

Guide to the Dellet-Torrey Papers

Descriptive Summary:

Creator: Multiple

Title: Dellet-Torrey Papers

Dates: 1582-1996 [Bulk 1830-1920]

Quantity: 152 books, .5 linear feet photographs, .5 linear feet papers.

Abstract: This collection represents the lives, business activities, and public careers of the Dellet-Gibbons-Torrey-Henshaw-Toulmin Families of Mobile and Claiborne, Alabama, interconnected by marriage over the course of multiple generations, focusing mainly on the 1830s to early 20th century. The collection includes: atlases, correspondence, family histories, manuscripts, memoirs, news clippings, photographs, prints, publications, and rare books.

Accession: 689-2017

Biographical Note:

James Dellet (1788-1848), a patriarch of the family, was an influential planter, lawyer, and politician. Born in New Jersey, he brought his family to Claiborne, Alabama in 1818 where he was a highly effective lawyer and public figure for many years. He became Alabama's first Speaker of the House, winning election to the Legislature in 1819 and serving four terms until 1832. He also represented Alabama in the United States Congress from 1838 to 1845. In addition to practicing law, Dellet built a large plantation home, Dellet Park, at Claiborne, Alabama. He owned 4,000 acres of rich cotton lands cultivated by about 150 slaves. A dedicated Whig and strong opponent to Jacksonian Democrats, he supported progressive economic measures, including a federal tariff promoting industries, a national bank to encourage commerce, and government support for roads, canals, and other internal improvements. Dellet was married twice, first to Harriet Willison. They had four children. After her death in 1841, he married her cousin, Mary Woodward Wormley.

Lyman Gibbons (1808-1879), born in New York, was a Claiborne, Alabama planter, lawyer, Circuit Judge, and Justice of the Alabama Supreme Court. In 1853, he married James Dellet's daughter, Emma Dellet. They were the parents of Helen Dellet Gibbons, who married Charles John Torrey, son of Rufus Campbell Torrey.

Rufus Campbell Torrey (1813-1882) was born in Massachusetts, graduated from Harvard in 1833, and became a successful Alabama lawyer and planter. He practiced law with Lyman Gibbons in Mobile. The Torrey plantation was near the home of the Dellet-Gibbons family. During the Civil War, the plantation was plundered by Union soldiers who converted it into a hospital. Rufus Torrey served in the Alabama House of Representatives in 1875 and the Senate from 1876 to 1880. He was married first to Elizabeth Sargent Henshaw (daughter of Andrew Henshaw and Elizabeth Isbell) and after her death he married her cousin and sister-in-law Mary Henshaw (widow of his first wife's brother, Andrew Isbell Henshaw). Rufus and Elizabeth Torrey were the parents of Andrew Henshaw Torrey, Charles John Torrey, and Elizabeth Henshaw Torrey (who married Harry Pillans, mayor of Mobile). Rufus Torrey's niece and stepdaughter, Mary Montague Henshaw, was married to Judge Harry Theophilus Toulmin.

Harry Theophilus Toulmin (1838-1916), was born in Mobile and became a successful lawyer. A Confederate Colonel during the Civil War, he served in the Alabama Legislature in the early 1870's, then as Circuit Judge, 1874-1882, and as U.S. District Judge, 1887-1916. He married Mary Montague Henshaw, niece of Rufus Torrey.

*Biographies excerpted from Appraisal by T. Michael Parrish

Scope and Content:

This collection represents the lives, business activities, and public careers of the Dellet-Gibbons-Torrey-Henshaw-Toulmin Families of Mobile and Claiborne, Alabama, interconnected by marriage over the course of multiple generations, focusing mainly on the 1830s to early 20th century. The collection includes: atlases, correspondence, family histories, manuscripts, memoirs, news clippings, photographs, prints, publications, and rare books. Strengths include highly detailed genealogies going back to England in pre-colonial days. Also of particular interest are two unique items: a collection of recipes and cooking advice by Mary Montague Toulmin (Aunt Mollie) dated 1891, and a transcription of an ethical will by David Henshaw Esq. d. 1808. A weakness of the collection is its uneven distribution. Torrey, English, and Henshaw families are well documented.

Provenance: Acquired by gift from Carroll and Vicki Barrett, 2017.

Arrangement:

Papers are arranged in 4 series:

1. Genealogy (alphabetically arranged by family name)
 - I. Andrews
 - II. Bowles
 - III. Brinton
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 - VII. Gray
 - VIII. Henshaw – Contains an ethical will by David Henshaw to his children.
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 - X. Simmons
 - XI. Torrey
 - XII. Toulmin
 - XIII. Homesteads (Claiborne and Spring Hill, Alabama)
2. Photographs
3. Books and [Imprints](#)

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Related material:

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Frances Beverly Papers 279-1994
Toulmin, Harry T. 366-2000
Dellet-Torrey Generational Genealogy

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Army Register, 1845
Les Confidences de Lamartine
Tender Thought
Shakespeare Birthday Book
Ancient Atlas to accompany the universal geography
New and improved school atlas to accompany the practical system of modern geography

Miscellaneous papers

Last Will of Helen Gibbons Torrey
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