

WALTER BAGBY PAPERS, 1827-1859

- 2/5/1827 - 9/2/1829 Walter Bagby's account, apparently at the firm of Trabue and Bagby.
- 4/27/1830 Land deed by Will and Elizabeth Douglas transferring 26 acres of land in Barren County to Walter Bagby for \$104. Walter is, presumably, the son of John and Matilda Bagby, though the document does not make it clear.
- 4/9/1834 \$35.00 receipt for passage of Walter Bagby, wife and child from Salt River to St. Louis.
- 6/30/1836 Letter from Walter Bagby, Carthage, [Ill.] to his mother, Matilda Bagby, Barren County.
Personal letter regarding wife's poor health, etc. Intimates that she is gravely ill.
- 12/12/1836 Letter from Walter Bagby, Carthage, Ill. to his mother, Matilda Bagby, Glasgow, Ky. Walter reports death of wife and considers bringing his two children, John and Ann, to Kentucky to live with his mother. Meantime his sister-in-law, Turza, will look after them.
- 10/24/1840 Itemized bill for washing and mending clothes from Oct. 1840 to April [1841]. Walter Bagby's bill; paid to Adeline W. Newball.
- 1840-1841- \$3.00 receipt for subscription to The Louisville Journal.
- 9/15/1841 B. Slattery's payment of \$5.66 land tax on 160 acre tract of land in Hancock County, Ill.
- 5/13/1842 Walter Bagby's note instructing Fred Loring to pay bearer \$6.50. Carthage, [Ill.]
- 11/3/1843 Walter Bagby's receipt for \$1,056.07 taxes paid to the state of Illinois.
- 11/9/1843 Itemized bill from March to November 1843 paid to Silas Williams by Walter Bagby for his daughter's board, tuition, and incidentals.
- 11/26/1843 Letter from Walter Bagby, Carthage, Ill., to his brother, Charles D. Bagby, Glasgow, Ky.
Walter states he would like to visit Kentucky but feels unwilling to leave Illinois "until I see the arrogances of that abomination in humsn shape (Joe Smith [Mormon leader]) humbled low in the dust." Because Mormons are increasing in number and the vanity of the "wretch" who leads the Mormons will soon generate flagrant violence, popular indignation against the