



Royal Baldwin Account Book (C0225)

Collection Number: C0225

Collection Title: Royal Baldwin Account Book

Dates: 1858-1877

Creator: Baldwin, Royal, 1817-1878

Abstract: Record of a general merchandise firm in Kennekuk, KS. Baldwin was manager of the Kickapoo Indian Agency in 1858. Cancelled checks, letters, and miscellaneous papers.

Collection Size: 0.02 cubic feet, 1 volume
(1 folder)

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](https://www.shsmo.org/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:

Royal Baldwin was born in 1817 in Litchfield, Connecticut. For many years, he lived in Ohio, but in 1856 was appointed as Indian agent for Northeast Kansas, operating from Kennekuck, Kansas. Baldwin was tasked with moving the Kickapoo, Sac, Fox, and Pottawatomie tribes to newly designated reservation land. He died in 1878.

Arrangement:

The collection has been maintained in its original order.

Scope and Content Note:

This collection contains account records of a general merchandise firm in Kennekuk, Kansas, from 1858 through 1877, including cancelled checks, letters, and miscellaneous papers.

Container List:

- f. 1 Miscellaneous papers removed from account book
- v. 1 Account book, 1858-1877

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