

The Library of Virginia
Quarterly Report of Archival Accessions

April 1, 2009 – June 30, 2009

BIBLE RECORDS

Allen Family. 8 leaves.

Amherst County and Richmond, Virginia; Washington, D.C.; and Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Texas, and West Virginia, 1839–1978. Bible of William Kinckle Allen (1874–1960) and Sallie Spotswood Huntt Allen (1890–1969). Includes Bible records (6 leaves) and genealogical notes on Sallie Allen's ancestry (2 leaves). Other surnames mentioned: Holmes, Huntt, Manson, Ralph, Spottswood, Steen, Watts, and Williams. Gift of Marsha Jacklitsch, Angleton, Texas. (44193)

Hopkins Family. 8 pages.

Franklin County, Virginia, 1803–1909. Bible of William Hopkins (1803–1884). Bible printed in 1830. Other surnames mentioned: Howser and Wilson. Gift of Brenda J. Carter, Arlington. (44376)

Marks Family. 5 leaves.

Petersburg, Virginia, 1806–1948. Bible of Samuel H. Marks (b. 1808) and Sarah (“Sally”) G. Marks (1809–1857). Includes Bible records (4 leaves) and handwritten transcript of the Blandford Cemetery tombstone of Sally G. Marks (1 leaf). Other surnames mentioned: Adkins, Butts, Hogan, Holt, Rives, and Rowe. Gift of Sallie-Rives McCrea, Midlothian. (44382)

McAllister Family. 4 pages.

Surry County, Virginia, 1810–1882. Bible of John J. McAllister (1812–1882) and Susannah Davis McAllister (1810–188[?]). Other surnames mentioned: Davis and Tyree. Gift of Helen Semones, Bridgewater. (44197)

Pearman-Major Family. 2 leaves.

York County or Williamsburg, Virginia [conjecture], 1714–1812. Records transcribed in 1818 from two separate Bibles by the Commissioners Office of Williamsburg, Virginia, as part of York Chancery Cause 1835-001, *Administrator of John Pearman, etc., v. Administrator of Thomas Lawson, etc.* Records chiefly trace the family of Mary Major Pearman (1779–1812). Other surnames mentioned: Booker, Thornton, and Timson. Transferred from Local Records Services, The Library of Virginia, Richmond. (44156)

BUSINESS RECORDS

Carneal & Johnston (Richmond, Va.). 4 sheets.

Specifications, 6 December 1920, by architectural firm Carneal & Johnston of Richmond, Virginia, for electrical fixture equipment for the Howitzers Armory. This accession includes written instructions only (no drawings) for the types of electrical outlet fixtures proposed for each room and floor of the Howitzers Armory building. Donor information unavailable. (44312)

Hillsboro Cemetery (Loudoun Co., Va.). 1 reel of film. (*Misc. reel 5825*)

Records, 1896–2004, of the Hillsboro Cemetery Company of Loudoun County, Virginia. Includes bylaws, copy of the charter, minutes, and treasurer accounts. Also includes lists of lot holders and dates of interments. Loaned for copying by the Hillsboro Cemetery Company, Loudoun. (43936)

Williams, Edward. 1 volume.

Account book, 1876–1877, of Dr. Edward Williams (1833–1906) of Pittsylvania County, Virginia. Includes name of patient, date of service, type of medical services provided, costs, and notations on payments made. The volume is divided into two sections for 1876 and 1877, and there is a full name index at the beginning of each. Purchased. (44222)

COUNTY RECORDS

Accomack County. 90 cubic feet and 1 volume.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Court records.

Chancery causes, 1759–1913, 47.25 cubic feet.

Miscellaneous court papers, 1759–1913, 42.75 cubic feet.

Health and medical records.

Physician's ledger—evidence in chancery case, 1850–1855,
1 volume. (44262)

Alleghany County. 1 item.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Court records.

Commonwealth cause (*Commonwealth vs. Susan Griffin*),
July 1858. (44195)

Fairfax County. 2 items.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Court records.

Petitions, 1750. (44231)

Greene County. 1 item.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Business records/Corporations/Partnerships.

Ledger, 1869. (44230)

Isle of Wight. .50 cubic feet.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Tax and fiscal records.

Reassessment Board of Equalization hearing minutes and files,
2004. (44176)

Lee County. 53.1 cubic feet.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Court records.

Chancery causes (unprocessed), 1830–1974, 46.35 cubic feet.

Common law causes, etc. (unprocessed), 1830–1974, 6.75 cubic
feet. (44298)

Montgomery County. 1 item.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Fiduciary records.

Estate of Christina Pate, 1816. (44263)

Roanoke County. 2 cubic feet.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Court records.

Annexation files, 1912–1915, .45 cubic feet.

Land records.

Map of Roanoke Valley, undated, .50 cubic feet.

Maps of lands acquired for Blue Ridge Parkway, 1937, .55 cubic
feet.

Public buildings and grounds.

Plans for jail etc., 1906–1909, .50 cubic feet. (44384)

Wise County. 85.05 cubic feet.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Court records.

Chancery causes (processed), 1856–1912. (44297)

GENEALOGICAL NOTES AND CHARTS

Fristoe Family. .45 cubic feet.

Notes. *The Fristoe Family of Wales, Virginia, Missouri, Kentucky, and Beyond.*
Includes information on the descendants of Robert Fristoe (b. ca. 1615) of Wales and

later Rappahannock County, Virginia, including lines that settled in Alleghany, Culpeper, Frederick, Madison, Page, Shenandoah, Stafford, and Warren Counties, and Arlington, Virginia; Washington, D. C.; Arkansas, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, New Jersey, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Washington, West Virginia. Other spellings of the Fristoe surname include: Fister, Fristo, and Fristow. Includes index. Compiled by the donor in 2007. Gift of Martha D. Bush-Blocker, Petersburg. (44283)

Westlake Family. 1 volume (201 pages).

Notes. *The Westlake Family Vol. IV – Darius F. and Mary E. (Chambers) Westlake.* Includes information on ancestors and descendants of Darius F. Westlake (1846–1929) and Mary E. Chambers Westlake (1849–1921) of Missouri, including information on lines that settled in Culpeper County, Virginia; California, Florida, Hawaii, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Tennessee; and Scotland. Other surname mentioned: Chambers. Includes copies of census records, correspondence, maps, military records, obituaries, and photographs. Compiled by the donor in 2009. Gift of Patricia Base Schlabach Davis, Dade City, Florida. (44371)

MAPS AND CHARTS

VIRGINIA

Virginia and Maryland. John Speed. Copperplate engraving. Scale in miles. Purchased. 5649. In process.

State Commission on Conservation and Development, Control Map of Proposed System of Military Parks in Virginia. Carl C. Butler, wash-off print on tracing cloth. Scale of miles. Source unknown. 5637. In process.

Commonwealth of Virginia Department of Highways Traffic Census Map of Virginia Showing Traffic Density on Principal Routes of State Highway System. Virginia Department of Highways Office of the Bridge Engineer. Blueprint. Scale of miles. Source unknown. 5642. In process.

Map of Virginia and Maryland. John Speed. Copperplate engraving. Scale of miles. Gift. 5643. In process.

CENTRAL PIEDMONT

Gulf Richmond Tour Guide. Rand McNally and Co. Lithograph. Scale: one inch equals .62 miles. Gift. 5630. In process.

Esso Map Richmond and the Historic Richmond-Petersburg Area. General Drafting Company. Lithograph. Scale: one inch equals .56 miles. Gift. 5632. In process.

A General Map of the Town of Duiguidsville, Copy. John Pattison. Pen and ink on paper. Scale not indicated. Gift. 5645. In process.

Map of Drewry's Bluff Situated in Chesterfield County 1877 for W. T. King, Esq., July 12, 1877 by J. E. La Prade, C.C. Surveyor. J. E. La Prade. Lithograph. Scale: 20 poles to the inch. Purchased. 5646. In process.

[*Map of Richmond*]. Andrew Talcott. Computer printout. Scale: 100 feet to an inch. Gift. 5647. In process.

Birds Eye View of the Seat of War Around Richmond Showing the Battle on Chickahominy River. John Bachmann. Computer printout. Scale not indicated. Gift. 5648. In process.

EASTERN SHORE

Land Patents Northampton County Virginia. Pencil and pen on tracing cloth. Scale not indicated. Source unknown. 5635. In process.

Land Patents Accomac County Virginia. Pencil and pen on tracing cloth. Scale not indicated. Source unknown. 5636. In process.

Map of Town of Cape Charles and Sea Cottage Addition, January 13, 1913. Cape Charles City Engineer. Computer printout. Scale: one inch equals 100 feet. Gift. 5644. In process.

HAMPTON ROADS

Esso Map of Hampton Roads Area, Norfolk, Newport News, Portsmouth, Hampton and Portions of Virginia Beach, Chesapeake. General Drafting Company. Lithograph. Scale: one inch equals about .5 miles. Gift. 5633. In process.

THE PENINSULA

Perspective Map of Newport News, Va. County Seat of Warwick County 1891 Population: 8000. American Publishing Company. Lithograph. Scale not indicated. Gift. 5626. In process.

SOUTHSIDE PIEDMONT

[*Plat for the Estate of Rowland Ward 916 Acres*]. Computer printout. Scale not indicated. Transferred. 5625. In process.

SOUTHSIDE TIDEWATER

Portsmouth. Computer printout. Scale: 150 feet to the inch. Source unknown. 5634. In process.

MID-ATLANTIC STATES

Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia: A Nice Place to Visit. R. R. Donnelly and Sons Company. Lithograph. Scale: one inch equals approximately 15 miles. Gift. 5627. In process.

Esso Map of Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia. Scale: one inch equals about 15.1 miles. General Drafting Company, Inc. Lithograph. Gift. 5631. In process.

SOUTHEASTERN STATES

Texaco Map of Kentucky, Tennessee. Rand McNally. Lithograph. Scale not indicated. Gift. 5629. In process.

Railroad Map of North Carolina 1900. H. C. Brown. Lithograph. Scale: 9.5 miles equals one inch. Source unknown. 5638. In process.

CENTRAL STATES

Commissioners Official Railway Map of Missouri Showing Railway Lines and Stations, the County Boundaries and County Seats; also Congressional Townships, with Range and Township Numbers. Higgins and Company. Lithograph. Scale: one inch equals 12 miles. Source unknown. 5640. In process.

Campbell's Commercial Map of Missouri Showing Counties, Townships, Towns, Post Offices, Railroads, Post Routes, Mineral Deposits. Engraved by Charles Juchne. Lithograph. Scale: one inch equals 12 miles. Source unknown. 5641. In process.

UNITED STATES

Gulf Presidential Election Map. Gulf Oil Company. Lithograph. Scale not indicated. Gift. 5628. In process.

MUNICIPAL RECORDS

City of Newport News. 1 item.

 Circuit Court Clerk.

 Court records.

 Pages from court record book, 1688. (44232)

City of Portsmouth. 154 volumes.

Circuit Court Clerk.

School records.

Teacher's registers, 1882–1955. (44316)

City of Richmond. .35 cubic feet and 116 pages.

Circuit Court Clerk.

Election records.

List of colored voters registered at Second Precinct in Jackson Ward (Letters I-Y), 1896–1902, 116 pages. (43786)

City Council.

James River Park conservation easement, June 2009, .35 cubic feet. (44364)

Town of Herndon. 5 cubic feet.

Community Development.

Planning Commission minutes, 1992–2006, 2 cubic feet.

Board of Zoning Appeal minutes, 1992–2008, 2 cubic feet. (44238)

Town Clerk.

Township records, 1 cubic foot. (44235)

Town minutes, Board of Zoning Appeal, 1949–1991.

Planning and Zoning Commission minutes, 1954–1965.

Planning Commission minutes, 1988–2009.

ORGANIZATION RECORDS

Piedmont Environmental Council. 56 pages.

Architectural baseline report, 2000–2006, of Ovoka Farm and Liberty Hall in Clarke and Fauquier Counties, Virginia. Includes appraisals, photographs, descriptions, and maps of the land. Gift of the Piedmont Environmental Council, Warrenton. (44240)

Potomac, Piedmont and Valley Agricultural Society. 2 pages.

Certificate, [18--] of the Potomac, Piedmont and Valley Agricultural Society, Alexandria, Virginia. Also included are two newspaper clippings regarding the 2nd Regiment Connecticut Artillery during the Civil War. All the items are glued onto a piece of scrapbook paper. Donor information unavailable. (44340)

PERSONAL PAPERS

Bassett, Burwell. 2 pages.

Circular letter, 22 June 1812, from Burwell Bassett (1764–1841) in Washington, D. C., to the public, written soon after the United States declared war on Britain in the War of 1812. In his letter he puts forth the reasons for going to war against the British and the costs necessary to support the war. Donor information unavailable. (44329)

Beirne, Richard F. 4 pages.

Papers, 1889, of Richard F. Beirne (1856–1891) of Richmond, Virginia, regarding his campaign for governor of Virginia. Includes a printed copy of an address he delivered before the Powhatan Club of Richmond, 1 February 1889, and a printed campaign pamphlet containing supportive letters to the editor of Danville and Richmond newspapers. Donor information unavailable. (44332)

Catlett, Arlene V. .45 cubic feet.

Letters, 1943–1947, written to Arlene V. Catlett (1927–2007) of Winchester, Virginia, from friends and family while they were serving in the military. The bulk of the letters were written by Clifton L. Kerns, Jr. (1928–1999) in 1946 and 1947 while he was stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Camp Kilmer, New Jersey; and with the U.S. Constabulary in Karlsruhe, Germany. Subjects include boot camp and basic training, hikes, inspections, rifle practice, guard duty, furloughs, promotions, mail deliveries, and homesickness. Purchased. (44250)

Clopton, William Izard. 4 pages.

Circular letter, 24 October 1873, from Judge William I. Clopton (1839–1908) of Chesterfield County, Virginia, to Alexander McCrone. Topics include tariffs, the interests of manufacturers, the Radical Party, and his support of the Virginia Conservative Party. Donor information unavailable. (44327)

Daniel, John W. 2 pages.

Certificate, 3 May 1888, to John W. Daniel (1842–1910) for honorary membership in the Columbian Democratic Club of Monroe Ward, Richmond, Virginia. Donor information unavailable. (44338)

Davis, James W. 2 pages.

Commission, 12 May 1861, from Governor John Letcher (1813–1884) of Virginia appointing James W. Davis (b. 1832) of Gloucester, a second lieutenant in the 21st Regiment, 14th Brigade, 4th Division of the Virginia Militia. Donor information unavailable. (44341)

Easterly, Mary Blanton. 14.5 cubic feet.

Papers, 1877–2006, of Mary Blanton Easterly (1923–) of Richmond, Virginia, including correspondence, subject files, scrapbooks, memoirs, books and other publications, ephemera, and oversize items. The bulk of the collection covers the years

1900 to 1945. This accession is filed with Accession 43509. Gift of Mary Blanton Easterly, Richmond. (44141)

Foreman, Joseph S. 2 pages.

Letter, 12 December 1862, from Joseph S. Foreman, a Union soldier camped at North Mountain Station, Berkeley County, (West) Virginia, to his wife, Nellie A. Foreman, of Mechanicstown, Carroll County, Ohio. Includes descriptions of camp life and travel in and around Winchester, Virginia, and Martinsburg and Harper's Ferry, (West) Virginia. He describes the former occupancy by Confederate soldiers of his current encampment and their destruction of the railroads and locomotives. Purchased. (44126)

Freeman, James H. 1 page.

Letter, 26 June 1862, from James H. Freeman to an unknown family member. Freeman writes from aboard the USS *Massatanga* traveling from Fort Monroe, Virginia, to Richmond along the James River. He describes the heavy use of guns, rifles, and cannons at the Siege of Yorktown and the Battle at West Point. Purchased. (44124)

Hoge, Solomon. 1 leaf.

Survey, 28 August 1875, of two tracts of land belonging to Captain Solomon Hoge (1809–1892), located in Fauquier County, Virginia. The land was surveyed by Henry Smith (1817–1884), surveyor of Fauquier County. Purchased. (44175)

Hudgins, Emily Lawson. .225 cubic feet.

Papers, 1929–1965, of Emily Lawson Hudgins (1917–1994) of Richmond Virginia, including a scrapbook, 1929 Riverside Boarding School class record, 1930 autograph book from George Thorpe School (now Barton Heights School), wedding planner, and other items. Purchased. (44218)

Jennings, Needler R. 2 pages.

Circular letter to the public, August 1835, from Needler R. Jennings (d. 1863) and Alexander Dimitry (1805–1883) regarding a duel between Jennings and George E. Tabb. Includes transcripts of letters sent between the parties and publicly scolding Tabb for spreading rumors and not satisfying the feud. Donor information unavailable. (44328)

Jones Family. 5 cubic feet.

Jones family papers, 1775–1995, consisting of Bible records, biographies, books, business records, clippings, cloth, correspondence, currency and bonds, genealogical notes and charts, land records, magazines, photographs, portraits, and silhouettes belonging to the Jones family of Botetourt County and Lexington, Virginia. Papers concern the genealogy of the Jones and related families. Gift of Robert and Jane Bennett, Davis, California. (44050)

Louderback, Allen L. 2.1 cubic feet.

Papers, 1992–2005 (bulk 2000–2005), of Allen L. Louderback (1948–), member of the Virginia House of Delegates representing the 15th District. Includes copies of

amendments and bills, correspondence, newspaper clippings, notes, reports, resolutions, and studies. Topics include ABC stores, education, electricity deregulation, environment, taxation, and transportation. Gift of Allen L. Louderback, Luray. (42536)

Owen, Katie J. 4.5 cubic feet.

Papers, 1842–1983, of Katie J. Owen (1894–1988) of Front Royal, Virginia, including correspondence, subject files, account books and ledgers, and ephemera. The bulk of the collection covers the years 1875 to 1945. Gift of Judy Jordan Owen, Harpers Ferry, West Virginia. (43474)

Sawyer, Appleton L. 1 page.

Letter, 10 June 1862, from Union soldier Appleton L. Sawyer (b. 1841) of the 13th Massachusetts, to his brother La Roy Sawyer of Shrewsbury, Massachusetts. Written from camp near Front Royal, Virginia, Sawyer's letter originally included money for his father. In the letter Sawyer also mentions the hardships his brigade has encountered since leaving Fredericksburg. He describes his poor health, due to exposure and lack of food, and tells of limited numbers of soldiers due to sickness or discharge. Sawyer also describes a forced twenty-six mile, five-day march with only rubber blankets for shelter. Purchased. (44123)

Shackleford, William C. 1 reel of film. (*Misc. reel 5826*)

Ledger, 1858–1863, of William C. Shackleford (b. 1835) of Albemarle County, Virginia. Includes notes, 1858, from his medical studies at the University of Virginia; estate settlement of Mrs. G. Shackleford, 1862; accounts on the sale of hog corn to the government, 1862; and entries for medical services and prescriptions for patients, 1862–1863. Loaned for copying by A.C. Shackelford, Jr., Keswick. (44113)

Sims Family. 2 leaves and 1 photograph.

Papers, 1926–1943, of the Sims family of Richmond, Virginia, including the marriage certificate, 15 September 1926, of Wade Arlington Sims (b. ca. 1901) and Marie Elizabeth Nash (b. ca. 1902), a notification of birth registration for James Arlington Sims (1943–), and an unidentified, undated photo of a man and a woman sitting on a porch. Gift of Deborah M. Cooke, Richmond. (44381)

Stewart, S. S. 1 page.

Letter, 19 May 1864, written by S. S. Stewart from Finley Hospital in Washington, D. C., to J. P. Weatherby. The letter is in response to an inquiry on the health of Corporal S. B. Fisher. Stewart cannot confirm the status of Corporal Fisher, but describes a regiment that passed them on 8 May 1864 in Spotsylvania near the headquarters of General John Sedgwick (1813–1864). Stewart mentions a wounded soldier of the same regiment, S. B. Carter, who was taken to a hospital in Fredericksburg. Stewart asks Weatherby to notify the soldier's father, John Carter. Purchased. (44125)

Unidentified. 4 pages.

Letter, dated 9 April 1864, from an unidentified Union officer named Andrew, stationed at Fort Scott, Arlington, Virginia, to his wife, Sarah. The subject of the letter

includes the officer's toothache and extraction, his wife's tooth extraction and gold filling, having been charged in error for light blue military pants, studying field and light artillery, and the 1864 election of William Alfred Buckingham as governor of Connecticut. Purchased. (44127)

Walker, Thomas. 3 pages.

Letter, 21 September 1846, from Thomas Walker (1792–1850) of King and Queen County, Virginia, to his daughter Hersilia Evelina Walker (b. 1822) while she was in Charlestown, (West) Virginia. He writes about health, marriages, and deaths in the area, and he also inquires about her trip home, and provides information on the schedule of the steamboat from Baltimore to Tappahannock. Purchased. (44229)

Wardrup, Leo. 1.35 cubic feet.

Papers, 1990–2007, of Leo Wardrup (1936–), former member of the Virginia House of Delegates from the 83rd District, encompassing part of Virginia Beach. Includes campaign literature, correspondence, newspaper clippings, copies of bills and related legislation. Topics include the Chesapeake Bay Bridge Tunnel, U. S. Route 460, interstate maintenance, zoning, and light rail. Gift of Leo Wardrup, Virginia Beach. (43674)

Wells, John E. 26.7 cubic feet.

Research notes, 1871–2006, of architectural historian John Emory Wells (1954–2007) of Richmond, Virginia. The collection is principally comprised of materials collected by Wells that he used to co-author two biographical dictionaries, *The Virginia Architects, 1835–1955* and *The South Carolina Architects, 1885–1935*. The collection also contains notes on architects who practiced in several other states, including Alabama, Arkansas, the District of Columbia (D. C.), Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Texas, and West Virginia. The collection also includes a large quantity of notes from the *Manufacturer's Record*, as well as many other documents, including lynx clippings, correspondence, notes, photographs, and architectural drawings. Gift of Lynwood D. Wells, Martinsville. (43293)

STATE RECORDS

Business Assistance, Department of. 2 cubic feet.

Director's Office.

Director's correspondence and subject files, 2001–2002, 1 cubic foot.
(44360)

Virginia Small Business Advisory Board.

Minutes, 1992–2004, 1 cubic foot. (44361)

Court of Appeals of Virginia. 2 cubic feet.

Original jurisdiction case files, 2002. (44326)

Elections, State Board of. 11 cubic feet.

Election Services Division.

Abstracts of votes, 2004, 1 cubic foot. (44178)

Ballots and correspondence, 2004, 2 cubic feet. (44180)

Candidate qualification records, 2004, 4 cubic feet. (44181)

Court orders for appointments of local electoral boards, 2004, 1 cubic foot.
(44179)

Special election court orders, 2004, 1 cubic foot. (44183)

Registration Services Division.

Central registration roster system reports, 2003–2004, 2 cubic feet.
(44182)

General Services, Department of. 9 cubic feet.

Art and Architecture Review Board.

Minutes, 1982–2001. (44177)

Housing Development Authority, Virginia. 13 cubic feet.

Board of Commissioners.

Board minutes and meeting materials, 1981–2000, 8 cubic feet. (44224)

Director's Office.

Director's correspondence and subject files, 1976–1995, 5 cubic feet.
(44223)

James Madison University. 10 cubic feet.

President's Office.

President's correspondence and subject files, 1954–1999. (44225)

Library of Virginia. 2 cubic feet.

Publications and Educational Services Division.

Editorial records for the *Hornbook of Virginia History*, 1992–1994.
(44226)

Rail and Public Transportation, Department of. 6 cubic feet.

Director's Office.

Director's correspondence and subject files, 1999–2008, 3 cubic feet.
(44251)

Eastern Shore Railroad records, 1984–1997, 3 cubic feet. (44252)