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**The Papers of
Andrew Jackson Ballard**

The papers of Andrew Jackson Ballard, Louisville lawyer, state legislator, and U.S. circuit and district court clerk.

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Size of Collection

2 cubic feet

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Biographical Note

Andrew Jackson Ballard (1815-1885) Louisville lawyer, state legislator, and court clerk. For more information on Ballard consult [The Biographical Encyclopedia of Kentucky](#).

Scope and Content Note

Includes Ballard's letters to Frances Thruston during their courtship; business records; land papers; estate papers for various family members; family correspondence; household accounts; and tax records.

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 Papers. 1848-1896.

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- fl. 1 Correspondence to Fanny (Thruston) Ballard, 1838-1878.
 A.L.S. Henry Clay to Andrew Jackson Ballard, Ashland 21 May 1849.
- fl. 2 Household accounts, 1859-1896.
- fl. 3 Abby Churchill Ballard correspondence and receipt, 1869-1874.
- fl. 4 Materials concerning a pew rental at Christ Church Cathedral in Louisville.
 Materials concerning memorial windows to Samuel Churchill.
- fl. 5 Correspondence, 1870-1885.
- fl. 6 Emolument returns and income taxes, 1864-1873.

Box 2

- fl. 7 Commercial Hotel materials, 1860-1861.
- fl. 8 Bill of sale for the Thruston house.
 Accounts of Henry Whitestone, architect.
- fl. 9 Canceled checks, 1877-1878.
- fl. 10 Canceled checks, receipt, lease, and account.
- fl. 11 Checks drawn by Ballard as Clerk of the U.S. District Court.
- fl. 12 Fee bills of the Louisville Chancery Court and the Louisville District Court, 1874-1882.

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- fl. 13 State taxes, 1848-1884.
- fl. 14 City orders for improvements, 1851-1881.
- fl. 15 City taxes and assessments, 1877-1880.
- fl. 16 City taxes and assessments, 1881-1884.
- fl. 17 Deeds, 1849-1877.
- fl. 18 Leases, 1852-1859.
- fl. 19 Leases, 1860-1869.
- fl. 20 Leases, 1870-1879.
- fl. 21 Leases, 1880-1885.

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- fl. 22 Estate papers of James Ballard, 1848-1859.
 Will of Susannah Ballard, 1852.
 Affidavit of Bland W. Ballard, 1851.
- fl. 23 Estate papers of Thomas J. Ballard, 1852-1859.
- fl. 24 Thomas E. Ballard bank receipt, 1859.
 Thomas J. Ballard pension materials, 1875.

- fl. 25 Correspondence concerning the estate of Benjamin Ballard, 1853-1864.
- fl. 26 Receipts of Thomas H. Ballard and Andrew Jackson Ballard as trustees for the children of Ben Simpson, 1837-1855.

- fl. 27 Perlina W. Collings and D. B. Wiggington receipts, 1858-1875.
- fl. 28 Mrs. E. Sue Phillips and Sallie P. Otis canceled checks and receipts, 1853-1875.

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- fl. 29 Churchill estate papers, 1853-1866.
- fl. 30 John Wilson account with Andrew Jackson Ballard Churchill heirs, 1861-1868.
- fl. 31 Alfred Thruston receipts and materials concerning Boone County lands and an Ann C. Farrar receipt, 1851-1856.
- fl. 32 Missouri Bounty Lands papers, 1843-1871.
- fl. 33 Missouri lands papers from Austin P. Cox
Letters of G. W. Stoner of Hickman, Ky., 1849-1856.
- fl. 34 Fontain Lockrey papers, 1850-1854.
- fl. 35 Nancy Collett papers, 1855-1884.
- fl. 36 John W. Finnell papers, 1875.
- fl. 37 Owen Gibbons business and legal business papers, 1854-1855.
- fl. 38 Records of the River Road Co., 1860.
Records of the Shepherdsville Plank Road Co., 1853-1860.

Box 6

- fl. 39 Map and other materials about the Pocahontas Silver Mine, Rosita, Colo., 1876.
- fl. 40 Pamphlet: Report on the Pocahontas Mine, 1877.
Business papers, letters, etc., 1877.
- fl. 41 Pocahontas Mine materials, 1878.
- fl. 42 Pocahontas Mine materials, 1879 Feb.-May.
- fl. 43 Pocahontas Mine materials, 1879 June-Dec.
- fl. 44 Pocahontas Mine materials, 1880-1884.