



Henry E. Parberry Papers (C3147)

Collection Number: C3147

Collection Title: Henry E. Parberry Papers

Dates: 1829-1865

Creator: Parberry, Henry E.

Abstract: The papers of Henry E. Parberry contain copies of a receipt for sale of an enslaved woman and child to James Parberry, 1829; Civil War letters concerning conditions in prison camps in New York and Maryland; and other miscellaneous letters and letter fragments.

Collection Size: 0.02 cubic feet
(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](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at columbia@shsmo.org. Collections may be viewed at any research center.

Restrictions on Use: Materials in this collection are in the public domain.

Preferred Citation: [Specific item; box number; folder number] *Henry E. Parberry Papers* (C3147); The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Columbia [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-Columbia].

Donor Information: The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Monroe F. Cockrell on July 1, 1963 (Accession CA0050).

Alternate Forms Available: The [bill of sale](#) is available online in the [Missouri Slavery Documents](#) digital collection.

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Historical Note:

Henry E. Parberry enlisted in the Confederacy as a private in Springfield, Missouri, on January 15, 1862. He was captured in 1863 and remained in prison until 1865. James Parberry, presumably his father, was an enslaver from Franklin County, Virginia, who purchased an enslaved woman named Martha and her child from Thomas Lunkin for \$400 on February 4, 1829.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged chronologically.

Scope and Content Note:

The collection includes copies of the receipt for the sale of Martha and her child; Civil War letters concerning conditions in prison camps in New York and Maryland; and other miscellaneous letters and letter fragments.

Container List:

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