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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

SC.HMPC

Unit ID

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Unit Date

1675-1971

Language

English .

Extent

22 Sheets

Repository

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Administrative Information

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Scope and Contents

This collection of historic maps date from 1675-1971, and primarily relate to the Washington and Custis families, the Revolutionary War, and society life in antebellum Washington D.C. and Virginia. Includes

matching editions of maps personally owned by George Washington.

Note: surveys created by George Washington are found in the George Washington Collection.

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Custodial History

Items in this collection were acquired by gift and purchase from various sources. Materials are added to the collection as they are acquired.

Arrangement

This collection is primarily arranged by size.

Description of Subordinate Components

Map, Virginia and Maryland

Unit ID RP-643, MAP-4349

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32379

Unit Date 1675-1699

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Material Specification Scales, "Comon English Miles, Marine Miles" and "Statute English Miles". Relief shown pictorially. Includes table depicting English Plantaions and Indian Plantations and Houses.

Extent 1 Sheetshand colored20 x 27 cm

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Maps (documents)

Virginia

Maryland

The Island of Barbados; divided into its parishes, with the roads, paths, &c. according to an actual and accurate survey

Unit ID RP-533, MAP-4058

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32206

Unit Date 1736?

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Moll, Herman, -1732

Material Specification Scale [1: 85,000]. Bar scale given in "English miles 60 to a degree". Relief shown pictorially. Includes explanation of drawings and content of the Parishes. Top left corner reads "Vol. 3 p. 618" and "59" in upper right corner.Shows churches, forts, plantations, windmills, submerged rocks, etc. Oriented with north toward left.

Extent 1 Sheets1 hand colored map37 x 29 cm on sheet 40 x 37 cm

Related Materials

Appears in Atlas Minor: or a new and curious set of sixty-two maps, in which are shewn all the empires, kingdoms, countries, states, in all the known parts of the earth; with their bounds, divisions, chief cities & towns, the whole composed & laid down agreeable to modern history. By Herman Moll, Geographer. (3rd ed.) London, Printed for Thos. Bowles in St. Pauls Church Yard & John Bowles at the Black Horse in Cornhill (1736?), pg. 59.

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Barbados

Created / Published

London: Printed for Thos. Bowles in St. Pauls Church Yard & John Bowles at the Black Horse in Cornhill (1736?)

Carte de la Virginie et du Maryland

Unit ID RP-550, MAP-4079

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32213

Unit Date 1755

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language French.

Creator Robert de Vaugondy, Gilles, 1688-1766

Creator Fry, Joshua, approximately 1700-1754

Creator Jefferson, Peter, 1708-1757

Material Specification Scale [ca. 1:870,000] (W 80°30'--W 74°30'/N 40°00'--N 36°20'). Scale listed as "Mille pas geometriques de 60 au degre. Lieues marines d'Angleterre de 20 au degre. Milles de 69 au degre". Relief shown pictorially. Relief shown pictorially. Cardinal points marked "Septentrion, Orient, Midi, Occident". Includes title cartouche, "Carte De La Virginie Et Du Maryland, Dressee sur la grande carte Angloise de Mrs. Josue Fry et Pierre Jefferson, Par le Sr. Robert de Vaugondy Geographe ordinaire du Roi, Avec Privilege, 1755". Name listed "Groux".

Extent 1 Sheet1 hand colored map64 x 48 cm on sheet 75 x 55 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Virginia

Maryland

Chesapeake Bay (Md. and Va.)

Delaware

Carte des Parties Nord et Ouest de l'Amerique

Unit ID RP-976, MAP-5407

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32381

Unit Date 1772

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language French.

Creator Robert de Vaugondy, Didier, 1723-1786

Material Specification Scale [ca. 1:19,000,000]. Relief shown pictorially. "Dressée d'après les relations les plus authentiques par M. en 1764. Nouvelle édition réduite par M. de Vaugondy en 1772." At upper center, "Septentrion". At upper right, "Suppl. 1re carte". Note in bottom left, "Ville des Tahuglauks selon la relation du Baron de la Hontan et qui peut avoir ete prise par quelques Geographes modernes pour Quivira a laquelle ils donnent la meme position sur la preterdue Mer de Ouest". Shows North America from California and the Gulf of Mexico north to the Arctic, including portions of eastern Siberia and Greenland.

Extent 1 Sheetshand colored39 x 30 cm on sheet 44 x 37 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

North America

Created / Published

Livourne, France: 1772

Map of the province of New York, reduc'd from the large drawing of the province, compiled from actual surveys by order of his Excellency Willion Tryon Esq. Captain General & Governor of the fame, by Claude Joseph Sauthier; to which is added New-Jersey, from the topographical observations of C.J. Sauthier & B. Ratzer

Unit ID M-181

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32377

Unit Date 1776

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 35 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Faden, William, 1749-1836

Creator Sauthier, Claude Joseph

Creator Ratzer, Bernard

Material Specification Includes scales, "English statute miles 69 1/2 to a Degree" and "Nautical Leagues 20 to a Degree". Scale ca. 1:1,050,000. Relief shown by hachures. Shows administrative boundaries in New York and New Jersey. Also shows portions of Pennsylvania and New England.

Extent 1 Sheetfolded map, colored. has been conserved.58 x 73 cm

Keywords

New York (State)

New Jersey

New Hampshire

Maps (documents)

Pennsylvania

Maryland

Created/Published

London: Wm. Faden, 1776.

A plan of Boston in New England with its environs, including Milton, Dorchester, Roxbury, Brooklin, Cambridge, Medford, Charlestown, Parts of Malden and Chelsea. With the military works constructed in those places in the years 1775 and 1776

Unit ID RP-681, MAP-4835

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32624

Unit Date 1777

Maps 122 : L : 2 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Pelham, Henry, 1749-1806

Creator Jukes, Francis, 1745-1812

Extent 1 Sheetshand colored

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Boston (Mass.) -- History -- Siege, 1775-1776

A map of the most inhabited part of Virginia containing the whole province of Maryland with part of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and North Carolina

Unit ID MAP-6475 A/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32625

Unit Date 1775

Maps Closed Stacks

Container Table (Section)

Language English.

Creator Fry, Joshua, approximately 1700-1754

Creator Jefferson, Peter, 1708-1757

Creator Jefferys, Thomas, -1771

Creator Sayer, Robert, 1725-1794

Material Specification Scale [ca. 1:650,000]. Prime meridians: Philadelphia, Curratuck Inlet, and London. Relief shown pictorially. "To the Right Honourable, George Dunk Earl of Halifax ... [by] Thos. Jefferys." Includes notes and distance chart. Appears in Jefferys' General topography of North America and the West Indies. London: Printed for Robert Sayer, ... and Thomas Jefferys, 1768.

Extent 2 Sheets

Related Materials

LC Maps of North America, 1750-1789, 1429 Stevens & Tree. Comparative cartography, 87e

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Virginia

Maryland

Pennsylvania

New Jersey

North Carolina

Middle Atlantic States

Created/Published

London : Printed for Robt. Sayer ... & Thos. Jefferys, 1775

Plan de la bataille de Montmouth où le Gl. Washington commandait l'Armée Américaine et le Gl. Clinton l'Armée Anglaise, le 28 Juin 1778

Unit ID RP-2574, MAP-6943

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32261

Unit Date 1781-1782

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language French.

Material Specification Scale ca. 1:30,500.. Includes table explanation of figures,"Explication des Chifres" . Relief shown by hachures. Oriented with north toward the upper left.

Extent 1 Sheets39 x 21 cm on sheet 43 x 28 cm

Keywords

New Jersey

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Maps (documents)

Created/Published

Bruxelles: Michel Rene, 1781-1782

Plan D'York en Virginie, avec les attaques et les campemens de l'Armée de combinée de France et d'Amérique

Unit ID RP-643, MAP-4351

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32378

Unit Date 1787

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language French.

Creator Soulés, François, 1748-1809

Material Specification Scale, "Echelle de 600 Toises". Relief shown pictorially. Hachuring is used to indicate elevations. Includes a "Nota" explaining the map drawings and color.

Extent 1 Sheetcolored38 x 29 cm on sheet 43 x 38 cm

Keywords

Virginia

Maps (documents)

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Yorktown (Va.) -- History -- Siege, 1781

Created/Published

Paris: François Soulés, 1787

A new and complete map of the West Indies

Unit ID RP-555, MAP-4132

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32208

Unit Date 1794 May 12

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheet1 map85 x 46 on sheet 89 x 52 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

West Indies

Created / Published

London: Mons. R. Danville, published by Laurie & Whittle, 1794 May 12

Map of Virginia, Maryland and Delaware

Unit ID RP-643, MAP-4350

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32380

Unit Date 1794 July 16

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Morse, Jedidiah, 1761-1826

Creator Stockdale, John, 1749?-1814

Creator Mutlow, I.

Material Specification Scale [ca. 1:1,550,000] (W 83°--W 74°/N 40°--N 36°). Relief shown pictorially. Prime meridian: London. "Longitude West from London" on bottom right corner.

Extent 1 Sheet48 x 33 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Virginia

Maryland

Delaware

Created / Published

Picadilly, London: J. Stockdal, 1794. Statement of responsibility: I. Mutlow sc. 6 James St. Covt. Gardn.

The State of Virginia from the best authorities

Unit ID RP-735, MAP-4941

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32263

Unit Date 1794

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Samuel

Creator Smither, James

Creator Jefferson, Thomas, 1743-1826

Material Specification Includes scale. Prime meridians: Philadelphia and London. "Longitude W. from London" is at center bottom. "Longitude W. from Philadelphia" is center top. Relief shown pictorially.

Extent 1 Sheets1 map51 x 35 cm on sheet 55 x 39 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

General

Philadelphia : Samuel Lewis for Carey's American Edition of Guthrie's Geography Improved, 1794

Plan of the city of Washington in the territory of Columbia ceded by the states of Virginia and Maryland to the United States of America and by them established as the seat of their government after the year 1800

Unit ID RP-2544, MAP-6912

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32262

Unit Date 1795

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Russell, John, active 1733-1795

Material Specification "Scale of Poles". Includes table of "Remarks". Oriented north to the top. Relief shown by hachures. Depths shown by soundings. Shows block numbers and proposed government buildings.

Extent 1 Sheets1 map52 x 40 cm on sheet 56 x 43 cm

Keywords

Washington (D.C.)

Maps (documents)

Created / Published

London: John Russell, 1795

Plan of the City of Washington in the Territory of Columbia, ceded by the States of Virginia and Maryland to the United States of America, and by them established as the seat of their Government, after the year MDCC

Unit ID RP-859, MAP-5266

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33170

Unit Date 1792

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Thackara & Vallance

Extent 1 Sheets1 map86 x 64 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Plan of Mt. Vernon, the home of Washington

Unit ID M-836

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32259

Unit Date 1855

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 map29 x 36 on sheet 32 x 40 cm

Created / Published

C. Currier, 1855

George Washington's land at Mount Vernon Fairfax coy Virginia. As it was & as it is

Unit ID 2017-SC-021

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32788

Unit Date 1859

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Creator Gillingham, W.

Extent 1 Sheets1 map42 x 31 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Johnson's Georgetown and the city of Washington: the capital of the United States of America

Unit ID RP-481, MAP-3875

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32205

Unit Date 1862

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Material Specification Bar scale. Relief shown pictorially. Includes illustrations of Washington Monument, Capitol, and Smithsonian Institution. Bottom right corner displays "37".

Extent 1 Sheets1 colored map46 x 36 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Georgetown (Washington, D.C.)

Created / Published

New York: Johnson & Ward, 1862

George Washington's map of his Mount Vernon Estate, drawn by him in 1793 and based on his own surveys

Unit ID RP-1012b MAP-5447/n

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32260

Unit Date 1945

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets53 x 37 cm on sheet 57 x 41 cm

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Maps (documents)

Created / Published

Plan of the town of Alexandria in the District of Columbia in 1798

Unit ID RP-541, MAP-4070

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32207

Unit Date 1944

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 map72 x 57 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Created / Published

New York: Drawn by George Gilbin in 1797, engraved by T. Clarke, published by I.V. Thomas, 1798

Proposed Piscataway Park and Mount Vernon viewshed

Unit ID RP-2137, MAP-6602

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32210

Unit Date approximately 1960

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Material Specification Includes legend

Extent 2 Sheets2 colored maps44 x 29 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Reference numbers

MV 357, E 312.5 C.57

Status of Proposed Piscataway Park, MD. To preserve lands which provide the principle overview from the Mount Vernon Estate and Fort Washington

Unit ID RP-2136, MAP-6601/a-b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32209

Unit Date 1965 January

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Material Specification Includes legend

Extent 2 Sheets2 colored maps43 x 29 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Reference numbers

MV 359, E 312.5 C57

Created / Published

Citizens Committee in Natural Resources, 1965

Piscataway Park, Charles and Prince George Counties

Unit ID RP-2139, MAP-6604

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32212

Unit Date 1966

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 map61 x 46 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Created / Published

Washington DC: U.S. Department of Interior, National Park Service, Division of Land and Water Rights, July 1966. Revised 1976.

The Accokeek Foundation area. Piscataway Park and Mount Vernon viewshed

Unit ID RP-2138, MAP-6603/a-b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32211

Unit Date 1971 March 15

Maps Closed Stacks

Container 38 (Drawer)

Language English.

Material Specification Includes legend

Extent 2 Sheets2 colored maps43 x 28 cm

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Reference numbers

MV 358, E 312.5 C.57

Created / Published

Citizens Committee in Natural Resources, 1971 March 15