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Correspondence and associated material of amateur historian, collector and Bardstown banker John W. Muir. Most relates to Muir’s interest in John Rowan and his Bardstown, Kentucky home Federal Hill, and to Stephen Foster’s association with the property, thought to have been the inspiration for his song “My Old Kentucky Home.” Muir brings sources on Rowan to the attention of WKU faculty member Frances Richards, the author of a master’s thesis on Rowan. Also includes Muir’s correspondence with J. Winston Coleman regarding the Rowan-Chambers duel, and letters about his family and travel.

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Banks and banking – Nelson County
Bardstown – Historic houses – Edgewood – Photograph
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Coleman, John Winston, Jr., 1898-1983 – Correspondence
Dueling – Nelson County, 1801
Foster, Stephen Collins, 1826-1864 – Relating to
Harm, Ray, 1926-2015
Harm, Ray, 1926-2015 – Relating to
Historic houses – Nelson County
Howry, Edyth (Wornall), 1891-1974
James, Jesse Woodson, 1847-1882 – Relating to
Lilly, Josiah Kirby, 1861-1948 – Correspondence
McGill, William J., b. 1868?
Muir family – Relating to
Muir, Henry Lewis, 1883-1961 – Photograph
Muir, John Wakefield, 1909-1991 – Photograph
Muir, John Wakefield, Jr., 1941-1977 – Photograph
Muir, Margaret (Riley), 1920-2012
Richards, Frances, 1893-1991 – Letters to
Roby, Anna Ray (Wakefield) Muir, 1881-1973 – Relating to
Rowan, John, 1773-1843 – Relating to
Scotland – Travel and description, 1972
Stephen Foster – The Musical – Relating to
Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972
Wilson and Muir, Bankers – Bardstown
Wilson, Ivan, 1889-1981 – Relating to

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