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John Messinger Papers, 1799-1846, 1860, 1936

- I. *A Manual, or Handbook, Intended for Convenience in Practical Surveying* (1821) and Memorandum Book
- II. Field Book CD
- III. Correspondence, 1799-1846, 1860
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, August 17, 1799.
 - Abel Castle's Deed to John Messinger, May 1, 1799.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, March 27, 1800.
 - Elijah G. Galush (a) to John Messinger, August 30, 1800.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, November 16 (?) 1800.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, December 22, 1800.
 - Walden Stuart and Martha Stuart to John Messinger, March 10, 1801.
 - Roderick Messinger to John Messinger, October 16, 1801.
 - Samuel Messinger to John Messinger, December 15, 1801.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, July 15, 1802.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, Aug. 10, 1802.
 - Elija Galusha to John Messinger, Aug. 10, 1802.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, Sept. 14, 1803.
 - Chittendon Lyon to John Messinger, Oct, 27, 1803.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, Nov. 9, 1803.
 - Elijah G. Galusha to John Messinger, Feb. 15, 1804.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, March 29, 1804.
 - J. S. Lyon to John Messinger, Dec, 23, 1804.
 - Roderick Messinger to Mathew Lyon, Jan. 26, 1805.
 - M. Lyon to J. Messinger, Feb, 8, 1805.
 - Martin Chittendon to John Messinger, July 25, 1805.
 - M. C. to Col. Easton, July 25, 1805.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger & G. Cadwell, Aug. 25, 1805.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, Jan. 30, 1806.
 - Matthew Lyon to John Messinger, March 5, 1806.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, March 20, 1805.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, March 20, 1805.
 - John Messinger to _____, July 15, 1806.
 - M. Lyon to John Messinger, March 13, 1807.
 - Jared Mansfield to John Messinger, July 25, 1807.
 - William S. Messinger to John Messinger, Sept. 20, 1807.
 - Jared Mansfield to John Messinger, April 21, 1808.
 - John Badollet to J (?)Messinger, Sept. 7, 1808.
 - (Copy of letter to Lyon), Oct. 17, 1800.
 - Jesse B. Thomas to John Messinger, Dec. 12, 1808.

Jesse B. Thomas to John Messinger, Dec. 30, 1808.
(Copy of letter to Lyon)
William S. Messinger to John Messinger, Jan, 4, 1809.
J. Messinger to J. B. Thomas, Aug. 26, 1809.
Lemuel Messinger to John Messinger, Sept. 11, 1809.
W. S. Messinger to John Messinger, April 3, 1810.
Olive Lee to Mrs. Amanda Messinger, April, 1810.
Phebe Lee to John Messinger, April 18, 1810.
Jos. Charles to John Messinger, Sept. 3, 1811.
Martin Chittenden to John Messinger, March 6, 1812.
Andey Kinney to John Messinger, Aug. 24, 1812.
Charles Holt to John Messinger, Nov. 7, 1812.
Eli T. Messinger to John Messinger, March 23.
Benaiah Robinson to John Messinger, July 30.
Undated, unsigned letter.
Mary Rose to Beulah Lyon, Nov. 9.
Sylvia Messinger to John Messinger, Jan. 30, 1813.
Articles of Agreement between John Messinger and Nicholas
Jarrot, Jan. 21, 1814.
Olive Lee to John Messinger, April 15, 1814.
Olive Lee to _____, April 18, 1814.
John Messinger to Olive Lee, July 22, 1814.
Olive Lee to John Messinger, Sept. 23, 1814.
Olive Lee to John Messinger, Sept, 29, 1814.
Land Office at Kaskaskia, Oct. 31, 1814.
A List of taxable property belonging to the subscriber in the
year 1815 - John Messinger.
Olive Lee to John Messinger, April 4, 1815.
John Johnson to John Messinger, May 6, 1815.
John Messinger to Olive Lee, June 30, 1815.
J. Meigs, Post-Master General, addressed to Post-Master,
Clinton Hill LT., Aug. 8, 1815.
Receipt for John Messinger by J. Eymen, Collector.
Deposit slips of receipts filed in Kaskaakia land office, July
22, 1817, Aug. 25, 1818, Sept. 19, 1818.
John Messinger, Bill of Goods, Sept, 17, 1817.
Rob. Patterson to John Messinger, Sept. 17, 1817.
J. H. Lambdin and R. Patterson to John Messinger, Dec. 23, 1817.
Robert Patterson to John Messinger, Jan. 1, 1818.
John Messinger to Clerk of Circuit Court, July 2, 1818.
Messinger, Bill of Goods, July 15, 1818.
R. Patterson & Lambdin to J. Messinger, July 22, ____.
M. Lyon to John Messinger, July 31, 1818.
Contract of Nathl Pope, Surveyor, Aug. 24, 1818.
Nancy Lee to John Messinger, Dec. 27, 1818.
R. Patterson & Lambdin (?) to John Messinger, Jan. 29, 1819.

Nancy Lee to John Messinger, Sept. 20, 1819.
Mathew Lyon, Jr., to John Messinger, March 24, 1819.
Peter Manwell to John Messinger, April 25, 1820.
Nancy M. Messinger to Mr. John Messinger, April 27, 1820.
Sylvia Messinger to John Messinger, April 29, 1820.
Wm. B. Blakely to John Messinger, May 2, 1820.
D. P. Cook to John Messinger, Nov. 22, 1820.
M. Lyon to John Messinger, Jan. 10, 1821.
M. Lyon, Jr. to John Messinger, April 30, 1821.
P. H. Winchester to John Messinger, Sept. 1821.
Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, Sept. 20, 1821,
Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, Oct. 31, 1821.
Edward Coles to John Messinger, July 19, 1823.
Tax Receipt, State of Illinois, Auditor's Office, Nov. 10, 1824.
Tax Receipt, Treasure's Office, Vandalia, June 19, 1826.
Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, Feb. 26, 1828.
C. Lyon to John Messinger, Oct. 5, 1828.
Nancy M. Messinger to John Messinger, Jan, 12, (?) 1829.
Chittenden Lyon to John Uessincer, Jan. 23, 1829.
Phebe Lee to John Messinger, April 6, 1829.
William Milburn to John Messinger, April 18, 1829.
Nath. Pope to John Messinger, Aug. 3, 1829.
Lucy Thayer to John Messinger, Aug. 27, 1829.
Wm. Milburn to John Messinger, Sept. 19, 1829.
Chittenden to John Messinger, Oct. 7, 1829.
Receipt from Treasurer's Office, Vandalia, Nov. 17, 1829.
Receipt from Treasurer's Office, Vandalia, July 1, 1830.
C. W. Horrell to John Messinger, May 22, 1831.
Lorrain M. Horrell to John Messinger, May 23, 1831.
Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, June 25, 1831.
Hiram Rountree to John Messinger, May 20, 1832.
Lyman Thayer to John Messinger, Nov. 18, 1832.
Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, Jan. 22, 1833.
Andrew M. Braley to John Messinger, April 15, 1833.
Samuel A. Lee to John Messinger, Nov. 12, 1836.
John Johnson to John Messinger, Oct. 16, 1837.
Lucius L. Lane to John Messinger, Jan, 29, 1838.
Lester Thayer to John Messinger, Feb, 23, 1838.
John Johnson to J. Messinger, March 29, 1838.
John Johnson to John Messinger, July 14, 1839.
F. Miller to Lynn Boyd, June 27, 1840.
Legal heirs of Mathew Lyon.
Legal appointment of Chittenden Lyon as Attorney for John and
Anne Messinger, 1840.

Chittenden Lyon to Mr. John Messinger and Anno Messinger, July
14, 1840.

John Johnson to John Messinger, July 23, 1840.

Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, Nov. 2, 1840.

Chittenden Lyon to John Messinger, Dec. 28, 1840.

Edgar to Elon L. Messinger, Jan. 4, 1841.

John Johnson to John Messinger, March 16, 1841.

John Johnson to John Messinger, Sept. 2, 1841.

J. T. B. Stapp to James Mitchell, June 23, 1842.

Joseph Messinger to John Messinger, July 22, 1843.

Edgar to Elon L. Messinger, Esq. Nov. 27, 1844.

(Lyman Thayer for) Ruth Thayer to John Messinger, Jan. 27, 1845.

E. H. Lane to Elon L. Messinger, Dec. 4, 1846.

C. H. Messinger to Margaret Lander, June 27, 1860.

IV. Clippings: Marking of Graves, 1936