

**STARRSVILLE GENERAL
STORE (NEWTON COUNTY, GA.)**
Starrsville General Store records, 1911-1937

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Descriptive Summary

Creator: Starrsville General Store (Newton County, Ga.)
Title: Starrsville General Store records, 1911-1937
Call Number: Manuscript Collection No. 711
Extent: 19 oversized bound volumes (OBV)
Abstract: Records of the Starrsville General Store (Newton County, Ga.), including cashbooks, daybooks, invoices, records of accounts receivable and payable, and daily sales records.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

Restrictions on Access

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Source

Gift, 1989.

Citation

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Collection Description

Biographical Note

The Starrsville General Store, a mercantile business founded in the early 1830's, was located in the Starrsville Community near Covington, Georgia. Formerly part of Henry County, the area is

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now in Newton County. Also known as "Starr Store" after its founders who were members of the Starr family, the business also housed a lodge hall where temperance and other groups met. The first local distribution of mail in 1836 originated from the store that later shared its quarters with the Starrsville Post Office.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of records of the Starrsville General Store from 1911-1937. The nineteen volumes include cashbooks, daybooks, invoices, records of accounts receivable and payable, and daily sales records. One volume is a register of domestic money orders purchased at the Starrsville Post Office.

Arrangement Note

Arranged by record type.

Container List

Day books

Box	Folder	Content
OBV1		1911-1914
OBV2		1914-1916
OBV3		1915 August-1916 February
OBV4		1917 August-1918 February
OBV5		1918 July-December
OBV6		1919 May-November
OBV7		1921 May-October
OBV8		1921 December - 1917 November

Unidentified ledger

OBV9		Ledger, no dates
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Cash books

OBV10		1912 October-1916
OBV11		1915 September-1917 August
OBV12		1918-1920
OBV13		1922-1926 January
OBV14		1926 January-1930 February

Money orders purchased at Starrsville Post Office

OBV15		1928-1937
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Stock book

OBV16		Stock book
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Daily sales

OBV17		1916-1925
OBV18		1926-1928

Invoices

OBV19		1925-1926
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