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Summary Information

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- Legal documents
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Collection Inventory

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Rules of the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims with an appendix, Third Edition, Washington, Gibson Brothers, Printers, 1874

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Rules of the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims, Washington, Government Printing Office, 1874

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List of Claims Before the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims, organized under the Act of Congress, approved June 23, 1874, Washington, D. C., Gibson Brothers, Printers, 1874

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Laws of Alabama Claims and Rules of Court compiled by J. F. Manning, New York, Evening Post Printing Office, 1882

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Reprint from the Boston daily herald of an interview with J. F. Manning on the Alabama Claims and the Geneva Award

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In the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims, Garner Colby, Complainant, vs. the United States, Respondent, Petition of Gardner Colby, Boston, Massachusetts, January 21, 1875

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In the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims, Harvey Scudder, Complainant, vs. the United States, Respondent, Petition of Harvey Scudder, Boston, Massachusetts

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In the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims Lorenzo Marrett vs. the United States, no. 1190, petition of Lorenzo Marrett, East Cambridge, Massachusetts, January 21, 1875

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In the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims, Olive Jane Kallock vs. the United States, no. 773, claimant's brief

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In the Court of Commissioners of Alabama Claims, ship, Commonwealth, brief of Edwin H. Abbott, counsel for the petitioners

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Court of Commissions of Alabama Claims, in the matter of the capture of the Bark Jireh Swift by the Shenandoah, Jireh Swift, et al., complainants vs. the United States, no. 68, testimony for the complainants

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