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R Browder, Isham.

115 Papers, 1855-1862.

One folder, photocopies.

This collection is available at <u>The State Historical Society of Missouri</u>. If you would like more information, please contact us at shsresearch@umsystem.edu.

This collection includes two letters to Isham Browder of Dallas, Texas, from his brother, Edward Browder, a Confederate soldier, from Flat Creek, Missouri, 1861, and Boggy Depot, Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory, 1862. There are also receipts from merchants in Dallas, 1855 and 1858.

His great-granddaughter, Edna Butcher of Leadwood, Missouri, donated the photocopies of Isham Browder's papers. The collection includes two statements of account for Isham Browder with general merchants in Dallas (1855, 1858) and two letters from his brother, Edward Browder (6 November 1861, 8 April 1862). Edward Browder wrote from camps at Flat River, near Cassville, Missouri, and Boggy Depot, Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory. He was serving in an unnamed Texas regiment, probably the 6th Texas Cavalry, commanded by Col. B. Warren Stone. Edward Browder speculated on the Union advance on Springfield, Missouri, the probabilities of a Confederate withdrawal, the hostility of the people of southwestern Missouri, and the lack of forage and supplies in Indian Territory.

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1855 Receipt from Gold & Donaldson, Dallas, Texas, to Isham Browder.

1858 Receipt from Alex. Simons, Dallas, Texas, to Isham Browder.

1861, November 6 Edward Browder, Flat Creek, Missouri, to Isham Browder,

Dallas, Texas.

1862, April 8 Edward Browder, Boggy Depot, Choctaw Nation, Indian

Territory, to Isham Browder, Dallas, Texas.

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