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Brackett and Shuff Ledger

1844-1846 1 volume (0.1 linear ft.) **Call no.**: MS 487 bd



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Background on Brackett and Shuff

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Administrative information

Access

The collection is open for research.

Provenance

Acquired from Dan Casavant, 1999.

Processing Information

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English

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Search terms

Subjects

Lowell (Mass.)--Economic conditions--19th century. Millwork (Woodwork)--Massachusetts.

Contributors

Brackett and Shuff. **[main entry]** Brackett, John B. Shuff, Allison S. Brackett and Shuff. **Genres and formats** Ledgers. **Link to similar SCUA collections**

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