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(as Boucry Family Record Books)

BOUCRY FAMILY PAPERS

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(Mss. 790, 800)

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SUMMARY

Size. 0.3 linear feet (3 manuscript volumes and 7 manuscript items).

Geographic Locations. Louisiana.

Bulk Dates. 1814-1884, 1910.

Languages. French.

Summary. Record books, 1814-1884, 1910, of the Boucry family, planters in St. James Parish, containing plantation accounts and notes on family history.

Sources. Purchased, 1946 and 1947.

Related Collections. None.

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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Hélène Boucry married Jean Phillipe Boucry (d. 1835) on December 29, 1835. They were owners of Bonne Esperance Plantation in St. James Parish.

[Additional information can be found in: Lillian C. Bourgeois, *Cabanocey: The History, Customs, and Folklore of St. James Parish*; Elton C. Oubre, *St. James Parish, Louisiana: 1850 and 1860 Census*.]

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Primarily record books of Hélène Boucry that list genealogical and financial data. Volume 1 (author unknown) includes a register of livestock brands, annual statements of accounts for crops and livestock, records of expenditures for labor, planting, equipment, and merchandise, records of wood cut, and notes on bakery employees.

Entries by Hélène Boucry (volumes 2-3) record genealogical data of the Boucry and related families, expenditures for food, clothing, and education, payments made to freedmen for grinding sugar, and accounts with merchants.
INDEX TERMS

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