

BAILEY, SAMUEL H.
(b. 1797)
PAPERS, 1828-1935

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INTRODUCTION

The Samuel H. Bailey Papers, 1828-1935, are centered around Samuel H. Bailey (1797-n. d.), farmer and merchant, of Sumner County, Tennessee. The papers were donated by James H. Bailey of White Bluff, Tennessee.

The collection occupies .84 cubic feet of shelf space and numbers approximately 500 items. There are no restrictions on the collection and single photocopies of unpublished writings in the Samuel H. Bailey Papers may be made for the purpose of scholarly research.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Samuel H. Bailey Papers containing approximately five hundred items, spans the years 1828-1935. The collection is composed of accounts, an account book, Civil War documents, land records, music, slavery items (bill of sale and list) and several miscellaneous items.

Samuel H. Bailey (1797-n. d.) was born in Virginia and while fifteen years of age served in the War of 1812. Most of his adult life was spent as a farmer and merchant in Sumner County, Tennessee.

A large part of the Bailey papers is composed of the music collection of Professor Carl Schroeder of Portland, Tennessee. Professor Schroeder married Theodosia Bailey (1836-1921) a daughter of Samuel H. Bailey.

Researchers interested in early music should find the collection of interest.

CONTAINER LIST

Box 1

1. Accounts -- Bills, notes and receipts--Bailey, Samuel H., 1828-1880
2. Accounts -- Bills, notes and receipts--Schroeder, Carl, 1880-1891
3. Accounts -- Bills, notes and receipts--Miscellaneous
4. Account Book-- Lawrenceville, 1848-1850
5. Account Book-- Workman's line book, n.d.
6. Civil War--Finance, Commerce, Confiscation, etc.--Bailey, Samuel H., 1862-1864 (copies)
7. Correspondence--Craighead, Thomas D.
8. Correspondence--Walton, William S.
9. Genealogical Data--Bailey and Brown families
10. Land Records--Deed--Johnson, L.L. to Benjamin Roney, 1851
11. Land Records--Deed--Payne, W.L. et. al. to Samuel H. Bailey 1935
12. Land Records--Deed--Roney, Benjamin to Samuel H. Bailey, 1858 (copy)
13. Land Records--Grant--Kentucky to Samuel H. Bailey, 1835
14. Land Records--Grant --Survey--Bailey, Samuel H. 1854
15. Legal Documents--Bankruptcy--Bailey, Samuel H., 1843, 1844 (copy)
16. Music--Arrangements--Schroeder, Carl
17. Music--Catalogs--Schroeder, Carl
18. Music--Composition--Schroeder, Carl

Box 2

1. Music--Miscellaneous
2. Music--Miscellaneous
3. Music--Miscellaneous
4. Music--Miscellaneous
5. Notices--Musical concert, 1881 (copy)
6. Photographs, drawings, etc.--Carter barn, Robertson County, TN
7. Photographs, drawings, etc.--Rousseau, Harrison, (1818-1869), (copies)
8. Printed Materials--"The Music Teacher," November 1891
9. Printed Materials--"The Musical Visitor," November 1895
10. Printed Materials--ticket--Concert
11. Programs--Franklin Military Band, November 1890
12. Railroad Papers--Passport--Bailey, Samuel H. 1861
13. Recipe--Preparing Chewing Tobacco
14. Sketches--Robertson County, Tennessee
15. Slavery--Bill of sale, 1859
16. Slavery--List, n.d.
17. Taxation--Receipts, 1837-1887

