. C.A. Miller

Unit Date 1900-1906

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Container 19 (folder)

Receipts, C.A. Miller and Mrs. C.A. Miller

Unit Date n.d.

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Wallets

Unit Date n.d.

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