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Language

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Creator

Davis, William H.

Creator

Davis, Millie

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Biographical / Historical

William H. Davis was a citizen of Rockbridge County who served as a Confederate foot soldier in the American Civil War.

Scope and Contents

The collection contains transcripts and copies of William H. Davis's letters home to his wife Millie, from Monterey, Petersburg, and other Confederate army posts in Virginia. The material is a record of a common, unlettered man pouring out his homesickness to his wife.

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Correspondence

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