Archives and History maintains the Archives and History Library and the West Virginia State Archives; administers the highway marker program to designate historical sites; and provides support services and technical assistance to state, county, and historical organizations and institutions. Under the Code, the director of Archives and History serves as secretary to the citizen advisory Archives and History Commission and as staff to the Records Management and Preservation Board.

The mission of Archives and History is to collect and preserve West Virginia’s public records and historical materials, to make these records available to the public and private sectors, and to disseminate historical information through publications and programs, so as to enrich the lives of past and present residents and future generations.

**Highlights**

- Records Management and Preservation Board awarded grants totalling $324,623 to support projects in 37 counties
- 15 educational videos for students added to Archives and History’s YouTube Channel
- 2,897 state documents and 19,369 pages printed from documents in electronic form, and 251 books and pamphlets added to collections
- more than 202 linear feet of manuscripts and state government records, and more than 119,993 photographs and negatives added to collections
- statewide county records preservation project digitized 86 record books and edited images for approximately 650 more
- 135 rolls of film shot in preservation microfilming of daily and weekly newspapers
- 291 research letters, 330 photo research requests, 952 reference calls, and 15,581 e-mails handled
- 21,000 Daily Trivia responses received
- new Highway Historical Marker book, *Signs of the Times*, published

Archives and History faced another challenging year in 2020-2021. Due to the pandemic, visits to the Archives and History Library were limited, and tour groups ceased. This enabled a greater focus on eliminating a tremendous backlog of unprocessed collections, which was completed by the end of the fiscal year. Additionally, collection donations increased dramatically during the fiscal year. Several staff assumed new positions, and plans to reconfigure collections within newly allotted storage space were initiated. A number of new educational videos were completed, and work with the Department of Education increased. In addition, Records Management and Preservation Board legislation was passed,
The COVID-19 pandemic continued to shape activities at Archives and History for much of the 2020-2021 fiscal year. With a few exceptions, staff alternated working at home and onsite from July 2020 until April 2021, when all agency staff were required to resuming fulltime work at the Culture Center.

When at home, Archives and History staff continued to work on a variety of projects such as educational outreach videos and document-based questions, editing digital images for the statewide preservation project, printing pages of state agency documents from their Web sites, transcribing documents, and entering records into Access databases on laptops for future upload to the Vital Research Records databases.

One home project that was initiated during the year was creation of a master index for the roughly 200 corporation books that are not included in a master index at Archives and History that was created by the Secretary of State’s Office. Over the course of the year, more than 45,000 database entries have been made from cell phone images of individual book indices, with subsequent physical review of select books that were difficult to decipher. This project has uncovered a few corporations that were omitted from the book index. A little more than one half of the project remains to be completed.
After nearly four months closure due to the pandemic, the Archives and History Library reopened to the public on July 13, 2020, by appointment only, Tuesday through Friday, with a limitation of five patrons at a time. In preparation for reopening, plexiglass barriers had been constructed around the security and research desks and a procedure implemented to quarantine items handled by patrons and/or staff. The limitation on the number of patrons ended in May 2021 and Saturday hours resumed on June 12. The building remains closed to the public on Mondays.

In 2021, the Archives and History Library, in conjunction with the West Virginia Library Commission (WVLC) Library, migrated from the Voyager Integrated Library System to the Sierra platform. As a result, cataloging was suspended in May while the migration was underway but resumed in June. Cataloging staff received training through the WVLC. It had been more than a decade since the migration of the library’s book and pamphlet catalog from VTLS to Voyager. During that earlier migration, hundreds of titles were dropped by the system. One staff member spent part of his COVID-work-at-home time identifying book titles missing from the Voyager catalog, finding hundreds that need to be added.

During the fiscal year, staff added 200 image files, 265 html/PDF text files, and 409 database records to the Archives and History Web site. In addition, 663 photograph records and images were added to Archives and History’s PastPerfect Online catalog. More than 21,000 responses to the Daily Trivia were received, an increase of approximately 50 percent over the previous year.

Among other items added were new records in the Golden Horseshoe Winners, State Government Documents, and Periodicals databases. In addition, 92 biographies of individuals included on the West Virginia Veterans Memorial were added to the Web site. Archives and History’s Veterans Memorial volunteer Pat McClure continued to work with George Washington High School’s JROTC class on some of the biographies. Additions to one feature on the Web site that began early in 2020, document-based questions for 8th-grade students based on Archives and History’s “On This Day in West Virginia History,” continued through September.

During the fiscal year, 21 videos were added to YouTube, one to the Archives and History Music Channel and the remainder to Archives and History’s main channel. Most of the latter were educational videos for school-age students that cover a variety of West Virginia social studies topics. Two other videos look at specialized image types—tintypes and daguerreotypes.

In 2019, Archives and History had been included in initial agency discussions on a new Web site but were not involved further until the fall of 2020, when staff were requested...
Several collections were received during fiscal 2020-2021, but much of the year was dedicated to accessioning and processing materials already on hand. By the end of June 2021, 25 new government records collections had been accessioned and processed, including 234 boxes of Mercer County chancery and law files, while processing continued on circuit court records for Mingo and Fayette counties. Also added were 100 new photo, 105 new manuscript, and 158 new special collections accessions. While many of the latter were single-item accessions, additions to special collections also include scrapbooks and other materials about the General Glass Company, materials on the Charleston Municipal Auditorium and Charleston Community Music Association, and a folder of receipts and paystubs from Gauley Mountain Coal Company and Elk Lick Coal Company in the 1940s.

Several noteworthy manuscript collections were added. The Les Carpenter Collection, consisting of 8 boxes and oversized materials, primarily relates to Harrison County and includes materials about Nathan Goff and The Waldo Hotel. The 26-box Paul Nyden Collection contains Nyden’s original research and articles on coal mining strikes, coal mining reform, labor controversy, and environmental concerns. Original land records from Logan and Mingo counties, as well as Pike County, Kentucky, and materials on the Town of Williamson comprise much of the George F. Williamson Family Collection, while the writing and newspaper career of C. Donald Hatfield, long-time newspaper editor, publisher, and executive, are covered in the Hatfield Collection. The William Harry Clarke Collection consists of World War II correspondence between Huntington native Clarke, a chaplain stationed overseas during the war, and his wife and son. All of them have associated photo collections. In addition, Archives and History received records from the Bartlett, Simpson, and Chandler funeral homes of Kanawha County; an 1863 ledger book of Albert Gallatin Jenkins, and ledger books of several businesses.

One photograph collection of special note is the William L. Wood Collection, which contains more than 1,400 negatives of the inauguration of Bob Wise as governor in 2001. Prior to receipt of these negatives, Archives and History had only a handful of images from that event. (See the accession list at the end of the report for a complete list of additions to the West Virginia State Archives collections in 2020-2021.)

During the fiscal year, newspapers covering the period from 1974 to 2021, primarily between 2012 and 2021, were filmed for a total of 135 rolls of microfilm. Archives
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The highlight of the year for the Highway Historical Marker program was publication of the new marker book, *Signs of the Times: West Virginia’s Highway Historical Marker Program*. Sent to the printers in February, the finished book was delivered on April 7, 2021. At 348 pages (including front matter), this volume is more than 100 pages longer than the previous marker book published almost two decades ago and includes approximately 300 new markers that have been erected since that earlier book was issued. More than one-half of them are sesquicentennial markers.

During the year, 9 markers were refurbished, 13 were replaced, and 24 new markers were ordered. Markers were distributed across 22 counties in the state. Following is a list of markers refurbished/replaced in the 2020-2021 fiscal year:

*Camp Washington Carver* – Fayette  
*Halfway House* – Fayette  
*B&O Depot* – Harrison  
*Fort Edwards* – Hardy  
*Northern Turnpike* – Hardy  
*Population Center* – Hardy  
*Bull Moose Special* – Kanawha  
*Pratt* – Kanawha  
*State Capitol* – Kanawha  
*Withers’ Grave* – Lewis  
*Lakin State Hospital* – Mason  
*Elizabeth Simpson Drewry* – McDowell  
*Bluefield State Teachers College* – Mercer  
*Mayo and Savage* – Mineral  
*Oriskany-Helderberg* – Mineral  
*Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Sr* – Monroe  
*Carnifex Ferry* – Nicholas  
*Old Iron Furnace* – Preston  
*Laura Jackson Arnold* – Randolph  
*Great Bend Tunnel* – Summers  
*Parkersburg High School* – Wood  
*Wyoming County* – Wyoming
Following is a list of new markers ordered in the fiscal year:

- West Virginia Flying Corps – Brooke
- Siltix Mine Disaster – Fayette
- Gilmer County Poor Farm Infirmary – Gilmer
- Katherine Johnson – Greenbrier
- Redmond-McCausland Home/General John McCausland Memorial Farm – Mason
- Hotel Thelma – Mercer
- Wiley Ford Racing – Mineral
- Oak Grove Cemetery – Monongalia
- Bill Withers – Raleigh
- Clarence W. Meadows – Raleigh
- Logan, Raleigh and Monroe Turnpike – Raleigh
- Lelia Pearl Bragg Laska Chamberlain – Summers
- Vienna – Wood
- Revolutionary War Soldier’s Grave – Wayne

**Records Management**

During the 2021 legislative session, House Bill 2915, which increased the cost of filing fees of 1-9 pages in the county clerks’ offices from $1 to $2, passed and was signed by Governor Jim Justice. This will enable the Records Management and
Preservation Board to continue the current level of grant funding to county officials.

In the eighteenth round of Records Management and Preservation Board (RMPB) grants, 37 counties were awarded grants totaling $324,623 for projects scheduled to begin on July 1, 2021. Mingo County received the largest award, $17,000, to purchase a large format color document scanner/printer and shelving for the assessor’s office and to review case files and implement the records retention schedule in the circuit clerk’s office. The smallest award, $3,124, went to Jackson County to recover the earliest chancery index books in the circuit clerk’s office.

Grants underway during the 2020-2021 year averaged just over $8,773, less than the average for the 2019-2020 year. Four grants exceeded $12,000 (Greenbrier, Hardy, Putnam, and Upshur). These counties had projects that included the purchase of shelving or a scanner, encapsulation of maps, digitization of record books, scanning other documents, and/or indexing records. A number of grants were in the $5,000-$10,000 range, but only one (McDowell) was for less than $5,000. McDowell County was awarded $4,909 to encapsulate and digitize map books in the county clerk’s office, and the county has been awarded another grant to continue this project in the 2021-2022 year.

The statewide county records preservation project staff continued to collect and digitize deed books, but they spent much time during the year using Digital Voodoo to improve images. Staff scanned 85 record books for Preston County and 1 for Boone, edited the digitized images, and converted them to smaller black and white files. In addition, staff converted and/or corrected more than 650 books for Fayette, Greenbrier, Logan, Raleigh, and Wayne counties.

**Inter-Agency Support**

Staff provided assistance to several state agencies regarding their records and retention schedules and also responded to requests for information on various topics. Staff continued to assist the Department of Education with preparation
of the Golden Horseshoe test.

In 2020, legislation passed amending the Uniform Real Property Electronic Recording Act. The legislation directed the Secretary of State to create the Real Property Electronic Recording Standards Advisory Committee to assist in the adoption of standards and practices. The director of Archives and History is serving on that committee as the representative of the Department of Arts, Culture and History, which began meeting monthly in the Fall of 2020.

**Arts, Culture and History**  
**Internal Support**

Archives and History continued to play a substantial role in a much scaled-back West Virginia History Bowl in 2021. Because of COVID-19, no regional matches could be played. A decision was made by the department to hold a state championship for both 2020 and 2021 on back-to-back days on May 10 and May 11 at the Culture Center.

Archives and History staff continued to provide support to other sections within the Department of Arts, Culture and History. Library staff assisted employees in other sections with various research topics. The photo archivist provided 164 digital images for *Goldenseal* magazine, published through the Communications unit, 57 images for exhibits and the museum, and 24 for the Historic Preservation Office. Through arrangements made by the department, Archives and History staff also provided 197 gratis images for individuals in state offices or elsewhere.

Archives and History began the fiscal year with an exhibit on women in West Virginia in the photo gallery located in the north wing off the Great Hall, between the library and the entrance to the hallway leading to the Archives and History offices. That exhibit remained on display from March 2020 until June 2021, when it was replaced by photos to celebrate West Virginia on its birthday.

**Outreach**

Archives and History staff continued to focus on educational outreach to students during the 2020-2021 year. Additions to document-based questions for 8th-grade students based on Archives and History’s “On This Day in West Virginia History” continued through September 2020. Work on education videos also continued with more than a dozen added to Archives and History’s YouTube Channel. These videos, designed with 8th-grade students in mind, cover topics such West Virginia geography, local and state government, early and Civil War History, and African Americans.

In June 2021, Archives and History again participated in the Carter G. Woodson Lyceum Teachers Institute for educators. The African American focus of this year’s Archives
program was the collections of the Norman family.

A limited twenty-fifth annual History Day was held on March 1, 2021. The capitol building was closed for display groups because of the pandemic, but a virtual History Hero award ceremony was created and placed on Archives and History’s YouTube Channel to honor the year’s 17 History Heroes. The video is available at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HwoxAJGboU.
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Archives and History Commission (2020-2021)

Voting members:
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John Bennett, prosecuting attorney, Logan
Betsy Castle, circuit clerk, Kingwood
Diana Cromley, county clerk, Point Pleasant
Betty Harmison, genealogical/historical society representative, Berkeley Springs
Mark Musick, assessor, Morgantown
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Joseph Armstrong (director, Administrative Office of the Courts), Charleston
Joshua Spence (director, Office of Technology), Charleston
designee Justin McAllister (chief financial officer, Office of Technology)
2020-2021 Accessions

State Government Records


Agriculture. Inwood farmers materials including market board of directors, meeting minutes, bylaws, and plans; West Virginia Department of Agriculture policy manual, photos, 1973-2010. 1 box, 1 oversized folder. Department of Agriculture. Ar2106

Appointments. Gubernatorial appointments and applications to various state and county positions, 1993-2015. 21 boxes. Governor’s Office. Ar2103


Cabell County. List of Voters, Precinct 2, Guyandotte District, 1920. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ar2108


City of Charleston Death Certificates, 1906-1909. 1 box. Kanawha County Clerk’s Office, Charleston. Ar2101

Greenbrier County. Circuit Court Calendar, July term, 1936. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ar2113


Legislature. Enrolled Bill, HB 240, creation of Capitol Building Fund, 1929. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ar2119


Mercer County. Chancery cases, law cases and indictments, 1930-60. 234 boxes. Mercer County Circuit Clerk, Princeton. Ar2092

Naturalization. Certification of Naturalization, Petitions, Record of Naturalization, card file of naturalizations, 1866-1958. 6 volumes, 2 folders, 1 card file box. Mineral County Circuit Clerk’s Office. Ar1878acc

Proclamation. Governor Glasscock’s Thanksgiving proclamation, 1910. 1 item. South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia, SC. Ar2117


State Capitol Complex. Master Plan, 2013. 1 volume. Department of Administration. Ar2104


Summers County Circuit Clerk. Governor Pardons, appointment of Clarence Meadows to Summers County Circuit Court, 1914-43. 8 folders. Summers County Circuit Clerk. Ar2105


Treasurer’s Office. Ledger books for checks, receipts, bank books, Depositories, register of Treasurer’s checks and other financial records, 1866-90. 5 volumes. Treasurer’s Office. Ar2102

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. MOA and PWA Engineering Plan Sheet, Bank Stabilization Protection Project, Kanawha River-35th St. to Greenbrier St., 2013. 1 item. Department of the Army, Huntington District, Corps of Engineers, Huntington. Ar2109


West Virginia Industrial Home for Colored Girls. Budget, receipts, and correspondence, 1940-49. 3 items. Unknown donor. Ar2112

Wirt County. County Court files. Wirt County Clerk, Elizabeth. 10 boxes, 2 volumes. Ar2098
Wood County. List of Voters, Precinct 3, Harrison District, 1914. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ar2114


Wyoming County. Court Ledger, 1850-61. 1 volume. Library of Virginia, Richmond, VA. Ar2120

**Manuscripts**


Bartlett Funeral Home. Records related to operation, Spring Hill Cemetery deeds, individual funeral records, financial statements, invoices, Simpson Funeral Home records, Chandler Funeral Home records. 5 boxes, 23 volumes. Unknown donor. Ms2020-054

Beckley Drug Company. Spirits prescriptions, 1933-34. 1 folder. Patricia Poland, Monroe, NC. Ms2020-095

Bishop, Teddy Collection. Korean War correspondence, 1951. 2 folders. Chet Fleming, Monroe, OH. Ms2020-103


Brown, John. Poem and items removed from James Redpath’s The Public Life of Captain John Brown, 1860. 1 folder. Transfer from library. Ms2020-101

Brown, William Collection. Letter and cover presenting Civil War Medal, 1867. 2 items. Unknown donor. Ms2020-098
Bryan, T. J. Correspondence from Barboursville, 1886. 1 folder, 2 items. Randall Reid-Smith, Barboursville. Ms2021-017


Burton, Patricia Collection. Correspondence with Archives staff re: Battle of Point Pleasant, 1979-95. 1 box. Archives and History. Ms2021-166

Bush, Marvin B. Collection. Programs, newspapers, tickets and name badges related to Marvin Bush’s time in Hawaii, 1943-44. 6 items. Mary B. Smither, Fernandina Beach, FL. Ms2020-017

Byrd, Robert C. Correspondence with Mary M. Jenkins, 1973. 1 folder 4 items. Unknown donor. Ms2021-112


Carpenter, Bert Edward Collection. World War II photos, correspondence, and miscellaneous papers; 1962 Nitro High School yearbook; and clippings. 1 box. Unknown donor. Ms2020-063


Charleston Schools Collection. Programs, Invitations, and graduation cards; photographs, wedding invitations, correspondence, 1909-63. 1 box. Georgia Philips DeBlois, Exeter, NH. Ms2021-118

Civil War. Correspondence regarding capture of Confederate flag at Battle of Philippi by Union veteran D. F. McKinley, 1911. 2 items. Unknown donor. Ms2020-096

Civil War Collection. Commission and discharge of Isaac Holland, 14th West Virginia Infantry, 1863-65. 4 items. Frances Sutton, Jacksonville NC. Ms79-18acc

Civil War Collection. Commission of Thomas Clark, Second Lieutenant, 4th Regiment Virginia Militia, 1862. 1 item. Mary Philo, Martins Ferry, OH. Ms79-18acc

Accessions
Civil War Collection. Notification of Allowance and tintype, Philip C. Marks, 1899. 2 items. Murdayne Marks, Elkview. Ms79-018acc

Civil War Collection. Oath of Allegiance of George Rollins, 1865. 1 item. Helen Rollins Warren, Louisville, KY. Ms79-18acc

Civil War Collection. Parole of Alexander T. Laidly (Laidley), Kanawha County, signed by Henry J. Samuels, 1861. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ms79-18acc

Civil War Collection. Quartermaster General return of Clothing, Camp and Garrison equipage, October 1864, and Quarterly return of Ordnance and Ordnance stores, Company B, 17th West Virginia Infantry, March 31, 1865. 2 items. Joel R Hedetniemi, Annondale, VA. Ms79-18acc

Civilian Conservation Corps. Watoga State Park reunion publications ca. 1933-42. 1 item. Unknown. Ms85-017acc

Clarke, William Harry Collection. Correspondence between William Harry Clarke Jr. and Ruth (Gilmore) Clarke, largely during his time as a chaplain in Europe World War II, 1929-99. 3 boxes. William Harry Clarke III, Lexington, KY. Ms2021-207

Coburn Family. Correspondence, 1851-78. 1 folder. Kate Duncan, Scottsdale, AZ. Ms2020-099

Contract. A. M. Philips and David Roberts, 1834. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ms2020-102

Dawson, Noah. Last Will and Testament of Kanawha County resident, 1915. 1 item. Sue Haas, Vinton, VA. Ms2021-176

Deed. S. C. Montgomery and Emma to M. H. Blake, Fayette County, 1940. 1 item. Robert Glover, Midlothian VA. Ms2021-180

Deed of trust. Elizabeth Edwards, Henry Goy, William Elliott to James Patton, 1754-84. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Ms2021-022


Doerr, Betty Jo (Lilly) Collection. Research materials on Meador, Meadow and Lilly families, n.d. 2 boxes. Donald N. Williams, San Diego CA. Ms2021-206

Doss, Paula Collection. Mining information data on auger mining with drawing; Powellton Coal organization chart; coal production chart; visit Lorado tipple with chart showing coal cleaning process, n.d. 4 items. Paula Doss, Accoville. Ms2021-163
Dotson family collection. Time schedules, grocery list books, I.O.O.F. materials. 3 folders, 1 book. Cynthia Kaye Higginbotham Reynolds, Midway, TX. Ms2008-032acc


Eakle, Roy Pershing Collection. Eakle family materials, Union Carbide materials, and photos, 1920-89. 9 folders. Steven Fox, St. Albans. Ms2021-114


Electoral Vote of West Virginia, 1932. 1 folder. Ronald L. Payne, Charlotte, NC. Ms2021-019

Enlistment papers. Melvy R. Miller, West Virginia National Guard, 1906. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ms2021-027

Estate Appraisement. Charles City County Courthouse found during McClellan’s Peninsula Campaign (oversized), 1679. 1 folder. Pat Hamner, Buckhannon. Ms2020-105

Estep Collection. Material related to Estep Studio and Greenbrier County business, schools, and organizations, 1958-82. 1 box, 1 oversized folder. Ms2019-078

Evans, Mary A. May Collection. Materials relating to May family, Barboursville, Morris Harvey College, and Allegheny Lodge, 1928-91. 1 box. Mary A. May Evans, Hurley, NY. Ms2020-185


First Christian Church of Charleston. 1 box, 1 volume. Sean McCracken, Charleston. Ms2020-057


Garcelon Family Collection. Papers related to Garcelon family of Charleston. 1 box. Carolyn J. Halstead, Charleston. Ms2020-055
Griffith, Luther Joe Collection. Civil War correspondence, original, photocopy, and transcripts; Civil War Medal presented to Fretwell G. Hensley; and book. 1 box. Luther Joe Griffith, Pensacola, FL. Ms2020-059


Hampshire County Documents, 1772-1847. 13 folders. Elizabeth Fenn, Niwot, Colorado. Ms2020-071


Helvey, Frank W. Jr. Collection. Political posters, Supreme Court case files, and other political materials, 1960s-94. 1 box, 4 oversized folders. Estate of Frank W. Helvey Jr., South Charleston. Ms2021-167


Hutsell, Virginia Collection. Correspondence, Martin Luther King Jr. and Montgomery comic book, and Webster County materials, 1944-2013. 5 folders. Virginia Hutsell Estate, Louisville, KY. Ms2020-091

Johnson, Minnie Collection. Documents and photographs of Minnie Johnson’s travels and teaching career, 1911-45. 2 boxes. Heather Eades, Richmond, VA. Ms2021-106

Kee Family Materials. Photocopies of materials related to the Kee Family, 1934-75. 1 box. Shari Heywood. Ms2021-107

Kessell, Samuel D. Collection. Materials related to Kessell family including
correspondence and awards, 1940-2010. 1 box. Mary Sue Kessell Rosen, Briarcliff Manor, NY. Ms2020-082

Landes, Gene Boyd Collection. Union Carbide materials including newsletters, programs, and historical summary, 1929-54. 15 folders. Paul Moffett, Oro Valley, AZ. Ms2021-109

Lawrence, Ronald and Sybil Ryan Collection. World War II materials, 1912-62. 1 box. Stephanie Rutherford, South Charleston. Ms2021-203

Ledger book. Albert Gallatin Jenkins, 1863. 1 volume. Maryann Grannis, Green Valley, AZ. Ms2020-046


Literary Manuscript. “Porch Swings and Summer Scenes,” by Peggy Hefner Harvey, n.d. 1 item. Margaret E. Harvey, Joppa, MD. Ms2021-117


Literary Manuscript, documents. An Historic Sketch, 1800-1900 of Christ Episcopal
Church in Wellsburg, WV, by Rev. Frederick G. Weber; military documents of Captain Oliver Brown (copies and transcripts), 1776-2015. 1 folder. Beverly Brown Losey, Silverdale, WA. Ms2021-025


 McCutcheon Family Collection. Obituaries, biographical information, military record, and photos of McCutcheon. Ms2021-169

McHenry, Pearl. Letter to Delegate Floyd Yoho of Marshall County, 1943. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ms2021-177

McVeigh, Donald Rusk. Correspondence, 1950. 3 items. Unknown donor. Ms2021-053


Minster/Daniels Collection. Materials related to Minster and Daniels family, West Virginia University, and Beckley, 1929-94. 1 box. Unknown donor. Ms2021-104

Moody, Edsel Hoover Collection. Plats (copies) relating to transfer of CCC Camp Stonewall Jackson SCS-12 camp site property, 1992. 3 items. Regina Moody Quesenberry in Memory of Edsel Hoover Moody, Weston. Ms2021-172


Morgan, John G. Collection. Articles, research materials, correspondence and other items of Charleston Gazette reporter, 1939-82. 3 boxes. Sarah Morgan, Charleston. Ms2014-009acc


Newcomb Family Collection. Civil War era materials, articles related to Cabell County. 1 box. William R. Newcomb, Dayton, Ohio. Ms2020-070
Norona, Delf Collection. Items written and signed by Delf Norona, ca. 1963. 3 items. Transfer from West Virginia Independence Hall. Ms2021-178


Nye, George Collection. West Virginia Liquor Sales Permit, postcards to Nye, photo of Dr. George Nye, 1889-1940s. 3 items, 1 photo. Transfer from Museum. Ms2021-181


Poffenbarger family. Correspondence and addresses of Livia Simpson Poffenbarger and Judge George Poffenbarger, manuscripts by Livia Simpson Poffenbarger, genealogy, and article with photos, 1894-1935. 1 box. Cheryl Rowan, St. Albans. Ms2009-084acc

Powell, Drema Collection. Documents related to the Powell and related families and military career of Kenneth Powell, 1876-1955. 1 box, 1 oversized folder. Estate of Dreama Powell, Charleston. Ms2021-044

Rehearsal Instructions. The Shawnee Trail play, 1923. 1 item. Transfer from library. Ms2021-021

Riley postcards. Postcards describing life in West Virginia, 1913-15. 4 items. Bernard Harris, Bradenton, FL. Ms87-31acc

Roberts Family Collection. World War I material related to Fred Roberts military service. 8 folders. Sister Molly Malone, Charleston. Ms2020-079

Robinson, Neil Collection. Correspondence, reports and journal coal mines and lands, 1900-50. 1 box. Unknown donor. Ms2021-209

Silcott correspondence, 1903. 3 items. Unknown donor. Ms2020-090

Sinnett, Abel Probst Collection. Field notebooks, 1840, 1847, 1884. 3 Items. Jacob Bartlett, Limerick, NE. Ms2002-050acc


Smith, David Collection. Papers relating to New River Gorge, Fire Creek, Thurmond, etc. 1852-1995. 3 boxes, 1 oversized folder. David Smith, Huntington. Ms2020-053 and acc

Smith, Hobart L. Collection. World War I correspondence, photos, postcards, related to Smith’s service. 1 box. David J. Tamplin, Boomer. Ms2020-080


Steele, B. W. Collection. Materials relating to B. W. Steele’s mining career, articles about coal mining, and genealogical material on the Browning family, 1935-70. 1 box, 1 oversized folder. Unknown donor. Ms2021-164

Stevens Grass Funeral Home Collection. Ambulance records (copy), 1967-68. 1 folder. Woodrow Clay Hamilton, Hightown, VA. Ms2021-024


Thomas Hospital. Ledger book of admissions, 1898-1900. 1 item. Stan Bumgardner, Charleston. Ms2021-105


United Spanish War Veterans. Minutes from second annual encampment and map, 1925. 1 folder. George E. McLaughlin, Wheeling. Ms2021-168

Watson, Panza Collection. Ledger books, various coal and coke companies including Briar Hill, Ninopa and Monongah #3, 1892-1902. 8 volumes. Alex V. Pietrowski, Morgantown. Ms2020-047

Werner, Ira Collection. Documents relating to Ira Werner’s life and military service during Spanish American War, 1899-1985. 9 folders. Tampa Bay History Center, Tampa, FL. Ms2021-028

West Virginia Historical Society. Correspondence from Tim Armstead to Fredrick Armstrong, 1991. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Ms2021-113


West Virginia Nurses Association. Membership directories, District 8 Board of Directors minutes, financial statements, constitution and by-laws, and yearbooks, 1950-98. 1 box. Janice Smith, Dunbar. Ms79-220acc

Williams, Lee R. and Mable Collection. Land grant, deeds, tax receipts for Williams Dodrill families of Webster County, 1867-1912. 1 folder. Sandy and Forrest Garey, Heath, OH. Ms2021-023


Photographs


Army Corps of Engineers Collection. Loose scrapbook pages of Hawks Nest-Gauley Bridge hydropower dam construction, 1930s. 33 B&W photographs, 3 newspaper clippings. Army Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh, PA. Ph2020-147


Brayshaw, Reverend William Collection. Photo album containing images of West
Virginia scenes, undated. 1 album. Professor David L. Holmes, Williamsburg, VA. Ph2021-162

Britton, J. Rector Collection. Photographs and negatives related to Britton family, DAP, and Ritchie County Historical Society, 1980s. 3 boxes. Ph2020-191

Brookfield Family Collection. Photo album containing photos of the Brookfield family and Smithfield, WV, ca. 1880s-1910s. 1 album. William H. Jones, Winchester, VA. Ph2020-166

Brown, Lynne Collection. Photos of the Charleston area, ca. 1919. 16 items. Lynne Brown, Alvaton, KY. Ph2020-167

Butcher, Ruth and Dorthy Smith Collection. Panoramics of unidentified towns, Haines Photo Company, ca. 1910s. 2 items. Ruth and Dorthy Smith, Logan. Ph2021-038

Caldwell Family Collection. Photographs of Caldwell and related families, late 1800s-1980s. 1 box. Victoria Caldwell, Oak Hill. Ph2021-029

Canfield, Joseph Collection. Panoramic of 150th Infantry, Company C, West Virginia National Guard, Camp Point Pleasant, August 7-21, 1927. 1 item. Joseph Canfield, Henderson, NC. Ph2021-041

Caperton, Gaston Collection. Photographs, negatives, slides, and contact prints from Caperton’s two terms as governor, 1987-97. 11 boxes. Transfer from Governor’s Office. Ph2021-201


Carpenter, Leslie “Les” Collection. Photos of various families and locations related to Clarksburg area and Harrison County, ca. 1850s-2013. 7 boxes. Betty Carpenter, Clarksburg. Ph2020-081 and acc

Chadwick, Admiral French Collection. Daniel Clark Chadwick, unidentified, 1840s-70. 3 items. Unknown donor. Ph85-104acc

Clark, David Collection. Black and white photograph of State Capitol steps, ca. 1940s. 1 item. David Clark, Syracuse, NY. Ph2021-155

Clendenin Junior High School cheerleaders and band, 1990-92. 4 items. Unknown donor. Ph2020-161

Cook, Betty Collection. Photo album containing photos of Cook and Camden families, 1910s-40s. 1 album. Ray Lewis, Charleston. Ph2021-049

Cooper, Robert Collection. Portrait of unidentified soldier, n.d. 1 item. Robert Cooper, Rochester, NY. Ph2020-168

Accessions
Culture Center, 1977. 1 slide. Unknown donor. Ph2020-152

Chester-East Liverpool Bridge, Chester, n.d. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ph2020-148


DeRaimo, Okey Collection. Magazine pages. 1 folder. Okey DeRaimo, Charleston. Ph2018-028acc


Dotson Family Collection. Images of Courtney Lumber Company and crew and two unidentified tintypes, ca. 1900-10. 9 items. Cynthia Kaye Higginbotham Reynolds, Midway, TX. Ph2008-032acc

Eddy, Paul E. Collection. Scenes along Ohio River, Wheeling police, Captain Paul Eddy with Arch Moore, 1880s-1960s. 6 items. Paul E. Eddy, Wheeling. Ph84-019acc


Evans, Mary A. May Collection. Photographs of Barboursville, Allegheny Lodge, Marlinton, Cabell and Pocahontas counties, 1920s-80s. 1 box and oversized. Mary A. May Evans, Hurley, NY. Ph2020-185

Fitzhugh, Norman Collection. Carte de visite of Harry and John Cotton, WV View Master disks, unidentified inaugural ceremony in Washington, DC, 1870s-1950s. 1 photograph, 1 carte-de-visite, 6 view master disks. Mrs. Norman Fitzhugh, Charleston. Ph2020-177


Fluharty, Linda Collection. Photograph of John M. Phelps, first president of West Virginia Senate, with documentation and biographical information, ca. 1860s-70s. 1 folder, 1 photograph. Linda Fluharty, Baton Rouge, LA. Ph2020-158

Football team, unidentified, n.d. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ph2020-173

Frisk, Fred M. Collection. Photographs and negatives of New River Company Colored

Accessions
Camp, Clifftop, 1947-48. 90 negatives w/contact sheets, 8 prints. Unknown donor. Ph2021-157


Glassplate collection. Unidentified family photos with contact sheets, ca. late 1800s-early 1900s. 2 boxes. Unknown donor. Ph2020-180


Grabow, James D. Collection. Photographs of various West Virginia locations, 1980s-90s. 190 items. James D. Grabow, Sr., Morristown, NJ. Ph2020-181

Gravely-Moore Collection. Glassplate negatives from Gravely-Moore Studios with contact prints, ca. 1920s. 14 items. Louise Gravely Eden, Pomeroy, OH. Ph86-202acc

Hatfield, C. Donald Collection. Photographs relating to Donald Hatfield and family, Vinson High, Huntington newspapers, 1920s-60s. 3 boxes. Donald Hatfield, Huntington. Ph2020-049

Heal, Ruth K. Collection. Photographs of various West Virginia scenes including Mine Wars, ca. 1921-50s. 26 items. Ruth K. Heal, Garrisonville, VA. Ph2020-032acc

Hill, Martha Collection. Huntington CSX Train Station, ca. 1970s. 1 item. Martha Hill, Seth, WV, via Richard Andre. Ph2021-146

Holstein, Charlie Collection. Photos of Charlie Holstein and Coalburgh, ca. 1920s. 1 folder, 6 items. Fred and Sandra Barkey. Ph2021-034

Hutton, Carroll Estate Collections. White Eagle Keynoil and gas station, Charleston, trains and mining scenes, ca. 1920s-60s. 7 items. Kenneth D. Crook, Cedar Grove. Ph2021-147


Johnson, Michael F. Collection. Panoramic of 201st Infantry, Company A, West Virginia National Guard, Camp Dawson, 1938. 1 item. Dr. Michael F. Johnson, Arlington, VA. Ph2021-036

Johnson, Virginia Collection. Treasurer W. S. Johnson delivering the $15 million state road 5% bonds, 1921. 2 items. Virginia B. Johnson, Charleston. Ph2008-030acc

Juillerat, Mary and Ernest Collection. Photographs, postcards, and documents of Widen and Bower and relating to Juillerat family, 1926-2006. 1 box. Woman’s Board of the Presbyterian Home, Evanston, IL. Ph2020-188

Accessions

Lawerence, Ronald and Sybil Ryan Collection. World War II photos and negatives, military photos, 1940s-60s. 259 items. Stephanie Rutherford, South Charleston. Ph2021-203

Legge, Larry Collection, B&W photo postcards of telephone construction in Boone, Cabell, and Wayne counties, ca. 1920s. 1 folder, 9 items. Larry Legge, Barboursville. Ph2020-160


Legislature. West Virginia State Senate composite, 1889-90. 1 item. David W. Kehoe, Salem, VA. Ph2020-146

Leiser, Gary Collection. Photograph of the USS West Virginia, ca. 1940s. 1 item. Gary Leiser. Ph2020-165


Lewis, Warner Collection. Photo album and various photos related to the Givins, Brown, Laidley and Snyder families of Charleston, ca. 1870-1940. 1 album. Warner Lewis, Lawrence, KS. Ph2020-150

Lindley, Edna J. and Richard Gerald Repaire Collection. Panoramics, unidentified group of men and boys, Island Creek Coal Company, Monaville, ca. 1920s. 2 items. Anne Repaire, Oak Hill. Ph2021-037

Mackey, Robert Collection. Photographs of the Tygart Valley Dam construction in Grafton, ca. 1934-38. 5 items. Marilyn McCord, Wellsburg. Ph2020-164

McDougle, Lillian Garret Collection. Photo album of Lillian Garnet McDougle, ca. 1907. 1 album. Unknown donor. Ph2020-171

McKnight, Sally Collection. Photographs of Weston State Hospital, Wesleyan College, students and unidentified people, ca. 1920s. 1 box. Sally McKnight, Waterford, NY. Ph2020-186

Meeks, Freda Collection. African American church at Ethel, ca. 1970s-80s. 1 item. Freda Meeks, Ethel. Ph2021-159

Migas, Lisa Collection. Senator J. W. Santee, Wetzel County, standing in front of log home, 1908. 1 item. Lisa Migas, Port Clinton, OH. Ph2021-156
Monroe County Artificial Collection. Photographs from various Monroe County families, ca. 1900-20s. 22 items. Unknown donor. Ph2020-151

Moore, Arch A. Jr. Collection. Photos of Arch and Shelley at various events, and famous people, 1911-80s. 270 items. Ph2020-182

Morrison, Clyde W. Collection. Documents, photographs, postcards, and negatives relating to Clyde W. Morrison and 201st Infantry, World War II, ca. 1940s. 1 box. Sherry Ward. Ph2020-183

New River Gorge Bridge and Lookout; German Valley area; James Swan sketches of Old Main at West Virginia Institute of Technology, West Virginia State College, Lock and Dam, Marmet; miscellaneous postcards, ca. 1970s. 67 items. Transfer from Historic Preservation. Ph2021-149


Panoramic. The Koppers Creek Company Inter-Plant First Aid Contest, Montgomery, 1930. 1 item. Anne Repaire, Oak Hill. Ph2021-037acc

Panoramic. Standard Fire Creek Coal Company at Beelick Knob by R. E. Ribble, ca. 1940s. 1 item. Steve Fitzwater, Beckley. Ph2021-145

Parsons, Aaron Collection. State Capitol, Harvey Chapel (Fayetteville), mining town (possibly Bear Hollow), Rock Lake Pool (South Charleston), Jennings Randolph and others with airplane, Hawks Nest, Storer College, Pinnacle Rock, 1939-57. 9 items. Aaron Parsons, South Charleston. Ph2021-154


Phillips, George Collection. Photographs of friends and family of George Philips, late 1800s-1950s. Georgia DeBlois, Exeter NH. Ph2010-084acc

Photo Album. Construction of Center Avenue Bridge and Court Avenue Bridge, Weston, 1977-78. 26 photographs, 1 album. Unknown donor. Ph2020-145

Photograph. Unidentified group of men in and around Essex automobile, ca. 1910-20s. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ph2021-033

Pope, Wilson Collection. Photos of Wickline-Pope House, Renick, ca. 1900-20s. 3 items. Wilson Pope, Lewisburg. Ph2021-158

Portrait. Captain Shriver Moore, 14th WV Infantry, ca. 1860s. 1 photograph (copy). James H. Moore, Clarksburg. Ph2021-184
archives and history

portrait. general john mccausland, ca. 1880s-1900s. 1 print. john mccausland, pliny. ph2021-183

portrait. oversized russell fluharty and jerry taylor, gerald ratliff photographer, late 1960s. 1 print. unknown donor. ph2021-048

portraits, unidentified man and woman, ca. late 1800s-1900s. 1 folder. unknown donor. ph2021-032

powell, drema collection. photos of powell and related families and military career of kenneth powell, late 1800s-1980s. 2 boxes. estate of dreama powell, charleston. ph2021-044

ransom, harley r. collection. print of harley r. ransom, world war i uniform, 1917-18. 1 item. james m. mesnar, pittsburgh, pa. ph2021-150

reliance manufacturing company collection. panoramic of group at reliance manufacturing company, blue ridge, huntington, wv, may 9, 1951. 1 item. unknown donor. ph2021-040

rhodes, daniel collection. evans elementary school, jackson county, 1954. 1 composite photograph. mike mcgrew, ripley. ph2021-152

roollyson, eileen collection. cartes-de-visite, cabinet cards, and tintypes, late 1800s. 1 box. eileen roollyson, falls church, va. ph2020-189

samples, master sergeant w. j. collection. panoramic of 49th signal corps, 4th armored division, pine camp, ny, july 21, 1941. 1 item. rodney and sherry hanes, clendenin. ph2021-043

shannondale woman’s club collection. images of the shannondale woman’s club and shannondale garden club, 1950s-2000s. 5 boxes. shannondale and beyond, harpers ferry. ph2018-081

shaver, jerry collection. photos of eileen mae shamblin shaver and family in west virginia museum, 2020. 4 items. jerry shaver, palm harbor, fl. ph2020-178

shisler, george collection. postcards of sistersville area and sistersville high school sports teams, ca. 1910s. 13 items. virginia keagle, atlanta, ga. ph2020-162

shivertaker, lawrence w. collection. panoramic of 150th infantry, west virginia national guard, camp conley, july 16, 1939. 1 item. lawrence w. shivertaker, orange park, fl. ph2021-039

slides. “election day dawn to dusk” and “making votes count punch card version,” training presentations by robert f. gates, 1986 and undated. 259 slides and 2 audiotapes. estate of robert f. gates, charleston. ph2020-155

slides. new river gorge bridge, 1977. 66 items. division of highways. ph2020-153
Slides, script. “It’s West Virginia,” developed by Dr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Prichard of Mannington, ca. 1968. 112 color slides, 1 script. Susan C Viewig, Charleston. Ph2020-154


Smith, Hulett Carlson. Negatives and prints taken during his administration, 1965-69. 3 boxes. Transfer from Commerce. Ph2020-043

Smith, Otis Collection. Photographs in China during and after Boxer Wars, ca. 1899-1908. 1 box. Paul and Sue Elder, Mount Vernon, OH. Ph2020-187

Soldier in uniform, unidentified, 1918. 1 B&W photograph. Unknown donor. Ph2020-175


Underwood, Governor Cecil. Photographs and negatives from Governor Underwood’s second administration, 1998-2000. 1 box. Transfer from Underwood’s photographer Steve Brightwell. Ph2021-186

Underwood, Governor Cecil H. Negatives taken during his first administration, also some miscellaneous governor negatives, 1957-61. 3 boxes. Transfer from Commerce. Ph2020-041

USS *West Virginia* (SSBN-736), ca. 1989. 1 item. Unknown donor. Ph2021-185


Veazey, Oscar A. Collection. Glassplates negatives relating to Veazey family, ca. 1880s-1920s. 17 items. Patty Nugent, Pratt. Ph2003-047acc


Werner, Ira Collection. Photographs and documents relating to Ira Werner’s life and military service during Spanish American War, 1890s-1980s. 1 box. Tampa Bay History Center, Tampa, FL. Ph2021-028

West Virginia GOECD Collection. Slides, negatives, and photographs related to business and industry in West Virginia, 1980s. 2 boxes. Governor’s Office on Economic and Community Development. Ph2020-190

Williams County Public Library Collection. 1 print and 1 postcard of the Tug Valley Chamber of Commerce (Coal House), ca. 1940s-50s. 2 items. Denver Henderson III, Bryan, OH. Ph2021-153

Westfall Family Collection. Photos of John H. and Barbara E. Westfall and their sons, ca. 1880s-1920s. 8 items. Gary L. Westfall, Curtice, OH. Ph2020-144

Wheeling High School Classes, 1952 and 1953 composite. 2 photographs. Unknown donor. Ph2021-149

Wiggins, Brenda Collection. Photographs of unidentified women and two groups of children, 1900s-20s. 6 items. Brenda Wiggins, Snellville, GA. Ph2020-157

Williams, Craig Collection. Photo of unidentified Coal Company, n.d. 1 item. Craig Wilson via DeWitt Historical Society of Tompkins County, NY. Ph2020-175


Wintz Collection. Glassplate negatives of Main Street, Poca and Supers House in Raymond City, n.d. 6 items. Wintz family, St. Albans. Ph2013-028acc


Wristen, Emory Collection. Photos of large white oak in Fayette County being felled, 1952. 2 items. Unknown donor. Ph2020-174

Yetter, Beverly and Ellen Gagliardi Collection. Panoramic of Naval Operating Base Regimental Band, Hampton Roads, VA., August 30, 1918. 1 photograph, 5 folders. Beverly Yetter and Ellen Gagliardi, Mainville, OH. Ph2020-159

Young, Joseph B. Collection. Parkersburg Street Car Workers, ca. 1920-30s. 1 photo. Joseph B. Young, Alameda, CA. Ph2020-163
Special Collections
Advertisement. Shannondale Springs, 1903. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-137


Application. United Daughters of the Confederacy, Florence Huffman, n.d. 3 items. Unknown donor. Sc2021-123

Articles of Incorporation. C&O Historical Society, n.d. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-113


Booklet. Cabin Creek Quilts, n.d. 1 item. Emily Neff. Sc2021-077


Booklet. Democratic Record Progress for People in West Virginia, circa 1968. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-122


Booklet. 150 years of Progress, Cabell County Sesquicentennial, 1959. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2021-010


Booklet. Role of Members, First Presbyterian Church of Charleston, 1905. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-092

Booklet. The Roy Williams Story, n.d. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2021-007

Booklet. Skyline Drive, Shenandoah National Park Travelogue, 1938. 1 item. Toni Graham, Oak Hill. Sc2021-194
Booklet. Some Important Facts Concerning the Industrial Plant and Sight Offered at Hinton, 1959. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-073

Booklet. West Virginia Studies, Grade 8 Volume 1, Kanawha County Schools, by Dr. Otis Rice, ca. 1970s. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-070

Booklet, program. Webster County Boys and Girls Agricultural Club with photos, July 21-26, 1919; program. 2nd annual West Virginia Rhododendron Festival, June 29-July 1, 1939. 2 items. Jackie Krafft, Richwood. Sc2021-064

Booklet, program. Welcome aboard the USS West Virginia, SSBN 736; Change of Command, USS West Virginia, SSBN 736, May 4, 1991. 2 items. Unknown donor. Sc2021-088

Booklets. St. Albans...A Place to Live and St. Albans, West Virginia, ca. 1995. 2 items. Unknown donor. Sc2021-100


Bowry, Mary Ann Collection. Parkersburg Materials, Glenville State University Materials, and Air Force Yearbook. 1 box. Unknown Donor. Sc2020-069

Broadside. GAR Encampment, Charleston, 1910. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-062

Broadside. Jazz Brunch, Louise Pearson and Indulgence!, n.d. 1 item. Rebecca Kimmons, Department of Commerce. Sc2021-129


Brochure. Sales, South Charleston Industrial Park, ca. 2015. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-065


Bumper Stickers. Stop the Pulp Mill! and I Love Mountains, n.d. 2 items. Unknown donor. Sc2021-132


Campaign card. Raymond J. Funkhouser Republican for Governor of West Virginia, ca. 1944. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-078

Campaign mailers. Primary and General Election, 2008. 2 folders. Dick Fauss and Debra Basham, Elkview. Sc2021-196

Card. Facts about West Virginia, compiled by Stuart F. Reed, ca. 1910. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-080


Catalog. Montgomery Ward and Company No. 76, ca. 1908. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2021-120


Certificate. American Flag House and Betsy Ross Memorial Association, No. I73935, 1902. 1 item (oversized). History Center of Olmsted County, Rochester, MN. Sc2021-143

Certificate. Appointment of Fred L. Fox a member of the Judicial Council issued by Governor Homer Holt, 1940. 1 item. Helen Bragg Singleton, Patti Salisbury, George W. Singleton II, Charleston. Sc2020-056

Certificate. Appointment of Herbert D. May Captain, 1918. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2020-087


Certificate. Attendance for Douglass School, Huntington, 1937. 1 folder. Linda Dressler, Chesterfield, VA. Sc2020-143

Certificate. Attendance of Marguerite Silling, Union Public School, 1913. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-135


Certificate. Reading Circle, Daniel Rhodes, Jackson County Schools, 1947. 1 item. Mike McGrew, Ripley. Sc2021-128


Constitution and By-Laws. Master Plumbers Association of West Virginia, June 5, 1902. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-087

Correspondence. Postcards to Clarksburg and Anawalt in Italian, 1933-54. 1 folder. Jean Thomas. Sc2020-141

Correspondence. West Virginia Hillbilly solicitation letter and thank you, 1974. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-115


Diploma. Ida Henderson, Marshes, Raleigh County, March 24, 1910. 1 item. Brandi Kaufmann, Rifle, CO. Sc2021-103

Diploma. R. Clair Frame, Gassaway High School, 1935. 1 item. Kris A. Lehman, Westerville, OH. Sc2021-137


Drawing. Charcoal, Benjamin Jones Brice. 1 item. Stephen Pratt, Baltimore, MD. Sc2020-061


Election Ticket. October 1866 West Virginia Elections, 1866. 1 item. Transfer from Calhoun County Chancery Files. Sc2021-012

Ephemera. Menu, Thanksgiving Day 1918, U.S. Naval Training Station, Hampton Roads, 1918. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-199

General Federation of Women’s Clubs. State, Point Pleasant, St. Marys chapters scrapbooks, state/local directories, programs, awards, reports, board meeting and conventions notes, yearbooks, photographs, 1922-2021. 4 boxes, 22 volumes. Sc2014-019acc

General Glass Company, Manuals, maps, newsletters, advertisements, scrapbooks, invitations, correspondence, clippings, photos. 1 box, 4 scrapbooks. Eric Wood. Sc2020-051

Gillispie, Joe Collection. Preston County, automobile documents, 1920-42. 1 folder. Joe Gillespie, Morgantown. Sc2021-141

Gorrell, Harland P. National Association of Letter Carriers materials. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-074

Accessions
Gray, Karen Collection. Scrapbooks World War II era and calendar, 1941-98. 3 items. Karen Gray, Belle. Sc2020-083


Helmick Foundry Machine Company of Fairmont materials, 1900s. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-118

Holsberry Collection. Knights of Pythias and Knights of Khorassan materials, 1939-70. 1 folder. John Holsberry, Royal Palm Beach, FL. Sc2020-110


Invitation, program. Commissioning of USS West Virginia (SSBN 736), 1990. 2 items. Denise Hill, Uniontown, OH. Sc2021-122


Johnston-Shamblin Collection. Sticker, tickets, canceled check, life insurance policies, and photos related to Johnston and Shamblin families, 1930-43. 6 items, 2 photos. Pam Clarke, Charleston. Sc2021-068


Letterhead, correspondence. Camp Creek Coal and Lumber Company, 1917. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-139

McCandless, E. R. Collection. Scrapbook of Valley Bell Dairy advertising, 1927-62. 1 volume. Susan Scofield, Hudson, WI. Sc2021-144


Accessions
Oliver, John and Rose Collection. Diplomas and papers by John Oliver, 1946-53. 4 items. Denise Hellinga, Redondo Beach, CA. Sc2021-015

Pamphlet. Boggs Hospital and Sanitarium, ca. 1906. 1 folder. Debbie Messer, Charleston. Sc2021-009

Pamphlet. The Comet, T. Trainor Davis, 1935. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-085


Pamphlet. The tragedy of the Deseret Isle, 1909. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-111


Philately. Cachet, Upshur County Sesquicentennial, 2001. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-014

Philately. First day issue, 100th anniversary of statehood cancelled air mail envelope, 1963. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-125


Presbyterian Church of West Virginia materials, 1938. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-126


Program. All-County Jr. and Senior High Band Festival Concert, Charleston Municipal Auditorium, 1992. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-098


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Program. Charleston Symphony Orchestra, 1949-50. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-190


Program. Fifth Avenue Baptist Church of Huntington Diamond Jubilee, 1947. 1 folder. Carol Vandevender. Sc2020-120

Program. 46th Annual Nicholas County Fair, 1970. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2021-006


Program. Townhouse Gallery, Sistersville, 1990. 3 items. Unknown donor. Sc2021-140


Program. West Virginia Teachers Conference, 1931. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-097


Program, bulletins. St. John’s Episcopal Church, Charleston materials, 1928-44. 4 items. Unknown donor. Sc2021-067
Program, DVD. Sister Mary Agnes’ Last Song, Mt. de Chantel Conservatory at Wheeling Jesuit University, 2017. 2 items. Sr. Joanne Gonter, Washington, DC. Sc2021-191

Program, menu. Christmas aboard the USS West Virginia, 1938 reprint, 2016. 1 item, Unknown donor. Sc2021-198

Program, pen. Good Hope, Harrison County, Masonic Lodge Jackson Lodge No. 35 125th Anniversary, 1992. 1 folder. Bob Beanblossom. Sc2021-005


Publication. The Plumbline Volume 4 Number 13, Masons AF&AM, Huntington, December 1, 1931. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-093


Publication. White Sulphur Springs and The Greenbrier, ca. 1940s. 1 item. Unknown donor. Sc2021-102


Reid, George Collection. Sheet music, “The Song of the Guardsmen” by Rudolph Ullmark and Wilmer Blackburn. 1 item. George Reid, Sarasota, FL. Sc2020-068


Report Cards. Albert Minear, St. George Academy, Tucker County, 1888-90. 5 items. Kelly Nolin, Norwich University, Northfield, VT. Sc2021-095


Sargeant, James P. Collection. Caricature of Sgt. Charles Summerfield Army Air Corp at Foster Field, 1942. 1 folder. James P. Sargeant, Melbourne, FL. Sc2020-123


School Notes. Student notebook, Nellie L. Gore Riverside School, Charles Town, ca. 1907. 1 item. City of Fairfax Regional Library, Fairfax, VA. Sc2021-136

Scrapbook. Soapbox Derby, Charleston, 1937. 1 item. Toni Hopkins via West Virginia Historical Society. Sc2021-134


Sergent, Fred Collection. Payroll envelopes and report card, 1928-40. 4 folders. Transfer from Ohio History Connection. Sc2020-078

Shamblin/Johnston Collection. Charleston High School, Union Carbide Corporation, Morris Harvey College materials. 1 box, 1 folder. Susan Hodges, Valley Village, CA. Sc2020-066

Sheet Music. I’m Going Back, Going Back: West Virginia Blues with lyrics by Lillie Lanier, 1928. 1 item. Donna Gnagy, South Amherst, OH. Sc2021-066

Sheet Music, newspaper clippings, correspondence, bumper sticker. 6 folders. Transfer from Goldenseal. Sc2020-076

Song Books. Rotary Club, 4H, Boy Scouts, 1940-56. 1 folder. Unknown donor. Sc2020-133


Stock certificate. The Superior Drug Company, Charleston, 1925. 1 folder. J. Christopher Harper, Savannah, GA. Sc2020-114


Tickets. Dunbar Toll Bridge, April 10, 1983. 1 item. Transfer from Historic Preservation. Sc2021-081

Tickets, Suttons’ Opera House and Cottrill Opera House, ca. 1903-70. 3 items. Transfer from Historic Preservation. Sc2021-082

Trail, Donald Collection. World War II Signal aid card, ca. 1942. 1 item. Stephen Trail. Sc2021-192


West Virginia Film Office. Materials related to film and radio production in West Virginia, 1975-2015. 8 folders. Transfer from West Virginia Film Office. Sc2020-073

Woodrum Family Collection. Stonewall Jackson High, Woodrow Wilson Junior High, Boys State Materials. 1 box. Woodrum Family. Sc2020-067


Yearbook. Fairmont State College, 1964. 1 Item. Ewana Witten, Grandview Heights, OH. Sc2005-003acc


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Yearbooks. Big Sandy District High 1921. 4 volumes. Kathryn McCrary, Charleston. Sc2005-003acc

Yearbooks. Bluefield College, 1938; Bluefield State College 1968; Beaver High 1936, 1941, 1942; Programs Annual Commencement Beaver High May 29, 1936, January 18, 1940, May 25, 1941. 8 items. Margaret Imhoff Smith and Carl Joseph Smith Jr., Rocky Gap VA. Sc2005-003acc


Yearbooks. Carroll High, 1925; Ceredo-Kenova High, 1923, 1924; Guyan High 1938; Smithfield High, 1922-1938. 8 volumes. Nancy Hanger, Huntington. Sc2005-003ac


Yearbooks. Fairmont State College, Magnolia High, Marshall University. 7 volumes. New Martinsville Public Library. Sc2005-003acc


Yearbooks. Greenbrier College, Parsons High. 3 volumes. Anne Repaire, Oak Hill. Sc2005-003acc


Accessions


Yearbooks. St. Mary’s Hospital School of Nursing, 1956 and ephemera. 3 volumes. Lora Ward, St. Albans Library, St. Albans. Sc2005-003acc


