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Summary Information

Repository	Arkansas State Archives
Title	William Russell papers
Date	1818
Extent	0.2 Cubic feet 1 folder
Language	English
Language of Materials	Materials entirely in English.

Preferred Citation

William Russell papers, Arkansas State Archives, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Biographical/Historical Note

William Russell was a land speculator in early Arkansas. He was a key figure in the dispute over the ownership of the land on which the new town of Little Rock was to be built.

Arkansas Territory was established in 1819. The state of Missouri was admitted to the Union in 1821 as part of the Missouri Compromise.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains a letter written by William Russell in 1818, and an undated petition concerning Missouri Territory.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Unknown.

Collection Inventory

	Reel	Frame
1818 June 23: William Russell, Arkansas, to "Dear Sir"	MG00208	15.7

Undated: Petition to divide Missouri Territory