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SC 0136

Unit ID

/repositories/4/resources/281

Unit Date

1767-1873

Language

English

Abstract

The Rockingham Public Library Collection of Rockingham County Legal Documents, 1767-1873, consists of one box chiefly comprised of legal documents from Rockingham County and Harrisonburg.

source

Massanutten Regional Library

Extent

0.4 cubic feet 1 box

Repository

James Madison University Libraries Special Collections

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

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Acquisition Information

Received on deposit immediately after a February 3, 1994 contract with the Rockingham Library Association was signed. Existing organization and file headings were retained.

Processing Information

In order to streamline the process of applying collection numbers, Special Collections staff completed a large-scale renumbering campaign in the spring of 2017. **This collection was previously cataloged as SC 3060.**

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Bio/Historical Note

Contents relevant to Rockingham County and Harrisonburg from the earliest days of the county's formation.

Scope and Content

The Rockingham Public Library Collection of Rockingham County Legal Documents, 1767-1873, consists of one box comprised chiefly of legal documents from Rockingham County and Harrisonburg. Materials include court case documents, road and bridge records, complaints, and land causes.

Keywords

Courts -- Virginia -- Sources

Court records -- Virginia -- Rockingham County -- Sources

Justice, Administration of

Debt -- Virginia -- Rockingham County

Voting -- Virginia -- Rockingham County

African Americans -- Virginia -- Rockingham County

American loyalists -- Biography

Roads -- Virginia -- History
Roads -- Rockingham County -- History
Roads -- Virginia -- Maintenance and repair
Roads -- Shenandoah River Valley (Va. and W. Va.) -- History
Bridges -- Virginia -- History
Post roads -- Virginia -- History
Railroads -- Design and construction -- Virginia -- 19th century
Railroads -- Virginia -- History -- 19th century
Coaching (Transportation) -- Virginia -- History
Transportation -- Virginia -- History
Mills and mill-work -- Virginia -- Rockingham County
Flour mills -- Virginia -- Rockingham County
Poor -- Services for -- Virginia -- 19th century
Briery Branch (Va.) Road
Brocks Gap (Va.) Road
Dry River (Va.) Road
United States Highway 33
Great Road (Shenandoah River Valley, Va. and W. Va.)
Harrisonburg (Va.) -- History
Virginia -- History
Shenandoah River Valley (Va. and W. Va.) -- History
Legal documents
Massanutten Regional Library
Chandler family
Harrison family
Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company
Carthrae, John
Virginia. Circuit Court (Rockingham County)
Virginia. Circuit Court (Rockingham County) -- Sources
Rockingham County (Va.). Jail
Wise-Dinkle Mill (Rockingham County, Va.)
Pirkey's Mill (Rockingham County, Va.)
Chrisman's Mill (Rockingham County, Va.)
Mathias-Stover Mill (Rockingham County, Va.)
Zirkel & Byrd Mill (Rockingham County, Va.)

Arrangement

The collection is arranged into three series:

- Court Cases, 1767-1839
- Roads, Bridges, Mills, 1796-1851
- Miscellaneous, 1778-1873

Description of Subordinate Components

Court Cases

Unit ID 1

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1300

Unit Date 1767-1838

Chandler, Sr., Samuel vs. Nathan Chandler; Col. Arch Rutherford vs. Charles and David Chandler and Jacob Nicholas

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1303

Unit Date 1814-1831

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

General court cases

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1304

Unit Date 1767-1838

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Scope and Content

Armentrout, Nicholas vs. Mathias Stover, Ohio, 1818- 1832; Beard, Margaret vs. David Beard, 1824-1832; Harrison, Nath. & John Harrison vs. Archibald Looker, 1832; Basely, Haga, 1829; High, Jacob vs. Sally Knopp late Hupp admr. of John Hupp, 1810; Huling vs. Looker, 1820-1832; Looker, John vs. Henry Long, 1829-1831; Lindon [?], Thomas, Wm. Robertson vs. Wm. Dever, 1835- 1838; Peters vs. Pence, 1814-1839; Ragan, Daniel vs. M. Williams, 1821-1830; Scott, James vs. Jacob Hudlow, 1767-1822

McDowell, Miller vs. Wm. McMahon

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1305

Unit Date 1810-1831

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Rifle, Daniel vs. John Smoot

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1306

Unit Date 1824-1832

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Roads, Bridges, Mills

Unit ID 2

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1301

Unit Date 1796-1851

Bridge

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1307

Unit Date 1818

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Briery Branch

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1308

Unit Date 1823-1825

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Brocks Gap- Peaked Mtn.-Keezletown Dove's Mill Road

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1309

Unit Date 1824-1826

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Container 7 (folder)

Dry River Road

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1310

Unit Date 1799-1834

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Grist mill, Wise-Dinkle

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1311

Unit Date 1796-1851

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Hands to work on roads

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1312

Unit Date 1823-1824

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Harrisonburg to Richmond, McGaheysville to Luray, Pirkey's Mill

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1313

Unit Date 1822

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Harrisonburg to Woodstock-Back Road

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1314

Unit Date 1824-1826

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Keezletown to New Market

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1315

Unit Date 1825-1826

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Lawyer Road, Port Republic Republic to Waynesboro

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1316

Unit Date 1822-1826

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

Mathias Stover Mill-Fawcett, Keezletown

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1317

Unit Date 1825

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Mtn. Road, Chrisman's Mill

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1318

Unit Date 1822-1825

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Road related

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1319

Unit Date 1822-1826

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

Road to Shenandoah County-Road past Henry Miller

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1320

Unit Date 1823

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 18 (folder)

Stage Road-Zirkle Byrd Mill

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1321

Unit Date 1805-1822

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 19 (folder)

Miscellaneous

Unit ID 3

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1302

Unit Date 1787-1892

African Americans

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1322

Unit Date 1778-1851

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Debts

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1323

Unit Date 1787-1869

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 21 (folder)

Estates complaints

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1324

Unit Date 1792-1858

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

Estray livestock

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1325

Unit Date 1826-1851

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 23 (folder)

Land causes

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1326

Unit Date 1796-1859

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 24 (folder)

Miscellaneous (mostly summonses; also list of bonds, election results, grand jury)

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1327

Unit Date 1779-1873

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 25 (folder)

Overseers of the Poor

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1328

Unit Date 1802-1809

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 26 (folder)

Railroads (Manassas Gap, Valley Branch of B&O)

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1329

Unit Date 1855-1892

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 27 (folder)

Rockingham County seal receipt, Harrisonburg jail

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1330

Unit Date 1779-1855

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 28 (folder)

Taxes

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1331

Unit Date 1783-1864

Mixed Materials [1000898376] OV 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Tory: John Carthrae

Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/1332

Unit Date 1787

Mixed Materials [1000886589] 1 (box)

Container 29 (folder)