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OVERVIEW OF COLLECTION

Title: Susannah and Samuel L. Walker papers

Date: 1810-1948

Extent: 2.02 Linear feet (5 boxes)

Creator: Walker, Samuel Lafayette, Sr., 1821-1852; Walker, Susannah H., 1838-1914

Accruals: Further accruals expected.

Language: English

Repository: Zach S. Henderson Library Special Collections, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. specolle@georgiasouthern.edu. 912-478-7819. library.georgiasouthern.edu.

Processing Note: Finding aid revised in 2020.

INFORMATION FOR USE OF COLLECTION

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ABOUT THE COLLECTION

Biographical History: Samuel Lafayette Walker Sr. was born in Screven County, Georgia on October 19, 1821. He was the son of Walter W. Walker and Sarah Elizabeth Newton. He married Susannah H. White of Screven County, Georgia on October 27, 1852. According to records, he served in the Confederate army as a private before his death at a hospital in Montgomery, Alabama on October 27, 1852. Susannah Walker continued to run the family farm and rear their four sons until her death in 1914. George Newton Walker and Robert William Walker, two of Samuel's sons, contributed to the family papers in the collection.

Scope and Content: This collection consists of materials related to the Susannah and Samuel L. Walker family spanning from 1810 to 1948. Materials include nineteenth and early twentieth correspondence, land plats and deeds, financial records, receipts, and photographic materials from the 1920s.

System of Arrangement: The collection is arranged according to document type and is in chronological order in each folder.

Acquisitions Info: Permanent loan from Andrew Burns, 1990, 2019.

Access Points:

World War (1914-1918)
Walker family
World War, 1914-1918 -- Georgia -- Screven County
Screven County (Ga.) -- History -- Sources
Georgia -- Screven County
1914-1918
History
Sources

CONTAINER LISTING

Box 1: 0200104983065

	Box	Folder

<u>Items</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Number</u>
Family Correspondence, 1864-1944	1	1
Burt A. Newton, 1936-1940	1	2
Insurance Companies, 1927-1948	1	3
Business Correspondence, 1907-1943	1	4
Bank of Newington (1), April 1938- July 1942	1	5
Bank of Newington (2), July 1940- October 1948	1	6

Box 2: 0200104983461

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Bank of Newington (3), July 1939- June 1951	2	1
Miscellaneous, 1896-1936	2	2
Legal Documents (other than deeds), 1853-1920	2	3
Other bank Items, 1911-1945	2	4
Other Financial Items, 1877-1938	2	5
Deeds, 1810-1937	2	6
Screven County Land Deeds, 1809-1811	2	7

Box 3: 0200104983263

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Photographs and Negatives. [Members of the Walker family and buildings. Unlabeled.] Circa 1920s- 1930s	3	1-80

Box 4: 0200104983073

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Photographs and Negatives. [Members of the Walker family and buildings. Unlabeled.] Circa 1920s- 1930s	4	81-139

Box 5: 0200106671387

<u>Item</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Store Receipts, 1880-1897	5	1
Receipts from Tax Collectors Office. 1877-1892	5	2
Handwritten Receipts, 1859-1888	5	3
Letters, 1865-1888	5	4
Miscellaneous Papers, 1859-1899	5	5
Envelopes and Postal Cards, 1873-1893	5	6
Letters (2), 1859-1896	5	7
Receipts, 1877-1890	5	8
Handwritten Receipts (2), 1869-1896	5	9
Legal Documents, 1888-1908	5	10
Legal Documents (2), 1869-1892	5	11