

Store Ledgers, 1814-1815 and 1818-1825

Provenance: Unknown (arrived with a group of donated items, ca. 2005 – some other items were related to Washington, Pa.)

Two ledgers, one 7.75”x6.5”, covering 1814-1815 and one 13”x8”, covering 1818-1825. They may be from Washington or Greene County, Pa. Brandy and whisky were major trade items; but everything else is included – bushels of corn and rye and salt, pork, hats, shoes, coffee, tobacco – often credit is given for hauling items, ploughing and 'days of work.'

One entry reads “Joseph Morris, wheelwright... watch to be paid for in new whisky barrels at Isaac Tegards shop by Waynesburg.”

The earlier one includes the names William Ankrom, Richard Ankrom, James Hook, Bennet Reinhart, George Thomas, Richard Morris, Arthur Ingram.

Among the names in the later one:

Richard Morris
John Gorden
George Musser
Abraham Harris
Arthur Craig
Robert Morris
John Bailey
Richard Hughes
John Musser
Thomas Ankrom
Simon Rinehart
Henry Voights
Peter McGeary, schoolmaster
Joseph Morris, wheelwright
James Stephens
Arthur Inghram
George Grimes
John R. Smith, constable
Vincent Sealls
Jerry Brown
Thomas Fletcher
Powel Chrismon
Silas Hathaway
Joushaway Vanruff
Benjamin Strawn
John Huss
Thomas Rinehart, son of Hannah
Benjamin Morris of Coalick Run
Heaner(?) Boreman
Vincent Seals
Michael Donahoo
Barney Adams

Thomas Hoskinson
James Glook
Abner Strawn
Andrew Buckanan
Doctor T. Laton
William F. Hays
Christopher Cowel
Joseph Cowel
Shaffner & Sloan, copper smiths
Joseph Baremore
John Hixenbaugh
George Heigly
Jobe Cornwall
Lewis Martin

Also mentioned: Ragon's Mill, Hook's Mill

Included in the book is a loose bill of sale from Wm. Fletcher to J. Roach. Is it possible that J. Roach is the storekeeper?