Abstract
Son to one of the original Plymouth families, George Starkweather built a dry goods store on what was the southeast corner of Liberty Street and Oak Street, facing Kellogg Park. This store was a partnership with R.G. Hall. Even though the partnership dissolved in 1870, Starkweather continued to operate the store until 1901. Convinced that a railroad would bring commercial traffic to Plymouth, George added the Oak Street North road through his property to bring traffic to his store and to the train station. George Starkweather played an active role in Plymouth civil life and died in 1907.

Scope and Content
The George Starkweather Store record group consists of ledgers and journals created during operation of the store.

Important Subjects
Grocery Stores—Michigan—19th century.
Local history--Plymouth Michigan.

Entry 1: Ledgers and Journals
Records of the George Starkweather Store 1870-1905.

Box 1
Journal from 21 September 1870 to 21 June 1871. (Acc #86.93.4)
Index to unknown volume. (Acc #79.4.2L)

Box 2
Ledger from 1873-1875. (Acc #79.4.3L)
Ledger from 1901-1905. (Acc #79.4.1L)
Box 3
Ledger from 1882-1885. (Acc #79.4.4L)

Box 4
Ledger from Jan 1 1872-June 1873 (Acc #2020.035.01)
Ledger from June 22 1871-Dec 23 1871 (Acc # 2020.036.01)
Ledger from June 1874-March 11 1875 (Acc # 2020.036.02)
Ledger from July 14, 1877-Aug 1878 (Acc # 2021.044.015)