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Descriptive Inventory

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COLLECTION NOTE

This collection was accumulated by several family members and includes information about the Meador, Richards, and Johnson families of Simpson County and Logan County, Kentucky and the Garrett and King families of Sumner County, Tennessee and Texas. The families are interrelated. Of particular interest is a folder of correspondence collected by Caroline Safronia (King) Garrett which includes one letter that discusses the burial of a King family member in Cuba in 1842 and another letter that mentions the potential invasion of Texas in 1842. These letters are found in Folder 3. A slave bill of sale is included in Folder 4. Signed publicity photographs and news clippings related to burlesque star Sally Rand are included in Folder 16.

The genealogical materials within the collection include documents such as wills, Bible records for the Johnson family, and family charts related to the Meador, Richards, Johnson and related families.

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Correspondence, legal documents, and sundry material related to the Meador, Richards, and Johnson families chiefly of Simpson County and Logan County, Kentucky. Also includes documents and correspondence from the King and Garrett families of Robertson and Sumner County, Tennessee.

1 box.  28 folders.  120 items.  Originals and photocopies.

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