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## Descriptive Summary

### Barcode number

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### Language

English

### Collector

Mathews County (Va.) Circuit Court

### Physical Characteristics

1 box and or volume.

### Location

State Records Center - Archives Annex, Library of Virginia

**Repository**

Library of Virginia

## Administrative Information

**Access Restrictions**

There are no restrictions.

**Use Restrictions**

There are no restrictions.

**Acquisition Information**

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### Related Material

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

See the [Lost Records Localities Digital Collection](#) available at Virginia Memory.

For more information and a listing of lost records localities see [Lost Records research note](#).

## Historical Information

Mathews County was named for Thomas Mathews, of Norfolk, the Speaker of the Virginia House of Delegates in 1790 when the county was formed from Gloucester County.

## Scope and Content

Mathews County (Va.) Circuit Court Records, 1948, consists of a transcript of the Commonwealth vs. Ranier.

Most records were burned in Richmond on 3 April 1865, where they had been moved for safekeeping during the Civil War.

## Index Terms

**Corporate Names:**

Mathews County (Va.) Circuit Court.

**Subjects:**

Public records -- Virginia -- Mathews County.

**Geographical Names:**

Mathews County (Va.) -- History.

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Local government records -- Virginia -- Mathews County.