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Scope and Contents

Maps collected by, or created by, Mount Vernon staff and the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association. Includes maps of the estate itself, as well as the surrounding neighborhood, the viewshed, and Fairfax County. Dates range from the 1850s to 1992, with bulk dates in the 1930s-1960s.

Related Materials

There may be some overlap in content with the Measured Drawings collection. See also the Restoration Files for the Historic Structures Report and the Morley Jeffers Williams Collection.

Arrangement

This collection is described at an item level and arranged in the finding aid by physical location.

Description of Subordinate Components

The Kitchen Garden of Mount Vernon

Unit Date 1936

Maps 68 (Drawer)

Creator Ulman, Nathalia

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Plan for kitchen garden; written description of garden; list of all plants.

Topographic Survey, Mount Vernon

Unit Date January 1970

Maps 68 (Drawer)

Maps 70 (Drawer)

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Topographic survey/map of Mount Vernon. Multiple copies in several locations (noted). 1" = 200'

Capital Beltway around Virginia Section of 495

Unit Date 1963

Maps 68 (Drawer)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Federal Highway System. Road map of the Virginia sections of the Capital Beltway in four sections, identifying exits and intersecting towns and cities.

Exhibit Mt. Vernon Estate

Unit Date December 11, 1992

Maps 68 (Drawer)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Walter L. Phillips, Inc. Plan of roadways in front of Mount Vernon, showing MVLA property lines with the U.S. government. 1" = 100'

General Plan for Mount Vernon

Unit Date February 3, 1936

Maps 68 (Drawer)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

3 reproduction copies of plan for grounds around the mansion. 1" = 80'

Topographic survey of Mount Vernon

Unit Date 1931

Maps 69 (Drawer)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Detail from topographic survey

Unit Date 1931

Maps 69 (Drawer)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Original. Detail section taken from overall topographic survey. Shows partial historic area.

Mount Vernon, plot plan

Unit Date April 5, 1983

Maps 69 (Drawer)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. R. Frank Hunt. Drawing of estate from admission entrance gate to the barbed wire fence: From wharf to the west gate. Another copy in Drawer 80, Folder 8. 1" = 40'

Mount Vernon Estate, topographic map

Unit Date August 1989

Maps 69 (Drawer)

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Unknown creator. Topographic map of entire Mount Vernon estate with buildings included. 1" = 200'

Map of Land around Mount Vernon

Unit Date undated

Maps 70 (Drawer)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Map shows who owned parcels of land and how many acres -- poor quality copy.

Mount Vernon viewshed

Unit Date ca. 1960s

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 1 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Mock-up of an information panel for display. Shows a map of the Potomac River with Mount Vernon and Maryland shore across from Mount Vernon with sections marked "Screened area." At top and bottom are photographs taped together into a panoramic view of the Maryland shore where potential commercial development had been threatened. Numbered markings on the photographs point out features such as Marshall Hall, Mockley Point, Bryan Point, etc.

Fairfax County, Mount Vernon District, Section 111-1 and 110-4

Unit Date 1968

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 2 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. County of Fairfax, VA. Copyright 1958, Revised 1968. Neighborhoods around Mount Vernon. 2 maps.

State Highway route 725 (now 235) from Mount Vernon to Woodlawn

Unit Date ca. 1938

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. Note written by Charles Wall on reverse "Five sheets - State Highway Route 725 (now 235) from Mount Vernon to Woodlawn. Tracings received from Mr. Boothe, Dec. '38." Shows the highway, Mount Vernon Realty Co. property. 5 pages.

Mount Vernon Section Through South Slide

Unit Date October 13, 1933

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 4 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Blueprint. Drawn by WLC. Shows position of earth before and after landslide, probable location of slide plane, etc. 1 drawing.

Mount Vernon Survey - Two detailed sections

Unit Date 1931

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 5 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Two detailed sections of the Mount Vernon survey 1931 by Williams. Note at bottom "Mount Vernon General Plan... Plan 322-108 and Plan 322-104." 2 maps.

Land bordering Mount Vernon estate, terminus railway station

Unit Date undated

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 6 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. Pencil sketched map showing land bordering MVLA property lines, with ferry landing, wharf, Mansion, and railway terminus all identified. MVLA property and railway station marked in red ink, noted by hand of Harrison Dodge.

Drainage tunnel profile

Unit Date undated

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. Pencil drawn map showing measurements, profile of drainage tunnels with the tunnel entrance and deer park wall noted on the map. Fading and fragile condition. Handwritten note at bottom reads "Drainage Tunnel Profile, notation by H.H.D."

Drainage tunnel, water seepage, brick box

Unit Date July 1958

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. Pencil drawn map showing east lawn's slope with tunnel, water seepage, brick box, river level,

and Mansion all identified. Horizontal scale 1" = 20', Vertical scale 1" = 8'

Viewshed map, proposed developments, land authorized for acquisition

Unit Date ca. 1950s

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Map used during Operation Overview to show proposed commercial developments and land authorized for acquisition under Public Law 87-362, "to preserve lands which provide the principal overview from the Mount Vernon Estate and Forth Washington..." 5 copies. Scale 1:24,000

Operation Overview map, Piscataway, Mockley Point

Unit Date ca. 1960s

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Rudimentary map showing Mount Vernon and land to be purchased with appropriated funds, land donated to Department of the Interior, Agreements executed committing this land to be donated, scenic easements authorized, site of proposed sewage plant. Map used during Operation Overview at Mount Vernon. 1 map.

Map of Hell Hole Marsh, Mt. Vernon, V.A.

Unit Date undated

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 9 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. MacKall and Clark. Showing the south line of Mount Vernon estate, springs, and Potomac River. Some measurements noted by hand on map. Scale 300'

Birthplace of Washington

Unit Date May 1897

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

"From a survey by A. Lindenkohl, 1879. Published May 1897. W.W. Duffield, superintendent. Verified: O.H. Tillmann, Assistant in charge of office. Note: Location of Monument and other Data added in 1897." Scale 1/10,000

Topographical map of a part of the service area at Mount Vernon

Unit Date April 7, 1941

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Claiborne and Taylor, Inc., W.W. La Prade and Bros. Shows service area with proposed engine house, spring house, a one-story service building with proposed addition, and gravel drives. 1" = 10'

Plan of Flower Garden, Plan of Kitchen Garden

Unit Date 1940

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 12 (folder)

Creator Bailey, Worth, 1908-1980

Scope and Contents

Original. Map showing the layout of each garden with key for boxwood, herb borders, brick and paving tiles, cobblestones, turf, espaliers and cordons, gravel walks, and brick walks. Drawn onto board. 2 maps.

Mount Vernon, the Home of Washington

Unit Date undated

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. R. von Glumer. "A Plan of the Western Lawn at Mount Vernon, Va. and the Elevation of the Washington Mansion giving the exact location of the outbuildings, gardens, and walks of this Historic home, with a view looking East to the Potomac River and the Maryland Shore, made by the hand of General Washington after the Revolution. This reproduction is an exact copy from the Original document, in the possession of Mrs. Britannia Peter Kennon, great grand daughter of Mrs. General Washington. Photographed by special permission to illustrate Dr. J.M. Toner's edition of the Diaries and Journals of Washington." M-1483.1 C.2, A-333. 1 drawing.

Mount Vernon, Virginia, Based on the Plan Drawn by Samuel Vaughan in 1787

Unit Date 1940

Maps 76 (Drawer)

Container 14 (folder)

Creator Bailey, Worth, 1908-1980

Scope and Contents

Original. Mounted and adhered to board. Ink on paper. 1" = 250'

Map showing the routes of the Washington, Alexandria, and Mt. Vernon Railway

Unit Date undated

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 1 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. Map showing Washington, D.C. down to Mount Vernon with the railway marked in red. No date or creator listed on map.

A Map of the Travels of George Washington

Unit Date 1931

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 2 (folder)

Creator National Geographic Society (U.S.)

Scope and Contents

Folded, fragile. Compiled and drawn in the cartographic section of the National Geographic Society for the National Geographic magazine, Gilbert Grosvenor, LL.D., Litt. D., Editor. Prepared in accordance with the Joint Act of Congress known as the 71st Congress Second Session S. 3398 in cooperation with the United States Commission for the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington. G3791.A85 1799.N3

Map of Fairfax County Virginia compiled in the office of Carpenter and Cobbs Certified Land Surveyors

Unit Date 1957

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Prepared from information furnished by Fairfax Planning Commission. Carpenter and Cobbs land surveyors. 1" = 3000'

Plat of the Robertson Tract

Unit Date undated

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 4 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint. Shows the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association property with the Robertson Tract, Heurich tract, Neitzzy (Neitzey) tract, ferry landing, etc. 40 poles per inch

Historic Tours through George Washington's Country

Unit Date 1945

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 5 (folder)

Creator Bailey, Worth, 1908-1980

Scope and Contents

Original and reproduction. Hand-colored map showing locations for historic areas of the Virginia and Washington, D.C. area. 2 maps.

Washington Local Aeronautical Chart

Unit Date 1946

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 6 (folder)

Scope and Contents

U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, U.S.G.S. Showing radio ranges, danger areas, etc. for aircraft. Scale 1:250,000

Washington Sectional Aeronautical Chart

Unit Date 1946

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, U.S.G.S. Showing danger areas and hazard areas for aircraft visibility for Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Chesapeake Bay and Delaware Bay region. Also, shows areas prohibited by air traffic and radio ranges. Contour interval 500'

Wakefield, VA - MD

Unit Date 1932

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

United States Geological Survey. 2 copies, one with notes drawn by Mount Vernon staff showing George Washington's birthplace, Stratford Hall property, Westmoreland State Park, Haywood, and Wakefield properties. Note written by Charles Wall, map given by the superintendent of Washington's Birthplace, November 1947. Scale 1/62,500

Mt. Zephyr and Union Farms

Unit Date ca. 1857

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 9 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. "A map showing the boundary of Mount Vernon, Mount Zephyr, and the Union farms and relation to each other - 1600 acres of which are now offered for sale in lots to suit purchasers by the proprietor who can recommend it for health, pure spring water and richness and fertility of soil. For terms of sale apply on the premises of Mount Zephyr, Aaron Leggett." Includes John Augustine Washington III's property lines. 1" = 1 mile

Mount Vernon, Photographic enlargement of a recent government survey

Unit Date undated

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 10 (folder)

Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937

Scope and Contents

Blueprint. Section enlargement from a government map (unknown) with notes drawn and added by Harrison Dodge, showing Heurich Addition, Gould Addition, Landon Addition, railroad, "present auto road," etc. Contour intervals 10 feet.

Map of tracts of land surrounding Mount Vernon

Unit Date 1919

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 11 (folder)

Creator Berry, Joseph

Scope and Contents

Blueprint. Map showing Mount Vernon with lots of land and bordering tracts. 1" = 400'

Plat showing property of Mount Vernon Ladies' Association of the Union

Unit Date August 1931

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 12 (folder)

Creator Berry, Joseph

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Plat showing MVLA property including Gould addition, Landon addition, original purchase, and U.S. Government property. 1/4" = 100 feet

Mt. Vernon - U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Unit Date 1956

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Map of Mount Vernon and Maryland with the Potomac River and Piscataway Creek. Prepared by the Army Map Service, Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army, Washington, D.C. Planimetric detail revised by photo-planimetric methods. Original map compiled by photogrammetric methods. Coastal hydrography compiled from USC&GS Chart 560. Aerial photography March -April 1955. Sheet 5561, Series V834, US 65, 11 NE. Scale 1:25,000

Mt. Vernon District, Fairfax County, Virginia

Unit Date undated

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 14 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. F.S. Hardesty. Showing location of current structures in the Mount Vernon district of Fairfax County. Also shows Mount Vernon railway. Dated before the George Washington Memorial Parkway was created. Scale 1" = .5 miles

Fort Belvoir and vicinity

Unit Date 1920

Unit Date Revised 1926

Maps 77 (Drawer)

Container 15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

U.S. Geological Survey, Corps of Engineers. USGS map of the Fort Belvoir area. Surveyed by U.S.G.S. in cooperation with the Corps of Engineers U.S. Army, 1920. Revised by the Corps of Engineers, 1926. Scale 1/20,000

Mount Vernon Viewshed Analysis

Unit Date undated

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 1 (folder)

Creator EDAW Inc.

Extent 2 Copies

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Color map of of the Mount Vernon viewshed over the Potomac River, "Commercial Development Suitability, Viewshed at 84 ft height with vegetation." Prepared for the MVLA. 1"=2000'

Mount Vernon neighborhood, Fairfax County

Unit Date c. 1984

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 2 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Air Survey and Design, Inc. Series of 6 maps showing the neighborhood and area around Mount Vernon, part of Fairfax County. Mostly likely used for viewshed purposes and analysis.

Mount Vernon survey, copied from U.S. Coast Survey map

Unit Date April 17, 1888

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937

Scope and Contents

Hand-traced map copied from a U.S. Coast survey map of January 18? Noted April 17, 1888 - H.H.D. Original map unknown. 1' = 2000 yards

Standard Day Marks for Single Pile Day Beacon

Unit Date 1949

Unit Date 1954

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 4 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. U.S. Coast Guard, Fifth District Civil Engineering. Includes details of day beacon size and markings, bill of material, specifications, etc. 3/4" = 1'

Mount Vernon Estate, Topographic Survey Map

Unit Date August 1989

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 4 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Air Survey Corporation of Virginia. Made from photography collected 4-12-86. Date of compilation 8-9-89. "Coordinate system base on: Va. State Plane Coordinate System. Vertical control data based on: MSL 1929 adjustment." Scale 1" = 200'

A Great General Plan of Mount Vernon, showing planted areas and other landscape features established and identified by General Washington

Unit Date 1947

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 5 (folder)

Creator Bailey, Worth, 1908-1980

Extent 2 Copies

Scope and Contents

Reproduction of Worth Bailey's general plan or layout of the Mansion and surrounding grounds with outbuildings and gardens identified. One large reproduction adhered to board with numbers to plan for a location key (probably planning for the print brochure) and one smaller printed reproduction with areas named instead of numbered for the key. Scale 1" = 200'

Map of J.A. Washington's Estate at Mt. Vernon

Unit Date ca. 1859

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 6 (folder)

Creator Gillingham, W.

Extent 3 Copies

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Shows breakdown of lots, acreage including land sold to the Ladies' Association with notes added showing those lots sold. Scale forty poles per inch

Mount Vernon, Virginia for Mount Vernon Ladies' Association

Unit Date tracing 1938

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Creator Rouse, James B., 1896-1946

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Original and reproduction. Original is folded/fragile. Shows general layout of Mount Vernon historic area with measurements, distances, and site names. Tracing by J.B.R. (James Rouse) from General Plan by Morley Jeffers Williams.

Topographic Map, part of Mt. Vernon Estate

Unit Date June 15, 1948

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint. By Edward Holland, Jr. Showing the area of the Vice Regental Quarters. Ending. Two copies

blueprint. by Edward Holland, Jr. Showing the area of the vice Regent's Quarters. Fading. Two copies

Map of Mount Vernon - Lee, Fairfax County, Virginia

Unit Date 1957

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 9 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproductions. By Photogrammetry. 3 copies. One with red tracing of lines where George Washington's original farms were located. Showing the Mount Vernon, Fort Belvoir, Fort Hunt, and Hollin Hall area. Scale 1:24,000

Fairfax County, neighborhood sections

Unit Date 1958

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Fairfax County Dept. of Taxation Division of Appraisals and Mapping. Set of 21 maps and one showing sections of Fairfax County in the neighborhood near Mount Vernon. Dept. of Taxation, Div. of Appraisals and Mapping, Fairfax County. One map with taped, pieced together sections and notes shows the Bike Trail and Bike Trail Easement through the MVLA property.

Map showing location of river route, Mount Vernon Boulevard

Unit Date January 4, 1927

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Map showing proposed automobile route for the new George Washington Memorial Parkway along the Potomac riverfront.

A Perspective View of the Mansion, Outbuildings, Gardens, etc. with a key thereto

Unit Date undated

Maps 78 (Drawer)

Container 12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Perspective view used for print promotional material such as the Mount Vernon information brochure, ca. 1980s. In this view, the slave memorial is shown so the date must be after 1983. From the original by Morley Jeffers Williams and Nathalia Ulman.

Perspective view map of Mount Vernon

Unit Date 1935

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 1 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Creator Ulman, Nathalia

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Two copies on board of the perspective view map of the Mansion and surrounding grounds by Nathalia Ulman and Morley Jeffers Williams. 2 copies.

Mount Vernon Memorial Highway Plat Showing Property of U.S. Government and Mount Vernon Ladies' Association of the Union

Unit Date August 1931

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 2 (folder)

Creator Berry, Joseph

Extent 3 Copies

Scope and Contents

Blueprint and reproduction. Map showing boundary lines of government and MVLA property with coordinates. Estates and other properties also shown including Beverly D. Tucker estate, Gibbs, and Smith properties. Scale 1" = 200'

Map of Bryant Land, topography and boundary Bryant Tract

Unit Date October 12, 1964

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Scope and Contents

National Capital Office. United States Department of the Interior, National Park Service Design and Construction, George Washington Memorial Parkway. Drawing No. N.C.R. 117.-691-1

Topographic Survey of Mount Vernon

Unit Date January 1970

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 4 (folder)

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 9 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint and reproduction. Prepared in the office of Sterling R. Maddox and Associates, Civil Engineers and Land Surveyors. Note: Topography compiled by photogrammetric methods from photography dated December 16, 1969. Horizontal Datum: Virginia State Plane coordinate System; Vertical Datum: Low Water. Folder also contains photostats of enlarged sections of the survey map. Scale 1" = 200'

Topographic Map, Part of Mount Vernon Estate, Mount Vernon Magisterial District

Unit Date June 15, 1948

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 5 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint copy. Edward S. Holland, Jr. Plat plan of area around the MVLA Quarters. Map fading especially around edges. Location of specific trees noted. 1" = 20'

Map of George Washington's Land at Mount Vernon, as it was and as it is

Unit Date undated

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 6 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Note: "Laid down from the old Maps made by G. Washington, and from actual surveys by W. Gillingham." Shows location of five farms with contemporary plats and owners of land. Illustrations of the Mansion and Washington's Tomb. Poor condition, adhered to board and split in two pieces.

Proposed addition to the Mount Vernon Memorial Highway

Unit Date May 1940

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

National Capital Park and Planning Commission. Sections colored with notes "Title to be conveyed to U.S. Subject to dredging rights for 30 year period." Other notations on map say "Riparian rights granted in this area." File No. 105.223-415. 1" = 500'

Map of storm drainage and tunnel, east side of Mansion

Unit Date undated

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937

Scope and Contents

Blueprint copy of Dodge's drawing of the drainage and proposed tunnel and drains to the river east of the Mansion.

Map with hydrant and water supply locations

Unit Date undated

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint showing location of water supply for the estate with proposed new hydrant, water supply from pump house located on the Potomac River, Service Tanks, Proposed new Bypass with valve, and more.

Plat showing property of Mount Vernon Ladies' Association

Unit Date August 1931

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 8 (folder)

Creator Berry, Joseph

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Shows land additions including Gould, Landon, and Heurich tracts. 1/4" = 100'

Potomac River Mt. Vernon Channel, dredging and sounding measurements

Unit Date 1939-1947

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 10 (folder)

Creator United States. Army. Corps of Engineers

Scope and Contents

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, U.S. Engineer Office, Washington, D.C. April 29, 1939; May 16, 1944; November 23, 1944; May 29, 1945; August 13, 1947. Five (with a copy of one) maps with sounding notes and dredging information conducted by the Corps of Engineers in the Potomac River, Mt. Vernon Channel. 1:1200

Mt. Vernon, VA.; MD

Unit Date 1951

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 11 (folder)

Creator United States. Army. Corps of Engineers

Extent 2 Copies

Scope and Contents

Original printing. Prepared by the Army Map Service, Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army. Map showing area surrounding Mount Vernon up to Hybla Valley and Wellington neighborhood in the north, Piscataway Creek, Fort Washington, and areas of Prince George's County and Charles County, Maryland to the south. Reverse side has photo map of the same area, also prepared by the Corps of Engineers.

Map of Mt. Vernon - Lee, Fairfax County, Virginia

Unit Date c. 1957

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Photogrammetry, Inc. Showing the Mount Vernon, Fort Hunt, and Fort Belvoir area. Note: "This map prepared as a community service project under the direction of Ernest B. Glynn, registered professional engineer, and sponsored by the Mt. Vernon Citizens Association, The Mt. Vernon Fire Department, The Civitan Club of Mt. Vernon and civic minded friends." 1:24,000

Mount Vernon Channel, Condition of channel subsequent to dredging

Unit Date January 1909

Maps 79 (Drawer)

Container 12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

"Mount Vernon Channel, showing condition of channel subsequent to dredging, authorized by permit issued to the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association of the Union, October 31, 1908. Project of November 1907 shown thus..." Handwritten note attached to drawing about the process and depths of dredging the river. 1/1200

Washington's Five Farms Map facsimile, showing MVLA property

Unit Date undated

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 1 (folder)

Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937

Scope and Contents

Two facsimile copies of Washington's map of his five farms, with MVLA property shaded in red and labeled "M.V.L.A." One copy also shows Jefferson Davis Highway, Electric Railway, and the Proposed Boulevard to Mount Vernon drawn onto the map by Harrison Dodge.

Approach Study for Mount Vernon Superintendent's House

Unit Date August 1929

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 1 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Original. One pencil drawing, original map torn into two pieces. Note "Bureau of Public Roads - Plat showing property of U.S. Govt. and Mt. Vernon Ladies Assoc. - known as Berry Map. Bureau of Public Roads - Grading Plan of Mt. Vernon Terminus - August 1929." Scale 1" = 80'

Mount Vernon Map showing Deer Park and location of employee cottages

Unit Date ca. 1930s

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 2 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents

Original. Map of Mount Vernon's historic area with Deer Park, Addition to Deer Park, Potomac River, several outbuildings, and employee cottages all marked.

New Service Building Road Plan for MVLA

Unit Date October 1941

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 2 (folder)

Creator Rouse, James B., 1896-1946

Scope and Contents

Blueprint with elevations showing the road plan created for the new service building.

Superintendent's Residence, General Plan and Approaches

Unit Date March 2, 1936

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original and blueprint. Drawn by ROK. Approved by Morley Jeffers Williams. Original map torn almost completely in two. Topographical map with "Typical Road Cross-Section" and notes. Job 322, Plan 51.

Plan for Headquarters Buildings, landscaping

Unit Date ca. 1949

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Creator Fisher, Robert B.

Scope and Contents

Original. Shows "new" headquarters building with landscaping notes and drawing.

Preliminary Plan for the Grounds of the Headquarters

Unit Date November 1949

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 3 (folder)

Creator Fisher, Robert B.

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Shows plan for trees, draining system.

Property of Jessie S. Walker Landon, Fairfax County, VA.

Unit Date July 1930

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 4 (folder)

Scope and Contents

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Public Roads. Shows property borders of MVLA, Landon, and Gibbs properties. Total Landon property is 206+ acres. One with red lines, notation of changes to property lines. 8 copies. 1" = 200'

Topographical Map of a part of the service area at Mount Vernon

Unit Date April 7, 1941

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 5 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint and reproduction. W W Lanrude and Bros. Civil Engineers, under the direction of Claiborne and

Blueprint and reproduction. W.W. Upgrad and Bros. Civil Engineers, under the direction of Clarence and Taylor, Inc. Shows Service Building (shop), the grounds, the brick walk, roads, etc. One copy has the Engine House or Fire House drawn in with proposed changes to road. Scale 1" = 10'

Map showing boundaries of the gift of Jay Gould property (incomplete map)

Unit Date ca. 1880s

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 5 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Blueprint. S.T. Abert. Torn map showing MVLA property with historic buildings and adjoining property of 33 ½ acres given as a gift by Jay Gould in 1887.

Map of proposed improvement in present or old road and of a new road at Mount Vernon

Unit Date December 1880

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 6 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original and reproduction. E. Willard Smith, Civil Engineer. Includes profile of road "now in use" and profile of proposed road. Hand colored. Scale 1" = 200'

Plot Plan, alternate layout of Mansion and outbuildings

Unit Date undated

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Modern drawing depicting an alternate layout of the Mansion and outbuildings thought to pre-date 1752. Includes gardens, trees, and buildings labeled A, B, C, D. No other information. 1/8" = 1'

Mount Vernon, plot plan

Unit Date April 5, 1983

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. R. Frank Hunt, estate draftsman. Plot plan drawing of the historic area at Mount Vernon including the Ann Pamela Cunningham and Bolton administration buildings. Another copy in Drawer 69, rolled storage (Plat of historic area) Scale 1" = 40'

Plan for proposed planting in the deer park

Unit Date March 1934

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 9 (folder)

Creator Abbott, Harold T.

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Original and reproduction. Topographical map of the area with key to different trees for the proposed planting. Scale 1" = 40'

Tree plantings, Mount Vernon

Unit Date undated

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 9 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Unlabeled map of unnamed area or location at Mount Vernon showing trees and other plantings. Original. Scale 1/4" = 1'

Planting Plan, Mount Vernon Terminus

Unit Date 1931

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Public Roads. Proposed plantings for entire Mount Vernon terminus area, Mount Vernon Memorial Highway. Includes notes, plans for signage, key to tree types, etc. Scale 1" = 100'

Mount Vernon General Plan

Unit Date 1931

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 11 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Original. Survey showing the upper garden and general area north including the Texas Gate, several outbuildings, roads/paths, and administration building (current Bolton building). Scale 1" = 40'

Topographic map of Mt. Vernon and Vicinity

Unit Date November 3, 1925

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Original. U.S. War Department, traced by E. R. Kent. Topographic map of Mount Vernon and vicinity, "Note: This map was traced from a photographic enlargement of a portion of the U.S. War Department map. Due to distortion in photographing the scale is only approximate." Traced by E.R. Kent. Scale 1" = 310'

Topographic Plan of Mount Vernon

Unit Date September 1931

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 13 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Blueprint and reproductions. Original blueprint, one full size reproduction, and smaller copies of Williams' 1931 topographic map. Shows details, names of buildings with tree legend. Scale 1" = 40'

Topographic Survey of Mount Vernon

Unit Date 1931

Maps 80 (Drawer)

Container 14 (folder)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

2 reproductions (copies) of Williams' topographic survey 1931. Poor quality.

Estate and Site Plans -- Topographic Map

Unit Date undated

Maps Bin 3 (carton)

Scope and Contents

Topographic map of historic area of Mount Vernon

Topographic Maps

Unit Date undated

Maps Bin 3 (carton)

Scope and Contents

12 sheets of unlabeled topographic maps of various areas of the estate

The Five Farms Map

Unit Date undated

Maps Bin 3 (carton)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Redrawn version of map drawn by George Washington in 1793

Topographic Plan of Mount Vernon

Unit Date September 1931

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Scope and Contents

Original. Large topographic plan of the estate, showing buildings and gardens, as well as labeling every variety of tree. Scale 1" = 20'

Mount Vernon survey of 1931

Unit Date 1931

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Creator Williams, Morley Jeffers, 1886-1977

Extent 2 Copies

Scope and Contents

Original and reproduction in Bin 4. Large topographic survey of the estate grounds. Scale 1" = 80'. Reproduction is fragile with a large tear. Neg. 3994 written at bottom reverse.

Fairfax County Proposed Plan of Residential Development

Unit Date November 1954

Unit Date 1980

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Scope and Contents

Reproduction. Map of Fairfax County with shading over Mount Vernon area. Fragile with a large tear.

Aerial Photograph of the Estate

Unit Date undated

Graphic Materials Bin 4 (carton)

Scope and Contents

Black and white photograph of the estate grounds. Fragile with many tears.

Fort Belvoir Quadrangle -- Virginia-Maryland

Unit Date undated

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Scope and Contents

United States Department of the Interior Geological Survey. Large topographic map showing development all around Mount Vernon. Water damage.

Plan of Mount Vernon Showing Permanent Features

Unit Date August 1946

Maps Bin 4 (carton)

Maps Bin 5 (box)

Creator Fisher, Robert B.

Scope and Contents

Two copies - one in Bin 4 and one in Bin 5 (very fragile). Plan of permanent features at Mount Vernon.

Mount Vernon Map

Unit Date June 1969

Maps Bin 5 (box)

Scope and Contents

Map of Mount Vernon property with locations approximate based on existing surveys. Fragile, water damage and tears. Scale 1" = 160'