Guide to the Alex Gunn Ledgers
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# Summary Information

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<td>Extent</td>
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<td>Abstract</td>
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**Preferred Citation note**

Alex Gunn records, University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama
Biographical/Historical note

Alex Gunn was the owner of a general merchandise store in Thomasville, Alabama between 1909 and 1914.

Scope and Contents note

The collection contains four account ledgers (1909 – 1914) and an invoice ledger (1909 – 1911) of Alex Gunn who owned a store in Thomasville, Alabama. These ledgers show the day-to-day finances of the store, including who bought what items and the price paid. The invoice ledger contains receipts that the store obtained through these three years of the business. These were glued into a ledger that now has very brittle paper.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

University Libraries Division of Special Collections, The University of Alabama June 1987

Revision Description

November 2009; April 2013

Conditions Governing Access note

None

Conditions Governing Use note

None

Provenance

Gift of James Doris by Harold Corry, June 18, 1987
Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Ledgers (account books)

Geographic Name(s)

- Thomasville (Ala.)

Subject(s)

- Alabama
- Business and Labor
- Commerical products--Prices
- Community and Place
- General stores
**Collection Inventory**

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