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MANUSCRIPT COLLECTIONS

May M. Burton U.S. Land Sale

Abstract: One U.S. Land Sale Certificate

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

This item was donated the Archives at the bequest of Philip Burton Perkins of Nashville, TN on 11/15/1971. The item is a U.S. Land Sale Certificate given to his ancestor May M. Burton of Randolph County, MO in 1843. U.S. land was sold in Missouri to individuals from 1818-1903. The Archives has the abstracts of applications for these U.S. Land Sales. Original certificates (the government's copies) can be found on the Bureau of Land Management's website www.glorerecords.blm.gov.

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

Related Collections

RG951 U.S. Recorder of Land Titles

RG952 U.S. Surveyor General

Land Records Database: <http://s1.sos.mo.gov/records/archives/archivesdb/land/Default.aspx>

Additional External Resources

U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management General Land Office:

<https://gloreCORDS.blm.gov/default.aspx>

SERIES

May M. Burton U.S. Land Sale Certificate, 1843

Scope and Content

This is the copy of the U.S. Land Sale Certificate that would have been given to the individual purchasing the land, in this case May M. Burton of Randolph County. Burton applied for the land in 1841 (see U.S. Land Sale Abstract Vol. 6 p. 475).

A PDF of the certificate is available on Manuscript DVD #1 in the Reference Room.

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