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SUMMARY

Size.	38 items, 32 folders
Geographic locations.	St. James Parish, Rapides Parish, St. Bernard Parish, Terrebonne Parish, West Baton Rouge Parish, Orleans Parish, Jefferson Parish
Inclusive dates.	1804-1860, undated
Bulk dates.	N/A
Language.	English
Summary.	A collection of folders documenting slave sales, slave runaways, slave arrests, free African Americans, slave taxes, slave medical care, and slave murder.
Restrictions on access.	No restrictions. Photocopies must be made from microfiche.
Related collections.	None.
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HISTORICAL NOTE

Collection of documents related to slavery in Louisiana.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection includes records of slave sales (1804-1860), documents related to runaway slaves (1808-1847), items related to the arrests of slaves (1809-1834), and records pertaining to free African Americans (1818-1836). Items reflect the following parishes: Orleans, St. James, St. Bernard, St. Landry, Rapides, Washington, West Baton Rouge, Jefferson, St. Martin, and Plaquemines. Some of the slave sales are documented by inventories of estates.

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COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

<u>Contents</u>	<u>Location</u>
Slave sales, 1804-1860	
New Orleans, 1804	folder 1
St. James Parish, 1814-1839, Roman Family (3 items)	folder 4
New Orleans, 1825	folder 8
Rapides Parish, 1832	folder 11
St. Bernard Parish, property and slaves, 1834	folder 12
St. Landry Parish, property and slaves, 1836	folder 15
Plaquemines Parish, plantation and 73 slaves, 1836	folder 16
St. James Parish, plantation and 32 slaves, 1839	folder 17
New Orleans auction, 1841	folder 18
Washington Parish, Palestine Plantation, 1842	folder 19
West Baton Rouge Parish, plantation and 72 slaves, 1844	folder 20
West Baton Rouge Parish, plantation and 13 slaves, 1846	folder 21
St. Bernard Parish, plantation and 15 slaves, 1848	folder 23
St. Bernard Parish, plantation and 21 slaves, 1850	folder 25
Terrebonne Parish, sugar plantation, Ardoyne Plantation, and slaves, 1854	folder 27
West Baton Rouge, sugar plantation and 15 slaves, 1859	folder 28
Orleans Parish, 17 slaves, 1860	folder 30
Jefferson Parish, property and 12 slaves, 1860	folder 31
Slave-runaways, 1808-1847	
New Orleans, refuge ship for slaves, 1808	folder 2
New Orleans, report of Captain of Guard, 1818	folder 5
St. Martin Parish, emancipation of slaves by Mexican Constitution, 1822 (3 items)	folder 7
New Orleans, advertising saves in jail, 1847	folder 22
Slave-arrests, 1809-1834	
New Orleans, report of Night Patrol, 1809	folder 3
New Orleans, report of Captain of Guard, 1818	folder 5
New Orleans, report of Captain of Guard, 1818	folder 6
New Orleans, report of Captain of Guard, 1834	folder 13
Free African Americans, 1818-1836	
New Orleans, arrest, 1818	folder 5
New Orleans, arrest, 1818	folder 6
New Orleans arrest, tax receipts, 1828	folder 9
New Orleans, payment for care of orphan, 1828	folder 10
New Orleans, tavern keeper, 1836	folder 14
Slave-tax, 1849-1850	
Mississippi, Adams County, tax receipts (2 items)	folder 24
Slave-medical care, 1853	
New Orleans, Luzenberg Hospital receipt	folder 26
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prosecuting slaves for murder of master	folder 29

INDEX TERMS

Fugitive slaves--Louisiana.

Slave bills of sale--Louisiana.

Slave trade--Louisiana.

Slavery--Louisiana.

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