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Guide to the

James Hawxhurst papers

1713-1851

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Summary

Creator: Hawxhurst, James, 1775-1854

Title: James Hawxhurst papers

Date: 1713-1851

Size: .21 linear feet (1 volume)

Abstract: The James Hawxhurst papers include his journal and account book (1797-1851), in which he recorded events on his farms, probably in Flushing, Long Island and Cornwall, New York, and listed prices paid for various farm produce and services. Also included are several tax and other receipts, and deeds of property in Flushing and Oyster Bay, dated 1713-1815

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Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Account books -- New York (State) -- Cornwall -- 19th century

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Deeds

Journals (accounts)

Tax records

Subjects

Agriculture -- New York (State) -- 18th century

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Cost and standard of living -- New York (State) -- 18th century

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Farmers -- Diaries

Real property -- New York (State) -- Cornwall

Real property -- New York (State) -- New York

Geographic Names

Cornwall (N.Y.) -- History -- Sources
Flushing (New York, N.Y.) -- History -- Sources

Occupations

Farmers

Names

Hawxhurst, James, 1775-1854
Hawxhurst family