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Summary Information

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Biographical/Historical Note

Arkansas Territory was organized on July 4, 1819. The territory existed until the state of Arkansas was admitted to the Union in 1836. Arkansas Post served as the first territorial capital. In 1821, the capital was moved to Little Rock, where it remained.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains two letterbooks of correspondence, petitions, and other official materials of the Territory of Arkansas. Also included is an address by Governor George Izard, second territorial governor, to the members of the legislature.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Collection Inventory

1825 June 6-1826 April 17: Official correspondence with the Department of War, Arkansas Territory executive

1827 October 16-1832 March 15: Official correspondence with the Department of War, Arkansas Territory executive

1828 October 7: George Izard, Little Rock, to the members of the Legislative Council and the House of Representatives, composing the General Assembly of the Territory of Arkansas