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ELIZABETH SIMPSON COLLECTION, 1790–1880

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF
COLLECTION: 3 folders; 4 oversized folders

COLLECTION
DATES: 1790–1880 inclusive; bulk, 1836–1848

PROVENANCE: Estate of Mrs. H. W. Gorman, Lexington, Kentucky, August
1972

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FORMATS:

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HOLDINGS:

ACCESSION
NUMBER: 1972.0820

NOTES:

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Elizabeth Simpson was born in Fayette County, Kentucky in 1824 and where she spent most of her life. She was married to Samuel Simpson.

Sources:

Ancestry, Library Edition, accessed 21 November 2011.

http://search.ancestrylibrary.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?gl=ROOT_CATEGORY&rank=1&new=1&so=1&MSAV=0&msT=1&gss=ms_f-2_s&gsfn=Elizabeth&gsln=Simpson&mswpn ftp=Fayette+County%2C+Kentucky%2C+USA&mswpn=1018&mswpn_PInfo=7-%7C0%7C1652393%7C0%7C2%7C3246%7C20%7C0%7C1018%7C0%7C0%7C&msbdy=1820&uidh=vu4

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Most of the letters in this collection were written to Simpson and other family members in Fayette County Kentucky from family and friends in Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, or Eugene, Vermillion County, Indiana from 1836–1848. Also included are several quilting patterns presumably used by Elizabeth Simpson.

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