



Espy Family Papers (C0099)

Collection Number: C0099

Collection Title: Espy Family

Dates: 1800-1900

Creator: Espy family

Abstract: Papers primarily of Thomas Espy, an attorney who moved from Franklin, Pennsylvania, to Fort Madison, Iowa, and finally to St. Louis, Missouri.

Collection Size: 0.3 cubic feet
(12 folders)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

Restrictions on Access: Collection is open for research. This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Columbia](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at columbia@shsmo.org. Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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Historical Note:

Please see Abstract.

Arrangement:

The papers have been arranged chronologically by type of material.

Scope and Content Note:

The collection contains correspondence and miscellaneous family papers.

Container List:

- f. 1-4 Family correspondence dealing almost exclusively with family matters, 1800-1875
- f. 5 Miscellaneous papers including official government documents; Deeds, receipts, bank book, newspaper clippings, etc.
- f. 6 Ledger-Diary, Thomas Espy, 1820-1846; Daybook, Thomas Espy, 1838-1843.
- f. 7 Business Journal, Thomas Espy, which also includes law notes and compositions of Emmett Espy, 1841-1843.
- f. 8 Index book; Memo-account book, 1841-1845; Pocket "Remembrancer"; a memo book written in German.
- f. 9 Copies of speeches on various political questions, mainly the tariff, 1844; political pamphlets and reports.
- f. 10 Copies of *Kendall's Expositor*, 1844
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- f. 12 Almanacs, 1847-1878

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