



## Collection Summary

### Title

Washington Township (Jackson County, MO) Civil Docket

### Date

1930 - 1944

### Extent

1 archival box

### Name and Location of Repository

Midwest Genealogy Center, Independence (Mo.)

Reference code: MGC 1171-WTCD

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### Name of Creator

Silas Farmer

### Biographical History

Silas Farmer was born on November 28, 1868 in Mayfield, Tennessee. He was a grocer and barber in Howell County, Missouri before moving to Jackson County, Missouri. He was the Justice of the Peace for Washington Township from 1930 to 1944. Si Farmer died on June 23, 1951 in Kansas City, Missouri.

### Scope and Content

The collection consists of one civil docket book from the time that Si Farmer served as Justice of the Peace in Washington Township in Jackson County, Missouri. The beginning of the book contains an alphabetical index of names with corresponding page numbers. The main portion of the book details the cases brought before the Justice of the Peace. They list the plaintiff and defendant along with the fees involved and who was responsible for paying those fees.



## Collection Inventory

### System of Arrangement

These records are arranged in 1 series.

Series 1,  
Item 1, Docket book

## Rights and Access

### Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research use by appointment.

### Physical Access

The book is in an archival box.

### Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use

Permission to publish, quote, or reproduce must be secured from the Midwest Genealogy Center.

### Languages and Scripts of the Material

Materials in the collection are entirely in English.

### Accruals

No further accruals are expected for this collection.

### Existence and Location of Originals

Originals owned by the Midwest Genealogy Center.

### Notes

The following sources were consulted during the preparation of the biographical history:

- Ancestry.com. *United States Federal Census* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc.
- State of Missouri. "Missouri Death Certificates, 1910 - 1967." *Missouri Digital Heritage*, s1.sos.mo.gov/Records/Archives/ArchivesMvc/.