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Summary Information

Repository	Arkansas State Archives
Title	Sam Box letter
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Biographical/Historical Note

Samuel Box was born March 1, 1845, in Bolivar, Polk County, Missouri, the son of William P. and Hannah Cantwell Box. Samuel enlisted in the Confederate Army in 1864. Refusing to accept the terms of surrender, Box went to Mexico, later living in Oregon and Missouri. In 1879, he moved to Benton County, Arkansas, joining his family who had moved there some years earlier. The same year he married Mollie E. Comer Neill; they had three children.

Sam Box was the postmaster for seven years at Hico (now Siloam Springs) in Benton County.

Scope and Contents

This letter, written by Sam Box to his brother, discusses business transactions.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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