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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 496 HINES, John, 1771-1853

1 box. 4 folders. 125 items. 1812-1914. Originals.

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

John Hines was born on 21 October 1771 in Charlotte County, Virginia, the son of Henry Hines (1732-1810) and Dorcas Kelley. He moved to Kentucky, via the Cumberland Gap and Wilderness Road, in 1803, purchasing land on the Gasper River in Warren County. He operated a saw and grist mill known in the area as Hines' Mill, and he reputedly owned an iron foundry in Tennessee. He also was a large tobacco planter. In 1804 he was a lieutenant in the 25th Regiment, Kentucky militia and transferred on 10 December 1804 to the 61st when it organized in Warren County. He served as a major in the War of 1812, mustering into the 61st Regiment, 20th Brigade and transferring to the 25th Regiment on 16 January 1815. Later he was elected sheriff of Warren County. He had ten children with his two wives, Sarah (Davis) Hines (1779-1819), whom he married in 1795, and Nancy Davis (Herald) Hines, a widow and Sarah's sister. The Hines were members of the Methodist church. John died on 30 July 1853; he and Sarah were buried in the Adams-Hines cemetery, seven miles northwest of Bowling Green on the Morgantown Road. His will was probated in Warren County in August 1853. His children went on to play prominent roles in Warren County's history.

COLLECTION NOTE

This small collection consists almost exclusively of land and financial records of John Hines of Warren County, Kentucky. Folder 2 includes land surveys for Warren County land owned by John Hines. Of particular interest is a small plat map of Bowling Green, showing lots 71-121 with owner's name (and occasionally usage, i.e. stables); the streets are marked but unnamed. Folder 3 contains promissory notes, receipts, and financial correspondence related to John Hines, particularly the settlement of his estate in the 1850s. Folder 3 also contains receipts and financial papers of George Washington Hines. Folder 4 contains indentures and deeds for land in and near Warren County Kentucky for Hines and Loving family members, particularly John Hines.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1	John Hines	1812-1914	125 items
Folder 1	Inventory		1 item
Folder 2	Surveys, plats, and summaries of assets (including slaves)	1833-1855	15 items
Folder 3	Promissory notes, receipts, financial correspondence	1832-1906	77 items
Folder 4	Land records – Indentures, deeds for Hines and Loving families	1812-1914	29 items

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

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Indentures, deeds and financial records chiefly of John Hines of Warren County, Kentucky. Includes material related to the settlement of his extensive estate that was executed by his son, Pleasant Hines. Contains many receipts from Bowling Green businesses in the 1870s and an undated plat map of the city showing owners of lots 71-122.

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Bills and notes, 1832-1880 B1,F3

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Estates – Hines, John, 1771-1853 B1,F3

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Hines, George W., 1826-1884 – Mentioned B1,F3

Hines, Pleasant, 1798-1880 B1,F3

Land – Transaction (Sales, purchases, transfers, etc.) – Warren County, 1833-1855
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Letterheads – C. C. Patteson (Hardware) – Bowling Green, 1877 B1,F3

Letterheads – Claypool & Company (Butcher) – Bowling Green, 1878 B1,F3

Letterheads – G. H. Withers (Stable) – Bowling Green, 1881 B1,F3

Letterheads – Graham & Graham (Dry Goods) – Bowling Green, 1884 B1,F3
 Letterheads – Green River Pantagraph – Bowling Green, 1879 B1,F3
 Letterheads – Gus Bardmaker (Butcher) – Bowling Green, 1878 B1,F3
 Letterheads – H. E. Jenkins (Grocery) – Bowling Green, 1876 B1,F3
 Letterheads – J. G. Fleming (Tinsmith) – Bowling Green, 1876 B1,F3
 Letterheads – Jenkins & Jenkins (Grocery) – Bowling Green, 1878 B1,F3
 Letterheads – John Demuth (Furniture) – Bowling Green, 1876-1880 B1,F3
 Moore, Obediah – Mentioned, 1849 B1,F2
 Newspapers – Bowling Green – Relating to, 1879 B1,F3
 Otto, John, 1810-1874 B1,F3
 Plats – Bowling Green B1,F2
 Porter, Virgil M. – Mentioned B1,F3
 Receipts, 1845-1906 B1,F3
 Slavery – Warren County – Relating to, 1838-1852 B1,F2-3
 Surveys – Warren County, 1833-1855 B1,F2
 Warren County – Deeds, 1812-1914 B1,F4
 Warren County – Tax receipts, 1862-1906 B1,F3
 Waterworks – Bowling Green – Receipt, 1878 B1,F3

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