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Guide to the

James Robertson papers

1839-1896

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Summary

Creator: Robertson, James

Title: James Robertson papers

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Abstract: Papers of James Robertson, iron manufacturer, relating to his patent stop-cock; fire and damp-proofing of iron safes; adjustable lamps; papers of the ship "Gardiner," and real estate holdings in New York City, Long Island, and Westchester County.

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Scope and Content Note

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Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Deeds

Design patents

Diagrams
Property records
Ships' papers

Occupations

Inventors -- New York (State) -- 19th century
Manufacturers -- New York (State) -- 19th century

Subjects

Iron industry and trade
Patents
Real property -- New York (State)
Shipping -- Atlantic Ocean -- 19th century

Geographic Names

New York (State) -- Commerce -- 19th century