

DeKalb History Center

U.S. Postal Records Collection

Scope and Content: The U.S. Postal Records Collection is a set of very rare books on the daily operations of primarily the Decatur Post Office, but there are some books for East End and for Leroy, Georgia as well. There are registers of domestic and international money orders sold and postmasters' account books. The books are often in bad condition and cover 1886 through 1928.

Provenance: Unknown. ACC # 1947.4.

Access: Single photocopies may be made for research purposes. Permission to publish materials from this collection must be requested from the Archivist, DeKalb History Center. Citations should be made as follows:

Description of specific item, U.S. Postal Records, DeKalb History Center Archives

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Size: 7 manuscript boxes of rare books

Description: The U.S. Postal Records collection spans the late 1880s through the late 1920s and consists mostly of records for the Decatur Post Office. There are registers of money orders sold, record books for presidential offices, postal account books and semi-monthly money order statements books. There are several books for East End and Leroy, Georgia.

Subject Headings: Where possible, Library of Congress Subject Headings have been used.

Main Entry: U.S. Postal Service

Subject/Added Entries: DeKalb County (Ga.)
 Decatur (Ga.)

Folder List

Box	City	Contents	Date(s)
1	Decatur	Cash book for money orders	1886-1889
	Decatur	Cash book for money orders	1889-Oct 1891
	Decatur	Cash book for money orders	Nov 1891-Feb 10 1894
	Decatur	Domestic money orders	Sep 1 1899-Jun 30 1902
	Decatur	Domestic money orders	Jan 23 1905-Oct 5 1907
	Decatur	money orders	Dec 27 1926-Apr 30 1928

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2	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	Apr 1910-Jun 1912	
	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	Jul 1912-Nov 30 1914	
	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	Dec 1914-Apr 1917	
	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	May 1917-Oct 1919	
	Decatur	Record book for Presidential offices	Apr 1914-Mar 1916	
	Decatur	Postmasters' account & record book	Jul 1917-Jul 1918	
3	Decatur	money orders	Aug 1914-Feb 1916	
	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	Feb 21 1921-1927	
	Decatur	Cash book for domestic and Intl. Money orders	1911-Aug 1914	
	Decatur	Money order advices & orders paid	May 1913-1917	
4	East End	Postmasters' account & record book	Jan 1905-Jan 2 1907	
	East End	Postmasters' account & record book	Apr 1902-Dec 31 1904	
	East End	Postmasters' account & record book	Apr 1 1899-Mar 31 1902	
	East End	Record and postal account book Class 4	Aug 1893-Jul 30 1896	
	Decatur	Record and postal account book Class 4	Aug 12 1892-Jun 30 1895	
	Leroy/Decatur	Record and postal account book Class 4	Apr 1892-Feb 29 1894	
	East End	Record and postal account book Class 4	Jul 1 1896-Mar 31 1899	
	Decatur	Money order cash book	Nov 1 1896-Aug 31 1899	
	Decatur	Domestic money order book	Dec 1 1895-Nov 15 1901	
	5	Decatur	Postmasters' account & record book 4 th Class	Jul 1 1899-Mar 31 1902
		Decatur	Postmasters' account & record book 3 rd Class	Apr 1 1904-Mar 31 1906
Decatur		Record book for Presidential offices	Apr 1910-Mar 31 1912	
Decatur		Postmasters' account & record book 3 rd Class	Apr 1906-Mar 31 1908	
Decatur		Postmasters' account & record book 3 rd Class	Apr 1 1908-Mar 31 1910	
Decatur		Postmasters' account & record book 3 rd Class	Apr 1 1902-Mar 31 1904	
Decatur		Money order advices & orders paid	May 1901-Jun 1902	
Decatur		Money order advices & orders paid	Dec 1 1895-May 1901	

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6	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	Oct 8 1907-Apr 16 1910
	Decatur	Semi-monthly Money order statements	1922
	Decatur	Domestic money orders	Nov 15 1901-Jun 27 1902
	Decatur	Postmasters' account & record book 3 rd Class	Apr 1 1916-Jun 30 1917
7	Decatur	Semi-monthly Money order statements	Feb 28, 1922-Apr 30 1925
	Decatur	Money order advices & orders paid	May 1 1908-May 10 1913
	Decatur	Money orders	Apr 1908-Sept 1911
	Decatur	Cash book for Intl. money orders	Jul 1 1902-Jan 21 1905