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INTRODUCTION

Correspondence and business papers of Lawrence Derby Bass and Abraham E. Ellis of Boone County, MO.

DONOR INFORMATION

The papers were donated to the University of Missouri by Ambrose Easterly on 30 April 1964 (Accession No. 3575).

FOLDER LIST

- f. 1 Correspondence, Undated. Correspondence to Abraham E. Ellis concerning mule trading in Texas and Louisiana; funds for Female College, Columbia, Missouri; Missouri taxes; presidential election, 1868; Democratic politics in Louisiana.
- f. 2-3 Abraham E. Ellis Family Papers, 1867-1882. Correspondence, receipts and business papers of Abraham E. Ellis family, Ashland, Boone County, Missouri. Correspondence with associates in Bastrop, Louisiana, relating to mule market, cotton and corn growing and trading, weather, and family news. Receipts from Fisher, Johnson and Company; John Chaffe and Sons; and S.W. Rawlins Company, cotton factors and commission merchants, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- f. 4 Lawrence D. Bass Family Papers, 1883-1893. Correspondence received by Lawrence D. Bass and his wife, Sallie Ellis Bass, daughter of Abraham E. Ellis, Boone County, Missouri. Concerns family news, Boone County social events, death of Rutha (Young) Ellis and A.E. Ellis. Letters from Bastrop, Louisiana, concern cotton crops, weather, family news. Correspondence relating to development of meat industry and trade in San Francisco, California.
- f. 5-6 L. Derby Bass, Correspondence, 1895. Correspondence between L. Derby Bass and his parents, Lawrence D. Bass and Sallie Ellis Bass, 1895. L. Derby Bass describes his tour of Europe, the Mediterranean countries, the Holy Land, and Egypt.
- f. 7 Lawrence D. Bass Family Papers, 1896-1902. Family correspondence, 1896-1902. Church and social events; Derby's European tour; weather; cattle market, Kansas City, Missouri, 1902. Letter from George B. Tuttle, Surgeon, U.S. Army, Philippines, describes natives' customs, climate, geography, fruit business, medical work, 1901.
- f. 8 Miscellaneous. Newspaper article "Family Era Ends with Bass Auction" from *Columbia Tribune*, Saturday, November 19, 1960. Article describes auction at Bass-Ellis home, Boone County, Missouri.

Includes pamphlets brochures, ship plans concerning Derby Bass's European tour, 1895.

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