COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 folder, 2 oversized items, 1 tintype photograph, 3 bound volumes.

COLLECTION DATES: Ca. 1820–1879

PROVENANCE: Mennonite Church USA Archives, Goshen, Indiana, October, 2013

RESTRICTIONS: None

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NOTES:
BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

William Golden Harper was born in Ohio around 1803 and moved to Indiana in the 1830s living in Kosciusko and Elkhart counties where he was a physician and a farmer. He was married to Emily Harper (b. ca 1816) and had four children. He was living in Michigan City, LaPorte County, Indiana by 1880.

Sources:
Information in collection.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Among the materials in the collection are two diaries kept by Harper, 1844–1879, in which he chiefly lists the daily weather. Other items include an arithmetic composition book, ca. 1820, two land deeds, 1837, six letters to Harper from friends and family in Ohio, Iowa, and Illinois and a tintype photo of Horace Hopper.
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