FRANKLIN COUNTY PROPERTY ASSESSMENT LEDGERS, 1819; 1833

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

Franklin County, Indiana was organized in February 1811 from a division of Dearborn County. By 1820, the county had a population of 10,703 people and in 1830 the population was 10,990. The county seat is located in Brookville and houses the Franklin County circuit court. The circuit court appointed minor officials including listers, referred to as assessors after 1828. Enoch McCarty served as the first county clerk of court and recorder from 1811 until 1817, then just as clerk of court until 1831. George Holland served as clerk and as an assessor in 1833.

Sources:
Materials in collection
Reifel, August J. History of Franklin County, Indiana: her people, industries and institutions, with biographical sketches or representative citizens and genealogical records of old families. Indianapolis: Windmill Publications, 1915.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection consists of two property assessment ledgers for different townships within Franklin County, Indiana. The first ledger is dated 1819 and the second is dated 1833. The assessments were used for determining property taxes for township residents. The 1819 assessment was made by Enoch MCarty (McCarty). The 1833 assessment was made by George Holland.

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