Inventory of the Bills of Sale from Sumter (S.C.) Stores, 1873, 1896
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**Descriptive Summary**

**Title:** Bills of sale from Sumter (S.C.) stores  
**Date(s):** 1873,  
**Date(s):** 1896  
**Creators:** Schwartz Bros. (Sumter, S.C.) Cohen, Marx E.  
**Abstract:** Two bills of sale made out to David Ashby Stuckey and his wife. One (1873) is from Marx E. Cohen, a dealer in dry goods, groceries, shoes, and hardware. The second (1896) is from Schwartz Bros., a dry goods store and millinery. Both stores were located in Sumter, South Carolina.  
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**Biographical Note**

David Ashby Stuckey (1849-1932) was a cotton farmer in the Manville area of Lee County, South Carolina. His grandfather, Edmund Stuckey, settled the area circa 1800.

**Collection Overview**

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**Collection Arrangement**

The collection is described at the item level.

**Restrictions**

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Names
  Stuckey, David Ashby, 1849-1932
  Cohen, Marx E.
  Schwartz Bros. (S.C.)

Subjects
  Dry-goods--South Carolina--Sumter
  Jewish merchants--South Carolina--Sumter
  Jews--Material culture--South Carolina--Sumter
  Stores, retail--South Carolina--Sumter

Places
  Sumter (S.C.)

Types of Material
  Bills of sale

Administrative Information

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<td><strong>Bill of sale from Marx E. Cohen, 1873</strong></td>
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<td>The bill is made out to D.A. Stuckey for $40.50. Stuckey sold Cohen a bale of cotton and was paid in credit at Cohen's store. The bill lists approximately eighteen items bought with the credit, including oil, cotton, calico, salt, rice, gingham, ginger, and a pair of boots.</td>
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<td><strong>Bill of sale from Schwartz Bros., 1896</strong></td>
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<td>The bill is made out to Mrs. Stuckey for $20.60 and lists approximately six items, including two suits, two capes, and calico.</td>
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