SAMUEL CARR FAMILY PAPERS, 1810–1904 (BULK 1830–1865)

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 mss. folder, 1 oversize folder (19 items)

COLLECTION DATES: Inclusive,1810-1904; bulk, 1830-1865

PROVENANCE: Mrs. Frank Irving, Magna, Utah, December, 1973

RESTRICTIONS: None

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ALTERNATE FORMATS: None

OTHER FINDING AIDS: None

RELATED HOLDINGS: Carr Family Correspondence (SC 2386, F1166); Carr Family Papers (M 0607)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1973.1203; 1978.0615

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

Samuel Carr was born in Frederick County, Virginia in 1782. He apparently served as an apprentice carpenter in Virginia and Kentucky before settling in Charlestown, Indiana in 1810 where he worked as a carpenter. Samuel Carr was also a veteran of the War of 1812. John Carr served as a lieutenant in the state militia in the 1830s and was a judge for the Clark County circuit court in the 1820s and 1830s.

Source: Information from collection.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection consists of documents and letters regarding Samuel and John Carr. Items regarding Samuel Carr include bills and correspondence concerning the carpentry business and documents regarding his pension for service during the War of 1812. John Carr materials include documents appointing him associate judge for Clark County, militia appointments, and several letters from various individuals.

FOLDER LISTING

FOLDER CONTENTS

SC 0178: Papers, 1810-1904

OM 0010: Documents, 1836-1838

CATALOGING INFORMATION

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- 2. Click on the "Basic Search" icon.
- 3. Select "Call Number" from the "Search In:" box.
- 4. Search for the collection by its basic call number (in this case, SC 0178).
- 5. When you find the collection, go to the "Full Record" screen for a list of headings that can be searched for related materials.