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005 Private Accounts
006 New Castle County
140 James Gardner's Store Ledger
200 1826
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240 0.37 cf.
241 1 volume in 0.49 box
261 Record of accounts kept by James Gardner at his dry goods store on
Market Street, Wilmington.
270 The volume shows the name of the customer, sometimes his/her occupation
or town, date of transaction, reason for debit, journal page number,
amount owed, date of payment, how paid, journal page number, and amount
paid. Items sold are usually listed as merchandise and not described.
Accounts were usually paid in cash, although grains, stockings, hay,
cigars, and a barrel of gunpowder are occasionally noted. Notable
customers include Allen McLane, Edward Tatnall, Caleb Bennett, Victor du
Pont, New Castle County jail, George Read, Jr. and Sr., E. I. du Pont,
Peter Jaquett, Charles du Pont, Steam Boat Company, Louis McLane, James
Tilton, and several ship captains. Included in the box is a short
biography of James Gardner.
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329 WORK STATUS:
 needs sorting
 needs unfolding
 needs foldering/reboxing
 other:

ARCHIVIST:
 review for identification/needs further identification
 needs processing
 determine origin/purpose
 other:

330 Arranged chronologically by date of entry.
331 No index.
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360 Fair-poor condition. Dirt, acid, water damage. First couple pages are
loose.
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