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FORTVILLE AND NOBLESVILLE TURNPIKE COMPANY LEDGER, 1867–1886

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

The Fortville and Noblesville Turnpike Company was formed on 13 July 1867 for the purpose of constructing a gravel road from Noblesville in Hamilton County to Fortville in Hancock County. John Patterson was elected the company’s first president while Samuel Fausset was elected treasurer and Samuel Patterson was elected secretary. The road was abandoned in 1886 presumably from a lack of revenue.

Sources:
Information in collection.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The bound volume contains the complete minutes and transactions of the Fortville and Noblesville Turnpike Company, sometimes called the Fortville and Noblesville Gravel Road Company, 1867–1886, from the articles of association on 13 July 1867 until it's dissolution on 9 July 1886. Included is information on the construction, maintenance, and toll house information.
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