

Guide to the

Lewis Cass papers

1812-1859 MssCol 4167

Summary

Creator: Cass, Lewis, 1782-1866

Title: Lewis Cass papers

Date: 1812-1859

Size: .1 linear feet (1 folder)

Abstract: Lewis Cass (1782-1866) was an American soldier, diplomat, and politician. The papers consist of regimental orders delivered by Cass during the War of 1812; letters relating to his military duties during and after the war; and letters sent by Cass over the course of his long political and diplomatic career. Also included is an indenture relating to land in Detroit, and a small quantity of bills and accounts

Physical Location: MssCol 4167

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Library

Custodial History

Some items were originally part of the George Bancroft and Ford collections.

Key Terms

Occupations

Governors Soldiers Statesmen

Geographic Names

Michigan -- History -- 19th century

Michigan -- Politics and government -- 19th century

United States -- History -- War of 1812 United States -- Politics and government -- 19th century

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