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A Guide to the  
Bleecker Family Documents  
1751-1838

**Collection Summary**

**Collection Title:** Bleecker Family Documents

**Call Number:** EX 757

**Creator:** John Bleecker

**Inclusive Dates:** 1751-1838

**Bulk Dates:** 1828-1838

**Abstract:** none

**Quantity:** 2 boxes

**Administrative Information**

**Custodial History:** unknown

**Preferred Citation:** Bleecker Family Documents, EX 757, Albany Institute of History and Art Library, New York.

**Acquisition Information:**

Accession #: unknown

Accession Date: unknown

**Processing Information:**

Final Processing and Finding Aid By/Date: Updated in November 2003 by Heather Harrington

## **Restrictions**

**Restrictions on Access:** none

**Restrictions on Use:** none

## **Index Term**

**Persons:** Ten Eyck, Barent; Stewart, Edward; Fonda, Gysbert; Hutton, Isaac; Bloodgood, Lynot; Vernon, Peter; Bostwick, B.R.; Wood, G.; Mahan, S.S.; Stevens, I; Herrick, R.P.; Bleecker, John; VanSlyck, C.; Bancher, G.; Bleecker, Gerrit VanZandt; Briant, J.; Leake, J.G.; Bleecker, G.V.Z; McDougall, J.; Winne, N.V.; Lisher, G.B.; Staats, B.P.; Vandenburgh, A.F.; Cogswell, L.; Bleecker, L.;

**Subjects:** Bleecker family

**Document Types:** bills; correspondence; indentures;

## **Scope and Contents of the Records**

The records cover the years 1751-1838. The bulk of the material comes from 1828-1838. Most of the material in the collection is assorted bills dating from 1811-1838. There is also some indentures and letters in this collection. The letters primarily deal with business matters, such as selling, buying, renting, or debts of businesses. There are some personal notes in the second box. The material refers to many different prominent Albany families. The papers seem to be those of John Bleecker and his immediate family, as he is mentioned the most in the papers.

## **Organization of the Records**

The records are organized into 2 boxes. The first box contains random letters of J. Bleecker and some indentures and deeds. The majority of the box is made up of assorted bills, with some personal notes and letters thrown in some folders. There are 18 folders in this box. Box 2 contains more assorted bills with other random letters and notes thrown in.

**Related Material**

**Johannes Rutgers Bleecker Papers GO 78-04  
John N. Bleecker Letters, MS 93-162**

Vertical File—Bleecker Family

**Detailed Description of the Collection**

The following section contains a detailed listing of the materials in the collection.

<b>Box #</b>	<b>Folder #</b>	<b>Title / Description</b>
1	1	Order to arrest Edward Stewart, no date
1	2	Indenture between Barent Ten Eyck, jeweler, and Gysbert Fonda, merchant, regarding a piece of land, 1751; deed of sale of property in Albany by Isaac Hutton to Lynot Bloodgood, 1791; Recommendation for Peter Vernon, signed by B.R. Bostwick, G. Wood, S.S. Mahan, I. Stevens, R.P. Herrick, 1817.
1	3	Letters of John Bleecker and assorted bills, 1790-1811
1	4	Assorted bills, 1812-1814
1	5	Assorted bills, 1815-1816
1	6	Assorted bills, 1817-1818
1	7	Assorted bills, 1819-1820
1	8	Assorted bills, 1821
1	9	Assorted bills, 1822
1	10	Assorted bills, 1823
1	11	Assorted bills, 1824
1	12	Assorted bills, 1825
1	13	Assorted bills, 1826
1	14	Assorted bills, 1827
1	15	Assorted bills, 1828
1	16	Assorted bills, 1828
1	17	Assorted bills, 1829
1	18	Assorted bills, 1829
2	1	Assorted bills, 1830
2	2	Assorted bills, 1830
2	3	Assorted bills, 1831
2	4	Assorted bills, 1831
2	5	Assorted bills, 1831
2	6	Assorted bills, 1831
2	7	Assorted bills, 1832
2	8	Assorted bills, 1832
2	9	Assorted bills, 1833
2	10	Assorted bills, 1833

<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1834</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1834</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1835</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1835</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1836</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1836</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1837</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Assorted bills, 1838</b>