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Title: Banks Genealogy
Collection #: Ms B101
Dates:
Size of Collection: 1 volume
Accession Number: L1997.44
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Biographical/ historical note:

The Banks, Meeker, Wakeman and Sherwood families settled Fairfield in the 17th century. They were farmers, merchants and town officials. Like many families in the small community of Fairfield, their members frequently intermarried. The keeper of this chronicle of these families remains anonymous, although it was probably written in the early 19th century. Some of the information has been erased by scratching away the ink, and other pieces of data have been added at a later time, in pencil. A transcription of the volume is in the Banks brown envelope.

Scope and content note:

One volume of handwritten historical and genealogical notes concerning members of the Banks, Sherwood, Meeker and Wakeman families.

Subject headings:

Banks family

Fairfield (Conn.)--Genealogy

Meeker family

Sherwood family

Wakeman family