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Moses Wing Collection

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Collection Information

Abstract: Moses Wing was a silversmith who was born in Rochester, MA in 1760. He worked

in Worcester as a silversmith from 1805 - 1809. Collection includes seven receipts for his work.

Finding Aid: Finding Aid in print form is available in the Repository.

<u>Preferred Citation</u>: Worcester Historical Museum, Worcester, Massachusetts.

Provenance: Gift of WilliamWallace purchased from Paul Olinkiewicz

 $\underline{MARC\ Access}$: Collection is cataloged in MARC under the following subject headings (lcsh, aat, tgm, gmgcp)

Historical/Biographical Notes

Moses Wing was born in Rochester, MA in 1706; son of Samuel and Joanna (Haskell) Wing. The family moved to Pine Meadow (later called Windsor Locks) in 1775. He first married Hannah, daughter of Samuel Denslow; she died in 1792. He married 2nd Huldah, daughter of Captain Martin Denslow. He built a shop on the end of the family lot. He was called a Goldsmith and made brass clocks, some of which are still excellent timekeepers, silver teaspoons, knee-buckles, shoe-buckles, etc. He was also a Major in the Revolutionary War. In partnership with Geer Terry for a while before dissolving in 1805. Removed to Worcester, MA, where he worked from 1805-1809. He died October 13, 1809 in Windsor, CT.

Scope and Content

The collection contains seven receipts and bills for various services rendered by Moses Wing.

Series Descriptions

Series 1: Bills and Receipts

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<u>Box #</u>	Folder #	<u>Item #</u>	Description
1	1	2014.01.9.1.1	Bill from Major Moses Wing to Jeremiah Stiles for work done including lettering of lockets. April 1809)
1	1	2014.01.9.1.2	Bill from "Estate of Moses Wing" to Thomas Eaton for services (1808)
1	1	2014.01.9.1.3	Bill from Moses Wing to Joseph Hastings (June 7, 1809)
1	1	2014.01.9.1.4	Receipt for payment to Moses Wing from Samuel Woodbury for making two dozen teaspoons (March 14, 1809)
1	1	2014.01.9.1.5	Notice of settlement of estate of Moses Wing due to Timothy Marshal – signed Huldah Wing (March 23, 1810)
1	1	2014.01.9.1.6	Receipt of payment to Moses Wing from Jeremiah Stiles services done including, watches and hair combs (February 6, 1808)
1	1	2014.01.9.1.7	Receipt of payment to Moses Wing from Mr. ? Parkman for services including; teaspoons and sugar tongs (1809)