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# **Knox-Faber Family papers**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Arkansas State Archives
<b>Title</b>	Knox-Faber family papers
<b>Date [inclusive]</b>	1828-1948
<b>Extent</b>	0.06 Cubic feet 3 reels microfilm
<b>Language</b>	English
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## Biographical/Historical Note

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George Washington Knox (1811-1854), the first United States Marshal of the Western District of Arkansas, came to Arkansas Territory with his father, Hugh Knox, about 1825. The family settled at Barling, just southeast of Fort Smith, where the younger Knox became a businessman and trader. George Washington Knox served as United States Marshal, 1851-1853. His widow, Eudora Elvira Rose Knox, lived in Van Buren, Arkansas, until her death in 1901.

One of their daughters, Georgia Lydia Knox, married William L. Faber, who studied at the University of Marburg, Germany, and later became a chemist, civil engineer, and metallurgist. Prior to the war he had been a music teacher and artist. After the war he helped develop mining interests in northwest Arkansas. Faber moved to Utah, where died in 1873.

William and Georgia Faber's only child, Henry C., married Pauline Sadler. They were the parents of two children, Georgiana Pauline Faber and Grace Charlotte Faber. Henry Faber lived in Van Buren until his death in 1933.

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## Scope and Contents

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This collection contains correspondence, envelopes, deeds, business records, tax receipts, estate papers, plat maps, abstracts of property, legal documents, and genealogical data collected by several generations of the Knox-Faber family of Sebastian and Crawford counties, Arkansas. The collection also includes documents related to the estates and heirs of Hugh Knox and Horace B. Rose.

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## Administrative Information

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### **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Grace Charlotte Faber Bendt, Crown Point, Indiana, 2008.

## Collection Inventory

	<b>Reel</b>
A. George Washington Knox papers, 1851-1853	MG.00112
1. Personal correspondence, George Washington Knox and E.D. Dewey, concerning the Hugh Knox estate	
2. Correspondence, George Washington Knox' s term as United States Marshal of the Western District of Arkansas	
3. Estate papers	
4. Land grants and patents	
5. Deeds and real estate	
6. Business papers	
B. Hugh Knox papers, 1828-1861	
7. Estate papers	
C. Horace B. Rose papers, 1838-1849	
8. Estate papers	

D. Eudora E. Knox papers, 1842-1914

9. Correspondence

10. Business papers

11. Real estate papers

12. Plats and maps

13. Tax receipts

E. Faber family papers, 1828-1922

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14. Correspondence, Ann Bolton Booth, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to Conrad William Faber, New York City, New York

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15. Correspondence, Conrad William Faber, New York City, New York, to Ann Bolton Booth, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

16. Correspondence, William Leonard Faber, St. Louis, Missouri, to Georgia Knox, Van Buren and Little Rock, Arkansas

17. Family letters

18. Business correspondence

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19. Miscellaneous

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20. Real estate

21. "Arkansas Banner," 1852 June 21

22. Clara B. Eno correspondence

F. Genealogical material

23. Knox family

24. Rose-Percival family

25. Faber family