

DANIEL WINTHROP NOBLE LEDGER, 1849-1890

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION:	1 bound volume
COLLECTION DATES:	1849-1890
PROVENANCE:	Lucile Miller, Indianapolis IN, 28 June 1982
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RELATED HOLDING:	SC 1933, Daniel William Noble (son)
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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Daniel Winthrop Noble (1808 - ca 1890) was born in Lanesboro, Mass., but moved with his family to Genesee County, N. Y., in 1815. He ran bookstores in Whiteford, Mich. (1834-1836), Boston, Mass. (1837-1840), and Dayton, Ohio (1840-1848). In 1848 he moved to Indianapolis and opened a book and stationery store there. Six years later he sold out, and settled on a farm in Perry Township, Marion County, where he lived until his demise.

Source: *Pictorial and Biographical Memoirs of Indianapolis and Marion County* (1893), 439-440

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This collection consists of one account book, with entries from 1849 to 1890, covering both Noble's bookstore and his farm. The bookstore entries (pages 1-132), mainly for 1849 and 1850, show that Noble did some business on a sort of barter basis. The left column shows purchases at the store; the right column shows payments made either in cash or in goods and services. Most of the farm entries (pages 133-239) have receipts from sales on one page, and expenses on the opposite page. Some pages have accounts for different members of the Noble family.

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