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Scope and Contents

Business correspondence, accounts, ledger book, and legal papers of Townley B. Cauthorn, farmer and lumber merchant of Millboro (Bath County), Virginia. The collection contains pay records for sawmill hands and farm laborers, employee purchase accounts, and legal documents. Also included are a record of road work done in Bath County when Cauthorn was Commissioner of Roads and an agreement between Cauthorn and Edgar S. Davis for the adoption by Cauthorn of Mattie Davis.

Keywords

Bath County (Va.)

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Account books

Farms and farming.

Lumber industry and timber.

Lumber trade

Mills and mill-work

Roads. SEE ALSO Turnpikes.

Cauthorn, T. B.

Davis, Edgar S.

Davis, Mattie - adoption.

Description of Subordinate Components

Business Correspondence and Miscellaneous Documents

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Unit Date 1883-1907

Mixed Materials 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes letters concerning orders for merchandise, payments, etc; also includes two school grade reports for Mattie Davis.

Business Records

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/170360

Unit Date 1878-1909

Mixed Materials 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes insurance policies, receipts, merchants' bills, and advertising circulars.

Business Records

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/170361

Unit Date 1873-1896

Mixed Materials 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes "Weekly Time Book [1890-1891] (showing purchases, payments for hauling lumber); Pay Book for Saw Mill and Company Store Records (pay book contains only one sheet of "time rolls" for sawmill hands, showing March-May, August 1871; company store book shows purchases of sawmill employees from 1890-1896); and a record book [1873-1883] (showing time worked and wages paid to Cauthorn's farm hands and credits to the employees for purchases from local merchants).

Legal Records and Papers

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/170362

Unit Date 1867-1898

Mixed Materials 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes jury summons for T.B. Cauthorn; case papers for bankruptcy proceedings; appointment of Cauthorn to Road Commissioners of Bath Co., Virginia; payment for jury duty; agreement for adoption of Mattie Davis; and a record book for county road work kept by Cauthorn when he served as Commissioner of Roads.