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Box 1

**Financial papers**

- 1: Receipt, for six barrels of salt (salt bill# 20), sold by W. Noble and Thomas Hunter, purchased by J. A. Piatt. Cincinnati, Nov. 18, 1815
- 2: Receipt, for store goods, sold by J. A. Piatt, purchased by Wait Vaughan, arrived in Pittsburgh Oct. 14, 1815, payment sent to Cincinnati, Nov. 13, 1815
- 3: Receipt, for store goods, sold by J. A. Piatt, Philadelphia, Sept. 22, 1815, purchased and received by William Bouyham of Pittsburgh, Oct. 14, 1815
- 4: Receipt, for store goods, J. A. Piatt, C. Cook of Brookville, Nov. 22, 1815
- 5: Receipt, for store goods, sold by John Gaddis, purchased by J. A. Piatt at Brookville, Nov. 21, 1815
- 6: Receipt, for store goods, sold by J. A. Piatt, purchased by Carter Hironson, Cincinnati, Dec. 15, 1815
- 7: Receipt, for store goods, purchased by Charles G. McMurry, Cincinnati, Apr. 3, 1815
- 8 : Receipt, for store goods, purchased by (illegible signature), sold by J. A. Piatt, Brookville, Apr. 10, 1820
- 9: Bill, for merchandise purchased by J. A. Piatt, sender James Brownle, July 3, 1823
- 10: Receipt, for paid bill, paid by McKemy (J. A. crossed out) Piatt, payment received by Conrad Puerturf, June 10, 1824
- 11: Loan Agreement between J. A. Piatt and G. Wily, Apr. 16, 1825
- 12: Receipt, for taxes paid by heirs of J. A. Piatt, 1829
- 13: Receipt, payment delivered by Abraham Hainline, Sr., for J. A. Piatt's county taxes, received by John W. Nennermy, 1834

**Legal documents**

14: Subpoena, Franklin County, Ind., concerning J. A. Piatt and Peter Elliot, 1820

Oversize folder h002

15: Power of Attorney, Ill., concerning J. A. Piatt, 1836

Box 1 (cont.)

16: Sketch of property, undated (believed to be J. A. Piatt's)

**Correspondence**Oversize folder h002 (cont.)

17a: P. James to J. A. Piatt, Brookville, Ind., regarding business debts, Sept. 3, 1817

17b: Robert John to J. A. Piatt, Brookville, Ind., asking Piatt to buy coffee, tea, and sugar during his trip to New Orleans, Nov. 4, 1822

**Papers of William Piatt**Box 1 (cont.)

18a: Receipt, for account of corn and grist mill, sold by William H. Piatt and purchased by Abram Marquis, May 22, 1816

18b: Receipt, for barrels of flour, sold by Wiley Piatt and purchased by David Guard, Feb. 7, 1824 (related letter from David Guard to William H. and Wiley Piatt dated Feb. 17, 1824)

18c: Legal document signed by Joseph Lindsey, Champaign County Justice of the Peace, stating that John Moore paid James A. Piatt for the services of William H. Piatt, Feb. 23, 1841

18d: Letter, Calvin Goudy, Jacksonville, Ill., to William Piatt, containing a poem about Piatt excerpted from Robert Goudy's Jacksonville Journal (Aug. 3, 1838), May 17, 1842

**Newspapers**Oversize folder f001

19a: Monticello [Ill.] Piatt Independent, Apr. 17, 1872

19d: New York Weekly Times, July 26, 1856

19c: Victor [Iowa] Voice of the People, July 9, 1873

**Miscellaneous**Box 1 (cont.)

20a: Land deed, from Minney Rynearson to William Cauchey, for lots in Reading, Springfield Township, Hamilton County, Ohio, Mar. 4, 1816

20b: Will of John Battees Chautinea, Oct. 29, 1828 (incomplete)

20c: Nancy Polounts, "The Invitation" (poem)