

# Sarvay-Lyle Ledger

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## Descriptive Summary

### Unit ID

Ms.2011.067

### Unit Date

1881-1888

### Language

English .

### Abstract

Ledger for a merchant operating in Montgomery County, VA. Entries date from 1881 through 1888. Goods were sold by William G. Sarvay beginning January 1, 1881. The business was sold to Sarvay's step-son, Charles Lyle on March 1, 1883.

### Extent

0.1 Cubic Feet 1 folder

### Physical Characteristics

1 folder; 0.2 cu.ft.

### Repository

Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

# Administrative Information

## Access Restrictions

Collection is open for research.

## Use Restrictions

Permission to publish material from Sarvay-Lyle Ledger must be obtained from Special Collections, Virginia Tech.

## Processing Information

The processing, arrangement, and description of the Sarvay-Lyle Ledger was completed in August 2011.

## Preferred Citation

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# Biographical note

Charles Lyle attended the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College from 1878 to 1879 and again from 1882 to 1883.

# Scope and Content

Ledger contains cash accounts and goods sold by William G. Sarvay in Montgomery County, Virginia beginning in 1881. The business was sold to Charles Lyle in 1883. Ledger includes an account for the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College. Items sold include food items, shoes, clothing, and household goods. Entries date through March 1888.

# Related Materials

Additional information about this business can be found in the Rufus Sarvey Papers, Ms1962-003.

# Keywords

Montgomery County (Va.)

Local/Regional History and Appalachian South

Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College (1872-1896)

# Arrangement

Collection is arranged by material type.

# Description of Subordinate Components

**Ledger,**

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