SC-4 William Armstrong Papers (1815-1847)

Collection includes letters written to and from an army officer, mostly to his family in Vevay, Indiana, which cover his experiences in the early 19th century frontier army as well as his duty in the Mexican War where he was killed during the Battle of Molino del Ray.

Item List

2. Twenty-five letters from Armstrong to family 1838-1847
3. Handwritten letter to Lt. Armstrong from William Hartman Feb. 1847
4. Itemized list of William Armstrong’s personal belongings at death 1847
5. Handwritten letter to Walter Armstrong from Thomas Guard with information on where Armstrong’s personal belongings would be shipped. n.d.
6. Transcribed copies of the above handwritten letters.
7. Receipts showing the shipment of Armstrong’s belongings. n.d.
9. Handwritten letter describing the life of William Armstrong the author is unknown n.d.

*note the above handwritten notes are copies of the original.