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Guide to the Lawrence Barrow receipt books 1841-1844 MssCol 220

Summary

Creator: Barrow, Lawrence

Title: Lawrence Barrow receipt books

Date: 1841-1844

Size: .42 linear feet (2 volumes)

Abstract: Lawrence Barrow of New York City kept these two account books between June 1, 1841 and August 7, 1844, and November 3, 1841, and April 1, 1874. The first volume, bound with the Edmund Prior receipt book, contains entries documenting expenses for board and rent in New York and for building a house in Williamsburg, New York, along with other miscellaneous inserted receipts. The second volume, bound with the Byrd and Barrow Receipt Book, contains rent and wage receipts from New York City, Harts Village, and Dutchess County, New York

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Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic Account books Receipts (financial records)

Subjects Cost and standard of living -- New York (State) -- New York -- 19th century Rent Wages

Geographic Names Dutchess County (N.Y.) Hartsdale (N.Y.) Williamsburg (New York, N.Y.)

Names

Barrow, Lawrence New York, N.Y.