Guide to the C. S. Jones Mercantile ledger
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# Summary Information

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<td>Date</td>
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**Preferred Citation note**

C. S. Jones Mercantile, W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama.
Biographical/Historical note

A mercantile store, also known as a general or general merchandise store, is generally a rural or small town store that carries a general line of merchandise. It carries a broad selection of merchandise, sometimes in a small space, where people from the town and surrounding rural areas come to purchase all their general goods.

Scope and Contents note

The collection contains a ledger from the C.S. Jones Mercantile of Talladega, Alabama, from 1876 to 1881.

Administrative Information

Publication Information
W.S. Hoole Special Collections Library, The University of Alabama January 2009

Revision Description
November 2012

Conditions Governing Access note
None

Conditions Governing Use note
None

Provenance
Purchased from Cather and Brown Books, 1992
Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• C. S. Jones Mercantile.

Geographic Name(s)

• Talladega County (Ala.)

Subject(s)

• Alabama Business and Industry
## Collection Inventory

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