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JONATHAN WOODRUFF, JR
NOTEBOOKS, CA. 1832–1870

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF
COLLECTION: 1 manuscript box (4 small bound volumes)

COLLECTION
DATES: Ca. 1832–1870

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Jonathan Woodruff (1800–1860) was born in New Jersey and came to Lima (now Howe,) LaGrange County, Indiana, around 1830, and worked as a surveyor. In 1836 he married Lydia A. Preston. The couple may have divorced for in 1854 he married Abigail Conkin Magie.

Sources:

Ancestry, Library edition. Accessed 26 March 2015.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The four notebooks kept by Jonathan Woodruff, Jr. include:

- Two field surveyor notebooks and attached foldout hand-drawn maps for Townships 36, 37, 38, LaGrange and Steuben Counties, ca. 1832–1834. Users are to use the scanned versions of the maps and not open the foldout originals.
- One Jonathan Woodruff, Jr. expense book/Charles Woodruff journal, ca. 1837–1840; ca. 1869–1870.
- One daybook/ledger, ca. 1832–1859.

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Expense Book/Journal; Daybook/Ledger

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