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Summary Information

Repository	Arkansas State Archives
Title	Dardanelle, Arkansas, newspaper collection
Date [inclusive]	1875-1881
Extent	2.58 Cubic feet 3 boxes, 2 reels microfilm
Language	English
Language of Materials	Materials entirely in English.
Microform [Reel]	MG00706
Microform [Reel]	MG00121

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Historical Note

The Dardanelle Independent was a newspaper founded in Dardanelle, Yell County, Arkansas, on January 7, 1875 by David P. Cloyd and Joseph F. Thomason. By late August-early September 1875, the paper was purchased by a new publisher, Dr. Marion "Merry" Monroe McGuire. After a series of title changes, the newspaper became the Independent Arkansian on August 10, 1877 and would continue to be published under that name until suspending and later ceasing publication in September 1883. Two other papers were published out of Dr. M. M. McGuire's office, the Western Immigrant and the Arkansas Methodist. The Western Immigrant was published by M.L. Davis from 1877 to 1881, and the Arkansas Methodist was published by Reverend James Harralson in the 1870s and 1880s. This collection was donated to the Arkansas State Archives by the family of M.M. McGuire. He was born on November 28, 1836 in Mayfield, Kentucky, and died on June 27, 1886 in Dardanelle, Arkansas.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains issues between 1875 and 1881 of the Dardanelle Independent newspaper, the Arkansas Independent, the Independent Arkansian, and the Western Immigrant and Independent Arkansian. It also contains issues of the Western Immigrant and the Arkansas Methodist newspapers.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Arkansas State Archives 5/21/2018

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Donated by the family of Marion "Merry" Monroe McGuire, publisher of the Dardanelle Independent.

Collection Inventory

Dardanelle Independent 1875 January 7-1875 April 2	Box 1
Arkansas Independent 1875 April 9-1875 December 24	
Arkansas Independent 1876 January 2-1876 June 2	
Independent Arkansian 1876 June 9-1876 December 22	
Independent Arkansian 1879 October 3-1881 January 21	
Arkansas Methodist 1879 October 1-1881 November 19	
Independent Arkansian 1881 January 1-1881 December 23	Box 2
Independent Arkansian 1882 January 6-1882 December 22	
Independent Arkansian 1877 March 30-1877 May 11	Box 3
Western Immigrant and Independent Arkansian 1877 May 18-1877 August 3	
Independent Arkansian 1877 August 10-1878 December 20	

Independent Arkansian

Independent Arkansian 1879 January 4-1879 September 26

Western Immigrant 1879 January 2-1879 September 25