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English

Abstract

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Creator

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Repository

Thomas Balch Library

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection open for research .

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No physical characteristics affect use of this material.

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Doug Domenich, Richmond, VA

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None

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Related Material

None

Bibliography

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Other Finding Aid

None

Technical Requirements

None

Historical Information

Benjamin Harrison Branch, Jr. (1919-1993) was an active member of the Goose Creek United Meeting. In 1933, Branch became editor of a student newspaper, the News Publishing Company, at Lincoln High School in association with Howard W. Babb (1899-n.d.). Branch was later named historian of the Friends Meeting of Washington, D.C. He donated collections detailing personal genealogy and his work with the Conference of Friends to both the Library of Congress and the Friends Historical Library at Swarthmore College.

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Arrangement

Folder

Contents List

Folder 1: Transcripts of The News, Subscription Letter

Folder 2: Correspondence: Lincoln Monthly Meeting of Friends, Friends Meeting of Washington, D.C.

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