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Biography

James Frazier Reed was born in Ireland, November 14, 1800. He lived in Virginia and Illinois before coming to California. He and Abraham Lincoln were privates in the same company in the Black Hawk War. He, with his wife, four children and mother, came to California as members of the Donner Party in 1846. He was a miner and later settled in San Jose, working to make San Jose the capital of the state, and contributing land for that purpose. He died in San Jose, July 24, 1874.

Bannister, Edward
Belden, [Josiah]
Boggs, Lilburn W.
Buchanan, John C.
Burton, John
Buxton, Juan (John Burton?)
Davis, Walter
Keene, Edward M.
Larkin, Thomas O.
Lyon, Caleb
McGile, Patrick and George Montgomery
Mason, D. H.
Mason, Richard B.
Parker, R.
Pickett, Charles Edward, 1820-1882
Pinkney, R. F.
Richardson, John T.
Ruckel & Cooke
Spear, Nathan
Sutter, John Augustus, 1803-1880
Townsend, John
Van Voorhis, William
White, Charles
Willson, Allen
Winchester, Jonas, 1810-1887
Winlack (Miss) (Day and Boarding School for Young Ladies)

Account book (** cF 865 R32 A3)

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Incoming correspondence, alphabetically arranged.
Outgoing correspondence, business papers, etc. arranged chronologically.