

## Information Sheet

**R**      **Ste. Genevieve, Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob Plank Road Company.**  
**747**      **Stock certificate, 1854.**  
            **One folder.**

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This is a certificate for one share of capital stock in the Ste. Genevieve, Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob Plank Road Company, which built and operated a toll road in St. Francois and Ste. Genevieve counties in Missouri. Philip Stapp acquired the certificate on 3 February 1854.

The Ste. Genevieve, Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob Plank Road Company was chartered in 1851 for the purpose of constructing and running a toll plank road between the iron mines and furnaces at Iron Mountain in St. Francois County and Pilot Knob in, then, Madison County, and the steamboat shipping depot on the Mississippi River at Ste. Genevieve in Ste. Genevieve County. Only the segment between Iron Mountain and Ste. Genevieve was completed, and the company was bankrupt by the late 1850s.

Philip Stapp's acquisition of certificate No. 128, representing one share of stock at \$50 par value, was entered into the company's books on 3 February 1854. Company President Francis C. Rozier and Secretary L. C. Menard signed the certificate.

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*16 November 2001*

*Mark C. Stauter*

*Gift*

## Index Cards

Iron Mountain (Mo.).  
Menard, L. C.  
Pilot Knob (Mo.).  
Roads, Plank—Missouri.  
Rozier, Francis C.  
Saint Francois County (Mo.)  
Sainte Genevieve (Mo.)  
Sainte Genevieve County (Mo.).  
Stapp, Philip.  
Ste. Genevieve, Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob Plank Road Company.