

**TRABUE - THOMPSON FAMILY PAPERS
1822-1976**

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INTRODUCTION

The Trabue-Thompson Family Papers, 1822-1976, consists of material relating to the family of George T. Thompson and his wife, Martha Trabue Thompson of Nashville, Tennessee. The collection measures 3/4 cubic feet and contains financial accounts, an address book, an attorney's notebook, voter registration certificates, correspondence, a copy book, an example of a dance card, a travel diary, insurance policies, social invitations, memorandum books, an oath of allegiance to the United States Government in 1863, an obituary, some original poetry, and financial receipts.

Part of the collection was donated by Ms. Isabel Howell in 1959, with additional material donated by Mrs. J. S. McCullough in 1965. There are no restrictions on the collection.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Trabue-Thompson Family Papers, 1822-1976, is a collection of about 300 items contained in two Hollinger boxes. The major part of the collection relates to materials relating to the family of Mr. George T. Thompson and his wife, Martha Trabue Thompson.

Except for two folders of genealogical material, the collection is arranged alphabetically, the chronologically. Among the Trabue family accounts are many documents relating to business transacted with the Thompson Company. Included in folder one of accounts is a household ledger of Martha "Mattie" Thompson that includes accounts for groceries, transportation and other expenses incurred during summer months spent at Beersheba Springs, Tennessee.

The attorney's notebook is a small volume that appears to be a docket with the cases crossed out. Notations include Sumner, Smith, and Wilson County courts. Six folders of correspondence is arranged alphabetically and is largely personal in nature. The travel diary of Annie K. Thompson is an account of an ocean crossing from Montreal, Canada, and her travels in England. The three memorandum books of Martha Walker Thompson include information such as cards and gifts sent and received each year, and selected household expenses.

Additional resources in the Tennessee State Library and Archives include *The Trabue Family in America, 1700-1983*, call number CS 71.T756 1983, and *Charles Clay Trabue, Mayor of Nashville, 1839-1841*, call number F44.N2T72.

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CONTAINER LIST

BOX 1

- 1-1. Account Book--Thompson, Martha Walker, 1902-1929.
- 1-2. Account Book--Thompson, Martha Walker, 1907-1933.
- 1-3. Accounts--Jane Woods Clay Trabue Reynolds, 1849-1850.
- 1-4. Accounts--Sarah Elizabeth Trabue Stephens Shivers, 1849-1851.
- 1-5. Accounts--George T. Thompson, 1849-1866.
- 1-6. Accounts--Charles Clay Trabue, 1849-1850.
- 1-7. Accounts--Agnes Green Woods Trabue estate, 1850-1852.
- 1-8. Accounts--Charles Henry Clay Trabue, 1849-1852.
- 1-9. Accounts--John George Washington Trabue, 1849-1854.
- 1-10. Accounts--Robert Woods Howell Trabue, 1849-1852.
- 1-11. Accounts--Trabue heirs, 1850, n.d.
- 1-12. Address Book--Thompson, Martha Walker.
- 1-13. Attorney's Notebook, (Sumner, Wilson, and Smith counties), 1822-1829.
- 1-14. Certificates--Voter Registration--Charles T. Thompson, 1870.
- 1-15. Certificates--Voter Registration--George T. Thompson, 1866-1867.
- 1-16. Copy Book--Thompson, Annie K., 1877.
- 1-17. Correspondence--_____, Milam - Jennie Thompson.
- 1-18. Correspondence--John, R. B. - Reynolds, Jennie Trabue.
- 1-19. Correspondence--Seay, Sam - Shivers, Sallie Trabue Stephens.

BOX 2

- 2-1. Correspondence--Sims, W. R. - Thompson, Edward W.
- 2-2. Correspondence--Thompson, George T. - Trabue, Agnes Woods.
- 2-3. Correspondence--Trabue, Anthony Edward - Wright, Louise Thompson.
- 2-4. Dance Card, 1877.
- 2-5. Diary, Travel--Annie K. Thompson, n.d.
- 2-6. Insurance Policies--George T. Thompson, 1854-1856.
- 2-7. Invitations, 1877-1878.
- 2-8. Memorandum Book--Thompson, Martha Walker, 1921-1930.
- 2-9. Memorandum Book--Thompson, Martha Walker, 1927-1936.
- 2-10. Memorandum Book--Thompson, Martha Walker, 1930-1937.
- 2-11. Oath of Allegiance--George T. Thompson and Wife, 1863.
- 2-12. Obituaries--Isabel, Howell, 1976.

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BOX 2 (Continued)

- 2-13. Poetry.
- 2-14. Publications--"Evening Bells"
- 2-15. Receipts--Elizabeth Thompson Brown, 1862-1865.
- 2-16. Receipts--Agnes Thompson O'Bryan, 1865.
- 2-17. Receipts--George T. Thompson, 1849-1865.
- 2-18. Receipts--Martha Trabue Thompson, 1861-1866.
- 2-19. Receipts--"Miss Thompson", 1863, 1868.
- 2-20. Tax receipts--George T. Thompson, 1850-1857.
- 2-21. Genealogy--George T. Thompson, 1816-1884.
- 2-22. Genealogy--Edward A. Trabue, b.1764