

**JONES FAMILY PAPERS
ADDITION, 1815-1991**

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INTRODUCTION

The Jones Family Papers, Addition, span the years from 1851 through 1991. Series One of this collection is largely the correspondence of Jameson M. Jones, b. 1916, and Calvin Jones, 1775-1846. Other materials found in Series One include journals, accounts, contracts, newspaper clippings, drawings, family trees, obituaries, receipts, and photographs of portraits of Calvin Jones and Temperance B. W. Jones. Series Two contains the papers of Edwin Polk, 1818-1854, and Octavia Rowena Jones Polk, 1826-1817. Materials found in Series Two include accounts, bills of sale for cotton and slaves, a Revolutionary War service claim, land ownership documents, promissory notes, and receipts. This addition to the Jones Family Papers consists of four separate donations made by Jameson M. Jones from 1981-1996. This collection has been microfilmed and the original documents have been maintained. There are no restrictions on the use of materials in this collection.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Jones Family Papers, Addition, spanning the years 1815-1991, is an addition to the Jones Family Papers that were processed in 1967. The present collection has been processed into two series.

Series One contains the papers of Calvin Jones and Jameson M. Jones with the majority of the materials in Series One pertaining to Jameson M. Jones. The remainder of the materials attributed to Calvin Jones includes transcriptions of journals for the years 1815 and 1818, three receipts from 1816-1852, and a report from the Comptrollers Office dated 1843. The Family Portrait Journal was prepared by Jameson M. Jones and gives a descriptive narrative of certain family portraits, including photographs of the portraits. The four journals of Jameson M. Jones begin on his 21st birthday, January 8, 1937, and concludes with a final entry on April 4, 1991. Interspersed throughout his journals are selected correspondence, photographs, and clippings. Box 2, Folder 11, contains two copies of a register ostensibly prepared by the donor pertaining to a portion of the materials included in this collection, a family tree of the Jones family, a biographical note on Paul Tudor Jones, and descriptions of authors of some of the correspondence.

Series Two contains approximately 300 items and consists of the personal and business correspondence of Edwin and Octavia Jones Polk. Included in the collection are land grants, accounts, receipts, indentures, title bonds, correspondence, epitaphs, poetry, and several slave bills of sale.

Some of the subjects discussed in the collection include the War for Texas Independence (1842), the Bolivar Male Academy (1843), and several letters concerning railroad business.

Edwin Polk was a member of the Tennessee State Legislature and was a cousin of James Knox Polk, 11th President of the United States. Additional biographical sketches and genealogical information is included in *Register Number 12, Jones Family Papers*.

CONTAINER LIST

BOX 1

SERIES 1: CALVIN JONES and JAMESON MILLER JONES PAPERS

<u>FOLDER:</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION:</u>
1.	Journal--Transcription--Calvin Jones, 1815, Part One
2.	Journal--Transcription--Calvin Jones, 1815, Part Two
3.	Journal--Transcription--Calvin Jones, 1818, Part One
4.	Journal--Transcription-- Calvin Jones, 1818, Part Two
5.	Journal--Family Portraits--James & Mary Steel Jackson Descendants
6.	Journal--Family Portraits--James & Mary Steel Jackson Descendants, Appendices
7.	Journal--Jameson Miller Jones, 1937

BOX 2

SERIES 1: CALVIN JONES and JAMESON MILLER JONES PAPERS

<u>FOLDER:</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION:</u>
1.	Journal--Jameson Miller Jones, 1938
2.	Journal--Jameson Miller Jones, 1944
3.	Journal--Jameson Miller Jones, 1949
4.	Letters and Notes, re: Land Transactions--Calvin Jones, 1810-1850
5.	Accounts--1843 and 1852
6.	Contracts--Agreements--Jones, Paul T.
7.	Clippings--Paul Tudor Jones
8.	Clippings--Sam Bjorklund
9.	Drawings on Postcards--Jameson M. Jones
10.	Envelopes--Jameson Jones
11.	Family Trees--Jones Family
12.	Obituaries--Francis Gaither & Kate Miller Jones
13.	Publications--Leo Marchutz School of Painting & Drawing
14.	Receipts--1816-1852
15.	Recollection--T. Shelton Jones, Buggy Ride
16.	Report--From Comptroller Graham's Report
17.	Translation--Calendar Text
18.	Writings--Notes--Unknown Authors
19.	Photographs--Calvin Jones and Temperance Boddie Williams Jones

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CORRESPONDENCE

BOX 3

<u>Folder:</u>	<u>Description:</u>
1.	Correspondence--A
2.	Correspondence--B
3.	Correspondence--C
4.	Correspondence--D
5.	Correspondence--E
6.	Correspondence--F
7.	Correspondence--G
8.	Correspondence--H
9.	Correspondence--Jackson-Jett
10.	Correspondence--Anna Hudson Jones
11.	Correspondence--Annie Smith Jones
12.	Correspondence--Calvin Jones
13.	Correspondence--Calvin N. Jones
14.	Correspondence--Christa Jones
15.	Correspondence--Dorothy D. Jones
16.	Correspondence--Jameson C. Jones
17.	Correspondence--Jameson M. Jones

CORRESPONDENCE

BOX 4

<u>Folder:</u>	<u>Description:</u>
1.	Correspondence--John M. Jones
2.	Correspondence--Kate M. Jones
3.	Correspondence--Typed Transcriptions--Kate Miller Jones
4.	Correspondence--Condolence Letters--Kate Miller Jones
5.	Correspondence--Mary Rae Jones
6.	Correspondence--Minnie Jones
7.	Correspondence--Typed Transcripts--P. T. Jones
8.	Correspondence--Paul T. Jones, Jr.
9.	Correspondence--Paul T. Jones, III
10.	Correspondence--Paul T. Jones, III to Jameson M. Jones
11.	Correspondence--Paul T. Jones, IV
12.	Correspondence--Samuel N. Jones
13.	Correspondence--Sara S. Jones

CORRESPONDENCE

BOX 5

Folder: **Description:**

1. Correspondence--Sara S. Jones to Jameson M. Jones
2. Correspondence--Sara S. Jones to Jameson M. Jones
3. Correspondence--Sharon to Jameson M. Jones
4. Correspondence--Tom S. Jones
5. Correspondence--Wilbur A. Jones
6. Correspondence--K

CORRESPONDENCE

BOX 6

Folder: **Description:**

1. Correspondence--L
2. Correspondence--M
3. Correspondence--N
4. Correspondence--O
5. Correspondence--P
6. Correspondence--R
7. Correspondence--S
8. Correspondence--T
9. Correspondence--W

SERIES 2: EDWIN and OCTAVIA ROWENA JONES POLK

BOX 7

FOLDER: **DESCRIPTION:**

1. Correspondence--Edwin Polk
2. Correspondence--Octavia Rowena Jones Polk
3. Accounts--1838-1908
4. Bills of Sale--Cotton, 1849-1852
5. Bills of Sale--Slaves,1839-1854
6. Claims--Revolutionary War Service, Lt. Robert Kirk, 1846
7. Election Totals--County Officer, 1844
8. Land--Articles of Agreement, 1837-1850
9. Land--Deeds and Indentures, 1822-1848
10. Land--Grants, 1838-1849
11. Land--Statement of Boundaries, Edwin Polk Estate
12. Land--Title Bonds, 1853-1854
13. List--Shares [slaves]
14. Notes--Author unknown
15. Promissory Notes--1836-1853
16. Receipts--Edwin Polk, 1833-1853
17. Resolution--Nashville and Southern Railroad

18. Fragments
19. Artifact--Wheat