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Descriptive Summary

Barcode numbers

1103294, 1146519-1146521

Language

English

Collector

Halifax County (Va.) Circuit Court.

Physical Characteristics

4 vols. (1237 p.) These volumes are negative photostatic copies.

Location

Library of Virginia (One record in this collection is located at the State Records Center. Contact Archives Research Services for access information, directions and hours.)

Repository

The Library of Virginia

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Use Restrictions

Use microfilm copy, Halifax County (Va.) Reels 36 and 37.

Acquisition Information

These items came to the Library of Virginia in shipments of court papers from Halifax County under the accession numbers: 20580, 26280, and 26509.

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Related Material

Additional Halifax County Wills can be found on microfilm at the Library of Virginia. Consult ["A Guide to Virginia County and City Records on Microfilm."](#)

Historical Information

Halifax County was formed in 1752 from Lunenburg County.

The will books of Halifax County (Va.) in this collection were created by the County Court.

Scope and Content

Will books, 1753-1797, of Halifax County Court. The will books includes the name of testator, list of heirs and year the wills were proven in court and probate records such as inventories and appraisements.

Index Terms

Corporate Names:

Halifax County (Va.) Circuit Court

Geographical Names:

Halifax County (Va.)--History--18th century.

Genre and Form Terms:

Appraisals--Virginia--Halifax County.

Estate inventories--Virginia--Halifax County.

Local government records--Virginia--Halifax County.

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Added Entry-Corporate Name:

Halifax County (Va.) County Court.

Arrangement

Contents List

Barcode number 1103294: Will Book O, Pt. 1, 1753-1772

Barcode number 1146519: Will Book O, Pt. 2, 1753-1772

Barcode number 1146520: Will Book 1, 1773-1783

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