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Williamsburg Historic Records Association (Williamsburg, Va.)

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A portion of this collection was initially a loan and later made a gift. Acc. 1995.25: Gift of Mrs. Dorothy Ross; Acc. 2003.20: unknown gift; Acc. 2005.47: gift of Susan Godson on 7/5/2005. Mss. Acc. 1985.10B *Source:* Mrs. Joseph P. Moore (Adelia Peebles Moore). Gift as of March 1999. Acc. 1997.72 Addition: Gift of Colonial Williamsburg; original portrait loaned by Adelia Peebles Moore for WHRA. Acc. 1993.20 and 1993.66: *Source:* Mrs. Dorothy Jenkins Ross. Gift via the Williamsburg Historic Records Association. Acquisition information for material received after 7/13/2009 is available by consulting a Special Collections Research Center staff member.

Processing Information:

Processed by Ellen Strong in 1998. Updated by Anne Johnson, SCRC Staff, in 2009. The Braithwaite-Peebles Papers and the Minnie Braithwaite Jenkins Papers were integrated into this collection in July 2012 by Benjamin Bromley, Public Services Specialist. Acc. 2012.271 accessioned and minimally processed by Benjamin Bromley, Public Services Specialist, in July 2012.

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Family History:

Information about this individual or organization may be available in the Special Collections Research Center Wiki: http://scdbwiki.swem.wm.edu/wiki/index.php/Bucktrout_family.

Scope and Contents

Chiefly business correspondence and receipts, 1890-1920, of members of the Bucktrout and Braithwaite families of Williamsburg, Va. Among the correspondents are Hypolite Repiton, R. W. Bucktrout, D. Braithwaite, Richard M. Bucktrout and James Braithwaite.

Descriptions of selected accessions:

Acc. 1995.25: Bucktrout-Braithwaite Papers including copy of "Family Sites and the Restoration of Williamsburg" and an account of Christmas wedding of Delia Bucktrout to William Braithwaite, 26 Dec. 1865 written by Minnie Braithwaite.

Acc. 2003.20: Copy of a paper, "Bucktrout-Braithwaite Family Sites and the Restoration of Williamsburg" written by and signed by Dorothy Ballard Jenkins Ross, Historian of the Bucktrout-Braithwaite Foundation in 1975.

Acc. 2005.47: William & Mary News article about Minnie Braithwaite. 10/2/1996.

A portrait of Adelia Bucktrout (Braithwaite) - late 1800s - salt photoprint with hand coloring has been removed from the frame and both are stored at the offsite storage.

Acc. 2008.366: Note about "expenche of repairing Mrs. Bucktrouts house." Dated August 14, 1920.

Acc. 2012.271 is a letter of Thomas Barnes to Minnie Braithwaite concerning her petition to attend classes at the College of William and Mary.

Separated Materials:

Photograph of Ruth M. Braithwaite and Phi Beta Kappa Key of Peter Paul Peebles (alumnus and faculty of The College of William and Mary) were transferred to the artifact collection in 2009.

1896 Book of Common Prayer with attached 1889 hymnal with Ruth M. Braithwaite embossed on inside back cover was transferred to Rare Books. Also transferred to Rare Books was "The Missionary and his Words" by Lefferd Haughwort, published in 1927, with signature of signature of author to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Paul Peebles.

Related Materials:

See also; Richard Manning Bucktrout Daybook and Ledger; Bucktrout-Smith Papers, Special Collections Research Center, Swem Library, College of William and Mary.

Keywords

Correspondence

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Receipts (financial records)

Williamsburg (Va.)--History--19th century

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Legal documents

Schools--Virginia--James City County

Women teachers

Beale family

Braithwaite family

Bucktrout family

Braithwaite, Adelia Bucktrout

Jenkins, Minnie Braithwaite

General

Other Information:

A PDF document of this inventory is available online.

Additional information may be found at http://scrc.swem.wm.edu/findingaids/98_B85_Bucktrout-Braithwaite.pdf

Arrangement of Materials:

Folders arranged by correspondence, financial records, legal records, genealogical records and copies. Additions filed in accession number order in same box.

Description of Subordinate Components

Series 1: Mss. 98 B85**Unit ID** id65057**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228071**Unit Date** 1780-1902**Scope and Contents**

Chiefly business correspondence and receipts, 1890-1899, of members of the Bucktrout and Braithwaite families of Williamsburg, Va. Among the correspondents are Hypolite Repiton, R. W. Bucktrout, D. Braithwaite, Richard M. Bucktrout and James Braithwaite.

Personal correspondence**Unit ID** id137965**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228076**Unit Date** 1815-1902**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Correspondence, 1815, 1816 & undated of Hypolite Repiton of Williamsburg and Norfolk, Va.; letters of R. W. Bucktrout, Williamsburg, Va. 1864 & November 23 [?]; letter from D. Braithwaite, Williamsburg, Va., May 11, 1899; note from the husband of Maggie Bucktrout, Williamsburg, Va., 13 May 1902.

Business correspondence**Unit ID** id137966**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228077**Unit Date** 1878-1894 and undated**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 2 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Correspondence of the Savings Bank of Norfolk and the Fidelity Mutual Life Association with Mrs. W. H. (Delia) Braithwaite of Williamsburg, Va.

Bank books of the Savings Bank of Norfolk, Norfolk, Va., 1891, and of the Peninsula Bank, Williamsburg, Va., 1897-1904, of Mrs W. H. (Delia) Braithwaite**Unit ID** id137967**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228078**Unit Date** 1891, 1897-1904**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Receipts.****Unit ID** id137968**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228079**Unit Date** 1828-1889**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Receipts, chiefly 1882-1889, of W. H. Braithwaite, Mary E. Wooten, W. W. Vest, W[illiam] Wooden, Mrs. Louisa Barlow, W[illiam] Wootten, and Rob[er]t J. Barlow of accounts payable to the Treasurer of James City County, and Treasurer of York County, Va.

Receipts

Unit ID id137969

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228080

Unit Date 1890-1909 and undated

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipts, chiefly 1890-1987, of Elizabeth Fenton, W[illia]m Wootten, W. H. Braithwaite; W. W. Vest, and Mary E. Wootten of accounts payable to the Treasurer of the City of Williamsburg, and the Treasurer of James City County, Va.

Legal papers

Unit ID id137970

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228081

Unit Date 1780 (copy). 1801-1893

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Copy of 1780 will of James Braithwaite of Princess Anne County, Va.; legal agreement, 1801, about distribution of slaves, signed by Gasking Brock and James Braithwaite; legal papers involving Richard M. Bucktrout, 1825; and miscellaneous legal papers, 1877-1893.

Genealogical Chart of David Brainard Beale Family

Unit ID id137971

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228082

Unit Date 1817-1876

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Chart and biographical notes of the family David Brainard Beale (1817-1876). (In medium oversize file.)

Miscellaneous

Unit ID id137972

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228083

Unit Date 1812 December 14; 1902 March 11; and undated

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Proceedings of the M.E.S.G. Royal Arch Chapter of Virginia, begun and held in the Mason's Hall, in the City of Richmond." 14 December 1812; notice of the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Williamsburg Knitting Mill Company, 11 March 1902; and miscellaneous undated papers.

Envelopes

Unit ID id137973

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228084

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Envelopes

Unit ID id137974

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228085

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Xerox copies of items in the collection

Unit ID id137975

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228086

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Xerox copies of items in the collection

Unit ID id137976

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228087

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Xerox copies of items in the collection

Unit ID id137977

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228088

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 13 (Folder)

"Bucktrout-Braithwaite Family Sites and the Restoration of Williamsburg"

Unit ID id65058

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228072

Unit Date 1975

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Copy of a paper, "Bucktrout-Braithwaite Family Sites and the Restoration of Williamsburg" written by and signed by Dorothy Ballard Jenkins Ross, Historian of the Bucktrout-Braithwaite Foundation in 1975. (Acc. 2003.20 Addition)

Papers and Writings

Unit ID id65061

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228073

Unit Date 1865

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Bucktrout-Braithwaite Papers including copy of "Family Sites and the Restoration of Williamsburg;" and an account of Christmas wedding of Delia Bucktrout to William Braithwaite, 26 Dec. 1865 written by Minnie Braithwaite. (Acc. 1995.25 Addition)

Series 2: Photographs and Portrait of Adelia Bucktrout Braithwaite and Ruth M. Braithwaite

Unit ID id150002

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228074

Mixed materials 3 (box)

Scope and Contents

Two photographs of Adelia Bucktrout Braithwaite with negatives; and one photograph of Ruth Mae Braithwaite (Peebles) in a metal oval frame. (Acc. 1985.10B and Acc. 1997.71)

Adelia Bucktrout Braithwaite Photographs and Negatives

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/492131

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Language English

Scope and Contents

Two photographs of Adelia Bucktrout Braithwaite with negatives.

Photograph of Ruth Mae Braithwaite (Pebbles)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/492132

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Language English

Scope and Contents

One photograph of Ruth Mae Braithwaite (Pebbles) in a metal oval frame.

Portrait of Adelia Bucktrout (Braithwaite)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/492133

Mixed Materials 1 (Painting)

Language English

Existence and Location of Originals

Possibly moved to SCRC, Swem Library. 5/2/2020.

Series 3: Minnie Braithwaite Related

Unit ID id150003

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228075

Scope and Contents

Material relating to Minnie Galt Braithwaite, later known as Minnie Braithwaite Jenkins.

Babes in the Wood at Jamestown District School

Unit ID id150004

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228089

Unit Date 1891

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescript of essay entitled "Babes in the Wood at Jamestown District School, 1891" by Minnie Braithwaite. She describes her family life and her life as a teacher at the Jamestown District School. She tells it in a short story, narrative type form. (Acc. 1993.20)

Girl From Williamsburg Publicity Material

Unit ID id150005

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/228090

Unit Date 1951

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Copies of publicity material for Minnie Braithwaite Jenkins' autobiography, "Girl from Williamsburg." Includes a brief essay on "An Historic Spring" in Williamsburg. (Acc. 1993.66)

Minnie Braithwaite Article**Unit ID** id65059**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228091**Unit Date** 1996**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 18 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Article from The William & Mary News about Minnie Braithwaite, dated 10/2/1996. (Acc. 2005.47)

Thomas Barnes Letter**Unit ID** id150008**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/228092**Unit Date** 5 October 1896**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 19 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Letter from Thomas Barnes, a member of the College of William and Mary's Board of Visitors, to Minnie Braithwaite dated 5 October 1896 and concerning Braithwaite's petition to attend classes at the College. In the letter, Barnes says that while he disapproves of her desired professional goal of becoming a doctor, he will support her entrance if the faculty of the College do as well. (Mss. 2012.271)