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4. Samuel H. Parsons letter to Griffin Greene, October 27, 1789
5. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, December 12, 1789
6. Griffin Greene letter to Richard Platt (copy), February 4, 1790
7. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Griffin Greene, April 13, 1790
8. David Ziegler letter to the Directors of the Ohio Company, January 8, [1791]
9. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Richard Platt, August 22, 1791
10. Ohio Company Directors draft letter to Richard Platt, September 13, 1791
11. Richard Platt letter to the Directors of the Ohio Company, October 8, 1791

Folder 3: Correspondence, 1792-1795

1. Benjamin Tupper memorandum to Judge [Rufus] Putnam (respecting his petition to Congress), January 27, 1792
2. Benjamin Tupper memorandum to Judge [Rufus] Putnam (note of instructions), January 27, 1792
3. Dwight Foster letter to Rufus Putnam, March 22, 1792
4. Dwight Foster letter to Rufus Putnam, Manasseh Cutler, and Robert Oliver, March 22, 1792
5. Benjamin Heywood and Daniel Clap letter to Directors of the Ohio Company, March 29, 1792
6. Directors of the Ohio Company letter to Richard Platt (copy), May 2, 1792
7. Directors of the Ohio Company letter to Benjamin Tallmadge (copy), May 2, 1792
8. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Daniel Clap, May 14, 1792
9. Rufus Putnam draft letter to General [Henry?] Jackson, May 18, 1792
10. Manasseh Cutler letter to Rufus Putnam, Griffin Greene and Robert Oliver, March 12, 1793
11. Nathaniel Cushing letter to Judge [Rufus] Putnam, July 19, 1793
12. Jonas Prentice letter to James Backus, April 15, 1794
13. [Rufus Putnam letter to Griffin Greene and other Directors of the Ohio Company, January 10, 1795](#)
14. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, July 17, 1795

Folder 4: Correspondence, 1796

1. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, February 27, 1796
2. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, April 15, 1796
3. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, May 21, 1796
4. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, May 21, 1796
5. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, May 23, 1796
6. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, June 17, 1796
7. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, June 20, 1796
8. Rufus Putnam draft letters to Benjamin Tallmadge, C[harles] Greene, [Caleb] Strong, and [unknown] Chancellor, July 20, 1796
9. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, October 18, 1796
10. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, November 12, 1796
11. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, December 14, 1796

Folder 5: Correspondence, 1797-1799

1. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, April 21, 1797
2. Park Holland letter to Rufus Putnam, June 20, 1797
3. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, November 6, 1797
4. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, November 20, 1797
5. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, December 25, 1797
6. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, April 16, 1798
7. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, July 28, 1798
8. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, November 7, 1798
9. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, November 12, 1798
10. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, February 1, 1799
11. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, March 22, 1799
12. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, July 9, 1799
13. William Rufus Putnam letter to Manasseh Cutler, September 3, 1799
14. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, September 30, 1799
15. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, November 1, 1799
16. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, December 14, 1799

Folder 6: Correspondence, 1800-1808 and undated

1. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, August 5, 1800
2. Rufus Putnam draft letter to William Gridley, February 8, 1801
3. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Joseph Nourse, Register of the Treasury, April 20, 1802
4. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, April 8, 1803
5. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, July 9, 1803
6. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, March 8, 1804
7. Rufus Putnam draft letter to Benjamin Tallmadge, December 24, 1804
8. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, February 6, 1805
9. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, February 26, 1805
10. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, January 3, 1806
11. Benjamin Tallmadge letter to Rufus Putnam, January 24, 1806
12. Joseph May letter to William Rufus Putnam, October 21, 1807
13. Rufus Putnam draft letter to William C. Park, July 8, 1808
14. Rufus Putnam letter to Samuel H. Parsons or Griffin Green[e], undated

SERIES III – SURVEYORS' FIELD NOTES

Box 1

Envelope

1. James Backus, 1789, Ranges 12 through 17
2. Ebenezer Buckingham A, undated, Ranges 8 and 9
3. Ebenezer Buckingham B, undated, Ranges 8 and 9
4. Unknown Greene, 1789, Ranges 12 through 17
5. Abel Mathews A, 1788, Meanders of the Ohio River beginning in Range 9, Township 1
6. Abel Mathews (unsigned) B, 1789, mentions Belleville, Devils Hole Creek, Old Town, and Range 8
7. John Mathews A, 1788, Ranges 8 and 9
8. John Mathews B, 1788, Ranges 8 and 9
9. John Mathews C, 1789, Range 11, Ranges 14 through 17
10. John Mathews D, 1789, Range 11, Ranges 14 through 17 (substitute)
11. Rufus Putnam A, 1788, Ranges 8 and 9, and Meanders of Muskingum and Hockhocking Rivers.
12. Rufus Putnam B, 1788-1789, Range 8
13. Rufus Putnam C, 1789, Ranges 8 through 11, Donation Land reports, Table of Distances on the Ohio River
14. Rufus Putnam D, Meanders of the Ohio River
15. William R. Putnam A, 1795, Ranges 8 through 10
16. William R. Putnam B, 1798, Range 14
17. William R. Putnam C, 1816-1817, Ranges 8 through 10, Ranges 12 and 13
18. Levi Barber, 1807, Range 8

Box 2

Envelope

1. Ebenezer Sproat A, 1788, Ranges 8 and 9
2. Ebenezer Sproat B, 1788, Ranges 8 and 9 ("Book No. 2")

3. Ebenezer Sproat C, 1788, Ranges 9 through 11
4. Ebenezer Sproat D, 1789, Range 12
5. Ebenezer Sproat E, 1789, Range 13
6. Ebenezer Sproat F, 1789, Range 14
7. Ebenezer Sproat G, 1789, Range 15
8. Ebenezer Sproat H, 1789, Range 16
9. Ebenezer Sproat I, 1789, Ranges 12 through 15
10. Benjamin F. Stone, 1801, Range 9
11. Anselm Tupper, 1788, 1789, 1791, Ranges 8 through 17
12. Levi Whipple A, 1797, 1798, Range 8
13. Levi Whipple B, 1797, 1798, Range 8 ("Book No. 2")
14. Donation Tract, 1794-1797; surveyors include Jonathan Stone, Joseph Wood, William R. Putnam, Rufus Putnam, and Ephraim Cutler; includes lists of lots and donees
15. Unknown A, 1791, Range 14
16. Unknown B, 1789, Range 10
17. Unknown C, 1789, Range 11
18. Unknown D, 1799, Range 8

Box 3

Envelope

1. Jeffery Mathewson A, 1789, Ranges 12 through 17
2. Jeffery Mathewson B, 1795, Range 9, Ranges 11 through 16
3. Jeffery Mathewson C, 1796, Ranges 11 through 14
4. Jeffery Mathewson D, 1796-1797, Ranges 11 through 14
5. Jeffery Mathewson E, 1797, Ranges 11 and 12, Ranges 14 through 17
6. Jeffery Mathewson F, 1798, Ranges 15 and 16
7. Jeffery Mathewson G, 1798, Ranges 14 and 15
8. Jeffery Mathewson H, 1798, Ranges 14 and 15 ("Book No. 6")
9. Jeffery Mathewson I, 1798, Ranges 9 and 10
10. Jeffery Mathewson J, 1798, Ranges 11 through 15

Box 4

Envelope

1. Return Jonathan Meigs A, 1788-1789, Ranges 8 through 12, and meanders of the Ohio River; journal notes in addition to survey
2. Return Jonathan Meigs and Rufus Putnam B, 1789, 1796-1798, Range 8, and meanders of the Muskingum and Hockhocking rivers
3. Return Jonathan Meigs C, 1789, unidentified land near the Kanawha and southwest part of the Ohio Company's purchase
4. Jonathan Stone A, 1796, Ranges 11 through 13
5. Jonathan Stone B, 1796, Range 11, Ranges 14 through 16
6. Jonathan Stone C, 1797, Ranges 14 through 16
7. Jonathan Stone D, 1798, Ranges 9 through 13
8. Jonathan Stone E, undated, Ranges 14 and 15
9. Jonathan Stone F, 1795, Ranges 14 and 15
10. Jonathan Stone G, 1796, Ranges 11 through 13
11. Joseph Gilman, undated, Ranges 8 through 16, and meanders of the Ohio, Muskingum, and Hockhocking rivers

SERIES IV – MAPS, PLATS, AND DRAWINGS

Box 1

Folder 1

1. Memorandum [sic] of the Courses & Distances, width of Streets, length & width of Squares & c. of the Town of Marietta, 1788
2. A Plan of the Fractional Townships No. I & II in the Eighth Range . . . , May 15, 1788
3. Quantity of Ohio Company land in Ranges 8 to 17 inclusive, undated

Folder 2

1. Marietta, Ohio, plat showing Muskingum River and Front or River Street, undated
2. Marietta, Ohio, plat showing "Old burying Ground" and Mound, undated
3. Marietta, Ohio, plat showing Third and Fourth streets, undated
4. Notes regarding Ohio Company proprietors and agencies; plat showing Muskingum and "back of Market Square," undated
5. Plat of "Small lots at the bluff," along the Ohio River, undated
6. Plat of lots along a river with an island, undated

Folder 3

1. [Ohio Company Survey Book, Ranges 8 – 16 and Allotments](#)

Folder 4

1. Plans of the Several Mile Square Lots of the Ohio Companys purchase with their various Subdivisions in the first, Second, Third and Fourth Townships of the Ninth Range, undated

Folder 5

1. Plans of the Several Mile Square Lots of the Ohio Companys purchase with their various Subdivisions in the first, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth Townships in the Tenth Range, undated

Oversize

Drawer 1

1. Official Survey Book of the Ohio Company, 72 pages, 17-1/2 x 22 inches, undated

Drawer 2

1. Survey Book of the Ohio Company, 203 pages, 14-1/4 x 16-1/2 inches, undated
2. Ohio Company Plat Maps, 114 pages, 14-1/4 x 20-1/4 inches, undated

Drawer 3

1. View of the Northwest Block House, in Campus Martius Square from the Muskingum River, 13-1/4 x 8-1/4 inches, undated
2. A Plan of Fort Campus Martius, 13 x 8 inches, undated
3. Plat of a town [Athens, Ohio] with out Lots & c., 15 x 18-1/2 inches, undated
4. Plan of the City, Marietta, laid out at the Confluence of the Rivers, Ohio and Muskingum, by Rufus Putnam and E. Ruggles, Jr., 16-3/4 x 20-1/2 inches, undated
5. Map of Ohio Company lands subsequent to 1792, 15-3/4 x 19-3/4 inches, undated

Drawer 4

1. D. Woodbridge map, 1793, Appropriated Lotts (Ranges 8, 9, and 10), 18-3/4 x 29-1/2 inches