

Bruce family papers

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1880-1951

Title Statement

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Notes

I included all of the Bruce family papers before we met and decided to only process the addition.

Profile Description

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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

MSS 16876

Unit ID

[Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID

/repositories/3/resources/1740

Unit Date

1880-1951

Language

English

Creator

Bruce, Philip Alexander, 1856-1933

Creator

Bruce, Elizabeth Tunstall Taylor Newton, 1856-1940

Extent

10.6 Cubic Feet 2 legal size document boxes in Series 1. 10 legal document boxes in Series 2. One letter document box and one small flat box in Series 3. One legal document box and one small flat box in Series 4. These are not all housed together in the stacks.

Repository

Albert and Shirley Small Special Collections Library

Administrative Information

Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research use.

Conditions Governing Use

The baby album contains photographs and gloves should be worn for handling these photographs. The scrapbook in Box 1 and the removed contents in Box 2 should be viewed together.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Additions ViU-2024-0136 and ViU-2025-0012 were purchases from Black Swan Books to the Small Special Collections Library at the University of Virginia Library on 16 July, 2024 and 15 November 2025.

MSS 2889, -a,-b,-c and was a gift to Small Special Collections by his daughter, Mrs. Archibald B. Shepperson, in 1948.

MSS 38-207 provenance is unknown.

Preferred Citation

MSS 16876, Bruce family papers, Albert and Shirley Small Special Collections Library, University of Virginia Library.

Biographical / Historical

Philip A. Bruce (1856-1933) was a historian, essayist, and poet of Scotch descent. The son of Charles and Sarah Seddon Bruce, Philip spent his youth at Staunton Hall Plantation in Charlotte County, Virginia. Deeply influenced by the social and cultural life of the plantation, Bruce received a good education from various tutors. Later, he attended Norwood Academy; and then the University of Virginia from 1873 to 1875. He obtained a Bachelor of Law degree from Harvard in 1879.

Bruce's career was varied and colorful. His first position as editorial writer for The Richmond Times brought him recognition as a promising writer. As corresponding secretary of the Virginia Historical Society, Bruce played a major role editing its quarterly publication. Bruce never taught, but devoted his full creative energies to writing. In 1896 his major work The Economic History of Virginia in the Seventeenth Century appeared. Bruce spent time in England to research colonial Virginia records. He published a social and institutional history of Virginia and a History of the University of Virginia (5 vols.) in 1921. For additional biographical information, see Darrett B. Rutman, "Philip Alexander Bruce: A Divided Mind of the South" Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, LXVIII (Oct. 1960), pp. 387-408.

Content Description

Related Materials

MSS 38-207 Papers of Philip Alexander Bruce and ViU-2025-0012 Papers of Philip Alexander Bruce Addition 1 are part of this collection.

Another addition of this collection is MSS 2889, -a,-b,-c and was a gift to Small Special Collections by his daughter, Mrs. Archibald B. Shepperson, in 1948.

These have been combined along with two recent additions (ViU-2024-0136 and ViU-2025-0012) into this one ArchivesSpace record.

ViU-2024-0136 is related to the University of Virginia collection of the History of Childhood MSS 16758 but is not part of it.

Related Materials

This collection includes several additions such as (MSS 2889) the papers regarding Philip Alexander Bruce's historical writings and personal correspondence, including correspondence with A. Henderson, 1917 July and 15 January 1925, Dunbar Rowland, 18 March 1933, and Carter Woodson, 3 February, 1921 and 15 January, 1940. Included is a brief letter of thanks from Woodrow Wilson, 1912 July 23.(Boxes 1-2)

Another addition MSS 38-207 contains the typescript of Philip Alexander Bruce's history of the University of Virginia together with some chapters from his writings on Thomas Jefferson and on the education of African-

Americans. (Boxes 3-12)

Keywords

Scrapbooks

Hobson, Amanda, 1831

Shepperson, Philippa Alexander Bruce, 1897-1972

Armstrong, Philippa Alexander Bruce Shepperson, 1934-

Description of Subordinate Components

Series 1. MSS 38-207 Papers of Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265363

Unit Date 1920-1922

Unit Date 1896

Language English

Extent 1 Cubic Feet2 document boxes

Keywords

African Americans -- Education

University of Virginia -- History

Jefferson, Thomas

History of the University of Virginia

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265367

Mixed Materials [X004987126] 1 (box)

Container 1-8 (folder)

History of the University of Virginia

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265368

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Thomas Jefferson

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265369

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Colonial Period 1607-1763

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265370

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

MSS 38-207-a Handwritten notes

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265371

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Series 2. MSS 2889 Papers regarding Philip Alexander Bruce's historical writings and personal correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265366

Unit Date 1889-1940

Correspondence: Baylor family to Mrs. Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265375

Unit Date 1915, 1933

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Correspondence: J. P. Bell Co. to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265376

Unit Date 1927, 1931

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Correspondence: Landon C. Bell (author) to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265377

Unit Date 1927-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Correspondence: Olaf Bjorkman to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265378

Unit Date 1921, 1929

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Correspondence: Charles Norvelle Bruce to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265380

Unit Date 1923-1925

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Correspondence: Philip Alexander Bruce to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barringer

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265382

Unit Date 1916

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Correspondence between Mr. and Mrs. Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265383

Unit Date 1896-1921

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Correspondence: Mr. and Mrs Bruce to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265384

Unit Date 1878-1901

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Correspondence: Philippa Bruce with various writers

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265385

Unit Date 1933 and undated

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

Correspondence: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Seddon Bruce to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265386

Unit Date 1915, 1933-1934

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Correspondence: Thomas Seddon Bruce to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265387

Unit Date 1901-1939

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Correspondence: Mr. and Mrs. Cabell Bruce to Mr. and Mrs Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265388

Unit Date 1889-1921

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

Correspondence: William Cabell Bruce to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265389

Unit Date 1920-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 18 (folder)

Correspondence: Mrs. W. Case [English] to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265390

Unit Date 1915-1927

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 19 (folder)

Correspondence: R. G. Chandler to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265391

Unit Date 1923-1929

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Correspondence: John Armstrong Chaloner to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265392

Unit Date 1927-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 21 (folder)

Correspondence: Harry Clemons to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265393

Unit Date 1928, 1930

Mixed Materials [X004996322] 3 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

Correspondence: W. Couch to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265394

Unit Date 1929

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Correspondence: Virginius Dabney to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265395

Unit Date 1931-1932

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Correspondence: Arthur Kyle Davis to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265396

Unit Date 1926

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Correspondence: Lambert Davis to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265397

Unit Date 1928-1929

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Correspondence: E. Drummond [English] to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265398

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Correspondence: H. J. Eckenrode to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265399

Unit Date 1927-1931

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Correspondence: J. D. Eggleston to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265400

Unit Date 1927-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Correspondence: Mr. and Mrs. G. Briscoe Eyre to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265401

Unit Date 1914-1922

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Correspondence: George Fawcett to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265402

Unit Date 1925-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Correspondence: Worthington C. Ford to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265403

Unit Date 1921, 1927-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Correspondence: J. E. Gaines to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265404

Unit Date 1927-1931

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Correspondence: Wilson Gee to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265405

Unit Date 1927-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Correspondence: Armistead C. Gordon to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265406

Unit Date 1910-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 13-15 (folder)

Correspondence: R. M. Graham [English] to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265408

Unit Date 1915-922

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Correspondence: Raymond Gorges to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265407

Unit Date 1929, 1931

Mixed Materials [X004996323] 4 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Correspondence: Fairfax Harrison to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265409

Unit Date 1916-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Correspondence: Archibald Henderson to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265410

Unit Date 1917-1932

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Correspondence: Arthur Humphreys to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265411

Unit Date 1924-1929

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Correspondence: Allen Johnson (editor D.A.B.) to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265412

Unit Date 1926-1927

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Correspondence: Mrs. John Kelsall to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265413

Unit Date 1914-1936

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Correspondence: Gordon McCabe to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265414

Unit Date 1911-1918

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Correspondence: John C. Metcalf to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265416

Unit Date 1921-1930

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Correspondence: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265417

Unit Date 1921-1930

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Correspondence: Walter H. Page to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265418

Unit Date 1913

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Correspondence: John S. Patton to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265419

Unit Date 1920-1929

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Correspondence: Seldon Piercy to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265420

Unit Date 1924

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Correspondence: Governor J. G. Pollard to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265421

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Correspondence: James Putnam to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265422

Unit Date 1935

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

Correspondence: Putnam's sons to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265423

Unit Date 1899, 1910

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Correspondence: O. M. Reynolds to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265424

Unit Date 1924, 1934, undated

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Correspondence: Jack Ross to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265425

Unit Date 1923-1931

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

Correspondence: Dunbar Rowland [Mississippi State historian] to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265426

Unit Date 1927-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 18 (folder)

Correspondence: Mary E. Rowland to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265427

Unit Date 1925-1930

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 19 (folder)

Correspondence: Louise Savage to Archibald Bolling Shepperson

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265428

Unit Date 1947

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

UVA Librarian to Shepperson (son-in-law of Philip Alexander Bruce)

Correspondence: Harold R. Shurtleff to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265429

Unit Date 1932

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Correspondence: Tunstall Smith to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265430

Unit Date 1919-1926

Mixed Materials [X004996324] 5 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

Correspondence: Gerald Smythe to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265431

Unit Date 1916-1929

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 1-2 (folder)

Correspondence: William G. Stanard to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265432

Unit Date 1921-1932

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Correspondence: E. G. Swem (president of William and Mary College) to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265433

Unit Date 1926-1927

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Correspondence: Prince Pierre Troubetzkoy to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265434

Unit Date 1917, 1922, 1933

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Correspondence: Lyon G. Tyler to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265435

Unit Date 1911-1932

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Correspondence: Frederick H. Viaux to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265436

Unit Date 1923-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Correspondence: J. H. Whitty to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265437

Unit Date 1918-1928

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Correspondence: James Southall Wilson to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265438

Unit Date 1925-1930

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Correspondence: Woodrow Wilson to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265439

Unit Date 1911-1912

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Correspondence: Jennings C. Wise to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265440

Unit Date 1915-1930

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Correspondence: George Evelyn Wood to Mrs. Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265442

Unit Date 1916-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Correspondence: Bessie Zeban to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265441

Unit Date 1929-1930

Mixed Materials [X004996325] 6 (box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Miscellaneous Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265443

Mixed Materials [X004996326] 7 (box)

Container 1-4 (folder)

Miscellaneous Notations concerning Bruce papers

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265444

Mixed Materials [X004996326] 7 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Telegrams on Death of Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265445

Unit Date 1933

Mixed Materials [X004996326] 7 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Publication Agreements

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265446

Unit Date 1895-1929

Mixed Materials [X004996326] 7 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Leases

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265448

Unit Date 1918

Mixed Materials [X004996326] 7 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Newspaper clippings

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265449

Unit Date 1923-1925

Mixed Materials [X004996326] 7 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Schoolboy compositions, Norwood School, Virginia

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265450

Unit Date 1872

Manuscripts [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Addresses: "Social Life of Virginia" "George Eliot"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265451

Unit Date 1909, undated

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Book Reviews by Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265452

Unit Date 1912, 1925

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Address by Mrs. Bruce at Class Reunion "VMI in 1873"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265453

Unit Date 1923

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Research concerning Maltravers Grant

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265454

Unit Date 1926

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Bookplate of Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265455

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Bruce's outlines for account of Colonial Virginia

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265456

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Poem: "In Sussex, England"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265457

Unit Date 1915

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Poem: "The Bells of Astead"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265458

Unit Date 1915

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Poem: "Cape Henry"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265459

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Poem: "Ballad of London Wind"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265460

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Sonnets and Poems: "Pocahontas" and others

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265461

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Various printed articles: "Negro Problem" "Poe at U.V.A." "England During War"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265462

Unit Date 1911, 1915

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Transcript: "Va. on the Defensive"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265463

Unit Date 1925

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

"Cub Creek Church" by Elizabeth V. Gaines

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265464

Unit Date 1929 July 4

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Typescript: "Negro Migration Northward"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265466

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

Typescript: "Damon and Pythias"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265467

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 18 (folder)

Typescript: "Aspects of Southern Development"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265468

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 19 (folder)

Typescript: "Brids of English Water-Meadows"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265469

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Typescript: "Florence"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265470

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 21 (folder)

Photos of Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265471

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

Invitations

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265472

Mixed Materials [X004996327] 8 (box)

Container 23 (folder)

Scrapbook: Editorials while Chief Editorial writer of Richmond Times Dispatch 1888-1891 and miscellaneous 1888-1926

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265473

Mixed Materials [X004996328] 9 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Scrapbook: Newspaper clippings

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265474

Unit Date 1896-1910

Mixed Materials [X004996328] 9 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Scrapbook: Newspaper clippings, Reviews

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265475

Unit Date 1899-1911

Mixed Materials [X004996328] 9 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Scrapbook: Newspaper clippings

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265476

Unit Date 1902-1933

Mixed Materials [X004996329] 10 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Scrapbook: Newspaper clippings

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265477

Unit Date 1911-1917

Mixed Materials [X004996329] 10 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Two Memorandum Books

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265478

Unit Date 1919-1920

Mixed Materials [X004996329] 10 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Scrapbook: Reviews of History of U.V.a

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265479

Unit Date 1921-1923

Mixed Materials [X004996329] 10 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Manuscript: "Intimate Sidelights on Belligerent England"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265480

Unit Date 1915

Mixed Materials [X004996330] 11 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Typescript: "Thomas Jefferson as Secretary of State"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265481

Unit Date 1925

Mixed Materials [X004996330] 11 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Manuscript: "Edgar Allan Poe: An Interpretation"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265482

Mixed Materials [X004996330] 11 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Notebooks, Drafts of Poe Ms

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265483

Mixed Materials [X004996330] 11 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: J. E. Baldwin to Philip Alexander Bruce about business affairs

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265484

Unit Date 1920-1927

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Philip Alexander Bruce statement about plantation

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265485

Unit Date 1908-1927

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: W. Claybrook to Philip Alexander Bruce about land sale

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265486

Unit Date 1921-1923

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Marcellus French to Philip Alexander Bruce about surveying

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265487

Unit Date 1911-1917

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Correspondence and Agreements between J. E. Gaines and Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265488

Unit Date 1913-1919

Manuscripts [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Correspondence of J. E. Gaines and Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265489

Unit Date 1920-1926

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: R.F. Gilliland to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265490

Unit Date 1922-1925

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: H. J. Hamlett to Philip Alexander Bruce about business matters

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265491

Unit Date 1916-1926

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Hutcheson and Early (Attorneys) to Philip Alexander Bruce about legal business

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265492

Unit Date 1921

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Arthur Johnson to Philip Alexander Bruce about business matters

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265493

Unit Date 1916

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Fred Kabler to Philip Alexander Bruce about surveying

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265494

Unit Date 1917

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: J. E. Peterson to Philip Alexander Bruce about sale of lands

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265495

Unit Date 1917

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Piedmont Lumber Company to Philip Alexander Bruce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265496

Unit Date 1909-1910

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Stephen Randolph to Philip Alexander Bruce about business matters

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265497

Unit Date 1926

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Venable and Ford Company to Philip Alexander Bruce about sale of property

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265498

Unit Date 1915-1916

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: N. L. Williamson to Philip Alexander Bruce about land sales

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265499

Unit Date 1922-1925

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Miscellaneous correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265500

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 17-18 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Accounts and Tax Receipts

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265501

Unit Date 1916-1925

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Deeds, Indentures, Lease of Sale Agreements

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265502

Unit Date 1912-1918

Manuscripts [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Sale notices

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265503

Unit Date 1925-1926

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 21 (folder)

Stonewall Plantation: Plats and land surveys

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265504

Mixed Materials [X004996331] 12 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

Series 3. ViU-2024-0136 Shepperson baby book

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265364

Unit Date 1897-1936

Language English

Contents removed from Shepperson baby book and placed in folders

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265507

Unit Date 1895-1935

Mixed Materials [X032784895] 13 (box)

Shepperson Baby book

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265508

Mixed Materials [X032762567] 14 (box)

Series 4. ViU-2025-0012 Addition 1 Bruce manuscripts and family scrapbooks

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265365

Unit Date 1903-1933

Language English

Scope and Contents

Similar to manuscripts in MSS 38-207. Also overlaps with MSS 2889

Keywords

Virginia -- History

Photograph albums

Manuscript: "Intimate Sidelights on Belligerent England"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265506

Unit Date 1915

Mixed Materials [X031779614] 15 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Manuscript: "Ballad of the London Wind" and other poems

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265510

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials [X031779614] 15 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Bruce's School History of the United States

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265511

Unit Date 1903

Mixed Materials [X031779614] 15 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Bruce Marriage Vows

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265512

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials [X031779614] 15 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

"Shadow of Richard Fugua"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265513

Mixed Materials [X031779614] 15 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Banister Lodge

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265514

Mixed Materials [X031779615] 16 (box)

Container 1-2 (folder)

Family scrapbooks

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/265505

Mixed Materials [X031779616] 17 (Flat_Box)