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1890-1952



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Unit Date

1890-1952

Language

The materials in this collection are in English.

Abstract

The Greer Family Business Ledgers is a collection of ledgers from 1890-1952. The ledgers detail both personal expenses, their various businesses and expenses, and purchases from customers. The ledgers also include correspondence, receipts, and newspaper clippings within the pages. The Greer businesses included livestock and lumber.

Extent

2.6 Cubic Feet 7 boxes

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Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

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Source of Acquisition

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Processing Information

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Biographical Note

S.M. Greer (1851-1922) was a resident of Grant, Grayson County, Virginia and ran a livestock business called S.M. Greer and Son. He was married to Cynthia Matilda Parks Greer (1856-1939) and their children include Charles, Flossie, Mayme, Jettie, and William. His son, Charles P. Greer, sometimes listed as "Chas P. Greer" in the ledgers, was also a resident of Grayson County, Virginia and later Roanoke, Virginia. He was married to Sue Emma Weatherly Greer and their children include Mary, Charles, Edith, and Mildred. He is also implied to have ran a buisness.

External Sources:

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Scope and Content

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Keywords

Local/Regional History and Appalachian South

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Arrangement

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The materials in this collection are arranged by size.

Description of Subordinate Components

Small Ledgers

Unit Date 1901-04-28-1904-09-14

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

"Day and Night" Small Ledger

Unit Date 1924-10-23-1931-05-17

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Notepad Ledgers

Unit Date 1923-06-01

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Letter Copying Book

Unit Date 1907-02-04-1912-06-14, undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Mid-Sized Ledger

Unit Date 1890-1897

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

"Journal" Mid-Sized Ledger

Unit Date 1897-05-07-1946-01-07

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

"Grant Lime Company" Mid-Sized Ledger

Unit Date 1914-05-23-1918-12-26

box-folder 2 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Long Ledger

Unit Date 1898-03-05-1931-10

box-folder 3 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

"S.M. Greer" Ledger

Unit Date 1899-12-23-1919, undated

box-folder 3 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

"The Progressive Agriculturist" Ledger

Unit Date 1901-11-01-1932-08-25

box-folder 3 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

"Journal" Large Ledger

Unit Date 1917-01-03-1918-10-19

item 4 (box)

Container 1 (item)

"Journal" Large Ledger

Unit Date 1902-03-1926-09-17

item 5 (box)

Container 1 (item)

Large Ledger

Unit Date 1907-05-17-1952

item 6 (box)

Container 1 (item)

Large Ledger

Unit Date 1913-01-23-1915-11-25

item 7 (box)

Container 1 (item)