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INDIANA LAND SALE DOCUMENTS, 1822–1840

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

On 13 November 1822, Alexander Pugh of Preble County, Ohio bought two parcels of land in Brookville, Indiana totaling one hundred ninety seven acres. The land was described as the Northeast quarter, West of White River, of section two on township sixteen of range three east and the East half of the Northwest quarter of section two in township sixteen of range three east. Pugh's land deeds were recorded in the Records of Deeds of Marion County, Indiana on 28 December 1836. Merrick Pugh sold the same land to Charles [Steet] on 4 March 1830, who sold it to Elijah Fox on 30 July 1832. Elijah and Susannah Fox sold these parcels to John Long on 5 September 1834 for one thousand dollars.

On 5 August 1834, John Tracy bought 79 acres in Marion County, described as the East half of the Southwest quarter of section eighteen, township fourteen, north of range four east. On 6 February 1840, James and Mary Tracy sold the same land to George Tomlinson for four hundred dollars.

Sources:

Collection materials.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection contains land sale documents for Brookville, Indiana and Marion County, Indiana. Included are two land grants in Brookville for Alexander Pugh, a record of Pugh's land deeds, and a deed for the same land sold by Elijah and Susannah Fox to John Long. Also in the collection is a land grant in Marion County for John Tracy, and a deed for the same land sold by James and Mary Tracy to George Tomlinson.

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