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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.)

Millboro (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 ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170359

**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**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**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**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**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**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**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.