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1790-1929

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Creator

Brown, Coalter, and Tucker Family

Creator

Archer, William Segar, 1789-1855

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Brown, Frances Bland Coalter, 1835-1894

Creator

Brown, Henry Peronneau, 1883-1942

Creator

Bryan, Elizabeth Tucker Coalter, b. 1805

Creator

Bryan, John Randolph, 1806-1887

Creator

Coalter family

Creator

Coalter, John, 1769-1838

Creator

Coalter, Judith H. Tomlin, d. 1859

Creator

Coalter, Maria Rind, d. 1792

Creator

Coalter, St. George Tucker, 1809-1839

Creator

Coleman, Cynthia Beverley Tucker Washington, 1832-1908

Creator

Hoge, Moses Drury, 1818-1899

Creator

Mason, J. M. (James Murray), 1798-1871

Creator

Munford, William, 1775-1825

Creator

Pendleton, William Nelson, 1809-1883

Creator

Pleasants, John Hampden, 1797-1846

Creator

Randolph, Judith Randolph, fl. 1792-1813

Creator

Rives, William C. (William Cabell), 1793-1868

Creator

Tucker, Henry St. George, 1780-1848

Creator

Tucker, Lelia Skipwith Carter, 1767-post 1833

Creator

Tucker, St. George, 1752-1827

Creator

Tyler, John, Jr., 1819-1896

Extent

12.50 Linear Feet

Extent

3433 items.

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Family History:

Note: The superscript numbers denote generations within each family.

Brown Family

Henry Brown 1(1716-1766) was born in Bedford County, Virginia. He married Alice Beard and had eleven children including; Capt. Henry Brown (1760-1841), and Daniel Brown (1770-1818).

Henry Brown 2(1760-1841), later commissioned as a Captain, was wounded in the Revolutionary War. After the war he opened a store in New London, Bedford (later Campbell) County with his brother, Daniel. He had a full and interesting life in mercantile pursuits, being involved in several ventures with other partners, and spending a good deal of his time in court collecting debts. He acted as Federal Tax Collector in Bedford County, 1800-1803, a deputy inspector of revenue and served several terms as a Sheriff. He was also a treasurer of the New London Academy Meeting House and the New London Agricultural Society. New London is in present day Campbell County, Virginia. His business and personal papers present a picture of the successful business man of that day. No letters written by Captain Henry Brown are in this collection, though many references to letters he had written are to be found. Capt. Henry Brown (1760-1841), married Frances Thompson (1775-1822). Their children included Henry Brown, Jr. (1797-1836), who married Eleanor Tucker; Samuel T. Brown, who married Lissie Huger; Locky [Lockie] T. Brown(b. 1827), who married Alexander Irvine; Frances Brown, who married Edwin Robinson; Alice Brown, who married William M. Worthington; and John Thompson Brown (1802-1836), who married Mary E. Willcox.

Many papers of Henry Brown, Jr. 3(1797-1836), are included in this collection, but his personality makes little impression on the reader. Toward the end of his short life he served in his father's store in Lynchburg, later opening a store of his own. Henry Brown Jr. married Eleanor Tucker. He died of an illness that had plagued him from his early years.

John Thompson Brown 3(1802-1836) was born near Bedford County, Virginia. He was a graduate of Princeton who later read law under Judge Creed Taylor. John became a member of the House of Delegates from Clarksburg, Harrison County, Virginia (later West Virginia), at the age of 26. Following his marriage in 1830 to Mary E. Willcox, daughter of a leading citizen of Petersburg, he was elected to the House of Delegates. His speeches to the House of Delegates on slavery, states rights, and politics in the Jackson and post-Jackson period exist in pamphlet form and are valuable for their insight into the position taken by Virginians in this period. He also served as member of the Virginia Constitutional Convention from 1829-1830. At the age of 29 he was mentioned as a possible candidate for U.S. Senator (appointed by the State legislature at the time), and undoubtedly would have been an important figure in national politics if he had not suffered an untimely death at the age of 34. He and Mary Willcox had three children; Henry Peronneau Brown (1832-1894), John Willcox Brown (b. 1833), and Col. John Thompson Brown II (1835-1864).

Col. John Thompson Brown II 4(1835-1864), was less than two years old when his father died. He lived to carry out his father's ideas in the next generation when the debate regarding state rights and slavery came to be settled by recourse to arms. His fiery speeches contributed to the war fever, a war in which he rose to the rank of Colonel in the artillery before being killed by a sniper's bullet on May 6, 1864.

Henry Peronneau Brown 4(1832-1894), was named after a Princeton schoolmate and close friend of his father's, Peronneau Finley, of Charleston, South Carolina. Henry Peronneau Brown lived briefly with his namesake after his father's death. The correspondence of Henry Peronneau Brown with his wife and their

relatives, is chiefly of value for the insight it gives into family affairs during the Civil War and the Reconstruction. Henry Peronneau Brown (1832- 1894), married France Bland Coalter (1835-1894), in 1858. They were the parents of John Thompson Brown III (b. 1861), who married Cassie Dallas Tucker Brown (fl.1898), reuniting the Tucker family with the line. They in turn had five children; John Thompson Brown IV (b. 1896); Frances Bland Coalter Brown; Henry Peronneau Brown III; Charles Brown; Elizabeth Dallas Brown; and Willcox Brown.

Coalter Family

John Coalter 1(1769-1838), was born in 1769 to parents Michael Coalter and Elizabeth Moore. While his father was away serving in the war against the British, John Coalter and his brothers worked the family farm on Walker's Creek in Rockbridge County, Virginia. After brief schooling he became tutor to the children of St. George Tucker (1752-1827), and Frances (Bland) Randolph Tucker (d.1788). Following the death of Mrs. Tucker, Coalter moved with the family to Williamsburg, serving without pay in return for the legal training he received from Judge St. George Tucker (1752-1827). While studying law, he also attended lectures at the College of William and Mary under Bp. James Madison and George Wythe. In December 1790, he received his license to practice law. A year later he married Maria Rind, the orphaned daughter of a Williamsburg printer, who had been serving as governess for the Tucker children. After the death of Maria Rind Coalter (d.1792), in childbirth, he married (1795), Margaret Davenport (d. 1795), of Williamsburg, who also died in childbirth within the year. Ann Frances Bland Tucker (1785-1813), daughter of St. George Tucker, was taken as his third wife in 1802. John Coalter had been her tutor twelve years before. She later bore him his only three children, Frances Lelia Coalter (1803-1822), Elizabeth Tucker Coalter Bryan (1805-1853), and St. George Tucker Coalter (1809- 1839). John Coalter later became a Circuit Judge of the Virginia General Court and bought "Elm Grove," an estate in Staunton, Virginia. Coalter continued to live there until 1811, at which time he moved to Richmond to serve as Judge of the Circuit Court of Appeals. In 1822, Coalter took his fourth wife, the widow Hannah (Jones) Williamson. In his latter years he enjoyed wide holdings and interests, including a lively concern with gold mining in Virginia. John Tucker Coalter died at "Chatham" plantation in Stafford County, Virginia, 1838.

Elizabeth Tucker Coalter 2(1805-1853), married John Randolph Bryan (godson of John Randolph of Roanoke) in 1831 and lived at Eagle Point, Gloucester County, Virginia. They had nine children; John Coalter Bryan (1831-1853), Delia Bryan, (d. 1833), Frances Tucker Bryan (b. 1835), Randolph Bryan (b. 1837), Georgia Screven Bryan (b. 1839), St. George Tucker Bryan (b. 1843), Joseph Bryan (b. 1847), Thomas Forman Bryan (1848-1851), Corbin Braxton Bryan (b. 1852).

St. George Tucker Coalter 2(1809-1839), married the strong-willed Judith Harrison Tomlin (1808-1859). He lived out his life fighting sickness and the losing battle of making his farm profitable. Judith Harrison Tomlin collected letters, which included many exchanged by the fourteen cousins (nine Bryans and five Coalters). Though none of these people were prominent on the large canvas of life, their collected letters give an interesting and informative picture of life in Virginia in the first half of the nineteenth century. St. George and Judith Coalter had six children; Walker Tomlin Coalter (1830-1831); John Coalter (1831-1883); Henry Tucker (1833-1870); Ann Frances Bland Coalter (1835-1894), who married Henry Peronneau Brown (1832-1894), in 1858; Virginia Braxton Coalter (b. 1837), who married William. P. Braxton in 1855; and St. George Tucker Coalter (b. 1839), who married Amelia Drewry in 1862 and Charlotte (Drewry) Terrill in 1868. See Brown Family

Tucker Family

St. George Tucker 1(1752-1827), was born in 1752 near Port Royal, Bermuda to Ann Butterfield Tucker and Henry Tucker, a merchant. St. George Tucker had a extensive career in law starting with his acceptance to the College of William and Mary under the tutelage of George Wythe in 1771. He served as clerk of courts of Dinwiddie County, 1774; commonwealth attorney for Chesterfield County, 1783-1786; law professor at the College of William and Mary, 1790; and federal court judge for Virginia, 1813-1825. In 1771, he married Frances (Bland) Randolph, a widow, who had three children from a previous marriage; Richard Randolph, Theodorick Randolph (d. 1792), and John Randolph of Roanoke. St. George and Frances Randolph Tucker together, had five children; Henry St. George Tucker (1780-1848), Tudor Tucker, Ann Frances Bland Tucker (1785-1813), Elizabeth Tucker (b. 1788), and Nathaniel Beverley Tucker (1784-1851). They lived on the Randolph plantation, "Mattoax" in Chesterfield County, Virginia, until the death of France Randolph Tucker in 1813. In 1791, St. George remarried the widow Lelia Skipwith Carter (fl. 1795). None of their three children lived to adulthood.

Henry St. George Tucker 2(1780-1848), served as a professor of law at the University of Virginia; in the Virginia House of Delegates, 1806-1807; in the U.S. Congress, 1815-1819; and in the Virginia Senate, 1819-1824. He married Anne Evelina Hunter in 1806 and had at least eleven children, including; Randolph Tucker, Dr. David Hunter Tucker, Frances Tucker, Mary Tucker, Virginia Tucker, Anne Tucker, and John Randolph Tucker (1823-1897).

Randolph Tucker 3married Lucy (?). The couple had children; St. George Tucker and Judge Randolph Tucker. Dr. David Hunter Tucker 3married Eliz Dallas and had Rev. Dallas Tucker and Cassie Dallas Tucker.

John Randolph Tucker 3(1823-1897), married Laura Holmes Powell in 1848 and had seven children. He was served as attorney general of Virginia, 1857-1865; professor of law at Washington College (currently Washington and Lee University); and was elected to U.S. Congress, 1874-1887.

Ann Frances Bland Tucker 2(1785-1813), married John Coalter (1769-1838). See Coalter Family.

Nathaniel Beverley Tucker 2(1784-1851), graduated from the College of William and Mary with a law degree. In 1807, he married Mary Coalter (d. 1827), sister of John Coalter (1769-1838). He moved to Missouri and became the Circuit Court Judge of the Missouri Territory in 1817. Nathaniel remarried twice, to Eliza Naylor in 1828 and to Lucy Anne Smith. He returned to teach at the College of William and Mary in 1834.

Other People

William Munford (1775-1825) A friend of John Tucker Coalter's (1769-1838), from his Williamsburg days, William Munford, a poet and lawyer of some note, wrote letters to Coalter which contain interesting reports of the College of William and Mary and of Harvard University. He wrote of the poverty stricken French immigrants in Norfolk, and sent vivid descriptions of the activity of the British fleet in the Chesapeake Bay during the War of 1812. He lived and studied with George Wythe in Williamsburg, later moving with him to Richmond to serve as his clerk. His remarks on Wythe, for whom he had a great affection, throw light on that important member of the legal profession in the new nation.

Gary A. Adams' (fl. 1900), connection to the family is unknown. However, several bills to him from the dry goods stores and the household supply stores are included in the collection.

Cynthia Beverly (Tucker) Washington Coleman (1832-1908) of Williamsburg, was an aunt of Cassie Tucker.

Judge John Randolph Tucker (circa 1915) Newspaper Clippings, 1913-1915, from Nome, Alaska concern the term of judgeship of John Randolph Tucker, (circa 1915).

Capt. David Tucker Brown (circa 1918), was a member of the 1918 Peace Commission, Paris France.

Scope and Contents

Papers, 1780-1929, of the Brown, Coalter, Tucker families including the papers of John Coalter (1769-1838), Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, and John Thompson Brown (1802-1836), member of the Virginia House of Delegates.

Among the correspondents are Maria (Rind) Coalter, St. George Tucker, William Munford, Frances Bland (Tucker) Coalter, St. George Tucker Coalter, Frances Bland (Coalter) Brown, the Rev. Moses D. Hoge, and Henry Peronneau Brown.

This finding aid is also available in microfilm format in Swem Library, College of William and Mary. An additional index can be found at: National Inventory of Documentary Sources in the United States available from Chadwyck-Healey, Inc., 1021 Prince Street, Alexandria, Va. 22314.

Separated Materials:

All audiovisual material from this collection has been moved to the Manuscripts Audiovisual Collection.

Related Materials:

There are two collections within the Manuscripts and Rare Books Department, Swem Library, College of William and Mary that relate to this Collection. They include the Barnes Family Papers and the Tucker-Coleman Papers.

Barnes Family Papers, Manuscripts and Rare Books Department, Swem Library, College of William and Mary. Barnes Family Papers, 1797-1926, 1818-1875.247 items.Collection number: Mss. 39.1 B26Correspondence, chiefly 1820-1875, of Newman Williamson Barnes and his wife Margaret W.(Tomlin) Barnes of Richmond, Virginia and "Greenfield," Culpeper County, Virginia. Letters concern life in Falmouth, Virginia and also concern Fredericksburg, Virginia. Correspondents are members of the Braxton, Coalter, Tomlin and Oliver families.

Tucker-Coleman Papers, Manuscripts and Rare Books Department, Swem Library, College of William and Mary. Tucker-Coleman Papers, 1664-1945, 1770-1907.30,000 items.Collection number: Mss. 40 T79Papers, primarily 1770-1907, of the Tucker and Coleman families of Williamsburg, Winchester, Lexington, Staunton and Richmond, including papers of St. George Tucker(1752-1827), Nathaniel Beverley Tucker (1784-1851), Henry St. George Tucker (1780-1848), Ann Frances Bland (Tucker) Coalter (1779-1813), John Coalter (1769-1838), John Randolph of Roanoke, and Cynthia Beverley Tucker Washington Coleman (1832-1908) as well as other family members.

Brown, Coalter, Tucker Papers (II), Manuscripts and Rare Books Department, Swem Library, College of

William and Mary. Brown, Coalter, Tucker Papers (II), 1791-1920.941 items. Collection number: Mss. 65 B855 Papers, 1791-1920, of the Brown, Coalter and Tucker families. Includes correspondence, of Frances Bland (Coalter) Brown with Margaret W. Barnes, members of the Braxton family, Henry Peronneau Brown, Fanny T. Bryan, John Coalter, St. George Tucker Coalter and members of the Morton family.

2008.238 Tucker-Brown Seven Generations Genealogy Chart

Mss. 65 B855 Brown, Coalter, Tucker Papers (III)

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Keywords

Correspondence

Diaries

Financial records

Receipts (financial records)

Transcripts

Virginia--Politics and Government--18th century

Virginia--Politics and Government--19th century

American poetry--19th century

Architecture, Domestic--Virginia

College of William and Mary--History--18th century

Education--Virginia--History--19th century

Embargo, 1807-1809

Legal documents

Princeton University--History

Slavery--Virginia--19th century

Slavery--Virginia--History--18th century

Springs--Virginia

United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865

United States--History--War of 1812

United States--Religious History--Christianity

United States--Slavery

University of Virginia--History--19th century

Virginia. General Assembly. House of Delegates

Women--Virginia--Social life and customs

College of William and Mary--Alumni and alumnae

Brown family

Coalter family

Coulter family

Tucker

Randolph, John, 1773-1833

Tucker, John Randolph, 1823-1897

Wythe, George, 1726-1806

General

Additional information may be found at <http://ead.lib.virginia.edu/vivaead/published/wm/viw00051.frame>

Arrangement of Materials:

Organization: This collection is organized into seven series:

Series 1 is Group A, containing the papers of Coalter and Tucker Families;

Series 2 is Group B, containing the papers of Capt. Henry Brown and his family;

Series 3 is Group C, containing the papers of John Thompson Brown;

Series 4 is Group D, containing the papers of the Brown and Tucker Families;

Series 5 contains printed material received with the collection;

Series 6 contains transcriptions of Material Pertaining to John Thompson Brown (1802-1836): Boxes 7-19 by Lonny Dobbs;

Series 7 contains transcriptions of selections of letters of John Thompson Brown (1802-1836), possibly by Cynthia Beverly Tucker Kimbrough Barlowe and two copies of the inventory.

Each series in the collection has been arranged into various subseries by family names, personal names or subjects. The material in each subseries may contain the names of various other persons but the most prominent name is the one used to describe the subseries.

Description of Subordinate Components

GROUP A: Coalter and Tucker Papers

Unit ID id171124

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293732

Unit Date 1780-1858

Scope and Contents

Papers include John Coalter's autobiographical sketch (to age 18), 54 poems written by Coalter, St. George Tucker, and others including several by female writers. Correspondents of the Coalter family include St. George Tucker, Lelia Skipwith Carter Tucker, William Munford, Judith Randolph, Frances Bland Tucker Coalter and Maria Rind Coalter. Subjects include John Randolph of Roanoke (and his will), George Wythe, the Embargo of 1807-1809, College of William and Mary, War of 1812; and the springs of Virginia. Includes papers of Coalter's children: Elizabeth Tucker Coalter; and St. George Tucker Coalter and his wife Judith H. Tomlin and the correspondence of Coalter's granddaughter Frances Lelia Bland Coalter Brown. Her letters concern her education and friendship with Moses Drury Hoge. Boxes 1-6.

John Coalter

Unit ID id171126

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293739

Unit Date 1780-1822

John Coalter Papers

Unit ID id171130

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293759

Unit Date 1774-1987

Scope and Contents

The series spans genealogical material, introductory material, poems, autographical material and John Coalter's correspondence until the death of his first wife, Maria Rind. The record of the gift of the collection, genealogical charts of the Tucker, Coalter, Tomlin and Brown families, and sundry genealogical notes which form a preface to the collection, are placed at the beginning of this box. The collection begins with 54 poems, the first of which is signed by St. George Tucker. Two signed poems by William Munford are included. The largest group of poems are those exchanged by John Coalter and Maria Rind, his first wife. Others were collected in the family papers until the middle or the latter part of the nineteenth century. The bulk of the material in Box 1 concerns John Coalter: an autobiographical sketch written by him on his 18th birthday, and letters covering the period of his early life from 1787, when he went to live with the St. George Tucker family, until the death of his first wife in 1793. Interesting letters from John Munford, a classmate of Coalter, are included, several of which concern the College of William and Mary and Harvard College. 221 items.

Genealogical and Introductory Material

Unit ID id171135

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294477

Unit Date 1947-1987, undated

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Note concerning the gift "Received from Mrs. Fleming Saunders, of Evington, Virginia, in exchange for a scholarship grant to Miss Frances Bland Saunders," 3 March 1947.

Genealogical and Introductory Material

Unit ID id171141

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294478

Unit Date 1964

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Genealogical charts: 1. Coalter, with Tucker and Randolph connections; 2. Tomlin, as connected with Coalter and Brown; 3. Brown, as connected with Coalter and Tucker.

Genealogical and Introductory Material

Unit ID id171142

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294479

Unit Date 1987 May

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 2a (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Chart of Coalter and Brown families compiled by Jennifer Boone for an honors thesis.

Genealogical and Introductory Material

Unit ID id171144

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294480

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Sheets of sundry genealogical notes.

Genealogical and Introductory Material

Unit ID id171146

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294481

Unit Date 1883 December 11

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes concerning John Coalter (1769-1838).

Poems

Unit ID id171148

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294482

Unit Date 1780

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Topical poems of this period written by John Coalter, Maria Rind, St. George Tucker, William Munford, and others.

Autobiographical sketch of John Coalter**Unit ID** id171150**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294483**Unit Date** 1787**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 6 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Autobiographical sketch of John Coalter until his 18th birthday. Describes life on Walker's Creek, Rockbridge County; his responsibility for the farm while his father is away at war.

James Moore, Nottingham, to John Coalter, Augusta**Unit ID** id171152**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294484**Unit Date** 1787 January-October**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 7 (Folder)**Letters from Samuel Brown, Botetourt, to his schoolboy friend, John Coalter, Augusta****Unit ID** id171154**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294485**Unit Date** 1787 February-October**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 8 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Samuel Brown is a young lawyer, earning 40£ per year as usher for John Holt.

John Coalter, Chesterfield, to his father, Michael Coalter**Unit ID** id171156**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294486**Unit Date** 1787 December 29**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 9 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Describes his new position as tutor to the children of St. George Tucker.

John Coalter, Chesterfield, to Michael Coalter**Unit ID** id171160**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294487**Unit Date** 1788 January-March**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 10 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

The death of Mrs. Tucker; plans of St. George Tucker to move because the plantation, Matoax, reverts to the sons of Mrs. Tucker (Richard, John, and Theodorick Randolph). He intends to move to Williamsburg, but he can no longer pay John Coalter 30£ per annum; offers to give legal training in exchange for tutoring services.

John Coalter to Michael Coalter**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/448988**Unit Date** 1788 March 29**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)

John Coalter, Chesterfield to his sisters, Betsy, Jinney, and Peggy

Unit ID id171162

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294488

Unit Date 1788 March-June

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Michael Coalter, Augusta, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171163

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294489

Unit Date 1788 March-August

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His father hopes that John Coalter will return home, to the higher country, for the "sickly season."

David Coalter, Augusta, to his brother, John Coalter, Williamsburg

Unit ID id171166

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294490

Unit Date 1788 May 2

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Samuel Brown, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, to John Coalter, Chesterfield

Unit ID id171168

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294491

Unit Date 1788 October 5

Mixed Materials Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Physical Location: See medium oversize file. Samuel Brown gives details of his studies at Dickinson College, and congratulates John Coalter on his chance to study law with St. George Tucker.

John Coalter, in Williamsburg to Michael Coalter

Unit ID id171172

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294492

Unit Date 1789 January-November

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Attending lectures of the Rev. James Madison, President of the College of William and Mary, on Natural Philosophy, and of Mr. Wythe on Law. When John Coalter loses his ribbon he must let his hair hang free for want of money to buy another.

Michael Coalter in Augusta to John Coalter

Unit ID id171173

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294493

Unit Date 1789 February 27

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Two young cousins, in custody of Indians for three and six years respectively, were freed by the

army in Detroit.

Michael Coalter, Augusta, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171175

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294494

Unit Date 1789 September-October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

James Rind, in Kentucky, to his sister, Maria Rind in Williamsburg

Unit ID id171177

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294495

Unit Date 1789 June 1

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

James Rind, had been studying law with St. George Tucker in Williamsburg but left to take a position with "Col. N." Maria Rind remains in the household of St. George Tucker, where she cared for the children.

Jacob Kinney, Augusta, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171179

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294496

Unit Date 1789 June 4

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning his wedding trip.

Betsy, Jinney, and Peggy Coalter, Augusta, to their brother, John Coalter

Unit ID id171182

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294497

Unit Date 1789 June-October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

J. Moore and Elenor Moore, Rockbridge, to their nephew, John Coalter

Unit ID id171185

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294498

Unit Date 1789 June-October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

John Grierson Rind, Richmond, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171187

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294499

Unit Date 1789 July-November

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Covers lacking. John Grierson Rind is a brother of Maria Rind. He mentions the need of John Coalter for a coat and a pair of spectacles.

John Coalter, at Williamsburg, to his brother Cagy (Micajah) and sister Polly (Mary)

Unit ID id171188

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294500

Unit Date 1789 August-November

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Letters from James Coalter, Ninety-Six, South Carolina and York, Virginia, to his brother John Coalter, Petersburg and Williamsburg, Virginia

Unit ID id171190

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294501

Unit Date 1789 September

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Approval of the Constitution by South Carolina is still in doubt; threat of an Indian War in Georgia. "Brother David is over in Gloucester. If he has success in purchasing Negroes, I hope we will be ready to sett (sic) out on our route to the South."

"Cousin" to John Coalter, Williamsburg

Unit ID id171192

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294502

Unit Date 1789 October 6

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John Coalter, in Williamsburg, to his sisters, Betsy, Jinney, and Peggy

Unit ID id171194

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294503

Unit Date 1789 October 19

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Micajah Coalter, Jr., Augusta, to his brother, John Coalter

Unit ID id171195

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294504

Unit Date 1789 October 29

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

First letter of young Micajah Coalter, who is learning to write.

Samuel Brown, Staunton, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171197

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294505

Unit Date 1789 December 4

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Have you been exempted from paying the oppressive Duty which most of our Backwoods Gentlemen have paid for that Knowledge which they have gathered at Williamsburg in Autumn--I mean the loss of Health and a good complexion."

Letters from Micajah Coalter, Augusta, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id171199**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294506**Unit Date** 1790 January-May**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 29 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Mentions John Coalter's desire to return home.

John Coalter, in Williamsburg, to Michael Coalter**Unit ID** id171200**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294507**Unit Date** circa 1790 May**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 30 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Expresses desire to marry and to live on the farm while he is getting started in his law practice.

James Rind, in Kentucky, to Maria Rind**Unit ID** id171201**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294508**Unit Date** 1790 May 20**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 31 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"...nothing can be expected without riches...however deserving of a better fate the poor always meet with rudeness and contempt." (Children of a Williamsburg printer, the Rinds were orphaned at an early age and were helped by the Tuckers.)

Letters from John Coalter, Petersburg, Richmond, Staunton, and Rockbridge, to Maria Rind, in Williamsburg**Unit ID** id171203**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294509**Unit Date** 1790 May-November**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 32 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Physical Location: For letters of 16 June 1790, 4 July 1790, and 7 Sept. 1790 see medium oversize file. 12 letters. His father does not have land to give him at that time, so he cannot marry at once. He has decided to move to Staunton, and continue his studies. In September he writes that he hopes to visit Williamsburg around Christmas, and apply for admission to the bar.

John Coalter to Maria Rind**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/448989**Unit Date** 1788 October 5**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**John Coalter to Maria Rind****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/448990**Unit Date** 1790 July 4**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)

John Coalter to Maria Rind

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/448991

Unit Date 1790 September 7

Mixed Materials Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Letters from Maria Rind, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171206

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294510

Unit Date 1790 June-August

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letters are written with great difficulty and show a lack of schooling.

William Munford, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171207

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294511

Unit Date 1790 June 13

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mentions "your quondam charges, Henry, Tudor, Beverley, and Fanny (Tucker) and John and Theodorick Randolph." Hopes he may live and study with Mr. Wythe. "Nothing would advance me faster in the world than the reputation of having been educated by Mr. Wythe, for such a man as he, casts a light upon all around him."

St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171208

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294512

Unit Date 1790 July 20

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

John Coalter has borrowed a horse from him for the trip to Staunton.

Letters from David Coalter, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to his brother, John Coalter

Unit ID id171210

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294513

Unit Date 1790 October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I...was much pleased to hear of your gallantry but am affeared it has been attended with some accident which occasioned your move to the mountains again..." (Evidently John Coalter did something to protect Maria Rind. He then decided to leave Williamsburg in order to establish himself and be in a position to support her as his wife.)

John G. Rind, Richmond, to his sister, Maria Rind**Unit ID** id171212**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294514**Unit Date** 1790 November 23**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 37 (Folder)**Letters from John Coalter, Richmond, Louisa, Amherst, Augusta, and Staunton, to Maria Rind****Unit ID** id171215**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294515**Unit Date** 1791 March-September**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 38 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Physical Location: For letters of 6 April 1791 and 15 April 1791 see medium oversize file. 18 letters. After obtaining his license in Williamsburg, John Coalter has his first case in Amherst. Of St. George Tucker, he writes: "I would rather have the approbation of that man than worlds for my admirers." Advice is given in regard to the torment by John Randolph; plans are made for their marriage in autumn.

John Coalter to Maria Rind**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/448992**Unit Date** 1791 April 6**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**John Coalter to Maria Rind****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/448993**Unit Date** 1791 April 15**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**Letters from Maria Rind, Williamsburg, to John Coalter****Unit ID** id171216**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294516**Unit Date** 1791 March-August**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 39 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

In April she writes that Mr. Tucker plans to remarry; she wishes to move up the date of their marriage. She dreads "the prospect of Johnny Randolph returning and you well know, my love, how liable your dear is to be insulted by him..."

Letters from William Munford, Williamsburg, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id171218**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294517**Unit Date** 1791 April-May**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 40 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Physical Location: For letter of 23 April 1791 see Medium Oversize File. 3 letters. "...thru the surprising friendship of Mr. Wythe, I live in his house and board at his table...In this happy situation

tomorrow I begin the Study of Law."

William Munford to John Coalter

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/448994

Unit Date 1791 April 23

Mixed Materials Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Letters from John Coalter, Staunton, to James Rind, Williamsburg and Richmond

Unit ID id171220

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294518

Unit Date 1791 May-July

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Congratulates James Rind on receiving his license to practice law.

Letters from William Munford, Riveredge, to Maria Rind

Unit ID id171222

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294519

Unit Date 1791 May

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"We visit very often at the different houses in the neighborhood, at Westover, Nesting, and Shirley, where I saw Robin Carter...we may expect to see you after Mrs. Carter has become Mrs. Tucker."

Richard Randolph, Bizarre, to [John Coalter?]

Unit ID id171224

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294520

Unit Date 1791 June-July

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 letters. Covers lacking. On the return of a wagon and horses; purchases of additional farm animals.

Letters from William Munford, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id171225

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294521

Unit Date 1791 June-August

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Physical Location: For letter of 22 July 1791 see Medium Oversize File. 4 letters. Living and studying with Mr. Wythe. John Thompson (grandfather of John Thompson Brown) was among the 4th of July orators. Verse and poetic criticism of St. George Tucker. George Wythe is teaching his servant to write.

William Munford to John Coalter

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/448995

Unit Date 1791 July 22

Mixed Materials Manuscripts Oversize Box 12 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Letters from John Coalter, Staunton, to St. George Tucker

Unit ID id171227

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294522

Unit Date 1791 June-July

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents This law practice is discouraging; entrusts Maria Rind to his care, and sends greetings on St. George Tucker's 39th birthday.

Samuel Campbell, Bedford County, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172677

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294523

Unit Date 1791 August

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Discourages John Coalter from coming "across the Alps"-- there are too many lawyers already.

Letters from William Munford, Richmond and Riveredge, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172678

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294524

Unit Date 1791 September-October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Covers lacking. Has moved to Richmond with Mr. Wythe. Mentions building of the canal. Samuel Brown to study in Scotland; congratulates John Coalter on his marriage to Maria Rind.

Elizabeth Tucker, Bermuda, to Fanny Tucker, Williamsburg

Unit ID id172679

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294525

Unit Date 1791 October 30

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Elizabeth Tucker is sister of St. George Tucker, and an aunt of Fanny Tucker. Mentions other Tucker children, Henry, Tudor, Beverly, and Elizabeth, as well as Theodorick and Richard Randolph and the latter's wife, Judith. Comments on the proposed marriage of St. George Tucker to Mrs. Carter, and the small children she will be bringing to the marriage.

Letters from Samuel Brown, Philadelphia, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172680**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294526**Unit Date** 1791 October-November**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 49 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Description of George Washington delivering an address in Philadelphia. Congratulates John Coalter on his marriage and sends compliments to his brothers. (This Samuel Brown may be the uncle of John Thompson Brown.)

Mrs. Maria Rind Coalter, Staunton, to Frances Bland Tucker**Unit ID** id172681**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294527**Unit Date** circa 1791 December**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 50 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

The letter, addressed to "Fan", was written soon after Mrs. Coalter had gone to Staunton with her husband.

Mrs. Judith Randolph, Bizarre, to Frances Bland Tucker, in Williamsburg**Unit ID** id172682**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294528**Unit Date** 1792 January 10**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 51 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

The letter is addressed to "Fanny". On the marriage of St. George Tucker to Mrs. Lelia (Skipwith) Carter.

Letters from James Rind, Williamsburg to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172683**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294529**Unit Date** 1792 January-May**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 52 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Death of Maria Skipwith; the great distress of Mrs. (Lelia Skipwith) Tucker.

John G. Rind, Richmond, to Mrs. John Coalter**Unit ID** id172684**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294530**Unit Date** 1792 February 1**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 53 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

His wages are to be 15£ or 20£ per year as a clerk.

Letters from Samuel Brown, Philadelphia and Edinburgh, Pennsylvania, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172685

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294531

Unit Date 1792 February-October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 54 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The letter from Edinburgh contains an interesting description of life in the Scottish capital, the coldness of his fellow students until they are introduced, and his warm reception by a family to which he had a letter of introduction.

Letters from William Munford, Richmond, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172686

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294532

Unit Date 1792 March-May

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Reports that there are about forty students at the College of William and Mary; Theodorick Randolph has died; "Thompson has left W&M," and his mother proposes to send him to Harvard.

St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172687

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294533

Unit Date 1792 October 21

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Enquires about Maria and their expected first child. (Both mother and child died.)

John Campbell, Rockingham County, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172688

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294534

Unit Date 1793 January 26

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Letters from David Coalter to John Coalter

Unit ID id172689

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294535

Unit Date 1793 February-December

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written from Orangeburg and Columbia, South Carolina. The "distressing news" that his wife has died in childbirth.

John G. Rind, Richmond, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172690**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294536**Unit Date** 1793 May 11**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 59 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

War reports; the parade of the Richmond Grenadiers, Light Horse and Light Infantry.

William Munford, Riveredge to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172691**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294537**Unit Date** 1793 August 28**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 60 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Consoles John Coalter on the loss of his wife; reports the Independence Day orations at the College of William and Mary, and mentions the raising of subscriptions to aid distressed French immigrants at Norfolk.

Correspondence of John Coalter**Unit ID** id172693**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293760**Unit Date** 1793-1808**Scope and Contents**

The subseries covers the correspondence of John Coalter during his second marriage to Margaret Davenport, and in the early years of his third marriage, to Frances Bland Tucker. Correspondence from St. George Tucker, Mrs. Lelia Tucker, Mrs. Judith Randolph, and others is included. The material traces the legal career of John Coalter from 10 April 1795, when St. George Tucker recommended him for the position of Clerk of the Court in Staunton, through the period of his second and third marriages to Margaret Davenport, 1795 (she died in 1797), and to Frances Bland Tucker, 1802. Included also are letters to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter from her father St. George Tucker, her stepmother Mrs. Lelia Skipwith Tucker, her sister-in-law Mrs. Judith Randolph of Bizarre, and others. Correspondence with William Munford, in Williamsburg, is also included. 164 items.

St. George Tucker, Charlottesville, to John Tyler and others**Unit ID** id172695**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294538**Unit Date** 1793 April 10**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Recommends John Coalter as Clerk of the Staunton Court.

John Coalter, Charlottesville, to Peggy (Margaret) Davenport, in Williamsburg**Unit ID** id172696**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294539**Unit Date** 1793 April 17**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 2 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"Yes, Peggy, my Maria is gone! The worst of evils has befallen your friend."

R. Whiting, New York, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172698**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294540**Unit Date** 1793 November 1**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Requests payment of a debt.

James Coalter, Orangeburg, South Carolina, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172699**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294541**Unit Date** 1793 December 8**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**William Munford, to John Coalter****Unit ID** id172701**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294542**Unit Date** 1793 December 13**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 5 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents William Munford has returned to the College of William and Mary, and is "in constant attendance on Mr. (St. George) Tucker...Mrs. Tucker has lately been so unfortunate as to lose a newborn child."

Letters between Jenny Stuart and John Coalter**Unit ID** id172702**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294543**Unit Date** 1794 January-June**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 6 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Covers lacking. Accuses John Coalter of "making a stroke at her character"; makes insulting statements regarding John Coalter's late wife. John Coalter responds by threatening to take Jenny Stuart into court, after which she offers to return John Coalter's letter.

James Coalter, Charlestown, South Carolina, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172703**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294544**Unit Date** 1794 February 1**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 7 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

James Coalter is a merchant, dealing largely in indigo.

William Munford, Williamsburg, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172704**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294545**Unit Date** 1794 April 20**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 8 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Recounts a voyage to Hampton Roads to view the French Fleet, consisting of 150 ships, including three men of war, five or six frigates, and armed merchantmen laden with flour. Party spirit in Norfolk; Aristocrats more prominent; acrimony inflamed by the presence of the French fleet and a British frigate. William Munford is ready to apply for his law license.

Margaret Davenport to F. Currie**Unit ID** id172706**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294546**Unit Date** 1794 May 25**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 9 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"There can be but one in the world"; for her, but he is "out of her reach." At a recent dinner the first toast by Governor Lee was to her.

F. H. Curry, North of Louisa, to Mrs. Margaret Davenport Coalter, Williamsburg**Unit ID** id172707**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294547**Unit Date** 1795 February 15**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 10 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Congratulations on the occasion of her marriage to John Coalter.

Letters from John Coalter, Staunton, to Mrs. Coalter**Unit ID** id172709**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294548**Unit Date** 1795 February-May**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 11 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents The difficulty of finding passage for Mrs. Coalter and her mother from Williamsburg to Staunton. John Coalter is finally able to borrow a phaeton which he has overhauled and supplied with an umbrella. Advice regarding divorce of F.

D. Holmes, Harrisburg, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id172710**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294549**Unit Date** 1795 May 2**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 12 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Concerning a mare to be serviced.

Mrs. Coalter, Williamsburg to John Coalter

Unit ID id172711

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294550

Unit Date 1795 May 10

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Mrs. Coalter to John Coalter

Unit ID id172713

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294551

Unit Date 1795 August 3

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

John Coalter, Botetourt, to Mrs. Coalter

Unit ID id172714

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294552

Unit Date circa 1795 August

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

James Brown, Danville, Kentucky, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172715

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294553

Unit Date 1795 December 10

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The "war"; and Indian victory are mentioned and a bloody spring season is predicted.

Letters from John Coalter to Mrs. Coalter

Unit ID id172716

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294554

Unit Date 1796 January

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written from Orangeburg, South Carolina and Louisville, Georgia. Divorce proceedings for a Mrs. Matthews before the Georgia Legislature.

F. H. Allison, Cabin Point, to Mrs. Coalter

Unit ID id172718

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294555

Unit Date 1797 July 15

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mention is made of a child expected by Mrs. Coalter.

David Coalter, Orangeburg, South Carolina, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172719

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294556

Unit Date 1797 August 19

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Condolences "on this distressing occasion"; (the death of John Coalter's second wife in childbirth; the child also died.)

James Coalter, Ninety-Six, South Carolina, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172720

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294557

Unit Date 1797 June 9

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Business letter concerning collections to be made in Virginia.

Mrs. Lucy Randolph, at Curles, to Ann Frances Tucker

Unit ID id172722

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294558

Unit Date 1798 December 2

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

She should "by this time be fatigued with the name of Tucker"; and that she "had better look about" (for a husband).

Davenport, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172723

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294559

Unit Date 1799 February

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letter is from the papers of John Coalter.

Lelia Anna Byrd, Riveredge, to Frances Tucker

Unit ID id172724

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294560

Unit Date 1801 April 12

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph, Farmville, Bizarre, to Frances Tucker

Unit ID id172725

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294561

Unit Date 1801 May-June

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Judith Randolph, wife of Richard Randolph, half brother of Frances Tucker, sends greetings to Polly and Charles (Carter), step-sister and brother of Frances Tucker. The "Mama" mentioned is Mrs. Lelia Carter Tucker.

St. George Tucker, Winchester, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172726

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294562

Unit Date 1801 August 14

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Mrs. Judith Randolph, Farmville, to Frances Bland Tucker

Unit ID id172727

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294563

Unit Date 1802 February 6

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Complains that she is "surrounded by the real evils of life." (Her husband had been linked with her sister in the famous scandal proceedings.)

David Coalter, Fredericksburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172729

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294564

Unit Date 1802 April 28

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning a horse in which he is interested.

B. W. Leigh, Chesterfield, to Frances Tucker

Unit ID id172730

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294565

Unit Date 1802 May 28

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Hint of a June wedding for Frances Tucker.

Anne H. Nicholas, Swans Point, to Mrs. Fanny B. Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172731

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294566

Unit Date 1802 June 30

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Fanny B. Tucker has just married John Coalter and returned with him to Staunton. Anne H. Nicholas writes that Lelia Byrd has died at the age of 18.

Mrs. Lelia Tucker, Williamsburg, to her stepdaughter, Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172732

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294567

Unit Date 1802 July 13

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Mrs. Judith Randolph, Farmville, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172733

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294568

Unit Date 1802 August 29

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Letters from John Coalter, Elm Grove and Lexington, to his wife

Unit ID id172735

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294569

Unit Date 1802 August-September

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Elm Grove was the new home of the Coalters. Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter was in the Warm Springs for her health in September.

Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Warm Springs, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172736

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294570

Unit Date 1802 October 6

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

St. George Tucker, Richmond, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172737

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294571

Unit Date 1802 November 14

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Mrs. Ann Coalter, Orangeburg, South Carolina, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172738

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294572

Unit Date 1802 December 4

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Letters from John Coalter to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172739

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294573

Unit Date 1803 January-August

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The letters are written from Richmond, Elm Grove, and Lexington. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter returns to Williamsburg for the birth of her first child, Francis Lelia; the burning of the buildings of Lexington Academy.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Lelia Tucker to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172740

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294574

Unit Date 1803 June-October

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letters are written from Williamsburg, Haymarket, and Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Warm Springs, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172741

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294575

Unit Date 1803 August 20

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Mrs. Judith Randolph, Farmville, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172742

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294576

Unit Date 1803 August 31

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172743

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294577

Unit Date 1804 January

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Elm Grove, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172744

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294578

Unit Date 1804 March-April

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents John Coalter was on the court circuit.

Letters from John Coalter, Botetourt and Natural Bridge, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172745

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294579

Unit Date 1804 March-April

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The letters are undated, but are replies to those from Frances Bland Tucker

Scope and Contents The letters are undated, but are replies to those from Frances Bland Tucker Coalter to John Coalter.

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172747

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294580

Unit Date 1804 September

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Mrs. F. Davenport, Richmond, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172748

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294581

Unit Date 1804 November 5

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

F. Davenport was the mother of the second wife of John Coalter, who continued to live with the Coalters.

St. George Tucker, Williamsburg. Endorsement on letter from B. W. Leigh, Petersburg

Unit ID id172749

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294582

Unit Date 1805 February 10

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning deed to property, probably Elm Grove, the home bought by John Coalter.

St. George Tucker and Maria Carter, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172750

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294583

Unit Date 1805 April 9

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Maria Carter was a step-daughter of St. George Tucker.

James Davenport, Chillicothe, Ohio, to John Coalter

Unit ID id172751

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294584

Unit Date 1805 April 13

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Writes of obtaining a clerk's position with the Ohio Assembly at \$4.00 per day.

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph, Bizarre, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172753

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294585

Unit Date 1805 April-December

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Death of her husband and her straitened circumstances; Bizarre in bad condition; hopes to send her son, St. George, to Europe to cure his deafness.

Letters from St. George Tucker, Richmond and Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id172766

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294586

Unit Date 1805 April-June

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In June, St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker set out for Staunton in order to be there for the lying-in of Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter.

Letters from Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173290

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294587

Unit Date 1805 April-December

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 50 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents First mention of the second Coalter child, Elizabeth.

Margaret Coalter, Bizarre, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173292

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294588

Unit Date 1805 April 20

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 51 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The illness of Tudor Randolph.

David Coalter, Orangeburg, South Carolina, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173293

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294589

Unit Date 1805 July 28

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 52 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Congratulates John Coalter on the birth of his second daughter and the purchase of Elm Grove. He writes at length about the difficulty in buying good house servants.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173295

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294590

Unit Date 1806 January-November

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 53 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173296

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294591

Unit Date 1806 January-May

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 54 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Financial matters, mainly about bank shares and dividends.

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph, Hayes and Bizarre, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173298

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294592

Unit Date 1806 March-October

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

St. George Randolph's visit to England; her disappointment over his continued deafness Dr. Cooper says "occasioned by the irruption of his ears at nine months old." Has no authority over the servants. Illness of Polly the seamstress.

Letters from John Coalter, Charlottesville, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173300

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294593

Unit Date circa 1806 April

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Wmsbg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173302

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294594

Unit Date 1807 January-December

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph, Bizarre, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173303

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294595

Unit Date 1807 February-October

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Thirty sick Negroes. Poverty.

John Naylor to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173304**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294596**Unit Date** 1807 March 5**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 59 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents John Naylor married to Jane, sister of John Coalter.

L. Bouye, Sweet Springs, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173306**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294597**Unit Date** 1807 May**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 60 (Folder)**St. George Tucker, Richmond, to John Coalter****Unit ID** id173308**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294598**Unit Date** 1807 October 12**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 61 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Payment of \$1,230 on bank shares.

Letters from St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, Warminster and Richmond, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173309**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294599**Unit Date** 1808 January-December**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 62 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents The marriage of Beverley Tucker to Mary Coalter.

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph, Bizarre, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173310**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294600**Unit Date** 1808 February-December**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 63 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Small pox.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg and Richmond, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173311**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294601**Unit Date** 1808 February-December**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 64 (Folder)

Letters from Polly Coalter, Orangeburg, South Carolina, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173312

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294602

Unit Date 1808 February-March

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Difficulties in South Carolina caused by the embargo.

S. P. Dandridge, Martinsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173313

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294603

Unit Date 1808 February 13

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His wife Evelina has given birth to a son.

Elizabeth Carmichael, Orangeburg, South Carolina, to Anne Catherine Coalter

Unit ID id173314

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294604

Unit Date 1808 March 7

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 67 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Anne Catherine Coalter was visiting the Coalters at Elm Grove.

Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Warm Springs, to Mrs. Davenport

Unit ID id173315

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294605

Unit Date circa 1808 August

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 68 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mention of her young daughters, Fancilea (Francis Lelia) and Lizba (Elizabeth Tucker Coalter).

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Warm Springs, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173316

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294606

Unit Date 1808 September

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 69 (Folder)

Letters from Maria E. and Anne Catherine Coalter, Elm Grove, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173318

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294607

Unit Date 1808 October-December

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 70 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Frances Bland Tucker Coalter spent every summer at the medicinal springs for her health.

Correspondence of John Coalter, Frances Lelia, and Elizabeth Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173320

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293761

Unit Date 1809-1822

Scope and Contents

Correspondence of John Coalter and his third wife while he was serving as Circuit Court Judge; correspondence of their daughters, Frances Lelia and Elizabeth Tucker Coalter, with parents and grandparents. Subseries finishes with the fourth marriage of John Coalter. Interesting comments on the effect of the embargo in South Carolina, and of episodes in the War of 1812 in the Chesapeake Bay area are found in these letters. There is also a report of the destruction wrought in Bruton Parish Church by the "youth of Williamsburg," and remarks of Saint George Tucker (June 14, 1809) upon the occasion of the birth of his first grandson, St. George Coalter, in which he strongly condemns the academies and colleges of that day. Letters include those exchanged by John Coalter with his third wife Frances Bland (Tucker) Coalter from 1809-1811, when John Coalter was serving as Circuit Judge. In 1811 he accepted an appointment as judge of the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals; the family then moved to Richmond. There are many letters received by Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter between 1809 and her death in 1813, from her father St. George Tucker, and stepmother Mrs. Lelia Tucker, in Williamsburg, from her sister-in-law Mrs. Judith Randolph at Bizarre, and from other members of the family. There also are many letters to the daughters of John Coalter, Frances Lelia and Elizabeth Tucker, from their grandparents, from 1813 to the death of Frances Lelia Coalter in 1821.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173331

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294608

Unit Date 1809 January-November

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

G. W. Hays, Richmond, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173332

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294609

Unit Date 1809 March 20

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the appointment of John Coalter to his position as "a judge under the new Judiciary System." (John Coalter was appointed February 7, 1807).

Mrs. Judith Randolph, Farmville, Bizarre, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173334

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294610

Unit Date 1809 March 26

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mentions a visit from the newly married Beverley Tucker and Polly Coalter and writes concerning her sons Saint George and Tudor.

Letters from John Coalter to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173336**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294611**Unit Date** 1809 April-November**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Letters written by John Coalter from Botetourt, Greenbrier, Kanhawa Court House, and Richmond during spring and autumn sessions of the Circuit Court. Contain instructions for planting, the upkeep of Elm Grove, and other matters.

John Coalter Farm Instructions**Unit ID** id173338**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294612**Unit Date** circa 1809 April**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 5 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Instructions for planting and penning up of a farm.

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, E. Gr., to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173340**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294613**Unit Date** 1809 April-May**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 6 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents One of the letters concerns the troubles with the English and the hope for a peaceful settlement.

Letters from St. George Tucker to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173342**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294614**Unit Date** 1809 June-July**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 7 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Three letters written from Richmond and Williamsburg. In the letter of June 14, St. George Tucker mentions the birth of John Coalter's first son his first grandson (St. George Tucker Coalter) "who, if my prayers for him may be heard, will never descend from the dignity of a private station." Concerning the education of his grandson, he writes, "unless the manners of our youth, or the management of their tutor, shall undergo a most surprising and happy change in this Country, I had rather he should never hear of an Academy or a College, than enter the walls of one."

Ann Catherine Coalter, China Grove, South Carolina, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173343**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294615**Unit Date** 1809 July 15**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 8 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Congratulations on the birth of a son.

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Staunton, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173346**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294616**Unit Date** 1809 September-October**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 9 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents This series of letters is concerned, among other problems, with the difficulty of meeting payments on Elm Grove, of a fight between two of their slaves, the treatment of one of the wives by slave husband and the imprisonment on the plantation of the two slaves. Effort to get a tooth pulled. Two doctors and, finally, "a shoemaker named Cease" were able to extract the tooth about a week after the first attempt was made. Alcoholism of a friend. Afflicting account of sister's situation at Bizarre. "She must come to us, as soon as she can leave Bizarre; which she says cannot be before Xmas, that she may complete the clothing of the Negroes."

John Coalter to James All**Unit ID** id173348**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294617**Unit Date** 1810 February 1**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 10 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Appeals to James All to represent the district. About the war situation: "We are more Colonies than ever--i.e. we give our wholetrade to aid Britain in her wars--were we Colonies we would only give the revenue arising from trade."

St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to John Coalter and Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173349**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294618**Unit Date** 1810 February-October**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 11 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Her parents were trying to buy a cook for Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter without great success.

Letters from Louisa Mercer, Sentry Box, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173350**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294619**Unit Date** circa 1810 February-October**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 12 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents These five letters although undated, are believed to have been written in 1810.

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Williamsburg, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173351**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294620**Unit Date** 1810 March-June**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Reports that Bruton Parish Church has been "totally and wantonly

destroyed...the Bellows and many of the pipes cut to pieces," evidently by the youth of the town.

Letters from John Coalter to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173353

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294621

Unit Date 1810 April-September

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Eleven letters written from Richmond and Staunton. John Coalter attending the spring and autumn sittings of the Circuit Court, sends instructions for the management of the farm.

Letters from Mary Anne Johnson, Staunton, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173355

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294622

Unit Date 1810 May-December

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Elm Grove, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173357

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294623

Unit Date 1810 September-October

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Six letters discuss news of the farm, the slaves, and family. Relays questions from slave Ned about the farm and permission for him to visit his daughter in Rockingham and his wife's petition to accompany him.

W. Chew, Fredericksburg, to St. George Tucker

Unit ID id173359

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294624

Unit Date 1810 October 2

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning a cook for sale.

Mary Coalter, Columbia, South Carolina, to her aunt, Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173360

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294625

Unit Date 1810 October 4

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

David Coalter, Mary's father.

Letters to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173362**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294626**Unit Date** 1811 January-June**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 19 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Letters from William McPheeter, J. W. Allison, Joseph C. Cabell, Polly A. Steele, and William Kinney to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter (relatives of Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter) are placed in one folder.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173363**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294627**Unit Date** 1811 February-November**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 20 (Folder)**Letters to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter****Unit ID** id173365**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294628**Unit Date** circa 1811 April**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 21 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents The four letters from M.S. Baldwin, M. Bush, Arch. Stuart, and "M. T.," in Richmond and Petersburg, are undated but are presumed to date from 1811, and placed in one folder.

Letters from John Coalter to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter**Unit ID** id173366**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294629**Unit Date** 1811 April-October**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 22 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Five letters written from Lewisburg and Kanahwa. In May, John Coalter writes of his appointment as Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia (May 11, 1811). "God help me, I know not what to do. All have advised my acceptance." In October he writes of arrangements made for the move to Richmond, and of plans to sell the cattle at Elm Grove.

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Elm Grove, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173367**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294630**Unit Date** 1811 April-May**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 23 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents In April Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter writes, "I very much fear I shall never be reconciled to our fate"--of separation for such long periods when John Coalter is absent on the court circuit. (A month later John Coalter was appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals.) Also mentions a "terrible whipping" their two year old son St. George Tucker Coalter had "for obstinacy."

Henry St. George Tucker, Winchester, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173368

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294631

Unit Date 1811 May 26

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Tucker strongly advises his brother-in-law against accepting his new appointment: "Rest assured that no other Judge of the General Court will accept the office which is tendered you."

John St. George Randolph, Bizarre, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173370

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294632

Unit Date 1811 May 27

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents John St. George Randolph is a son of Mrs. Judith Randolph.

Letters to John Coalter

Unit ID id173371

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294633

Unit Date 1811 May-June

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Two separate letters from B. W. Leigh and Catherine Matthews, Petersburg and Staunton, to John Coalter.

Letters from St. George Tucker, Williamsburg to John Coalter

Unit ID id173372

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294634

Unit Date 1811 June

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Speaking of himself as an "ex-judge," Tucker advises John Coalter regarding his new appointment; concern for the health of Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter.

K. and A. Coalter, Columbia, South Carolina, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173374

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294635

Unit Date 1811 July

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Letters from Frances Lelia Coalter and Mrs. F. Davenport, Staunton, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter and John Coalter, Warm Springs

Unit ID id173376

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294636

Unit Date 1811 August-November

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Frances Lelia Coalter writes with concern about her mother's health.

Letters from Mrs. F. Davenport, Staunton, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter at Warm Springs

Unit ID id173378

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294637

Unit Date 1811 September

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents News of the children sent to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter who is quite ill.

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Warm Springs

Unit ID id173379

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294638

Unit Date 1811 September

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, Williamsburg, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173381

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294639

Unit Date 1811 November-December

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Mrs. Judith Randolph, Farmville, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173382

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294640

Unit Date 1812 March 3

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concern for Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter's poor health.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173384

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294641

Unit Date 1812 March-August

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The nine letters discuss troubled times are reflected in this series of letters. In July, Tucker comments on the American privateer with one nine-pounder which took a British schooner armed with four twelve pounders. In August he gives an account of the Baltimore riot in which a jail was broken into and prisoners assassinated. He writes that such action "is beyond measure horrible and obnoxious; and every good Citizen ought to set his face against such damnable proceedings," but concludes, "The Yankees, no doubt, will be glad of the precedent...I look forward to a dissolution of the Union, as an Event not far off."

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker to John Coalter and Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173385

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294642

Unit Date 1812 August-September

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Two letters concerning the sale of Elm Grove.

Joseph C. Cabell. Edgewood, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173387

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294643

Unit Date 1812 September 16

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Reflects the uncertainty of the war situation in his letter.

Letters from Frances L. Coalter, Staunton, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173389

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294644

Unit Date 1813 July-September

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Frances L. Coalter writes to her father who is with her mother, Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter, in her last illness at the medicinal springs.

St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173390

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294645

Unit Date 1813 July 9

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Writing to his daughter before she goes to the Springs for her final siege of illness, St. George Tucker sends the news that the enemy had left the waters about Williamsburg after much destruction and property along the river.

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg and Warminster, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173393

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294646

Unit Date 1813 July-August

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In these letters it is apparent that Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter is near death.

Letters from Mrs. Judith Randolph to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173394**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294647**Unit Date** 1813 July-August**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 40 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Letters of hope and prayer for the recovery of Mrs. Frances Bland Tucker Coalter.

Letters to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173396**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294648**Unit Date** 1813 July**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 41 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Three letters from Joseph C. Cabell, Mary W. Cabell, Edgewood, and Wm H. Cabell, Monte Videa. Reports of the war: "the conduct of the British at Craney Island was the most cowardly imaginable," and "We have just been informed by rumor that the British Squadron in the Chesapeake has been reinforced..."

A cover addressed to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173401**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294649**Unit Date** 1813 September**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 42 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

The cover has the date and "J. Randolph, Jr." endorsed on it with the seal containing the Randolph Coat of Arms.

John Coalter, Elm Grove, to John Randolph of Roanoke**Unit ID** id173402**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294650**Unit Date** 1813 September 25**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 43 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Writes of his "great and irretrievable loss" his wife died "on Sunday evening, the 12th instant."

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Tucker, Bush Hill, near Richmond, to John Coalter**Unit ID** id173404**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294651**Unit Date** 1813 September 30**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Container** 44 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents The first letter was written after the death of St. George Tucker's daughter.

Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Miss Elizabeth T. Coalter

Unit ID id173406

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294652

Unit Date 1816 January 30

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

To her granddaughter, the second child of John Coalter and his late wife. (A biographical note of John Coalter's family is enclosed in the folder with this letter.)

Letters from Mrs. Tucker, to Frances L. Coalter and Elizabeth T. Coalter, Bush Hill, near Richmond

Unit ID id173408

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294653

Unit Date 1817 March 12

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents She writes that "the events of the present week will supply to you the want of a Mother and Sister, which you have so severely felt, particularly in the last six or eight months." Frances L. Coalter, the sister of Elizabeth T. Coalter, died in 1821 at the age of 18. John Coalter was soon to marry his fourth wife, a widow Williamson.

Letters from Mrs. Tucker and St. George Tucker Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter, Richmond

Unit ID id173409

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294654

Unit Date 1820 January-February

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Second is titled "Tucker-Green Annals."

Letters from Mrs. Tucker and St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter, Bush Hill, Richmond

Unit ID id173411

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294655

Unit Date 1822 February-April

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Tucker and St. George Tucker, Warminster, to Elizabeth T. Coalter

Unit ID id173413

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294656

Unit Date 1822 August-October

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The Tuckers are in their summer home at Warminster, with Maria Carter Cabell, daughter of Mrs. L. Tucker, and her husband Joseph Cabell.

St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter and Anne J. Tucker

Unit ID id173415

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294657

Unit Date 1823 January 1

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 50 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A New Year's greeting to his granddaughters.

Elizabeth Tucker Coalter, St. George Tucker Coalter, and their families

Unit ID id173417

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293740

Unit Date 1778-1852

Scope and Contents

Children of John Coalter: Elizabeth Tucker Coalter and St. George Tucker Coalter; their spouses; children and other extended family

Correspondence of Elizabeth Tucker Coalter, St. George Tucker Coalter, and their families

Unit ID id173419

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293762

Unit Date 1778-1838

Scope and Contents

Correspondence primarily of the two surviving children of John and Francis Bland Tucker Coalter: Elizabeth Tucker Coalter Bryan and St. George Tucker Coalter, and their respective spouses, John Randolph Bryan and Judith H. Tomlin Coalter. Includes genealogical material on the Tomlin family, and correspondence of Judith H. Tomlin before her marriage to St. George Tucker Coalter. Her letters form an important part of the collection from this time until her death in 1859. The last letters from their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. St. George Tucker, are preserved, as well as letters to their uncles Henry and Beverley Tucker and John Randolph of Roanoke. Of special note is a letter of October 1831 in which St. George Tucker Coalter writes fully of Randolph during a visit to Roanoke. After his death in 1833, Randolph's will caused great difficulty and misunderstanding in the family, and appears to cast a slur on his step-father St. George Tucker. The letters of St. George Tucker Coalter to his wife and sister, especially those written from the springs which he visits each year, form the largest single group. In these letters an interesting picture of nineteenth century social life is to be found.

"Descendants of John Walker Tomlin and Margaret Williamson (Ball), his wife"

Unit ID id173422

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294658

Unit Date 1899

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescript.

"A List of Sundry Bonds for Hire of Negroes, etc. Belonging to the Estate of Williamson Ball"

Unit ID id173424

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294659

Unit Date 1799 December 25

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Letters from Judith H. Tomlin, to Virgilia Savage

Unit ID id173425

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294660

Unit Date 1823 February-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents School girl letters written by J. H. T. before her marriage.

Letters from Judith H. Tomlin to Virgilia Savage

Unit ID id173428

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294661

Unit Date 1824 February-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Judith H. Tomlin writes of her visit to Yorktown to see Lafayette on his return visit to America.

Letters from Judith H. Tomlin to Virgilia Savage (later Mrs. Virgilia S. Macon)

Unit ID id173430

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294662

Unit Date 1825 February-December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Judith H. Tucker writes to congratulate Virgilia Savage in December on her marriage.

Letters from Judith H. Tomlin to Mrs. Macon

Unit ID id173432

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294663

Unit Date 1826 January-August

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker and Mrs. Lelia Tucker, Warminster and Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter

Unit ID id173434

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294664

Unit Date 1826 August-December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Endorsed: "Letters of my dear and venerated Grandfather, S. G. Tucker, High Souled, Generous Gentleman."

Letters from Thomas T. Tucker, Washington, to John and Elizabeth T. Coalter**Unit ID** id173436**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294665**Unit Date** 1826 August 11**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 8 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Thomas T. Tucker, a brother of St. George Tucker, enclosed these two letters in a packet which he forwarded from Beverley Tucker.

Letters from St. George Tucker, Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter**Unit ID** id173437**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294666**Unit Date** 1827 February-August**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 9 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents St. George Tucker complains about his sight and signs himself "Your old blind Grandpa" in the first of these letters. The last is endorsed: "All the letters concerning my most dear Grandfather's illness and death are omitted and put to themselves."

Letters from Mrs. Tucker, Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter**Unit ID** id173439**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294667**Unit Date** 1827 December 3**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 10 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents These two letters were written after the death of St. George Tucker.

Henry Saint George Tucker, Winchester, to Saint George T. Coalter**Unit ID** id173441**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294668**Unit Date** 1828 May 10**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 11 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Writes in regard to his instruction in law, as suggested by Elizabeth T. Coalter. He mentions the poor health of his step-brother, John Randolph of Roanoke; and suspects that his brother, Beverley, "will not return to Virginia as a resident." Beverley Tucker, then in Missouri, did return to Williamsburg, and later became Professor of Law at the College of William and Mary. Tucker enclosed his "Introductory Lecture," reprinted from his Commentory on the Laws of Virginia . . . Lectures delivered at the Winchester Law School, pp. 7-14.

Letters from Mrs. Lelia Tucker, Williamsburg, to Elizabeth T. Coalter**Unit ID** id173443**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294669**Unit Date** 1828 May 17**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 12 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, University of Virginia, to Miss Judith H. Tomlin

Unit ID id173445

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294670

Unit Date 1829 February-August

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The first letter is a printed invitation to a ball at the Jefferson Hotel with a message added; the second letter is a Temperance pledge signed by St. George Tucker Coalter, Judith H. Tomlin and three others.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, Chatham, to his father, John Coalter

Unit ID id173447

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294671

Unit Date 1829 February-March

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Evidently left in charge of his father's estate, Chatham, he writes concerning examinations at the College of William and Mary and of his experiences in vaccinating and performing minor operations on the slaves. (He was a 20 year old farmer with no medical training.)

L. H. Barnes, Chericoke, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173449

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294672

Unit Date 1829 February 21

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

John Coalter, Richmond, to Elizabeth T. Coalter

Unit ID id173451

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294673

Unit Date 1829 May 11

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

St. George Tucker Coalter prepares to leave school to marry.

Elizabeth T. Coalter to Mrs. St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173452

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294674

Unit Date 1829 December 29

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letter is to Judith Tomlin Coalter after her marriage to St. George Tucker Coalter, December 16, 1829. "Tell St. George that yesterday Uncle R. (John Randolph of Roanoke) made an attack on the Judiciary and Papa (John Coalter), finding no one else would rise to their defense, answered him..."

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter to her husband, St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173453

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294675

Unit Date circa 1829 December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

To "My dear Cousin"

Unit ID id173455

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294676

Unit Date 1830 January 13

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, New Kent County, to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter

Unit ID id173457

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294677

Unit Date 1830 September-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents His "chill and fever," the recurring sickness which was to bring on his early death in 1839. His wife goes to Chatham, the Coalter family home, for the birth of her first child, Walker Tomlin Coalter.

Letters from Mrs. Coalter, Chatham, to her husband, St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173459

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294678

Unit Date 1830 November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

St. George Tucker Coalter and Mrs. Coalter, Cumberland, to John Randolph Bryan

Unit ID id173460

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294679

Unit Date 1831 January 9

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, Richmond, Cumberland, and Roanoke to Mrs. Coalter

Unit ID id173461

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294680

Unit Date 1831 June-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In October he writes: "Uncle R. (John Randolph of Roanoke) looks dreadfully, is much worn away by disease..." Two weeks later he writes describing Randolph's estate and personality: "He is very agreeable indeed and entertains me highly with his conversation on all subjects...He is a man of the finest and nicest feelings I have ever met with..."

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Cumberland, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173462

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294681

Unit Date 1831 October-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Two letters concerning her husband's financial difficulties.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Cumberland to Mrs. Elizabeth T. (Coalter) Bryan

Unit ID id173464

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294682

Unit Date 1832 January-October

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, Cumberland, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173465

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294683

Unit Date 1832 January-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Writes to his sister about crops, planting, and the like.

John Coalter, Jr. (by St. George Tucker Coalter), Cumberland, to John Coalter Bryan

Unit ID id173467

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294684

Unit Date 1832 April 23

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The two cousins, grandsons of John Coalter, are infants; this letter is written by St. George Tucker Coalter.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, Cumberland, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173469

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294685

Unit Date 1833 January-December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In the January letter, he announces the birth of a son, Henry St. George Tucker Coalter. From White Sulphur Springs, he writes on July 27 that "the shortness of breath and the hacking cough have left me entirely."

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Cumberland, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173471

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294686

Unit Date 1833 February-September

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Her husband is at the Springs; she would like to join him but cannot afford it. "He says he never wished for money before, as the want of it keeps him from having company..."

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter

Unit ID id173473

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294687

Unit Date 1833 July

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written from Charlottesville, White Sulphur Springs, Warm Springs, Sweet Springs, and Salt Sulphur Springs. An interesting group of letters describing life at several of the medicinal springs which were so popular in the 19th century. He describes his daily regimen, the meals, the baths, other tourists, the costs, and the physical characteristics of the resorts.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Cumberland, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173474

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294688

Unit Date 1833 July-August

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Mrs. Judith H. Coalter writes to her husband about family matters while he is at the springs for his health.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter

Unit ID id173476

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294689

Unit Date 1833 August

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents A continuation of his previous letters, including a crude drawing of the buildings and grounds of Salt Sulphur Springs.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter at Cumberland to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173478

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294690

Unit Date 1833 March-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In November she mentions that Beverley Tucker called on way to Williamsburg.

St. George Tucker Coalter, Mrs. Coalter, and Johnny and Hinny (Henry) to John Coalter

Unit ID id173480

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294691

Unit Date 1833 April 30

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The boys, who are just learning to write, add their notes to the letter to their grandfather.

St. George Tucker Coalter, Cumberland to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173482

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294692

Unit Date 1833 August 20

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. J. H. Coalter, Cumberland, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173484

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294693

Unit Date 1835 January-October

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Her husband is overworking, and she fears for his health.

Robert W. Tomlin, Chericoke, to John Coalter

Unit ID id173485

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294694

Unit Date 1835 May 19

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The brother of Mrs. Judith H. Coalter writes to her father-in-law asking help in gaining a position with a Richmond company.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter at Chericoke to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173487

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294695

Unit Date circa 1835 October-December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents He writes about his poor health; mentions his uncle, Beverley Tucker.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter and St. George Tucker Coalter, Cumberland, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173489

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294696

Unit Date 1836 January-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents John Coalter is very much concerned with gold mine projects; he now orders St. George Tucker Coalter about at his will, and has decided that the family shall move closer to him. They are dependent on John Coalter financially.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter

Unit ID id173490

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294697

Unit Date 1836 July-September

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Life at the springs, his continuing illness and his poverty.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, Cumberland, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173492

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294698

Unit Date 1836 July-December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents His discouragement as he contemplates the move insisted upon by his father: "after seven years we have to begin the world afresh and fix and build and lay out and all that -- oh thunder - -how I dread and hate it."

St. George Tucker Coalter, Sweet Springs, to John Randolph Bryan

Unit ID id173493

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294699

Unit Date 1836 August 25

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Cumberland, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173494

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294700

Unit Date 1836 November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173496

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294701

Unit Date 1837 January-December

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Regarding the move from Cumberland, New Kent County, to St. George's Park, King William County, and the difficulty of the move.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Chericoke, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173498

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294702

Unit Date 1837 February-November

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents John Coalter is very ill, and the new place is slow in getting established. Mention

of the will of John Randolph of Roanoke.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter, to John R. Bryan

Unit ID id173500

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294703

Unit Date 1837 February-October

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The will of John Randolph of Roanoke, in which the good name of St. George Tucker is slighted. Henry and Beverley Tucker, sons of St. George Tucker are also involved.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173501

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294704

Unit Date 1837 March-August

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Home has not been settled since leaving Cumberland. Her husband has finally bought a place "about 2 hundred and 50 acres, very poor, with a new house but a very indifferent one."

Reuben T. Thom to "Dear Madam"

Unit ID id173503

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294705

Unit Date 1838 February 2

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning the "continued illness" of Judge (John) Coalter; offers to be of any help that he can. (John Coalter died the day this letter was written.)

Correspondence from the Coalter and Bryan families

Unit ID id173505

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293763

Unit Date 1838-1852

Scope and Contents

The correspondence between St. George T. Coalter, his wife, his sister Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan, and her husband John Randolph Bryan, form the core of the material in this box. It includes letters exchanged by the cousins, five Coalter children, and nine Bryan children. The controversy over the will of John Randolph of Roanoke is mentioned in several of the letters. St. George Tucker Coalter was a nephew of John Randolph, John Randolph Bryan was his godson, and both were heirs. St. George Tucker Coalter attempts to establish a new home where his late father John Coalter forced him to move (St. George Tucker Coalter was never financially independent of his father). A doctor's prescription, 28 April 1839, for the man who has been slowly dying of lung trouble and constant fever is: salts to be taken internally, salve rubbed on externally, baths at the medicinal springs and regular exercise. Four months later St. George Tucker Coalter died. The five surviving children of Mrs. Coalter and the nine children of Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan add to the correspondence as the years go on, for the families are very attached to one another and there is much visiting back and forth as well as letter writing. The letters of the cousins have been combined in this collection, so that an interesting picture is given of the life of this period; see a report of a traveling entertainer who visits the great houses (23 February 1847), a description of a costume ball at Warner Hall (8 February 1851) and a list of courses studied at a Girl's school (2 February 1852). There is much discussion of diseases which were prevalent: consumption, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, cholera, and influenza. 16-year-old John Coalter copied out a cholera cure sent by his aunt for use by two local doctors (13 July 1849).

Letters from St. George T. Coalter at St. George's Park to John Randolph Bryan at Gloucester Court House

Unit ID id173507

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294706

Unit Date 1838 March-May

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The first letter is endorsed by John Randolph Bryan. The second was started by St. George Tucker Coalter but was completed and signed by his wife.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Chatham, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173508

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294707

Unit Date 1838 March-November

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Content is principally concerned with the rapidly deteriorating health of St. George T. Coalter. In June he begins a letter that he is unable to finish but by November he is again supervising the farm activity. The establishment of the new farm and the erection of additional buildings is a great strain.

Letters from St. George Tucker Coalter and Mrs. Coalter to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan and John Randolph Bryan

Unit ID id173509

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294708

Unit Date 1838 April-December

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Mrs. Coalter wrote the first two letters for her husband who was too weak to write, but by December he was again active in supervising St. George's Park, their new home.

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, St. George's Park, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173510

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294709

Unit Date 1838 May

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 3 letters. Coalter visits his uncle, Beverley Tucker, who has moved back to Williamsburg.

St. George Tucker Coalter, Chericoke, to Mrs. Coalter

Unit ID id173511

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294710

Unit Date 1838 May 23

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Visiting the family home of Mrs. Coalter their son, John, falls down the basement stairs and is unconscious for a time. His father writes, "the Doctor bled him and yesterday morning we gave him a

dose of salts...he is now to all appearances as well as ever tho' from loss of blood, the shock, the Salts and low diet he is a little fainty when he first begins to move about in the morning." (The child survived the ministrations of the doctor.)

R. B. Maury, Treasurer of the Federal Union Manufacturing Co., Fredericksburg, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173512

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294711

Unit Date 1838 October 16

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A receipt for \$100.00 and a demand for another \$100.00 on shares of stock.

St. George Tucker Coalter, St. George's Park, to John Randolph Bryan

Unit ID id173513

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294712

Unit Date 1839 January 2

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerned with the business of a ferry, gold mines, and a mill, evidently part of the estate left by John Coalter to his two children.

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, St. George's Park and Chatham, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173515

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294713

Unit Date 1839 February-May

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 7 letters. Mr. Coalter has had a relapse, and "has lost all the flesh and muscle he had gained. Yet he makes a trip down country in April, only to return much worse.

St. George Tucker Coalter, St. George's Park, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173521

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294714

Unit Date 1839 February-March

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

He marks his 30th birthday: "I can neither eat nor sleep nor move about with comfort and am so weak from fever...that I can hardly stand up or sit down."

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, St. George's Park, to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173523

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294715

Unit Date 1839 April

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 3 letters. Letters written to her husband when he is on his last trip from home.

Edward H. Charmichael to St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173524

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294716

Unit Date 1839 April 28

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A doctor's prescription: salts, used internally, salves externally, baths at the Hot Springs, and continued exercise.

Ann Eliza Fitzhugh and St. George Tucker Coalter, St. George's Park, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173526

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294717

Unit Date 1839 May 23

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Announces the birth of a child to Mrs. Coalter. St. George Tucker Coalter writes of the "fire in my breast that must soon burn me out."

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, St. George's Park, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id173527

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294718

Unit Date 1839 June-July

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Autographed letters signed E. News of a young son; congratulates Mrs. Bryan on the birth of a daughter. St. George Tucker Coalter adds a note in July 4th letter: "I can't make much hand at writing this evening but I send you these few words to comfort you...my thoughts and prayers are with you may the Lord work all things together for our good." To this Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan has added the endorsement, "The last line I ever got from him."

"List of Negroes allotted by the Commissioners to the Children of St. George T. Coalter."

Unit ID id173528

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294719

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

(St. George Tucker Coalter died at St. George's Park on, August 18, 1839.)

Ann B. Fitzhugh, Chessanamsie, to Mrs. St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id173529

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294720

Unit Date 1840 April 11

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

After the death of her husband, Mrs. Coalter has gone to live with her sister-in-law at Eagle Point.

Letter to Judy (Mrs. Coalter)**Unit ID** id173530**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294721**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 16 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Unsigned and undated.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, Hanover County, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan**Unit ID** id173531**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294722**Unit Date** 1842 June-November**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 17 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Mrs. Coalter moved from St. George's Park to Presley. Her brother, Harrison Tomlin, was living with the family and takes the place of a father to the children.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan**Unit ID** id174096**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294723**Unit Date** 1843 March-October**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 18 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Of her poverty and of the need for means to educate her children.

John Coalter II, Presley, to John C. Bryan**Unit ID** id174097**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294724**Unit Date** 1843 August 11**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 19 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

The son of Mrs. Coalter writes to his young cousin, the son of John Randolph Bryan, at Roanoke, a plantation that had been in litigation since the death of John Randolph. The property was being administered by J. R. Bryan, one of the heirs. Young John C. Bryan, was one of the chief beneficiaries of the will, then being contested.

C. B. Cocke, Belmeade, to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter**Unit ID** id174098**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294725**Unit Date** 1844 April 5**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 20 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Announcing the birth of a child.

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Ditchley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174099

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294726

Unit Date 1844 September 18

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174100

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294727

Unit Date 1845 January-December

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Preparations are made to send Fanny (Frances Bland Coalter) to live with her grandmother and to attend school in Fredericksburg. The sale of the estate of her late husband took place in October.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174101

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294728

Unit Date 1846 May-November

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Enquires about money from the estate of John Randolph of Roanoke; her plans to send John and Henry Coalter away to school. (St. George Tucker Coalter, father of John and Henry, was a nephew of John Randolph, and it was expected that the Coalter children would inherit something from his estate.)

John Coalter II, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174102

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294729

Unit Date circa 1846 September

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Written from school to his aunt; "all of the boys have to get in school by sunrise and stay there until five in the evening."

Frances Tucker Bryan, Eagle Point, to Fanny Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174103

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294730

Unit Date 1847 February 23

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The Bryan place, Eagle Point in Gloucester County, is so isolated and the family growing so large that a school teacher was kept there for the other children. She mentions her brothers and sisters, and tells of a traveling entertainer: "De [Delia] and myself went to Warner Hall...and there found an Italian ventriloquist with a hat on that had little bells all around the brim...if he comes to Chatham you will probably be deceived by him..."

Letters from John Coalter II, Riggary (Academy), Charlottesville, to Miss F. B. Coalter

Unit ID id174104

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294731

Unit Date 1847 March-October

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents He tells his sister: "I reckon this is the coldest and most melancholy place in the world."

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter at Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174105

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294732

Unit Date 1847 April-December

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Hopes to get a place from the sale of the estate. "Seven years this last Christmas is a long time not to have a house to call your own." Her hopes for the settlement of the Randolph estate are not fulfilled.

Sue to Fanny B. Coalter

Unit ID id174106

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294733

Unit Date circa 1847 February 16

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Letters from Georgia T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Miss F. B. Coalter

Unit ID id174107

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294734

Unit Date 1847 May-November

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Nanie and Lucy, Lower Bremo, to Georgia B. Coalter

Unit ID id174108

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294735

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Nanie and Lucy, Lower Bremo, to Georgia B. Coalter

Unit ID id174109

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294736

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Delia Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174110

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294737

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Mrs. Judith H. Coalter to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174111

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294738

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174112

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294739

Unit Date 1848 January-November

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Congratulates Mrs. Bryan on the birth of a son, her 8th child. Mentions shopping trips to Richmond and the remodeling of the house, so, perhaps, some money may have been received from the Randolph estate.

Georgia S. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174114

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294740

Unit Date 1848 February 26

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A 9-year old writes of attending a dance at Warner Hall and staying until 11 p.m. "We take dancing lesson of 2 hours length every Saturday."

B. C. Jones, Eagle Point, to "Dear Sister"

Unit ID id174115

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294741

Unit Date 1848 May 12

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Enclosure.

John Coalter II, Riggery, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174116

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294742

Unit Date 1848 August 29

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Frank Chiam, Fredericksburg, to Fanny B. Coalter, Fork Union

Unit ID id174117

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294743

Unit Date 1848 September 11

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan**Unit ID** id174119**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294744**Unit Date** 1849 March-December**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 39 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Consumption and Cholera are discussed as well as the final division of the estate. Mrs. Coalter still hopes to be able to buy a home of her own. Sons John and Henry left in September for the University of Virginia where they room with their cousins, Jack Coalter and J. Braxton. On Christmas Day she mentions "A dreadful affair has lately occurred at the University, one young man killed another, both intoxicated and from the south; as wicked as that is, it takes the cold blooded yankees to perpetrate the refinement of barbarism in stewing, and boiling...living people..."

Letters from Frances Bland Coalter, Chatham, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan**Unit ID** id174120**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294745**Unit Date** 1849 May-July**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 40 (Folder)**Henry T. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan****Unit ID** id174122**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294746**Unit Date** 1849 July 12**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 41 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Henry T. Coalter, 16 years old, writes that he has had charge of the harvest at the farm because the overseer was sick. He has also advised the local doctors on Cholera cures: "Mama received your letter by the last post and was much obliged to you for the copy you sent her of the cure for the Cholera. Since it reached here I have copied it twice for different doctors who seemed much pleased with the proscription (sic)."

F. T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174124**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294747**Unit Date** 1849 July 14**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 42 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

A beautiful description of the Cove and the island as seen from the Eagle Point house.

John Coalter II, Presley, "Dear Aunt" Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan**Unit ID** id174125**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294748**Unit Date** 1849 August 9**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 43 (Folder)

Betty (Braxton), Bremono, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174126

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294749

Unit Date 1849 September 14

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Mrs. Betty C. Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174128

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294750

Unit Date 1849 November 7

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mrs. Lacy, related through the fourth wife of her grandfather, John Coalter, was like an older sister to Frances Bland Coalter, and the affectionate relationship between the two continued for many years.

Mrs. B. C. Lacy, Chatham, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174129

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294751

Unit Date 1849 November 23

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The Lacy's are preparing to move into Ellwood, the former summer home of John Coalter.

John Coalter II, University of Virginia, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174130

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294752

Unit Date 1849 November 24

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Frances Bland Coalter, Chatham, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174131

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294753

Unit Date 1850 January 1

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174132

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294754

Unit Date 1850 January-July

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written before and after a long visit. There were ties between the families despite the distance between them. Mrs. Coalter fears her youngest son, Saint George, has Typhoid fever.

Letters from Lucy Lindley, Ingleside, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174133**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294755**Unit Date** 1850 February-November**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 50 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents A school friend tells of a visit to Richmond to see the relics of Gen. and Mrs. Washington.

Letters from Mrs. B. C. Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174134**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294756**Unit Date** 1850 April 2**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 51 (Folder)**Georgia Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter****Unit ID** id174135**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294757**Unit Date** 1850 April 13**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 52 (Folder)**Letters from Georgia Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter****Unit ID** id174136**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294758**Unit Date** 1851 February-August**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 53 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Cover lacking. About life in the great houses of Virginia, excursions on river boats, dances, and the like. Mentions a fancy ball where everyone appeared in a mask and gown, "You cannot tell a man from a woman. They go about in this costume for some time and have a dance...one gentleman went draped as a lady and no one found him out,...one went as a monk in robes and with his beads..."

Letters from Mrs. B. C. Lacy, Greenwood and Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174137**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294759**Unit Date** 1851 March-August**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 54 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents "When will your new house, or rather, new home be ready for you? (Frances Bland Coalter's mother has finally been able to buy a house, Stanley.)

Letters from Lucy Lindley, Ingleside, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174138**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294760**Unit Date** 1851 April-July**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

B.C. Lacy, Ellwood, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174139

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294761

Unit Date 1851 May 8

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letter is addressed to "My dear Cousin".

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174140

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294762

Unit Date 1851 June-December

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Mentions the war threat: "my anxiety about a lasting peace and the welfare of my children preys very much on my spirits."

Elizabeth Gordon, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174141

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294763

Unit Date 1851 September 1

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Announces the birth of a daughter to Mrs. Lacy.

Mannie Tomlin, Lower Bremo, to Fanny Coalter

Unit ID id174142

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294764

Unit Date 1851 September 22

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 59 (Folder)

F. T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174143

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294765

Unit Date 1851 November 25

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 60 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Fanny Coalter is attending a school conducted by Rev. Moses D. Hoge.

Virginia B. Coalter, Chericoke, to Betty

Unit ID id174144

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294766

Unit Date 1851 December 7

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 61 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Endorses note from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter.

Letters from Mrs. B. C. Lacy, Chatham and Eliwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174145

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294767

Unit Date 1852 January-July

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 62 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents About her daughter, Agnes, and the progress on the improvements at Ellwood.

F. T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174146

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294768

Unit Date 1852 January 7

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 63 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Rumors of a great revival at Mr. H.'s school have reached us from different quarters and report says Jinney and yourself acted a conspicuous part."

Letters from Mannie Tomlin, Lower Bremo, to Frances Bland Coalter, care of Rev. M. D. H.

Unit ID id174148

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294769

Unit Date 1852 January-August

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 64 (Folder)

Letters from Sue Fickler, Fredericksburg, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174149

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294770

Unit Date 1852 February-December

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents A school friend writes of her textbooks: "Paley's Moral Philosophy, Olinstead's Natural Philosophy, Hume's History of England, Conic Sections, Thompson's Arithmetic and French Studies."

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174150

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294771

Unit Date 1852 February-October

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Includes a most interesting account of trip by boat from Gloucester County, via Jamestown, to Richmond.

Lucy Cocke, Lower Bremo, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174151

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294772

Unit Date 1852 March 1

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 67 (Folder)

St. George Tucker Coalter, Rumford Academy, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174153

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294773

Unit Date 1852 March-October

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 68 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The first letters written by Mrs. Coalter's youngest child.

John Coalter II, University of Virginia, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174155

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294774

Unit Date 1852 March 20

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 69 (Folder)

Letters from Mannie Morton, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174156

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294775

Unit Date 1852 April-November

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 70 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents A schoolmate who has left Rev. Mr. Hoge's school writes back.

St. George Tucker Coalter, Rumford Academy to Randolph Bryan

Unit ID id174157

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294776

Unit Date 1852 May 4

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 71 (Folder)

Rev. Moses D. Hoge, Richmond, to Harrison B. Tomlin

Unit ID id174158

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294777

Unit Date 1852 October 8

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 72 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

An offer to abate charges so that Fanny B. Coalter could remain in school.

John Coalter II, Presley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan**Unit ID** id174160**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294778**Unit Date** 1852 November 2**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 73 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Writes that he has stood his examination for license to practice law; reports on his brothers and sisters.

Mattie Morton, Prince Edward, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174161**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294779**Unit Date** 1852 December 20**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 74 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Fanny has returned to Rev. Hoge's school; her friend writes regarding scarlet fever.

Correspondence of Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174164**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293741**Unit Date** 1853-1858**Scope and Contents**

Frances Bland Coalter is the daughter of St. George Tucker Coalter and grandchild of John Coalter. Her correspondence gives a picture of mid-nineteenth century life and includes a near scandal in her attachment to her married schoolmaster, the Rev. Moses D. Hoge. The contents of this box end with the marriage of Frances Bland Coalter and Henry Peronneau Brown. Letters of Brown and his wife resume in Box 21. Largely papers collected by Frances Bland Coalter between February 1853, when she is preparing to leave school, and December 1858, when she married Henry Peronneau Brown. Through this marriage the Tucker-Coalter line was connected with the Brown line; thus, the papers of the two families were brought together into one. The collection gives an interesting picture of the life and interests of a young lady of moderate circumstances in the mid-19th century. Of special interest are the letters concerning the Rev. Moses D. Hoge, whose school in Richmond Fanny Coalter had attended. Shortly after she left school, the Rev. Mr. Hoge carried on a very romantic correspondence with Fanny, although he was a married man with several children. The correspondence became more ardent in the early months of 1854 and, when Mrs. Hoge wrote that her husband had gone to Baltimore to stay with his brother who was ill, Fanny followed him there. According to the gossip of Mattie and Lizzie Morton, she went there to "entrap him." In October it was suggested that the brother, William Hoge, was the one in whom she was interested. The Rev. Mr. Hoge later sought to calm the fervours of his correspondent, as shown by his letters of 28 January 1855, 19 June 1856, and 19 March 1857. Fanny B. Coalter did not lack for other suitors, however, for she preserved a letter of 17 July 1854, a proposal of marriage from Alfred B. Tucker. A year later there are reports of her interest in the Brown brothers, John Thompson and Peronneau, of Petersburg, both of whom were courting her. She finally settled on the latter; some acceptances to the marriage invitation are included in this box. Letters of Frances Bland Coalter and her husband Henry Peronneau Brown continue in Box 21. The intervening boxes contain manuscripts of the Brown family, especially Capt. Henry Brown, grandfather of Henry Peronneau Brown (Boxes 7-13); the Hon. John Thompson Brown, father of Henry Peronneau Brown (Boxes 14-19); and Col. John Thompson Brown II, brother of Henry Peronneau Brown (Box 20).

Hess (), Ditchley, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174166**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293846**Unit Date** 1853 February 8**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Fanny is preparing to leave the school, having finished the course.

Letters from Josie McIlwaine and Virginia Braxton Coalter to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174167

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293847

Unit Date 1853 March-May

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents A schoolmate and Fanny's sister write after she leaves school.

Letters from Mrs. B.C. Lacy, Eliwood and Chatham, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174168

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293848

Unit Date 1853 April-November

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Betty Braxton, Chericoke, to Virginia B. Coalter

Unit ID id174169

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293849

Unit Date 1853 May 1

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Reports that Jack Bryan, oldest son of Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan is dying at the Coalter home, Presley.

Letters from Mrs. Judith H. Coalter, Stanley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174170

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293850

Unit Date 1853 June-December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents After many years of waiting (since the death of her husband in 1839) Mrs. Coalter is finally able to buy her own place, Stanley. She tells of her move and of the illness that put her in bed afterward.

Sallie Gaines, Powhite, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174171

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293851

Unit Date 1853 June 18

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

J. T. Morton and Lizzie, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174172

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293852

Unit Date 1853 July 15

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Fanny W. Gaines, Powhite, to Fannie Coalter

Unit ID id174173

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293853

Unit Date 1853 July 16

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Rev. Moses D. Hoge, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174174

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293854

Unit Date 1853 July 20

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The school is closed for the summer, his wife and children are away, so he enlivens his solitude "by having a little chat with you...and where I always think of you and the delightful morning when we enjoyed the scene together...how I cherish every memorial of you. "I greatly enjoyed your last brief visit to us and that evening (do you remember it?) when the music room being full of company we found quiet, and cool breezes in the back porch. I have been sitting there tonight." (A strange letter, indeed, and one which was to cause some upset in the heart of Frances Bland Coalter, as subsequent correspondence show.)

Frances Bland Coalter, Stanley, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174175

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293855

Unit Date 1853 November 18

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter is addressed to "My own dear Aunt".

James K. Lee, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174176

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293856

Unit Date 1853 November 29

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Hess to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter

Unit ID id174177

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293857

Unit Date circa 1853 November

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letter is addressed to "My dear sister". Written to Mrs. Judith H. Coalter soon after she purchased her home, Stanley.

Rev. M.D. Hoge, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174179

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293858

Unit Date 1853 December 20

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"This letter cannot hold any news, so I will fill it with love...entertaining myself by wishing that you could walk into the room and occupy a vacant chair hard by ."I hope to see you sometimes...nothing to what I would enjoy were I to keep house in a quiet way and have you for my guest a week at a time..."I would like you to marry some fine fellow and live in Richmond, only I...like you best as you are, except that you are too far from me."

Rev. M. D. Hoge, Hampstead, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174181

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293859

Unit Date circa 1854 January

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"When I woke up yesterday morning and found it raining, my spirits fell as low as the mercury for I feared you would not come to Hampstead..."

Letters from Lizzie Morton, Buffaloe and Petersburg, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174183

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293860

Unit Date 1854 February

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Rev. M. D. Hoge, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174184

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293861

Unit Date 1854 March 23

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"You ask me why it is that I am so partial to you--well, the very first time we get a chance to have a talk by ourselves I will tell you...When shall the opportunity come? There is always so much company at your house..."

Letters from John Coalter II, Stanley Hall, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174186

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293862

Unit Date 1854 April-July

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

He conducts a school: "I succeeded in six days of raising 21 scholars." He writes that Henry has graduated in Law with distinction.

Mrs. Susan M. Hoge to Fanny Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174188

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293863

Unit Date circa 1854 April

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I think from his letter, Brother [William Hoge] has been much sicker than we had any idea of Mr. [Moses D.] Hoge is going on Thursday to see him and will probably remain in Baltimore until he is well enough to travel..."

Mattie Morton, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174191

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293864

Unit Date 1854 April 27

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Addressed to Fanny at Baltimore. Her friend writes, "Cousin Joe says you went to Baltimore purposely to see Mr. Hoge."

Letters from Sallie W. Gaines, Powhite, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174192

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293865

Unit Date 1854 June 12

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Reports gossip concerning Fanny's Baltimore trip.

Fannie W. Gaines, Powhite, to Fannie Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174193

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293866

Unit Date 1854 June 24

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Rev. M. D. Hoge, New York, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174195

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293867

Unit Date 1854 June 24

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Often when (I am) abroad, you will be in my mind and heart. Neither do I want you to get married before I return. I am to perform that service, you know..."

Lizzie Morton, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174196

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293868

Unit Date 1854 June 29

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning the gossip regarding Fanny and Rev. Hoge: "Surely you could not think me so deceitful as to profess to love you and then say that you would try to entrap a gentleman. I did not say so. I remember saying that if you went to Baltimore and were thrown with Mr. Hoge I believed he would address you, because I know he admired you very sincerely..."

Alfred B. Tucker, Winchester, to Fanny B. Coalter

Unit ID id174198

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293869

Unit Date 1854 July 17

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A proposal of marriage.

Mrs. Betty C. Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174200

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293870

Unit Date 1854 July 19

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

J. Horace Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174202

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293871

Unit Date 1854 August 22

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A rumor that Frances Bland Coalter is to marry.

Frances Tucker Bryan, Rockbridge, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174203

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293872

Unit Date 1854 September 8

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Mattie H. Morton, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174204

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293873

Unit Date 1854 October 3

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Julia Green was here...when I told her that you had gotten a letter from Mr. Hoge she said she was so

jealous of you that she was ready to fight..."

Sallie W. Gaines, Powhite, to F. B. Coalter

Unit ID id174206

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293874

Unit Date 1854 October 6

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I am going to Baltimore...and I shall see Mr. William Hoge! Don't you wish you were going? What shall I tell him for you?"

St. George T. Coalter, Boswell, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174211

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293875

Unit Date 1854 October 23

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

St. George is now in school at Staunton.

A. Steven, Jr., Charlottesville, to Colonel Harrison Tomlin

Unit ID id174212

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293876

Unit Date 1855 January 12

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Construction work to be done at the University of Virginia.

Rev. M. D. Hoge to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174214

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293877

Unit Date 1855 January 28

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I hope that it will not be long before I have the pleasure of seeing you, my dear and constantly remembered friend."

Letters from Mattie Morton, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174216

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293878

Unit Date 1855 February-September

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174217

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293879

Unit Date 1855 February 12

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. B.C. Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174219

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293880

Unit Date 1855 February-December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "I have heard several times of your engagement to Thomas--who has made himself very scarce."

Letters from Betty Braxton, Oak Springs, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174222

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293881

Unit Date circa 1855 April

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Sue Taliaferro, Belle Ville, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174224

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293882

Unit Date 1855 May 28

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Accepts invitation to the marriage of Virginia, younger sister of Fanny Coalter.

Sallie Gaines, Powhite, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174226

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293883

Unit Date 1855 June 25

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

W. Hall to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174228

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293884

Unit Date 1855 June 28

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Mrs. B.C. Lacy, Eliwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174230

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293885

Unit Date 1855 July 29

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Frances Bland Coalter, Salt Sulphur Springs, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174234

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293886

Unit Date 1855 September 1

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Letters from Betty Braxton, Chericoke, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174236

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293887

Unit Date 1855 November-December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Covers lacking.

Henry T. Coalter, Gloucester Court House, to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan

Unit ID id174237

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293888

Unit Date 1855 November 21

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Now a practicing lawyer, he writes to his aunt on business.

Lucy T. Braxton, Philadelphia, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174239

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293889

Unit Date 1855 December 10

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Letters from Fanny C. Braxton, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174242

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293890

Unit Date 1855 December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents To her cousin regarding "Mr. President" and "The Vice." (This appears to refer to the Brown brothers, John Thompson and Henry Peronneau. Frances Bland Coalter was to marry the latter.)

John Thompson Brown to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174244**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293891**Unit Date** circa 1855**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 46 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"I wish you to be very particular in your conversations with Peronneau not to let him have the least idea of the tenor of my remarks to you yesterday and at the same time manage to convince him that I am not in love with you, as I am afraid such is his present opinion."

Letters from Sue Carter, Pampatike, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174246**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293892**Unit Date** circa 1855**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 47 (Folder)**H. B. Tomlin, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter****Unit ID** id174248**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293893**Unit Date** 1856 January 9**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 48 (Folder)**Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan, Eagle Point, to Mrs. St. George Coalter****Unit ID** id174250**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293894**Unit Date** 1856 February 15**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 49 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Trouble in: finding a teacher for her children; "the Roanoke business"--(evidently a reference to the still unsettled will of John Randolph of Roanoke.)

Letters from Mrs. B. C. Lacy, Chatham, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174252**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293895**Unit Date** 1856 February-December**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 50 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Covers lacking. Concerned about the health of Fanny's mother, has a horror of those "distracting springs" for invalids.

Thomas H. Carter and James P. Roy, Chericoke, to Frances Bland Coalter**Unit ID** id174254**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293896**Unit Date** 1856 March 14**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 51 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

The solution to a problem in surveying (this may be the "Thomas" to whom Frances Bland Coalter was

the solution to a problem in surveying (this may be the Thomas to whom Frances Bland Coalter was rumored to be engaged).

Alex Martin, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174255

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293897

Unit Date 1856 April 22

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 52 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the death of Mrs. E. T. Bryan, aunt of Fanny Bland Coalter.

"Cousin Sue," Oak Spring, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174256

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293898

Unit Date 1856 May 2

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 53 (Folder)

Ann E. T. Magill, Winchester, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174257

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293899

Unit Date 1856 May 7

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 54 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the death of Mrs. Elizabeth T. Bryan.

J. H. Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174258

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293900

Unit Date 1856 May 13

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

Letters from Georgia Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174260

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293901

Unit Date 1856 June-July

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Thanks Fanny for her help at the time of the death of Mrs. Bryan, her mother.

F. T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Mrs. St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id174262

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293902

Unit Date 1856 June 10

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Is in charge of the plantation since her mother's death; busy making summer clothes for the slaves

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Rev. M. D. Hoge, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174263

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293903

Unit Date 1856 June 19

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Suggests a visit together to "cousin Horace Lacy."

Sue S. Taliaferro, Belle Ville, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174265

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293904

Unit Date 1856 June 20

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 59 (Folder)

Betty Braxton, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174267

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293905

Unit Date 1856 June 26

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 60 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Peronneau Brown and his brother, Thompson, are mentioned. (See letters of December 1855, Box-folder 6:44-45.)

Joseph R. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Mrs. St. George Tucker Coalter (J. H. C.)

Unit ID id174268

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293906

Unit Date 1856 July 2

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 61 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Writes to ask Mrs. Coalter to stay with his daughters during his absence in the south.

J. F. Morton, Farmville, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174270

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293907

Unit Date 1856 July 23

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 62 (Folder)

Fanny C. Braxton, Bremono, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174271

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293908

Unit Date 1856 August 2

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 63 (Folder)

Georgia L. Bryan, Savannah, Ga., to Mrs. St. George Tucker Coalter

Unit ID id174273

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293909

Unit Date 1857 January 31

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 64 (Folder)

Mrs. Delia Bryan Page, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174274

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293910

Unit Date 1857 February 28

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Has charge of the large plantation, keeping four seamstresses, three spinners and a weaver busy.

Mrs. Betty Bryan Daliam, Baltimore, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174276

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293911

Unit Date 1857 March 9

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. B. C. Lacy, Eliwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174278

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293912

Unit Date 1857 March-December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 67 (Folder)

Rev. M.D. Hoge to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174280

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293913

Unit Date 1857 March 19

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 68 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"No, my dear Fanny, my affection for you has not changed."

Letters from Josie McIlwaine, Petersburg, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174283

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293914

Unit Date 1857 March-October

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 69 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Regarding Mr. Willcox Brown and his brother Peronneau, future husband of Frances Bland Coalter.

J. F. McIlwaine to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174285

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293915

Unit Date 1857 June 11

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 70 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Invitation to the commencement party at Hampden Sidney College.

Letters from Georgia L. Bryan, Eagle Point, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174288

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293916

Unit Date 1857 July-October

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 71 (Folder)

Letters from Lucy T. Braxton, Staunton, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174289

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293917

Unit Date 1857 July-August

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 72 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Covers lacking.

J. H. Lacy, Fredericksburg, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174292

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293918

Unit Date 1857 August 7

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 73 (Folder)

Harrison B. Tomlin, Staunton, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174294

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293919

Unit Date 1857 September 23

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 74 (Folder)

Mary T. Magill, Winchester, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174296

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293920

Unit Date 1857 September 26

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 75 (Folder)

J. H. Lacy, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174300

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293921

Unit Date 1857 October 15

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 76 (Folder)

Letters from Mattie H. Morton, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174302

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293922

Unit Date 1857 October-November

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 77 (Folder)

"Jennie," Belmead, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174304

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293923

Unit Date 1857 December 6

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 78 (Folder)

E. Martin to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174306

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293924

Unit Date 1857 December 18

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 79 (Folder)

N. Morson, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174307

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293925

Unit Date circa 1857 December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 80 (Folder)

H. B. Tomlin and John Coalter II, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174309

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293926

Unit Date 1858 January 16

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 81 (Folder)

John Coalter II, Bascobel, Louisiana, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174311

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293927

Unit Date 1858 February 10

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 82 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Accompanying his uncle on a business trip, he has visited the main cities of the south and attended the opera in New Orleans. "I must confess that I have been rather disappointed in the people that live in these rich lands--they are as rough as possible...live in log houses and on the very poorest fare."

H. B. Tomlin, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174312

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293928

Unit Date 1858 February

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 83 (Folder)

J. McIlwaine to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174314

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293929

Unit Date 1858 March 11

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 84 (Folder)

Georgia L. Bryan, Warner Hall, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174315

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293930

Unit Date 1858 April 10

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 85 (Folder)

F. C. Means, Fairfield, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174317

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293931

Unit Date 1858 May 6

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 86 (Folder)

Letters from Mary T. Magill, Winchester, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174319

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293932

Unit Date 1858 May-November

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 87 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "I suppose your wedding will be postponed unless Mr. Brown's recovery is unusually rapid."

Lucie Gaines, Powhite, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174320

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293933

Unit Date 1858 June 18

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 88 (Folder)

Cousin "F. B. M." to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174321

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293934

Unit Date 1858 July 23

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 89 (Folder)

Helen Fitzhugh, Alum Springs, to Fanny Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174323

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293935

Unit Date 1858 August 5

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 90 (Folder)

Mrs. J. H. Coalter, Staunton, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174324

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293936

Unit Date 1858 August 20

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 91 (Folder)

Letters from Lucy T. Braxton, White Sulphur Springs, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174326

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293937

Unit Date 1858 [August]

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 92 (Folder)

Mrs. Betty B. Dallam, Baltimore, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174328

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293938

Unit Date 1858 September 1

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 93 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"The news of your engagement [to Henry P. Brown] did not surprise me...how heartily I approve of your choice..."

F. T. Bryan, Cargobrook, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174331

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293939

Unit Date 1858 September 21

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 94 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. B.C. Lacy, Ellwood, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174333

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293940

Unit Date 1858 September-December

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 95 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "If my letter arrives too late for Miss Fanny Coalter, I hope Mrs. Brown will have enough affection for the old name to lay claim to it."

Eliza P. Willcox, Fleur de Hundred, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174335

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293941

Unit Date 1858 October 29

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 96 (Folder)

Ann Eliza Fitzhugh Gordon, Fredericksburg, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174337

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293942

Unit Date 1858 October 29

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 97 (Folder)

Mattie Morton, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174338

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293943

Unit Date 1858 November 8

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 98 (Folder)

Alfred B. Tucker, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174340

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293944

Unit Date 1858 December 3

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 99 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Regrets that he cannot attend the wedding.

Mrs. Virginia S. Brooke, Ashland, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174341

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293945

Unit Date 1858 December 4

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 100 (Folder)

S. G. Carrington, Richmond, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174344

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293946

Unit Date 1858 December 6

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 101 (Folder)

Elthu M. Higgins, Farmville, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174345

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293947

Unit Date circa 1858

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 102 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

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F. T. Bryan, Warner Hall, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174348

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293948

Unit Date circa 1858

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 103 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This letter is undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

M. H. Morton, Buffaloe, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174350

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293949

Unit Date circa 1858

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 104 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This letter is undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

Letters from S. Gaines, Powhite, to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174352

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293950

Unit Date circa 1858

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 105 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents These letters are undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

Betty Vice to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174354

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293951

Unit Date circa 1858

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 106 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This letter is undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

Letters from Jack, "Perfect Misery" and "M" to Frances Bland Coalter

Unit ID id174356

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293952

Unit Date circa 1858

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 107 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents These letters are undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

Ticket for the King William and Hanover Charaders**Unit ID** id174357**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293953**Unit Date** circa 1858**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 108 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"The King Wm. and Hanover Charaders. Positively their last appearance. At Stanley on Friday evening the 9th this brilliant Company....Ticket 1 ct., children and servants half price." A home performance by the Coalter and Bryan cousins. This item is undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

Covers addressed to Miss Fanny B. Coalter**Unit ID** id174360**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293954**Unit Date** circa 1858**Mixed Materials** 6 (Box)**Container** 109 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents These covers are undated but probably received before December 7, 1858.

GROUP B: Captain Henry Brown papers and Brown Family papers**Unit ID** id174363**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293733**Unit Date** 1774-1848**Scope and Contents**

Papers of Henry Brown, a merchant and county official include a manuscript map of Guilford C. H., business records and correspondence of Brown and Clayton, New London, Bedford (now Campbell County), Virginia and Hancock and Brown, Lynchburg, Virginia. Collection also includes papers concerning a lawsuit against Pleasant Murphy and estate papers of Daniel Brown and Henry Brown's father-in-law John Thompson. There are papers of his immediate family including Henry Brown, Jr. Boxes 7 - 13.

Captain Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177675**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293742**Unit Date** 1774-1841**Captain Henry Brown papers and correspondence****Unit ID** id177676**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293765**Unit Date** 1774-1803**Scope and Contents**

Correspondence and business papers of Capt. Henry Brown, Revolutionary War veteran who opened a store in Bedford County, in 1793; Papers of Capt. Brown as Collector of Federal taxes on stills and real property. The Brown family papers begin with the letters and papers of Capt. Henry Brown (1760-1841), successful merchant of Bedford County and Lynchburg, who established the family fortune. He was the father of John Thompson Brown, Delegate to the Virginia Assembly, whose letters and papers are collected in the next section (Boxes 14-19). A few letters and receipts pertaining to Henry Brown, 1712-1798, the father of Capt. Henry Brown, are included. The great bulk of the material, however, relates to Capt. Brown, beginning with a map of a Revolutionary War battle, 1777, in which he was wounded. With his brother, Daniel, he opened a general store in Bedford soon after the conclusion of the war. A partnership agreement of April 1797, which brought James Leftwich into the business, is preserved and the bulk of the material in this box pertains to the business of the store. A good picture of early merchandising is given by the accounts, letters relating to buying and selling trips, and the court actions taken to collect accounts. Beginning with folder 60, there are 39 items relating to the duties of Henry Brown as tax collector in the Bedford area in the years 1800 to 1803. 160 items.

J. Arran, Germania, to "My Dear Friend"**Unit ID** id177678**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294780**Unit Date** 1774 July**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"Your friends here tremble for you and apprehend the worst from the dangers that encompass you...the deadly rifle, the scalping knife, tomahawk...return to us in all speed."

Military map, Guilford Court House, Hillsboro and Salisbury, North Carolina**Unit ID** id177679**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294781**Unit Date** circa 1781**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 2 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Endorsed: "Map of revolutionary battle, found 1926 by F. B. Saunders in old papers from Ivy Cliff. Capt. Henry Brown, born at Ivy Cliff about 1760, was wounded at Guildford C. H."

Henry Brown receipts**Unit ID** id177680**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294782**Unit Date** 1786-1792**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Buck and Brander, Manchester, to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177681**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294783**Unit Date** 1793 March 25**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Concerning goods for a retail store.

Henry Brown's note to Buck and Brander**Unit ID** id177682**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294784**Unit Date** 1793 April 30**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 5 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Note for ll.9.3£, witnessed by Jack Beverley. Endorsed: "Note Henry Brown, payable 1 September, 1793."

Order to pay to Henry and Daniel Brown**Unit ID** id177683**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294785**Unit Date** 1793 June 20**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Includes letter from Israel Thompson regarding saddle goods in stock at the store.

From P. Bennet in Philadelphia

Unit ID id177684

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294786

Unit Date 1793 November 17

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Daniel Brown Commission

Unit ID id177685

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294787

Unit Date 1794 March 24

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Commission of Daniel Brown as Ensign in a Company of Light Infantry, signed by Samuel Coleman and James Wood, Lieutenant Governor of Virginia.

Accounts, receipts and notes of Henry and Daniel Brown

Unit ID id177686

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294788

Unit Date 1794 May-November

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Accounts, receipts and notes of Henry and Daniel Brown

Unit ID id177687

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294789

Unit Date 1794 May-November

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Accounts, receipts and notes of Henry and Daniel Brown

Unit ID id177688

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294790

Unit Date 1794 May-November

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Receipt from James Steptoe, Clerk of Court

Unit ID id177689

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294791

Unit Date 1795 September

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipts to Henry Brown for recording a deed.

Agreement of Henry and Daniel Brown with James Leftwich

Unit ID id177690

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294792

Unit Date 1797 September 1

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Agreement to enter into a partnership.

Letters from Daniel Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177691

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294793

Unit Date 1797 September

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letters written from Richmond, Georgetown, and Baltimore.

"Cash, etc."

Unit ID id177692

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294794

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Carried by Daniel Brown to Philadelphia.

"Cash, etc."

Unit ID id177693

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294795

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Carried by Daniel Brown to Philadelphia

Daniel Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177694

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294796

Unit Date 1798 May 8

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

List of medicines

Unit ID id177695

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294797

Unit Date 1799 March 5

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Medicines received by Henry Brown from Howard Bennett.

Receipts to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177696

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294798

Unit Date 1800 January-December

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Manuscript account book

Unit ID id177697

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294799

Unit Date 1800 March 22

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

14 pages. Unsigned.

Tax accounts kept by Henry Brown

Unit ID id177698

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294800

Unit Date 1800 July-October

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Brown's accounts as Tax Collector of the Bedford district.

Daniel Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177699

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294801

Unit Date 1801 June 1

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Writes to his brother concerning tobacco prices.

Sam Reid, Bedford, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177700

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294802

Unit Date 1801 June 3

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

"Promise to pay" from Henry Brown to Christian Houts

Unit ID id177701

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294803

Unit Date 1803 June 8

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Receipt to Henry Brown from Jonathan Steptoe**Unit ID** id177702**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294804**Unit Date** 1803 June 27**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 25 (Folder)**Daniel Brown, Franklin, to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177703**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294805**Unit Date** 1803 December 31**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 26 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Concerning business affairs a suit for debt, purchase of tobacco and a "Negro wench" for the store, etc. "P.S. I heard at court they had made you a Captain."

Brown, Leftwich and Co. to Clerk of Campbell Court**Unit ID** id177704**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294806**Unit Date** 1804 March**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 27 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Recording a deed.

Accounts of Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177705**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294807**Unit Date** 1805 March-December**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 28 (Folder)**Receipts to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177706**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294808**Unit Date** 1806-1808**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 29 (Folder)**Receipts to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177707**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294809**Unit Date** 1806-1808**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 30 (Folder)

From Lewis Stuart in Lewisburg**Unit ID** id177708**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294810**Unit Date** 1809 October 14**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 31 (Folder)**Statement of bonds to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177709**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294811**Unit Date** 1809 November 4**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 32 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Bonds in hands of Jeremiah Jenkins for collection.

Receipt for bonds received from D. and Abram Jenkins**Unit ID** id177710**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294812**Unit Date** 1810 March 1**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 33 (Folder)**Charles Thomas to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177711**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294813**Unit Date** 1810 April 14**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 34 (Folder)**Court cost vouchers****Unit ID** id177712**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294814**Unit Date** 1810 September 18**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 35 (Folder)**Miscellaneous****Unit ID** id177713**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294815**Unit Date** Undated**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 36 (Folder)**Accounts and notes of Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177714**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294816**Unit Date** 1811 March-November**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 37 (Folder)

Accounts and notes of Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177733**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294817**Unit Date** 1811 March-November**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 38 (Folder)**Accounts and notes of Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177734**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294818**Unit Date** 1811 March-November**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 39 (Folder)**Accounts and notes of Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177735**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294819**Unit Date** 1811 March-November**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 40 (Folder)**Daniel Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177715**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294820**Unit Date** 1812 August 6**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 41 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Includes a list of the new officers of the Farmer's Bank in Richmond.

J. Leftwich to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177716**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294821**Unit Date** 1812 August 9**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 42 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Concerning the division of Negroes, total value £815, between Leftwich and the Brown brothers.

Court cost vouchers to Henry Brown for recording deeds**Unit ID** id177717**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294822**Unit Date** Undated**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 43 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Printed document signed.

J. Leftwich to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177718

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294823

Unit Date 1813 December 25

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

T. H. McGilly, Richmond, to Brown, Leftwich and Co.

Unit ID id177719

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294824

Unit Date 1814 January 14

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Regarding loss of West India produce on which \$5,000.00 was borrowed. Endorsed: "I fear our loss will be considerable."

Return of hospital stores, 35th U.S. Infantry

Unit ID id177720

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294825

Unit Date 1814 March 31

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Returns from the Regimental hospital of the 35th U.S. Infantry. Sig. William W. Southall

Daniel Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177721

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294826

Unit Date 1814 May 22

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Receipt to Henry Brown from Nathaniel H. Price, brick layer

Unit ID id177722

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294827

Unit Date 1814 November 3

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Receipts from Nathaniel H. Price and William Woodford

Unit ID id177723

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294828

Unit Date 1815 January-May

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

Receipt from William Woodford to Captain Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177724**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294829**Unit Date** 1815 May 27**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 50 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Receipt is for \$130.43 to be paid to John Roberts on land that Captain Henry Brown sold to William Woodford.

D. Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177725**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294830**Unit Date** 1815 December 27**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 51 (Folder)**Receipts and accounts due to Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177726**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294831**Unit Date** 1816 March-November**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 52 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Includes an autographed document signed.

Letters from Daniel Brown to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177727**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294832**Unit Date** 1816 February-October**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 53 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Tobacco sold by Leftwich to a man who was a bad risk: "...we are thrown out of between 20 and 30 thousand dollars...one fourth of what it has taken us 20 years to earn is lost for want of prudence."

Receipt and memo of notes due Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177728**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294833**Unit Date** 1817 October**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 54 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Includes an autographed document signed.

Letters from Daniel Brown to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177729**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294834**Unit Date** circa 1818**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

Vouchers and receipts to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177731

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294835

Unit Date 1819 February-November

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes an autographed document signed.

Vouchers and receipts to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177732

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294836

Unit Date 1819 February-November

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes an autographed document signed.

Notes and accounts

Unit ID id177736

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294837

Unit Date 1820 February-October

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes an autographed document signed.

Court cost voucher to Brown, Leftwich, and Co.

Unit ID id177737

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294838

Unit Date 1821-1831

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 59 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed document signed.

Accounts of taxes, Bedford

Unit ID id177738

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294839

Unit Date 1800 September 30

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 60 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Taxes collected by Robert Snoddy, in Bedford. 14 pages.

Return of taxes collected by John Patrick

Unit ID id177739

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294840

Unit Date 1800 November

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 61 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes printed document signed.

Lists of taxes collected

Unit ID id177740

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294841

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 62 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed document signed.

Blank tax list form

Unit ID id177741

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294842

Unit Date 1801

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 63 (Folder)

Abstract of duties

Unit ID id177742

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294843

Unit Date 1801 January 6

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 64 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Abstract of duties collected from owners of stills and distilleries

Receipts to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177743

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294844

Unit Date 1801 January-September

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipts for monies received by James.

Monthly return blank

Unit ID id177744

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294845

Unit Date 1801 March

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Appointment of Henry Brown as Deputy Inspector of Revenue

Unit ID id177745

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294846

Unit Date 1801 May 6

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 67 (Folder)

Accounts of Henry Brown in tax collections

Unit ID id177746

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294847

Unit Date 1801 May-December

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 68 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed document signed.

Abstract of duties collected on distilleries

Unit ID id177747

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294848

Unit Date 1801 June 30

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 69 (Folder)

Circular letter from E. Carrington, Supervisor of Collections

Unit ID id177748

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294849

Unit Date 1801 June 30

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 70 (Folder)

Letters from Henry Brown to Robert Snoddy

Unit ID id177750

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294850

Unit Date 1801 August

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 71 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Directions for sending tax collections.

From James Daniel, Inspector of Revenue at Prince Edward

Unit ID id177751

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294851

Unit Date 1801 September 7

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 72 (Folder)

Henry Brown to Edward Carrington

Unit ID id177752

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294852

Unit Date 1801 October 6

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 73 (Folder)

Accounts of still taxes received by Henry Brown

Unit ID id177753

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294853

Unit Date 1802 January

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 74 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

20 pages

Return of monies collected by Henry Brown

Unit ID id177754

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294854

Unit Date 1802 January 31

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 75 (Folder)

List of insolvencies reported by Henry Brown

Unit ID id177755

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294855

Unit Date 1802 May

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 76 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed document signed.

E. Carrington to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177756

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294856

Unit Date 1802 June 30

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 77 (Folder)

"Ballances due for still on the S. Side of the Road"

Unit ID id177757

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294857

Unit Date 1802 July 1

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 78 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

28 pages.

E. Carrington, Richmond, to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177758**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294858**Unit Date** 1802 November-December**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 79 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Letter includes a copy of Federal instructions to tax collectors. 3 items. Printed document signed.

Circular letters and drafts**Unit ID** id177759**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294859**Unit Date** 1803 February-April**Mixed Materials** 7 (Box)**Container** 80 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Printed documents signed. Autographed draft.

Brown and Clayton business papers and Hancock and Brown business papers**Unit ID** id177760**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293766**Unit Date** 1810-1839**Scope and Contents**

Business records and correspondence of Henry Brown and Samuel P. Clayton. After the death of his brother Daniel in 1818, Brown entered into a partnership with Clayton, his son-in-law. Brown survived Clayton, who died in 1832; this box also includes papers from 1833 to 1839 made out to Henry Brown, surviving partner of Brown and Clayton Company. The accounts of Henry Brown with Hancock and Brown, Lynchburg, 1824-1833, are retained as one group. Also retained as a separate group are the papers relating to the court suits of Brown and Pleasant Murphy. All notes of the period carried a 100 percent penalty clause. This resulted in many law suits being brought to establish what would now be considered exorbitant claims. In one case (see entry for March 10, 1823) for a debt of \$42.05, the debtor surrendered 1 sound filly, 2 cows, a calf, 2 feather beds, all household and kitchen furniture, all plantation utensils, and 6 hogs! 159 items.

Brown and Clayton papers, Bedford, Virginia**Unit ID** id177762**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294860**Unit Date** 1810-1839**Mixed Materials** 8 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Papers include accounts, letters, notes, vouchers, etc.

Accounts of Captain Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177763**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294861**Unit Date** 1824-1833**Mixed Materials** 8 (Box)**Container** 2 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Accounts concerning the Hancock and Brown store, Lynchburg, Virginia.

Brown and Clayton vs. Pleasant Murphy lawsuit papers**Unit ID** id177765**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294862**Unit Date** 1827-1832**Mixed Materials** 8 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Papers relating to the suit of Brown and Clayton vs. Pleasant Murphy, Bedford County, Virginia.

Papers of Captain Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177766**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293767**Unit Date** 1815-1838**Scope and Contents**

Captain Henry Brown had many interests in his long life apart from the purely commercial activities upon which his considerable fortune was built. Included in this box are the papers relating to his other interests: Papers of Captain Henry Brown as Sheriff of Bedford County, Treasurer of the New London Academy Meeting House and of the New London Agricultural Society, and as executor of the estates of his brother, Daniel Brown, and father-in-law, John Thompson.

Receipts and other papers collected by Henry Brown, Sheriff of Bedford County**Unit ID** id177768**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294863**Unit Date** 1820-1829**Mixed Materials** 9 (Box)**Container** 1 (Folder)**Accounts concerning New London Academy meeting house, Bedford County****Unit ID** id177769**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294864**Unit Date** 1815-1831**Mixed Materials** 9 (Box)**Container** 2 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Accounts of subscriptions to the repair and improvement of New London Academy meeting house, Bedford County.

Records of Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177770**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294865**Unit Date** 1834-1836**Mixed Materials** 9 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Records from Brown's service as Treasurer of the New London Agricultural Society, Bedford County.

Papers and records by Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177771**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294866**Unit Date** 1817-1838**Mixed Materials** 9 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers from Brown's service as executor of the estate of Daniel Brown.

Papers and records by Henry Brown

Unit ID id177772

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294867

Unit Date 1833-1837

Mixed Materials 9 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers from Brown's service as executor of the estate of John Thompson.

Captain Henry Brown's court suits papers

Unit ID id177774

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293768

Unit Date 1829-1840

Scope and Contents

Business papers of Henry Brown, not directly connected with any of his various business enterprises, but concerned principally with court suits involving debts to him. Included is an interesting case of Mark Anthony, who took the oath of an Insolvent Debtor, making out a deed of trust of all his property to his creditors (11 April 1829 and 6 July 1833). Also includes papers concerned with the suit of Henry Brown vs. Nicodemus Leftwich, 1832-1840. Brown pays for the attendance of witnesses at the court and pays the county jailor "for imprisoning and releasing" Leftwich.

Captain Henry Brown's court suits papers

Unit ID id177775

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293958

Unit Date 1829-1840

Mixed Materials 10 (Box)

Scope and Contents

Business papers of Henry Brown

Household and personal bills of Captain Henry Brown

Unit ID id177776

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293769

Unit Date 1819-1841

Scope and Contents

Household, family and personal bills preserved by Henry Brown, an interesting collection of a family illustrating the activities of eight children in the second quarter of the nineteenth century, 1819-1841.

Household and personal bills of Captain Henry Brown

Unit ID id177777

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293959

Unit Date 1819-1841

Mixed Materials 11 (Box)

Scope and Contents

Household, family and personal bills of Henry Brown

Correspondence of the Brown family

Unit ID id177778

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293743

Unit Date 1797-1841

Scope and Contents

Correspondence of the immediate family of Captain Henry Brown. Also includes personal correspondence of Henry Brown with his brothers, Samuel and Daniel, and his children. The correspondence between Henry Brown and his son, John Thompson Brown, is found in Boxes 14-19. Also, letters from the sons and daughters of Samuel, brother of Henry Brown. In a separate group are collected letters written by Edward J. Steptoe, grandson of Henry Brown, from West Point Military Academy and from the Indian Wars in Florida, where he served after he was commissioned.

Samuel Brown, Rockbridge, to his brother, Henry

Unit ID id177781

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293960

Unit Date 1797 October 3

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Purchase of a watch in Winchester; requests 30 dollars to repay a debt.

Samuel Brown, Lexington, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177782

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293961

Unit Date 1799 June 6

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His wife's estate; purchase of a Negro girl.

Samuel Brown to his niece, Nancy Brown

Unit ID id177783

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293962

Unit Date 1808 March 10

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Daniel Brown, Franklin, to his brother, Henry Brown

Unit ID id177784

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293963

Unit Date 1811 August 6

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On his return from the Spring; attack of "bilious Cholic" and his treatment.

Samuel Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177785

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293964

Unit Date 1813 November 13

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning "the purchase of some land at \$20 per acre..."

Samuel Brown, Brownsburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177786

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293965

Unit Date 1814 December 30

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Beats female slave, using a walking stick, his wife using a cowhide whip. The slave's mate attempted to protect her with an axe but he was subdued, beaten and sent to jail the next day. Hopes for peace, unpopularity of the conscription law and the whiskey tax.

Mary Brown, Ann Smith Academy, to her father, Henry Brown

Unit ID id177787

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293966

Unit Date 1815 August 2

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On her studies: Blair's lectures, piano playing, drawing, painting and embroidery.

Will Steptoe, Bedford, to his sister-in-law, Mary Brown

Unit ID id177788

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293967

Unit Date 1815 August 20

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The husband of Nancy Brown writes: "...Bounaparte is on his way to this country. If so I greatly fear we shall go backwards with accelerated velocity in all peaceful, literary and ornamental pursuits..."

Daniel Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177789

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293968

Unit Date circa 1817

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Advice on a move to the State of Ohio. "Although I like Slavery as little as you or anyone else, still...I think it probable that we should be as unhappy as we are with them" (Daniel died in 1818. For the next 20 years Henry administered his estate for the benefit of his wife and children.)

Letters from Samuel Clayton, Red Sulphur Springs, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177790

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293969

Unit Date 1818 August-September

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Henry Brown is Clayton's father-in-law. The letters discuss Mary Brown's illness at the Springs (she was to die within a year).

Samuel Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177791

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293970

Unit Date 1818 October 6

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The building of his house and the health of his family.

Lavinia A. Brown, Rockbridge, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177792

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293971

Unit Date 1822 November 6

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The daughter of Samuel Brown, writes to console her Uncle on the death of his brothers and his two daughters, Mrs. Anne [Nancy] B. Steptoe and Mrs. Mary [Polly] B. Clayton.

Doctor's bill from Dr. Will Steptoe to the estate of James Jones

Unit ID id177793

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293972

Unit Date 1824 September

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

James Morrison, Brownsburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177795

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293973

Unit Date 1824 October 11

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Samuel Brown, Greenbrier, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id177796

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293974

Unit Date 1825 March 6

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

An uncle of Henry Brown writes, "My grandson wishes to get in to Business in a store..." (Henry Brown, Jr. now has a store in Lynchburg.)

Henry Brown, Jr., Deerwood, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177797

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293975

Unit Date 1825 August 14

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His continued bad health. The death of James Leftwich, Captain Brown's business partner.

J. C. Steptoe, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177798

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293976

Unit Date 1826 February 12

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Requests assistance in obtaining appointment as Clerk of Court at Bedford.

James Williams, Liberty, Bedford County, to Samuel Clayton

Unit ID id177799

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293977

Unit Date 1826 June 17

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Henry Brown, Jr., Deerwood, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177800

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293978

Unit Date 1827 January 20

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The value of the Deerwood tract.

Dr. Will Steptoe to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177851

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293979

Unit Date 1828 April 5

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

James Morrison, Brownsburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177852

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293980

Unit Date 1828 July 22

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Frances Brown to her father, Captain Henry Brown

Unit ID id177853

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293981

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Begs her father to let her have money to go to the inauguration of President Jackson.

Frances Brown, Audley, to her father**Unit ID** id177854**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293982**Unit Date** 1829 February 8**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 23 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

On her visit to Washington: "this is the thickest settled neighborhood that I ever was in--the neighbors are situated all around, some in view and others not more than a quarter of a mile from the house..."

Henry Brown, Jr., Audley, to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177855**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293983**Unit Date** 1829 March, 1829 July**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 24 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

On his visit with his brothers, John Thompson Brown, in "Washington City." Description of crowded Washington, full of pickpockets and of the confusion even in the President's house.

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177856**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293984**Unit Date** 1830 August**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 25 (Folder)**Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to Dr. Gustavus Rose****Unit ID** id177857**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293985**Unit Date** 1830 October 5**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 26 (Folder)**Samuel Brown, Fort Wayne, Indiana, to his father, Captain Henry Brown****Unit ID** id177858**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293986**Unit Date** 1830 October 17**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 27 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"...the last day I rode more than thirty miles through a dreary wilderness without seeing a single house...I am yet travelling alone and have come six hundred miles without a single man travelling my course..."

Samuel (son of Samuel Brown), Princeton, New Jersey, to his uncle, Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177859**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293987**Unit Date** 1831 January 1**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 28 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

His progress in college

his progress in college.

Rev. James M. Brown (son of Samuel Brown), near Martinsburg, to his uncle, Henry Brown

Unit ID id177860

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293988

Unit Date 1832 January 3

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His progress in repaying a debt to the estate of his uncle, Daniel.

Rev. J. M. Brown, near Martinsburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177861

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293989

Unit Date 1833 July 23

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Report of workers on the Chesapeake and Ohio canal dying from Cholera.

Henry Brown, Jr. to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177862

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293990

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the death of his maternal grandfather, John Thompson.

Henry G. Brown to his uncle, Captain Henry Brown

Unit ID id177863

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293991

Unit Date 1834 March 22

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Henry G. Brown is the son of Samuel Brown.

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr., Red Sulphur Springs, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177864

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293992

Unit Date 1834 March-August

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Rev. S. Brown, Bath County, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177865

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293993

Unit Date 1834 April 8

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Henry Brown, Jr. to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177866

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293994

Unit Date 1835 February 13

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Leaving for New York to lay in goods.

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg and New York, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177867

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293995

Unit Date 1836 March-April

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Hopes for his store despite illness and some hostile feeling toward his former partner, Ammon Hancock.

Jesse Miller to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177868

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293996

Unit Date 1836 June 12

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the death of Henry Brown. (Henry Brown, Jr. died while he and his wife were on a shopping trip for the store.)

William Brown, Staunton, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177869

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293997

Unit Date 1836 July 30

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

William Brown is the son of Samuel Brown. On the changing population: "The people still retain the simple manners of the old Scotch-Irish and, I may add, much of the intelligence and piety. But the restless spirit of emigration is taking away our best people and in their place we generally get Germans, who commonly are deplorably ignorant and will do very little toward supporting the Gospel."

Letters from K. B. Townley, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177870

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293998

Unit Date 1836 September-December

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents A Quaker associate of Henry Brown, Jr. writes to settle accounts and close the store.

Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177871

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293999

Unit Date 1836 October 10

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The widow of Henry Brown, Jr., writes of the disposal of her house.

Dr. Will Steptoe to Edwin Robinson

Unit ID id177872

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294000

Unit Date 1836 December 12

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

To Frances Brown's husband, on the loss of her two brothers, "and such brothers too, in so short a time." (Henry Brown, Jr. died in June, 1836, and his brother, John Thompson Brown, in December of that same year.)

Henry J. Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177873

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294001

Unit Date 1836 December 15

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Henry J. Brown is the son of Samuel Brown.

K. B. Townley, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177874

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294002

Unit Date 1837 February

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 2 letters. On the sale of merchandise and an expected loss.

P. Echols, Inn-holder at New London, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177875

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294003

Unit Date 1837 May 9

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Agrees to furnish Gould B. Raymond, manager of the Menagerie Co., lodging for 30 men, 65 horses, 1 elephant, 1 camel and 2 ponies.

Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Petersburg, to Mrs. Edwin (Frances B.) Robinson

Unit ID id177876

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294004

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The inscription on the tomb of her late husband, John Thompson Brown.

Mrs. Eleanor to Miss Alice Brown

Unit ID id177877

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294005

Unit Date 1837 May

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The widow of Henry Brown, Jr., writes of the death of her husband a year ago.

Mrs. Frances B. Robinson to her father, Henry Brown

Unit ID id177878

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294006

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Mrs. Mary E. Brown to her father-in-law, Henry Brown

Unit ID id177879

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294007

Unit Date 1838 January 27

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The widow of John Thompson Brown writes regarding her three sons.

Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177880

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294008

Unit Date 1838 April 24

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

S. H. Guiland, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177881

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294009

Unit Date 1838 May 10

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 50 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The executor of an estate demands payment of a note on which Henry Brown, Jr. was a cosigner.

Letters from Mrs. Alice Brown Worthington, Richmond and Georgetown, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177882

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294010

Unit Date 1839 March-June

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 51 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The youngest daughter of Henry Brown writes about her marriage and the first meeting with her new relatives.

William Brown Staunton, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177883

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294011

Unit Date 1839 April 25

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 52 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

William Brown is the son of Samuel.

W. W. Worthington, Richmond, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177884

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294012

Unit Date 1839 June 15

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 53 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On his marriage to Alice Brown.

Mrs. Alice B. Worthington, Cincinnati, to Mrs. Alexander (Lockie T. Brown) Irvine

Unit ID id177885

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294013

Unit Date 1839 November 14

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 54 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mrs. Alexander (Lockie T. Brown) Irvine is her sister. Her wedding trip to New Orleans.

Mrs. A. B. Worthington, New Orleans, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177886

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294014

Unit Date 1839 December 12

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Her sickness on the way down the river due to fresh paint in the boat.

Daniel Brown, Laporte, Indiana, to Alexander Irvine

Unit ID id177887

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294015

Unit Date 1839 December 25

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Daniel Brown is the son of Samuel.

Rev. James Mitchell Setter to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177888

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294016

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning eventual conversion of Baptists to the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Frances B. Robinson to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177889

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294017

Unit Date 1840 January 8

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Henry Brown is her father.

Mrs. Alice (Brown) Worthington at Georgetown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177890

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294018

Unit Date 1840 April 20

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 59 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "...I left New Orleans the 28th of March and reach George Town. The 15th of April...Sam (Brown) was in New Orleans the day before I left-he was not married but expected to be the 9th of April."

W. W. Worthington, Georgetown, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177891

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294019

Unit Date 1840 July 17

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 60 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Last evening our darling Alice made me the happy father of a fine boy..."

Mrs. Alice Worthington, Georgetown, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177892

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294020

Unit Date 1841 May 8

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 61 (Folder)

Account of Samuel White with Witt and Dow, "Definition of Oratory," and "Breathing"

Unit ID id177893

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294021

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 62 (Folder)

Account of Samuel White with Witt and Dow, "Definition of Oratory," and "Breathing"

Unit ID id177894

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294022

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 63 (Folder)

E. J. Steptoe, West Point, to Dr. William Steptoe at New London

Unit ID id177895

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294023

Unit Date 1833 December 10

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 64 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Report to his father of his first grades at the Academy.

E. J. Steptoe, West Point, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177896

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294024

Unit Date 1834 January 25

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

To his grandfather regarding his first term marks.

E. J. Steptoe, West Point, to his stepmother and father

Unit ID id177897

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294025

Unit Date 1834 November

Mixed Materials 12 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "The first two years of our course are exclusively devoted to Mathematics and French..." Encloses a work sheet and "Synopsis of the Course of Studies at the Military Academy."

Letters from E. J. Steptoe to Dr. William Steptoe**Unit ID** id177898**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294026**Unit Date** 1838 January-February**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 67 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Letters written from Oklawaka River and St. Augustine, Florida. "The Congress must get rid of its 'sickly sympathy' (with the Indians) or, rely upon it, this is a war of years to come." Gives a vivid description of St. Augustine.

Letters from E. J. Steptoe**Unit ID** id177899**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294027**Unit Date** 1838 July-November**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 68 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Letters written from Rose's Landing, Tennessee; Savannah, Georgia; and off Cape Hatteras. Contrasts the Cherokees in Tennessee with the Seminoles of Florida. Describes Savannah in a letter enclosed, dated February 16, 1839.

Typescript copies of letters of E. J. Steptoe**Unit ID** id177900**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294028**Unit Date** 1826-1838**Mixed Materials** 12 (Box)**Container** 69 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

8 letters. Total of 12 pages. Typescript.

Letters of Henry Brown, Jr. and Samuel T. Brown**Unit ID** id177901**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293744**Unit Date** 1822-1856**Scope and Contents**

Children of Captain Henry Brown: letters of Henry Brown, Jr., oldest son of Captain Henry Brown; Samuel Thompson Brown, youngest son; and other members of the immediate family. Henry Brown, Jr., who suffered a grave illness in 1822 as a result of which he almost lost his eyesight, went into the partnership of his father with Amman Hancock. In 1835-1836, he opened his own store in Lynchburg, but died in May 1836, while on a buying trip to New York. Interesting items in this part of the collection include a 44 page book of mineral and chemical notes (31 July 1826), a 56 page diary kept by Henry Brown, Jr. on his trip abroad (24 July 1831), drafts of letters by Henry Brown, Jr. to newspapers regarding horses, and instructions for horse care, and the like (13 April 1835-March 1836). The will of Henry Brown, Jr. (May-December 1830), and his deathbed statement dictated to his wife (May 1836), are also included. The papers of Samuel Thompson Brown include the card which announced the opening of his law office in Bedford (8 May 1838), records of his marriage in Alabama (27 April 1840), and the death of his wife within the year (3 April 1841). A letter of 22 January 1842, mentions the business failures taking place in Richmond and Lynchburg, and one of 27 August of the same year comments on the national political situation which is "sadly out of joint." In a letter of 20 September [1845], there is a report of "the thefts which were perpetrated by Thomas H. Benton whilst a student at Chapel Hill." 128 items.

Henry Brown, Jr., White Sulphur Springs, to his father, Captain Henry Brown

Unit ID id177903

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294029

Unit Date 1822 July 9

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"My eyes appear to have improved gradually." (His ailment seemed to be at its worst at this time, though he continued to suffer from the ailment until his death in 1836 at the age of 39 years.)

Henry Brown, Jr. to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177904

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294030

Unit Date 1823

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Henry Brown, Jr. to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177905

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294031

Unit Date 1824 June 4

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A note for \$1,000.00. At this time he was getting started in the store, Hancock and Brown Co.

Henry Brown, Jr., White Sulphur Springs, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177906

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294032

Unit Date 1824 August 9

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177907

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294033

Unit Date circa 1825

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Henry Brown, Jr. to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177908

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294034

Unit Date circa 1826 February 27

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The "most favorable accounts" of John Thompson Brown from the members of the House of Delegates.

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177909

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294035

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Concerning the business of Col. [Mark] Anthony, in which Henry Brown, Jr. appears to be involved.

Court cost vouchers, of Sam Clayton vs. Mark Anthony

Unit ID id177910

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294036

Unit Date 1826 March

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed document signed.

Henry Brown, Jr. Mineral and chemical notes, etc.

Unit ID id177911

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294037

Unit Date 1826 July 31

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

44 pages

Successive wills of Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id177912

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294038

Unit Date 1830 May 22, 1830 July 29, 1830 December 25

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed document signed.

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177913

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294039

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Mentions the marriage of John Thompson Brown.

J. Burton Harrison, Lynchburg, to Monsieur Niles, in Paris

Unit ID id177914

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294040

Unit Date 1831 July 21

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A letter of introduction for Henry Brown, Jr. for use on his trip to England and the Continent in that

A letter of introduction for Henry Brown, Jr., for use on his trip to England and the Continent in that year.

Travel notebook of Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id177915

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294041

Unit Date 1831 July 24

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

56 pages

Letters from Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id177916

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294042

Unit Date 1831 October-November

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written to her husband on his trip. "Oh, my dear husband, why was it that I did not accompany you?" (None of these letters reached Henry Brown, Jr. on the trip, but followed him home).

Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177918

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294043

Unit Date circa 1831 October

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

News from a letter she received from Henry Brown, Jr. in England.

Letters from George Tucker, University of Virginia, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id177919

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294044

Unit Date 1832 January

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Payment of his debts in Lynchburg; hiring out of a slave.

Henry Brown, Jr. to Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown

Unit ID id177920

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294045

Unit Date 1832 December 8

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"It's really a sad case for me, to be sick from home and away from all that (are) Dear to me..."

Accounts of Samuel T. Brown, in account with Hancock and Brown

Unit ID id177922

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294046

Unit Date 1833 April 3

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This was the store in Lynchburg in which Henry Brown was a partner and with which Henry Brown, Jr. was associated until he opened his own store in 1835. Includes autographed document.

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177923

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294047

Unit Date 1834 May

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Brother-in-law, Jack Willcox; his brother, John's speech on the Petersburg Rail Road; and the house that Henry Brown has vacated in Lynchburg.

Henry Brown, Jr., Deerwood, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177924

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294048

Unit Date circa 1834

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On a debt of Thomas Williams.

Letters, advertisements, etc., concerning horses

Unit ID id177926

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294049

Unit Date 1835

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Letter to "Mssrs. Editors," concerning Virginia geological formations

Unit ID id177927

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294050

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Lists and memoranda

Unit ID id177928

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294051

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes autographed draft. Appear to refer to pictures, and may date from the time of one of the buying trips that Henry Brown, Jr. made with his wife.

"Henry Brown, Jr."**Unit ID** id177929**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294052**Unit Date** 1836 February**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 24 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

After breaking from the partnership of Hancock and Brown, he opened his own store.

Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg**Unit ID** id177931**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294053**Unit Date** circa 1836 March**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 25 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Cover lost. Concerning the care for his horses, Young American Eclipse and Spring Hill, while he is away.

Letters from Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown, Philadelphia and New York, to Captain Henry Brown**Unit ID** id177932**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294054**Unit Date** 1836 April-May**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 26 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Written while she and her husband were on a buying trip for the Lynchburg store. In New York, Henry Brown, Jr. was taken desperately ill and died.

Deathbed statement of Henry Brown, Jr.**Unit ID** id177934**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294055**Unit Date** circa 1836 May**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 27 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Unsigned. Evidently taken down by Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown during the final days in New York.

Letters from K. B. Townley, Lynchburg, to Samuel L. Brown**Unit ID** id177935**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294056**Unit Date** 1836 July, 1836 October**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 28 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents An associate of Henry Brown, Jr. in the Lynchburg store, was liquidating the stock and selling horses in order to settle the estate.

Profile to accompany the Geological Reconnaissance of the State of Virginia

Unit ID id177937

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294057

Unit Date 1836

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Profile by Professor William B. Rogers.

Captain Henry Brown in account with the estate of Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id177938

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294058

Unit Date 1837 January 7

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Samuel T. Brown to Henry Brown

Unit ID id177939

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294059

Unit Date 1837 May 3

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A note regarding the settlement of the Henry Brown, Jr. estate.

Henry Guilford Brown, Brownsburg, to Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown

Unit ID id177941

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294060

Unit Date 1837 August

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown is his mother. Written from school, with endorsement by James Morrison, schoolmaster.

"A Description of the Departure of some of the Pilgrims for the Celestial City (vide Pilgrims Progress)"

Unit ID id177942

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294061

Unit Date circa 1837

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Signed Eleanor C. L. Brown.

Calling card of Samuel T. Brown, Attorney

Unit ID id177943

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294062

Unit Date 1838 May 8

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown to her son, H. Guilford Brown

Unit ID id177945

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294063

Unit Date 1838 May 24

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

H. Guilford Brown is her son.

Samuel H. Garland, Lynchburg, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177946

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294064

Unit Date 1838 May 25

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Edward L. Steptoe, Fort Payne, Alabama, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177947

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294065

Unit Date 1838 July 28

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Charge slips to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177949

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294066

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Charge slips for failing to attend army musters between 1829 and 1839, 1839. 10 items. Printed document signed.

W. W. Worthington, New Orleans, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177950

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294067

Unit Date 1840 April 27

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Samuel T. Brown is his his brother-in-law. Letter congratulating S. T. B. on his marriage.

Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Walnut Hill, to Mrs. Alexander Irvine

Unit ID id177951

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294068

Unit Date 1840 June 22

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mrs. Alexander Irvine is her her sister-in-law. She writes of the aged John Vaughan Willcox, her father, with whom she is living and for whom she is caring; Samuel T. Brown and his "youthful bride."

Statement of Henry Brown and Samuel T. Brown to Micajah Davis, Jr.

Unit ID id177952

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294069

Unit Date 1840 November 3

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Draft of the statement concerning the estate of Henry Brown, Jr.

Samuel T. Brown, Louisville, to his father, Henry Brown

Unit ID id177953

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294070

Unit Date 1840 November 15

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His extended wedding trip; description of General Harrison's house.

Court cost voucher of Henry Brown to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177955

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294071

Unit Date 1840

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Court cost voucher recording transfer of 400 acres from Henry Brown to Samuel T. Brown, with tax receipt. 2 items. Printed document signed.

Angile Ede Vendit, Spring Hill, to Mrs. Caroline C. (Samuel T.) Brown

Unit ID id177956

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294072

Unit Date 1841 January 28

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

A. Henry to Miss Mary Nicholson

Unit ID id177957

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294073

Unit Date 1841 April 3

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter sent care of Judge Crawford at St. Stephens, Alabama. Consolations upon the death of Mrs. Samuel T. Brown.

Letters received by Susan Crawford, St. Stephens, Alabama

Unit ID id177959

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294074

Unit Date 1841 May-June

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Letters from J. E. Sawyer, Greensboro, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177960

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294075

Unit Date 1841 May-June

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Condolences upon the death of Mrs. Samuel T. Brown.

Mrs. Alice (Brown) Worthington to her brother, Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177962

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294076

Unit Date 1841 May 19

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A letter of consolation.

S. Mordecai, Mobile, to Samuel Brown

Unit ID id177963

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294077

Unit Date 1841 June 28

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

Mrs. Frances (Brown) Robinson to her brother, Samuel T. Brown, St. Stephens, Alabama

Unit ID id177964

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294078

Unit Date 1842 January 22

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 50 (Folder)

Letters from Ed. Robinson, Baltimore, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177965

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294079

Unit Date 1842 February-April

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 51 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents On the death of W. W. Worthington, brother-in-law of Samuel T. Brown. "Your sister Alice is desirous of your attention to the affairs of Mr. W. in New Orleans prior to your return to Virginia."

Judge William Crawford, St. Stephens, Alabama, to William Grimes, Clerk of the County Court of Washington

Unit ID id177966

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294080

Unit Date 1842 March 10

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 52 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Recording certain deeds for his son-in-law, Samuel T. Brown.

J. E. Sawyer, Greensboro, Louisiana, to Samuel T. Brown, New London, Virginia

Unit ID id177967

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294081

Unit Date 1842 August 27

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 53 (Folder)

Samuel T. Brown (?)

Unit ID id177969

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294082

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 54 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Unsigned draft. Written to his overseer with whom he has quarreled.

Alice Worthington, Richmond, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177970

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294083

Unit Date 1843 January 3

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

E. Patterson to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177972

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294084

Unit Date 1843 September 29

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

T. W. F. Crawford, St. Stephens, Alabama, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177973

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294085

Unit Date 1843 October 14

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Letters from Virginia Pegrune, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id177974

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294086

Unit Date 1845 February 13

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

E. Irvine, Rocky Mount, Virginia, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177976

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294087

Unit Date 1845 September 20

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 59a (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the fees paid by Henry Brown in the Leftwich case: "between twenty and twenty-five dollars for my

services as an attorney." On the thefts "perpetrated by Thomas H. Benton whilst a student at Chapel Hill."

Agreement between Beverage Hughes and David Wright

Unit ID id177977

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294088

Unit Date 1845 September 23

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 59b (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Agreement for the payment of a debt.

Samuel T. Brown to Mark Andrews

Unit ID id177978

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294089

Unit Date circa 1847 August

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 60 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Drafts of a letter to Mark Andrews. 2 items. Concerning the cutting of trees on the property of Samuel T. Brown.

Mark Andrews to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177980

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294090

Unit Date 1847 August 31

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 61 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A reply to the above letter, Box-Folder 13:60.

Mrs. Alice Worthington to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177981

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294091

Unit Date 1848 February 17

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 62 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Samuel T. Brown is her brother.

Receipt to Samuel T. Brown from Broods and Bell

Unit ID id177982

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294092

Unit Date 1848 May 13

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 63 (Folder)

William T. Yancey, Lynchburg, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177983

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294093

Unit Date 1848 October 30

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 64 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On a charge of Ammon Hancock against the estate of Henry Brown, Jr.

Samuel T. Brown to Alice Worthington

Unit ID id177984

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294094

Unit Date 1848 December 20

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

J. H. Hopkins, Richmond, to Edwin Robinson

Unit ID id177986

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294095

Unit Date 1849 March 12

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Estimate for the cost of the construction of a bridge.

Receipt to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177987

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294096

Unit Date 1849 June 29

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 67 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt for postal expenses, April-June, 1849, signed H. Stevens.

Letters from August Leftwich, Lynchburg, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177988

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294097

Unit Date 1849 July-October

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 68 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents On the property in Mobile, Alabama, purchased by Samuel T. Brown.

Letters from W. H. Haxable, Richmond, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id177989

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294098

Unit Date 1849 July-November

Mixed Materials 13 (Box)

Container 69 (Folder)

Letters from W. H. Haxable, Richmond, to Samuel T. Brown**Unit ID** id177991**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294099**Unit Date** 1850 March-April**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 70 (Folder)**Letters from Edward Robinson, Richmond, to Samuel T. Brown****Unit ID** id177992**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294100**Unit Date** 1856 February-March**Mixed Materials** 13 (Box)**Container** 71 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents The sale of a female slave "with her Brood." Samuel T. Brown is Edward Robinson's brother-in-law.

GROUP C: John Thompson Brown Papers**Unit ID** id177994**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293734**Unit Date** 1816-1839**Scope and Contents**

Papers concern John Thompson Brown's attendance at Princeton, study of law, and trips to the South and to the West Indies. Includes speeches and correspondence as well as his published writings (newspaper articles, bills and pamphlets). The collection emphasizes his political career in the Virginia House of Delegates including his views on slavery. Also includes architectural plans for a two room house and elevations (1827), drafts of toasts and letters concerning his fight with John Hampden Pleasants. Prominent correspondents include William Segar Archer, James Murray Mason, John Hampden Pleasants, William Cabell Rives, Henry St. George Tucker and John Tyler. Boxes 14 - 19.

Papers of John Thompson Brown**Unit ID** id177997**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/293745**Unit Date** 1812-1832**Scope and Contents**

John Thompson Brown (1802-1836) was born at Otter Hills, near Bedford, Virginia and was the son of Henry Brown (1760-1841). He attended the New London Academy, 1816; studied at Princeton, 1817-1820; traveled to the South and the West Indies, 1821; and studied law with Judge Creed Taylor in Cumberland County, Virginia, 1822-1823. He began his law practice in Clarksburg, Virginia (later West Virginia), in 1824, and represented Harrison County in the House of Delegates, 1827-1830. He was a member of the Virginia Constitutional Convention of 1829-1830. He married Mary E. Willcox June, 1830, and moved to Petersburg, where he again was elected to the General Assembly, 1831-1836. He was a delegate to the national convention of the Republican (now Democratic) Party, but died on 20 November 1836, at his father's home, Otter Hills, after a brief illness. The first two letters in Box 14 date from the period of his attendance at New London Academy; then follow the papers relating to Princeton, where he matriculated in 1817 at the age of 19. He was placed in the Sophomore Class on the basis of an examination before the faculty, and received the highest mark given at the College, in each of the three years he spent at the College. His report sheets show the requirements for entrance, lists of courses, and contain a resolution passed by the trustees which condemned the sharp practices of the merchants in town. Some of the correspondence of John Thompson Brown with his brother-in-law Dr. William B. Steptoe in this period is interesting for the comments it contains on the Missouri question and other matters then being debated in the U.S. Senate. The remarks made by John Thompson Brown in letters from his collegiate period may be compared with his statements on the subject of slavery later made on the floor of the House of Delegates. After graduating from Princeton, John Thompson Brown traveled to the South, and made a brief trip to the West Indies, keeping notes on his impressions. Upon his return he took up the study of law with Judge Taylor. From this period come interesting musings on such subjects as "the family fireside," "youthful recollection," "friendship," and "behavior of a lawyer if he is to

succeed." His license to practice law, dated 7 March 1824, is included in the collection. He journeyed to Clarksburg, Virginia, to set up his law practice, and kept a notebook on the trip West which reveal his first impressions of the Clarksburg area. At the end of this box is a scrapbook containing some of his published writings, speeches, and newspaper articles.

James H. Otey, Mount Prospect, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id177999

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294101

Unit Date 1816 December 6

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter from a schoolboy friend regarding New London Academy.

Ann T. Brown to her brother, Henry Brown, in Franklin County

Unit ID id178001

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294102

Unit Date circa 1816

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

John Thompson Brown's examinations at the New London Academy.

John Thompson Brown, Princeton, New Jersey, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178002

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294103

Unit Date 1817 November 4

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I have just been examined by the faculty and am admitted to the Sophomore Class, which is the second in the college." His expenses are estimated at \$200.00 for the first term and \$90.00 for the second. "I will pledge myself not to spend one cent more than is really necessary."

Letters from Dr. William B. Steptoe, New London, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178004

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294104

Unit Date 1817 November-December

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents News from home; a rumor that some boys were expelled from Chapel Hill for their politics. John Thompson Brown is his brother-in-law.

Letters from Dr. William B. Steptoe, New London, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178005

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294105

Unit Date 1818 January-November

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Medical advice; a suggested teacher for New London Academy ("Has he energy enough manage southern students?"); the death of Polly [Mrs. Mary Brown Clayton], sister of John

Thompson Brown.

Dr. William B. Steptoe, New London, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178006

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294106

Unit Date 1818 March 21

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The political upheaval at William and Mary College; deputies appointed "...to fix upon the site of the Virginia University."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Princeton, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178008

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294107

Unit Date 1818 May-October

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "My expenses have far exceeded what was necessary or what you expect. I now see my error and repent..." Three months later he offers to leave school because of his additional debts. Later in Baltimore, he is robbed of \$200.00. His father adds up the year's expenses to a total of \$670.00. Henry Brown is John Thompson Brown's father.

Report of John Thompson Brown, Princeton, New Jersey, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178009

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294108

Unit Date 1818 September 29

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Behavior, No. 1. distinguished; Industry, No. 1. distinguished; Scholarship, No. 1. distinguished (1) "If under the article scholarship, a student is marked No. 1 distinguished (1), he is considered as ranking among the first in his class." (From printed explanation of the report.) John Thompson Brown is of the sophomore class at Princeton.

Letters from James H. Otey, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178011

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294109

Unit Date 1819 January-September

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "Once the busy scene of commercial enterprise...now lifeless and inactive." Concerning Lynchburg.

Letters from Dr. William B. Steptoe, New London, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178013

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294110

Unit Date 1819 January-December

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The University of Virginia is established at Charlottesville with an annual appropriation of \$15,000; news of a threat of slave uprisings in Fredericksburg.

Report of John Thompson Brown, Princeton, New Jersey, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178015

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294111

Unit Date 1819 April 14, 1819 September 29

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

John Thompson Brown is of the junior class at Princeton. Two reports. Printed document signed. Similar reports to that of 1818. Warning is added to the September report concerning excessive expenditures by students: "the trustees of the college give this notice to the parents and guardians of the youth, that they ought to pay no debt contracted in this town, which they have not specifically authorized."

List of the names of members of the class

Unit ID id178016

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294112

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Endorsed: "Collegians mei consocui." He knew 162 fellow students.

John Thompson Brown, Princeton, to Dr. William B. Steptoe

Unit ID id178017

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294113

Unit Date 1820 January 28

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the "present session of Congress."

Letters from J. H. Otey, Chapel Hill, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178019

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294114

Unit Date 1820 January-May

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Rumor of a great rebellion that has taken place at Princeton; the Missouri question.

Report of John Thompson Brown, Princeton, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178020

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294115

Unit Date 1820 April 11

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

John Thompson Brown is of the senior class of Princeton.

Dr. William B. Steptoe, New London, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178021

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294116

Unit Date 1820 July 29

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A Fourth of July oration supporting the idea of colonizing the free Negroes in Africa.

Travel book kept by John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178023

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294117

Unit Date circa 1821 January

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The content is on his trip to the South. 15 pages. Autographed document.

John Thompson Brown, New Orleans, to his brother, Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178025

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294118

Unit Date 1821 January 14

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"My father may justly complain of the great sums which he has expended on me, but his kindness shall not be abused much longer, as I hope to be in a situation to support myself." Endorsed: "Brother J.-- after his return from Princeton went South--through the Cherokee Nation [Alabama and Georgia] to Pensacola, and on to New Orleans--thence to Cuba and returned to U. States in the U.S. Frigate 'Hornet,' as a guest of the officers. Samuel T. Brown."

John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178027

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294119

Unit Date 1823 May 27

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A gambling scrape he was involved in; asks his father's forgiveness.

John Thompson Brown, Needham, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178028

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294120

Unit Date 1823 November 10

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Chancellor Taylor has been of incalculable service to me in the study of law." (Needham was a law school operated by Judge Creed Taylor in Cumberland County in the years 1821-1836.)

John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to Peronneau Finley

Unit ID id178030

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294121

Unit Date 1822 April 25

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

These are the continuous drafts of a multiple of letters, continued July 8, 1831, Petersburg. The first section consists of musings and youthful recollections; the second is a humorous report on a 4th of July oration made in Petersburg after his marriage.

"Student in the Law School, near Farmville"

Unit ID id178031

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294122

Unit Date 1823 July 24

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter from Alexander M. Jackson, at New London, to John Thompson Brown, regarding the marriage of Dr. Steptoe.

John Thompson Brown's notes

Unit ID id178034

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294123

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes made at Judge Taylor's Law School.

License of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178035

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294124

Unit Date 1824 March 7

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

License to practice law in the superior and inferior courts of this Commonwealth (Virginia).

John Thompson Brown, Otter Hills, to P. Finley

Unit ID id178036

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294125

Unit Date 1824 May 20

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Musings on friendship and the wise behavior of a lawyer if he is to succeed.

Judge Creed Taylor, Lynchburg, to Henry St. George Tucker, at Winchester

Unit ID id178038

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294126

Unit Date 1824 May 23

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A letter introducing John Thompson Brown when he went to Clarksburg to set up practice.

John Thompson Brown's notebook

Unit ID id178040

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294127

Unit Date circa 1824 June-November

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

44 pages. Musings written on a trip through Virginia: thoughts on a disappointing love affair; notes on "Crab Orchard" and the "Creek Nation" --the latter were to be incorporated into an Independence Day address delivered in Petersburg in 1831.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178042

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294128

Unit Date 1824 June-December

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Impressions of Clarksburg; the countryside is beautiful and the land very rich, but "The people have no money and are wretchedly poor and lazy..."

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178044

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294129

Unit Date 1824 August 20

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His plans to establish himself.

Published writings and speeches of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178046

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294130

Unit Date 1825-1832

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The following newspaper clippings and pamphlets are included in a bound scrap book, with endorsements and were undoubtedly collected by John Thompson Brown himself.

For the Clarksburg Intelligencer, Crawford and Adams, Signed "Paul"

Unit ID id178047

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294868

Unit Date circa 1825

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

For the Intelligencer, signed "Alexander"

Unit ID id178052

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294869

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning "...Mr. Jefferson...the disclosure of his poverty..."

For the Clarksburg Intelligencer, signed "Jacob"

Unit ID id178050

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294870

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning "several cases of contempt of court, occurring in various parts of the Union, in which the punishment inflicted, has been made a subject of grievous complaint."

Clarksburg, Virginia For the Intelligencer, signed "Phocion"

Unit ID id178053

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294871

Unit Date 1825 December 17

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning "The President's message."

Committee Report

Unit ID id178055

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294872

Unit Date 1827-1828

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Report of a committee, appointed to enquire into the nature and extent of the evils arising from the present unsettled state of Land Titles on the Western Waters of Virginia

Virginia Legislature, Speech of Mr. Brown, Harrison

Unit ID id178057

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294873

Unit Date 1829 January 31

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Speech in Committee of the Whole, Jan. 13th, Saturday.

Virginia Legislature

Unit ID id178058

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294874

Unit Date 1830 January 12

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A Bill authorizing a loan of \$6,000.00 on the credit of the state, for the construction of Turnpike Road from Winchester to Parkersburg by way of Clarksburg, being under consideration.

To "A Voter"

Unit ID id178059

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294875

Unit Date 1831 August 10

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Sir:--I have read in the "Intelligencer" of the 9th inst. your communications to the Editors of the paper, in which you remark, substantially, that the only Candidate to represent the town of Petersburg in the General Assembly is a stranger to most voters...Not doubting that I am the person alluded to..., " signed John Thompson Brown".

Petersburg. Slave Mechanics

Unit ID id178061

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294876

Unit Date 1831 November 8

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"The following copy of a Petition to the Legislature of Virginia, we insert at the request of a number of our Citizens."

House of Delegates of Virginia

Unit ID id178062

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294877

Unit Date 1832 January 11-18

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

32 pages. "On motion of Mr. Brown of Petersburg, the report of the committee on slaves, free Negroes and mulattoes, and the amendment of Mr. Preston were taken up; when Mr. Brown rose and addressed the house as follows:..."

Virginia Legislature, House of Delegates, Petersburg Railroad

Unit ID id178064

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294878

Unit Date 1832 February 13

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"The bill to amend an act authorizing the Board of Public Works to subscribe on behalf of the

Commonwealth, to the stock of the Petersburg Rail Road, was read a third time. Mr. Brown said..."

The Caucus

Unit ID id178065

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294879

Unit Date 1832 March 15

Mixed Materials 14 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Andrew Jackson was unanimously recommended to the Citizens of Virginia, as the next President.

"Mr. Miller of Powhatan then submitted the following Resolution..."(Concerning the Vice-President).

Mr. Brown of Petersburg, then submitted the following by way of substitute for the above..."

Correspondence of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178068

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293746

Unit Date 1825-1829

Scope and Contents

Correspondence while Brown established himself in Clarksburg, and while representing Harrison County in the General Assembly. The material in this box covers the period 1825 to 1829, when John Thompson Brown was resident of Clarksburg, Harrison County, Virginia (later West Virginia). In this period John Thompson Brown wrote some of the "Letters to the Editor," printed in the Clarksburg Enquirer, contained in the scrap book noted above in Box 14. A draft of a part of the letter concerning the poverty of Mr. Jefferson is to be found in this box (1825). In July 1826, John Thompson Brown wrote to his brother Henry Brown, Jr. of his aim to run for the U.S. Congress. In 1827 he was elected to the House of Delegates; he was re-elected in 1828 and 1829. This box also contains various printed and manuscript material touching upon his career in the General Assembly. By the end of 1829, John Thompson Brown had established himself in Clarksburg, built a house, and planned to buy into a partnership in a store to advance his financial position. In a letter of March 23, 1829 he mentions his desire to run in the next election for the U.S. Congress.

Henry Brown, Jr., New London, to his brother, John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178072

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294131

Unit Date 1825 February 20

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"...the friends of Old Hickory...hear Adamses success spoken of and the probability of Clay's being made Secretary of State..."

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to his father, Henry Brown

Unit ID id178073

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294132

Unit Date 1825 September 2

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Encloses a legal opinion concerning sheriffs, which his father apparently requested.

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to William Peronneau Finley, Charlestown, South Carolina

Unit ID id178075

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294133

Unit Date 1825 December 20

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A flowery letter to an old friend from Princeton. "I have acquired some little reputation at the bar and a practice that supports me very decently."

John Thompson Brown "Mon Debut"

Unit ID id178076

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294134

Unit Date circa 1825

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Draft of an address to an investigating group (perhaps a grand jury), with endorsement: "1. Act against cutting down trees. 2. Act providing for a good and sufficient jail."

Draft of a letter to the editor

Unit ID id178077

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294135

Unit Date circa 1825

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This is part of a printed letter concerning "Mr. Jefferson the disclosure of his poverty..." over the signature Alexander. (See bound scrapbook, the last item in Box 14.)

Henry Brown, Jr., Woodlawn, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178080

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294136

Unit Date 1826 July 10

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Desire of John Thompson Brown to run for the U.S. Congress or for a seat in the General Assembly. Suggests that Henry Brown send \$1,000.00 to help achieve this.

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178081

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294137

Unit Date 1826 November 8

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I find that there is a serious and, I believe, a somewhat general wish to bring me out for the Legislature."

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178083

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294138

Unit Date 1826 December 15

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I am a candidate for the Legislature at the next election..."

John Thompson Brown. "To the People of Harrison County"

Unit ID id178084

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294139

Unit Date 1827 February 9

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

An announcement of the candidacy of John Thompson Brown for the General Assembly. He reviews what he considers to be the most important problems of the day, and discusses (1) the invasion of State sovereignty by the Federal program of "internal development," (2) the harm done to Southern farmers by import duties, (3) the calling of a Constitutional Convention for the state of Virginia, (4) the dangers of the uncontrolled banking system.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg and Richmond, to Captain Henry Brown

Unit ID id178087

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294140

Unit Date 1827 April-December

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents His election to the General Assembly; hope of election to the U.S. Congress, and the purchase of a four acre lot in town. In the first letter which John Thompson Brown wrote from the House of Delegates he said "I have not taken much part in the debates of the House and do not expect to do so..."

Note regarding a report in the Richmond Enquirer

Unit ID id178088

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294141

Unit Date 1827 September 25

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The note is "in regard to the question whether Clinton or Calhoun should run as Vice-President on the Jackson ticket"

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178092

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294142

Unit Date 1827 December 9

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His ride to Richmond in a coach with other, more experienced law-makers, "having been, as you predicted, greatly edified and instructed by a coach-full of legislators 'big with the cares of state.'"

"Report of a Committee..."**Unit ID** id178093**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294143**Unit Date** circa 1827-1828**Mixed Materials** 15 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Full title: "Report of a Committee Appointed To Enquire Into The Nature And Extent Of The Evils Arising From The Present Unsettled State Of Land Titles On The Western Waters Of Virginia, And To Devise A Remedy Therefor, With Leave To Report A Bill Or Otherwise" 6 pages. 2 copies.

A Bill, For Settling And Adjusting The Titles Of Lands On The Western Waters Of Virginia**Unit ID** id178094**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294144**Unit Date** circa 1827-1830**Mixed Materials** 15 (Box)**Container** 14 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

3 copies.

Draft of a petition of Anne Quinlin**Unit ID** id178097**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294145**Unit Date** circa 1827**Mixed Materials** 15 (Box)**Container** 15 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Petition to the General Assembly for a divorce.

Draft of a petition of Anne Quinlin**Unit ID** id178099**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294146**Unit Date** circa 1827**Mixed Materials** 15 (Box)**Container** 16 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Petition to the General Assembly for a divorce.

Drawing of a two room house**Unit ID** id178100**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294147**Unit Date** circa 1827-1830**Mixed Materials** 15 (Box)**Container** 17 (Folder)**House plans and draft of explanations of a plan****Unit ID** id178101**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294148**Unit Date** circa 1827-1830**Mixed Materials** 15 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Autographed document.

House plan, elevations, and draft of notes on construction

Unit ID id178102

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294149

Unit Date circa 1825-1830

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Autographed document.

R. H. Toler, Secretary, Lynchburg Colonization Society, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178104

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294150

Unit Date 1828 January 1

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Resolving that members of the House of Delegates be requested to unite...in advancing the cause of this Society before the General Assembly of Virginia."

Henry Brown, Jr., in Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178105

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294151

Unit Date 1828 February 5

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On John Thompson Brown's speech: "considered the most able one that had been delivered in the House in 5 years."

R. R. Gurley, Colonization Society of Washington, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178107

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294152

Unit Date 1828 February 19

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Our Society, in the success of which, you are pleased to express so deep an interest, is I believe, making sure progress."

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to William Peronneau Finley

Unit ID id178108

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294153

Unit Date 1828 March 1

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His legislature activities and speeches. "I am a Jackson man like yourself but not perfectly orthodox, as you would say, on the subject of States Rights. I published my opinions, pamphlet of 30 pages, 12

months ago and will send you a copy..."

John Thomas Brown "To The People Of Harrison"

Unit ID id178109

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294154

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Physical Location: Removed from this collection and catalogued in the Rare Books Department F 247 H3B73. The second copy is located in the Rare Books Department - Virginia, under the same call number as above. 17 pages. A report to his constituents on such matters as (1) the state Constitutional Convention, (2) the lottery for the Randolph Academy in Clarksburg, (3) county elections, (4) the bill abolishing the chancery Courts and establishing a Superior Court, (5) a Turnpike to their area (defeated by the "Eastern People"), (6) the proposed Baltimore Railroad and (7) the settling of the question of land titles in Western Virginia. Included in the pamphlet are the full texts of the report of the committee on this subject, which he chaired, and the bill proposed by the committee.

Henry St. George Tucker, Winchester, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178110

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294155

Unit Date 1828 March 12

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Comment on the land titles, Chancery court bills.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg and Sweet Springs, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178112

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294156

Unit Date 1828 March-September

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "Even now I am as comfortably situated as I could desire and shall support myself hereafter without any further drafts on your goodness..."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178114

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294157

Unit Date 1828 May-July

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Now well situated in his "mansion," he discusses his prospects for Congress and of his plan to "offer 2 years hence."

Draft of a 4th of July speech

Unit ID id178115

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294158

Unit Date circa 1828 July 4

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Announcement of a meeting of the Alumni Association of Nassau Hall (Princeton)

Unit ID id178116

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294159

Unit Date 1828 August 14

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Regimental Order for John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178118

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294160

Unit Date 1828 October 9

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Order appointing John Thompson Brown Adjutant of the 11th Regiment, Virginia Militia.

Muster Roll of the 11th Regiment

Unit ID id178120

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294161

Unit Date circa 1828

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

"Notes...relating to Military Tactics..."

Unit ID id178122

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294162

Unit Date circa 1828

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

5 items. Autographed document.

Military notes by John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178123

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294163

Unit Date circa 1828

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes are initialed "J. T. B.'s".

Military Notes

Unit ID id178124

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294164

Unit Date circa 1828

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Endorsed: "McConley's System of Sword Tactics."

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178126

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294165

Unit Date 1828 October

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Reflections on people met at the Medicinal Springs, as contrasted with those of his constituency.

William B. Giles "Report on the Board of Public Works"

Unit ID id178127

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294166

Unit Date 1829 January 23

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178129

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294167

Unit Date 1829 February-December

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In February, he forwards a copy of sheriff's commission to his father. During the year he borrows \$400.00 for payments on his house in Clarksburg, and by the end of the year his father has agreed to advance enough capital for him to become a partner in a mercantile business. Upon the conclusion of the 1828-1829 session of the General Assembly, he writes that he will be a candidate once more, then run for Congress. In the letter of March 23rd, he writes that opposition has arisen "on account of some laws we had passed last session authorizing the county court to levy a tax for repairing roads and bridges." On March 23rd he relates his experiences in Washington at the inauguration of Jackson: on December 14th he predicts that the basis of votes for whites will be surrendered in the formation of the new State constitution.

James Murray Mason, Winchester, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178130

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294168

Unit Date 1829 September 24

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Suggests they ride together to Alexandria, then go to Richmond by boat.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178132

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294169

Unit Date 1829 December 6

Mixed Materials 15 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The Virginia Constitutional Convention: "I had an opportunity of hearing the most distinguished members of the body--Mr. Madison and Mr. Marshall among the rest..."

Correspondence of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178134

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293747

Unit Date 1829-1835, undated

Scope and Contents

Correspondence from after his marriage to Mary E. Willcox of Petersburg (May 1830), and his move to that city, which he represented in the General Assembly in 1831. Also includes over one hundred toasts given at various occasions. The change which was to occur in the life and fortunes of John Thompson Brown in the year 1830 is forecast in the first letter of this box, a letter received by Mary E. Willcox of Petersburg circa December 1829, in which there is a discussion of "Mr. B." Three months later (March 18, 1830) in a letter to his father, John Thompson Brown announces his intention of leaving Clarksburg, and of his need for a horse and sulky so that he may arrive in Petersburg in a manner which should "avoid the appearance of poverty and destitution." The next letter in the collection (May 9, 1830), in draft, contains an account of his wedding, a wedding which was attended by no members of his immediate family. Subsequent letters tell of the generosity of the new father-in-law John V. Willcox in the gift of a town house "provided with servants," a draft of \$1500, and the promise of as much more as he asks (July 22, 1830). Yet the position is not satisfactory and because John Thompson Brown feels that he is losing his independence, he returns to Clarksburg with the intention of resettling there and sending for his wife (May 2, 1831). During a four week visit to Harrison County, he finds his political position has declined (June 7, 1831), so he returns to Petersburg, and is invited to make the Independence Day address for the town (June 8, 1831). As a result of this address (and the good influence of his father-in-law) he is nominated to represent the town in the House of Delegates, and is elected without opposition (September 26, 1831). He successfully sponsors a bill in the Assembly for the Petersburg Railroad (28 December 1831), is appointed Judge of Elections for the Petersburg Office of the Bank of Virginia (December 29, 1831), and is sought as a sponsor of a new newspaper which is being established in Richmond (October 20, 1831). Of particular interest is a letter to his nephew outlining his philosophy of life and advising the young man on his future (October 3, 1831). A report of the slave insurrection in Southampton is described in a letter of September 26, 1831. At the end of this box are collected more than a hundred drafts of toasts made by John Thompson Brown.

G. Aell, Richmond, to Miss Mary E. Willcox, care of John V. Willcox, at Petersburg

Unit ID id178138

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294170

Unit Date circa 1829 December 15

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A friend writes regarding "Mr. B.," "a man of boundless pride and diffidence. His attachment was cut down in the bud and You, my sweetest Mary, have hoped whilst he desponded..."

List of names, cover addressed to Miss Mary E. Willcox

Unit ID id178139

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294171

Unit Date 1829 October 27

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown, Clarksburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178141

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294172

Unit Date 1830 March 18

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"My friends, Webster, Goffard, and others believed I could certainly be elected to Congress next Spring...I wish to appear at P[etersburg] in a manner which would probably be expected and to avoid the appearance of poverty and destitution. Henry is to get me a sulky, horse, etc., and if you can spare

this additional sum you may hand it over to him..."

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178142

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294173

Unit Date circa 1830 May 9

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Our nuptials took place at the time expected and I cannot say that there was any other allay to my happiness, than that neither you nor any of my near relatives were present."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Washington City and Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178143

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294174

Unit Date 1830 May-June

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents On his honeymoon: "Peronneau Finley travels with us, as one of our immediate party. Mr. Willcox, Sr., and three of his friends are going to N. York to the races. They came with us thus far..." There is much discussion about where they will live, but, "I think it probable we shall reside in Petersburg..."

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178148

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294175

Unit Date 1830 June 5

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On his Washington visit: "we remained a week, were introduced to the President, etc., heard some interesting debates and saw all the great men of the nation...My situation is in all respects agreeable."

M. H. Garnett to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id178150

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294176

Unit Date 1830 June 8

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Congratulations on her marriage coupled with much advice.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id178151

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294177

Unit Date 1830 July-December

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents After a visit with his father, he writes: "I have nothing to add on the subject of my future arrangements. I shall pursue the course which you seemed to approve when we were together." He writes later that Mr. Willcox has turned over to them his town house "furnished with

servants"; in another letter: "He handed me a check for \$1,500 and said that I should always have as much as I wanted..."

John Thompson Brown, Walnut Hill in Petersburg, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id178153

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294178

Unit Date 1830 September 15

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Sends advice to his younger brother and, and account of his own situation.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Walnut Hill and Clarksburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id178155

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294179

Unit Date 1830 September-October

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters from Harrison County report that "the District needs me badly...but it is too late..."

Thomas W. Grimes, Charlottesville, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178156

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294180

Unit Date 1830 November 12

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I regret that you have temporarily declined public life--for I would not believe you have abandoned it altogether."

Notes on the case, McIndoe vs. Dugger and Co.

Unit ID id178158

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294181

Unit Date circa 1830

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to his nephew, Edward Jenner Steptoe

Unit ID id178159

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294182

Unit Date 1831 February

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Autographed draft. Advice given to a young man summarizing John Thompson Brown's own philosophy of life.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id178161**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294183**Unit Date** 1831 May-June**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 14 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents On his return to Harrison County, "I found that my position here was to be too dependent..."

Thomas L. Wilson to John Thompson Brown**Unit ID** id178164**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294184**Unit Date** 1831 June 8**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 15 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

"At a meeting of the citizens of Petersburg...'Resolved, that John Thompson Brown, Esq., he appointed Orator of the Day'."

John Thompson Brown, Drafts of Independence Day Address**Unit ID** id178165**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294185**Unit Date** 1831 July 4**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 16 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Autographed drafts. The first important public speech of John Thompson Brown, in Petersburg, one which appears to have established his reputation, and which influenced his decision to remain there.

John Thompson Brown, Walnut Hill, to Henry Brown, Jr.**Unit ID** id178167**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294186**Unit Date** 1831 July 5**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 17 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Regarding his Independence Day address; the wisdom of his brother's decision to visit England.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Peronneau Finley**Unit ID** id178168**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294187**Unit Date** 1831 July 8**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** [21] (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Physical Location: See 25 April 1822, Box-folder 14:21, These are the continuous drafts of multiple letters. This draft concerns the second part which contains a humorous report on a 4th of July oration made in Petersburg after his marriage.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown**Unit ID** id178170**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294188**Unit Date** 1831 July-November**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 18 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents On July 25, he states that his brother has left on the packet for Baltimore on the way to Liverpool. Concerning his "reasons of my determining not to remove to Harrison." On September 14 he writes that his wife has given birth to a son, who will be named Henry Peronneau, "after you and my friend Peronneau Finley."

Henry Brown, Jr., Liverpool, to John Thompson Brown**Unit ID** id178172**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294189**Unit Date** 1831 September-October**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 19 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents A letter from Mrs. Eleanor C. L. Brown to John Thompson Brown encloses the letter from Henry Brown Jr. Henry Brown, Jr. writes of his journey, as a result of which "I become more and more an American in feeling and principle..."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.**Unit ID** id178174**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294190**Unit Date** 1831 September-December**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 20 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents "I was elected without opposition after announcing my sentiments freely and boldly." News of an insurrection of Negroes in Southampton (Nat Turner), "they killed 55 persons, mainly women and children."

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Dr. William B. Steptoe**Unit ID** id178175**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294191**Unit Date** 1831 October 3**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 21 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Gives his opinions on the education of his nephew, Edward. He approves strongly of the emphasis on science to be found at West Point; on going to college among the Yankees: "I partake in some measure of the prejudice against them--but think nevertheless that...southern firewould be none the worse for being somewhat cooled by the northern frost."

William M. Rives, Lynchburg, to John Thompson Brown and Lewis Mabry**Unit ID** id178176**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/294192**Unit Date** 1831 October 20**Mixed Materials** 16 (Box)**Container** 22 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

A new newspaper is proposed for the city of Richmond.

N. Legrand, Richmond, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178178

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294193

Unit Date 1831 November

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A request for help in covering a \$3,000 debt to "sharpers." Endorsed by Windham Robertson.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id178179

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294194

Unit Date 1831 December

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Describes the quarters he has for his wife and son. On the main question of the day he writes: "I think no measure can or ought to be taken now for the abolition of slavery..."

D. Mackenzie, Petersburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178180

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294195

Unit Date 1831 December 28

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning "the bill now before the Legislature on the subject of our (Rail) Road."

G. W. Steinback, Petersburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id178182

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294196

Unit Date 1831 December 29

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Appointment of John Thompson Brown as judge of the election for directors of the Bank of Virginia in Petersburg.

Draft regarding the case of MacInde and Co. vs. Drinkland, Dugge, and Lowry

Unit ID id178183

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294197

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 16 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Toasts given by John Thompson Brown

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293748

Unit Date 1830-1835

Correspondence and publications of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179595

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293749

Unit Date 1832-1833

Scope and Contents

Two speeches given before the House of Delegates, published in pamphlet form: The speech of John Thompson Brown, in the House of Delegates of Virginia, on the Abolition of Slavery; Speech of John Thompson Brown, (of Petersburg,) in the House of Delegates of Virginia, in Committee of the Whole, on the State of the Relations between the United States and South Carolina. The important and exciting national political events of the years 1832 and 1833, as they affected the people of Virginia, are seen through the eyes of John Thompson Brown in the items included in this box. A member from Petersburg in the House of Delegates of the Virginia Assembly, John Thompson Brown was placed in a position of leadership and strongly influenced the decisions taken in those critical years. His speech on the abolition of slavery was considered so important that Judge Henry St. George Tucker and others raised the money to have it printed (18 January 1832). He was a member of the Virginia delegation to the national convention of the Republican Party; his resolution of the Vice-Presidential nominee (21-22 May 1832) was the one adopted by the Virginia caucus. As Chairman of the Finance Committee of the House of Delegates, the question of President Jackson's moves against the United States Bank was of particular concern to him (9 April 1833). Great excitement was aroused by South Carolina's threat of nullification. John Thompson Brown was a member of the Committee on Federal Relations, and his substitute motion on the question is included in this box, as well as his speech on The State of the Relations between the United States and South Carolina, delivered 5 January 1833, also published in pamphlet form. John Thompson Brown was invited to be a Director of the Petersburg Railroad which he declined (7 May 1832), and was considered for the position of U.S. Senator, although he felt that he was not qualified by years or experience (December 1832). An interesting report of his meeting with President Jackson is included in a letter from John Thompson Brown to his wife (23 May 1832). Also included in this box are letters from John Tyler, William Cabell Rives, and William Segar Archer (7 February, 3 March 1833). Two poems, possibly written by John Thompson Brown, clipped from a newspaper, signed Julian are included at the end of this box. 81 items.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown in Petersburg

Unit ID id179597

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294198

Unit Date 1832 January-March

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Writes of the fortunes of the (Petersburg) Railroad Bill in the House of Delegates and State Senate.

Amos Eaton, Rensselaer School, Troy (New York), to Honorable John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179598

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294199

Unit Date 1832 January 17

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Information regarding Rensselaer School. Samuel T. Brown, younger brother of John Thompson Brown, appears to have been interested in this school.

John Thompson Brown Speech...in the House of Delegates of Virginia...delivered January 18, 1832

Unit ID id179599

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294200

Unit Date 1832 January 18

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

In this important speech John Thompson Brown took up several proposals for the freeing of slaves, including that of Thomas Jefferson, as submitted to the Legislature by Jefferson Randolph, his grandson, and argued against each.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179600

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294201

Unit Date 1832 January-March

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "My speech on abolition has had great eclat--a fund has been raised for publishing it in pamphlet form for general distribution... Judges [Henry St. George] Tucker and Brooke have taken active part in puffing the speech." He also reports, "I have carried my Railroad Bill...and shall enjoy the credit of effecting it by my personal influence."

"The Letter of Appomatox to the People of Virginia...view of the Recent Proceedings in the House of Delegates on the Subject of the Abolition of Slavery"

Unit ID id179601

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294202

Unit Date 1832 February 4

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Physical Location: Removed from this collection and catalogued in the Rare Books Department - Virginia, E 449 L45. 47 pages. Includes in a "Postscript" an answer to a statement in The Enquirer over the signature of Jefferson [Randolph]. Reference is made to a remark made in The Wig that his argument "had been far surpassed by the discussion of the subject by a stripling . Mr. Brown of Petersburg." General Assembly. Committee on Federal relations. Official Document Nos. 14, 15, 16.

J. F. May, Battersea, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179602

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294203

Unit Date 1832 February 5

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning a suggested amendment for the Circuit Court Law.

John Tyler, Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179603

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294204

Unit Date 1832 February 12

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

He cannot give his nephew, Edward Steptoe, an appointment to West Point because he has used his appointment for the session. "...the Senate is involved in the Tariff discussion...The farther I have gone into it the more thoroughly have I convinced myself of its tyrannical and oppressive character."

D. MacKenzie, Petersburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179604

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294205

Unit Date 1832 March 6

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A resolution from the Petersburg Rail Road Company to tender thanks for "the zeal and ability with which our Delegate John T. Brown, Esq. and our Senator, William Old, Esq. have exerted in procuring passage of the said (Rail Road) act."

Draft of a resolution concerning the vote of Virginia for Vice-President

Unit ID id179605

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294206

Unit Date circa 1832 March 15

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

This is the resolution presented by John Thompson Brown and reported in a newspaper article of this date preserved in the scrapbook to be found in Box 14.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179606

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294207

Unit Date 1832 March-May

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

James Murray Mason, Winchester, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179607

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294208

Unit Date 1832 April 4

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

James Murray Mason (1798-1871).

Letters from Henry Brown, Jr. to Henry Brown

Unit ID id179608

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294209

Unit Date 1832 April

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "I send you 2 copies of John's speech (on Slavery) and a paper with one of Jefferson Randolph's in reply to him."

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to D. MacKenzie

Unit ID id179609

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294210

Unit Date 1832 May 7

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Declines appointment as a member of the Board of Directors of the Petersburg Railroad.

Notes of John Thompson Brown on the Baltimore convention of the Democratic Party

Unit ID id179610

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294211

Unit Date 1832 May 21-22

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

5 pages. Autographed draft. Notes on the convention of the whole party and of the Virginia Caucus. At the latter the resolution of John Thompson Brown. was adopted, viz. that Virginia's vote should go first to P. P. Barbour for Vice-President, and when there was no longer a reasonable prospect of his selection, to Van Buren.

John Thompson Brown, Washington, D.C., to Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179611

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294212

Unit Date 1832 May 25

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"...on last evening we went to the President who is in excellent health and fine spirits. Many persons here, including some members of Congress from Virginia, seem to be much dissatisfied with our proceedings at Baltimore..."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Samuel T. Brown, at Chapel Hill, North Carolina

Unit ID id179612

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294213

Unit Date 1832 June-November

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents To his youngest brother, attending college, regarding the health of Henry, Jr.

Jacqueline P. Taylor, Richmond, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179613

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294214

Unit Date 1832 June 6

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown, Walnut Hill, to Peronneau Finley

Unit ID id179614

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294215

Unit Date 1832 September 14

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the death of Finley's brother.

John Thompson Brown, Hobson's Inn, Stony Point Mills, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179615

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294216

Unit Date 1832 October 24

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The family has traveled south to escape an epidemic of Cholera.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179616

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294217

Unit Date 1832 December

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 20a-b (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In the letter of December 3, he discusses the election of U.S. Senators, stating that Mr. Leigh is out because of his opposition to President Jackson. Among those mentioned for the position are Judge Henry St. George Tucker, John Randolph Rives, and himself, though he feels that he has neither the years nor the experience for the position. President Jackson's message on the U.S. Bank is discussed. On nullification he writes: "It will, I fear, be an exciting subject and one of engrossing interest...South Carolina is unquestionably wrong and as long as she remains in the Union, must obey its laws..."

William Cabell Rives, Fredericksburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179617

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294218

Unit Date 1832 December 4

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The possibility of his appointment as Senator to supply the vacancy left by Mr. Tazewell.

John Young Mason, Washington, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179618

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294219

Unit Date 1832 December 10

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Excitement in Washington caused by the President's proclamation on nullification debate.

Notes on the cases of James Dunlop and Leslie vs. Henderson, and of John C. Hobson

Unit ID id179619

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294220

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 items. Autographed draft.

J. C. Brice to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179620

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294221

Unit Date circa 1833 January

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Regarding the removal of deposits from the U.S. Bank by the Federal Government.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179621

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294222

Unit Date 1833 January

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "I was rather mortified at making a very poor speech [on Federal Relations] in the House today...To avoid misrepresentation I shall have to write out my speech..."

General Assembly, Document No. 14, No. 15, and No.16

Unit ID id179622

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294223

Unit Date circa 1833 January

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 pages. Doc. No. 14. Report of the Committee on Federal Relations Doc. No. 15. Mr. Marshall's Substitute to the Report... Doc. No. 16. Mr. M'dowell's Amendment to Mr. Marshall's Substitute,... Opinion on proceedings in South Carolina, the proclamation by Andrew Jackson, and "the communication of the governor of this Commonwealth on the same subject."

"Speech on the state of the relations between the United States and South Carolina"

Unit ID id179623

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294224

Unit Date 1833 January 5

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Delivered January 5, 1833. Richmond: Thomas W. White, printer. 1833. 42 pages. 3 copies. After stating his opposition to protective tariffs, John Thompson Brown argued that they result from "a perversion of the spirit and intent of the Constitution, rather than a violation of its literal principles." He compliments the Chief Magistrate of the United States on his general policy but disputes the Proclamation of the President on other grounds, basing his argument on The Law of Nations by E. de Vattel. As to the action of South Carolina, he contends that there is no possibility of nullification under

the Constitution, but that the redress of the wrong done in the tariff act must come by recourse to the Supreme Court, to the "Co-states" acting in Congress, and if necessary, by an amendment to the Constitution.

Doc. No. 19. (General Assembly)

Unit ID id179624

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294225

Unit Date circa 1833 January

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Substitute Submitted By Mr. Brown, Petersburg, For the Amended Report of the Committee on Federal Relations"

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Miss Frances Brown

Unit ID id179625

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294226

Unit Date 1833 January 8

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Thomas Gregory, King William, Virginia, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179626

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294227

Unit Date 1833 January 17

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Compliments John Thompson Brown on his resolutions.

William Cabell Rives, Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179627

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294228

Unit Date 1833 January 30

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Captain Henry Brown, Sr.

Unit ID id179628

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294229

Unit Date 1833 January-March

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "I was anxious myself that Virginia should maintain an impartial and just attitude toward both S. Carolina and the President, but far the greater part of the Assembly seemed in favour of going into one extreme or other . . . whereas I thought there was error on both sides..." He remarks that Edward [Steptoe] has been successful in getting his appointment to West Point "obtained (by Mr. Archer, the Senator) as a favour to me" but "without...your letter...the application could scarcely have been successful."

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179629

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294230

Unit Date circa 1833 January

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Constitution and By-laws of Petersburg Light Dragoons

Unit ID id179630

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294231

Unit Date 1833 February

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 copies. Printed manuscript.

Resolutions on arrangements for a military dinner and festivities

Unit ID id179631

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294232

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

William Segar Archer, Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179632

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294233

Unit Date 1833 February 7

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Appointment of Edward Steptoe to West Point; report of the enforcing bill in the President's proclamation, and the Tariff Bill.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179633

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294234

Unit Date 1833 February 25

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

William Segar Archer, Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179634

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294235

Unit Date 1833 March 3

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id179635

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294236

Unit Date 1833 April-October

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In July he announces the birth of a son.

Edward Steptoe, West Point, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179636

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294237

Unit Date 1833 June 20

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Samuel T. Brown, Chapel Hill and Harvard

Unit ID id179637

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294238

Unit Date 1833 June, 1833 December

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to William Perroneau Finley

Unit ID id179638

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294239

Unit Date 1833 November 9

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179639

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294240

Unit Date 1833 December

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Letters from William Cabell Rives, Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179640

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294241

Unit Date 1833 December

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents On the Force Bill and the Bank of the U.S.

Two poems clipped from newspapers

Unit ID id179641

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294242

Unit Date 1826 January

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The two items are signed Julian. "On seeing Miss ____ at Clarksburg," and "Julian Abandoning His Muse." Possibly written by John Thompson Brown about this period.

"For My Sons in the Care of Their Mother"

Unit ID id179642

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294243

Unit Date 1833

Mixed Materials 17 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Written by John Thompson Brown, Petersburg.

Correspondence of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179643

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293750

Unit Date 1834-1835

Scope and Contents

Letters written by John Thompson Brown during portions of the 1833-1834 and the 1834-1835 sessions of the General Assembly. The manuscripts begin with letters reporting the legislative battle fought and lost against the Portsmouth-Norfolk road which John Thompson Brown believed would have disastrous effects on the future of Petersburg (January 1834). Near the end of the box are letters concerning John Thompson Brown's battle fought with fists and canes in the halls of the State Capitol with a fellow representative John Hampden Pleasants (January 1835). The fracas resulted from a heated debate on the election of a U.S. Senator. John Thompson Brown was one of those mentioned for the position of U.S. Senator (December 1834), but his youth (28 years) was against him and he did not enjoy the rough and tumble of party politics then developing. Also of interest are the draft of a speech delivered on the occasion of the death of Lafayette (9 July 1834), and two notebooks used by John Thompson Brown as Chairman of the Finance Committee of the House of Delegates (January 1835). 44 items.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to his father, Henry Brown, in New London

Unit ID id179645

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294244

Unit Date 1834 January 11

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

News that his brother, Samuel, is ill at Harvard.

Edward J. Steptoe, West Point Military Academy, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179646

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294245

Unit Date 1834 January 15

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Reports on his progress at the college.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to his brother, Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179647

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294246

Unit Date 1834 January 18-31

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents His attempts to defeat the Norfolk rail road in the Assembly; family news.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179648

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294247

Unit Date 1834 January

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "All is lost except our honour. The Portsmouth Bill [Norfolk railroad] has passed...our town [Petersburg] is prostrated...but the ancient spirit of our little town, which Mr. Madison called the 'cockade of the old Dominion' is not dead."

Henry Brown, Jr., Lynchburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179649

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294248

Unit Date 1834 February 24

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A patent for producing domestic salt.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179650

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294249

Unit Date 1834 February 27

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179651

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294250

Unit Date 1834 February-March

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Election of a U.S. Senator, for which he has been mentioned; Mr. Leigh's election. At the end of February and beginning of March he is kept in bed with an illness.

Henry Brown, Jr. to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179652

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294251

Unit Date 1834 March

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179653

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294252

Unit Date 1834 March 15

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Gives his views of the political situation, mentioning the message President Jackson sent to Congress with the "Force Bill," the President's plans for the Bank of the U.S., and objections to Van Buren and "the N. York system of tactics which he will bring with him."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, March

Unit ID id179654

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294253

Unit Date 1834 October

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Plans for Samuel, John Thompson Brown's brother, to start his study of law with him.

John J. Allen Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179655

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294254

Unit Date 1834 May 1

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

John J. Allen (1797-1871)

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179656

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294255

Unit Date 1834 May-July

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Sold bank shares to help his brother go into business for himself; gives advice on racing horses.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond and Otter Hills, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179657

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294256

Unit Date 1834 May

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown speech

Unit ID id179658

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294257

Unit Date 1834 July 9

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Draft of a speech delivered in Petersburg on the occasion of the death of Lafayette. 43 pages.
Endorsed: "To my sons, should they ever read it."

Edward J. Steptoe, West Point, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179659

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294258

Unit Date 1834 August 11

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Report of his progress at the U.S. Military Academy. John Thompson Brown is the uncle of Edward J. Steptoe.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Peronneau Finley

Unit ID id179660

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294259

Unit Date 1834 November 8

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Draft of a letter sending condolences for the death of a sister and congratulations on the birth of a son.

Letters from William Cabell Rives, Washington, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179661

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294260

Unit Date 1834 December

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents His resignation from the U.S. Senate.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179662

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294261

Unit Date 1834 December

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "No subject arouses anybody except the senatorial election."

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179663

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294262

Unit Date 1834 December 17

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

He offers to place all his monetary resources at the service of his brother in his new business venture.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179664

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294263

Unit Date 1835 January

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

3 letters, 1 draft. On the 17th he prepared a draft of a letter, which he sent on the 20th, giving an account of a fight in the halls of the General Assembly between himself and John Hampden Pleasants.

John Hampden Pleasants to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179665

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294264

Unit Date 1835 January 17

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A letter of apology for the battle fought in the halls of the Virginia Capitol.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179666

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294265

Unit Date 1835 January 29

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

An account of his speech which was "better received than anything I have ever made."

Speech of John Thompson Brown, Petersburg

Unit ID id179667

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294266

Unit Date 1835 January 29

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A speech "...upon the Election of a Senator in Congress: Delivered in the House of Delegates of Virginia". 28 pages. Printed book. Points out the importance of this election for "future political events and party combinations in the state," and defends the incumbent, Mr. Leigh.

John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179668

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294267

Unit Date circa 1835 January

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

"Notes and References on Virginia Statutes at Large"

Unit ID id179669

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294268

Unit Date circa 1838

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Written by John Thompson Brown. 70 pages. Autographed Manuscript. Prepared for use in the Finance Committee of the House of Deputies.

"A common-place Book of Notes and References 'quae reconderet duta que promeret'"

Unit ID id179670

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294269

Unit Date circa 1838

Mixed Materials 18 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes on taxes, license fees, and the like, prepared by John Thompson Brown for use on the Finance Committee of the House of Delegates. 116 pages.

Correspondence of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179671

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293751

Unit Date 1835-1839, undated

Scope and Contents

Letters from February 1835, until his death in November 1836; manuscripts of four articles written to oppose the candidacy of Martin Van Buren for President. The closing sessions of the State Legislature of 1834-1835 are reported in the letters at the beginning of this box. The party spirit runs high in Petersburg as the "Jackson party" opposes John Thompson Brown (March 1835). He is involved in a street fight with an opponent in which he receives a black eye, but the argument is made up after he wins the election (April 1835). Before the next session of the legislature, John Thompson Brown is occupied in collecting more material on the question of slavery (August 1835), and prepared three long drafts written in opposition to the candidacy of Martin Van Buren for President of the U.S. Undated drafts of notes on legal cases are included at the end of the 1835 section. Henry Brown, Jr., the brother of John Thompson Brown, died in May 1836, while on a buying trip to Philadelphia and New York for his Lynchburg store. The trip of John Thompson Brown to meet the body of his brother, and his activity in settling his brother's affairs in Lynchburg are reported in the letters included in this box. At the end of July he takes his family to his father's home, Otter Hills, near New London in Campbell County, for the funeral sermon of Henry Brown, Jr. While there he contracts an illness which keeps him there until his death on 26 November 1836. 104 items.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to his brother, Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179673

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294270

Unit Date 1835 February 6

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Announces the birth of a son, John Thompson Brown II, and tells his brother that he had ordered \$2800 placed to his account to support the store that he had opened.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179674

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294271

Unit Date 1835 February-March

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Political activity in Petersburg.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Richmond, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179675

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294272

Unit Date 1835 March

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "The Jackson party has brought out the most popular man in Petersburg against...it is quite likely he will beat me."

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179676

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294273

Unit Date 1835 April

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents On April 18 he writes, "I was elected by a majority of 37 (13 of which were from Richmond)." There is also a report of a street fight between John Thompson Brown and "a Jackson man."

John Hampden Pleasants, Richmond, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179677

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294274

Unit Date 1835 May 16

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning the chances of Van Buren to carry Virginia in the election.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179678

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294275

Unit Date 1835 June 6

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Plans to retire from politics and seek a position as Judge of the courts.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id179679

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294276

Unit Date 1835 June-July

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

He has sent a box of books to help him in his law studies, and describes a visit by his old friend Peronneau Finley and his family.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id179680

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294277

Unit Date 1835 August 8

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Writes to his father about plans to visit him.

Drafts on northern resolutions on slavery

Unit ID id179681

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294278

Unit Date 1835 August 25

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Drafts on the subject of the northern resolutions on slavery, particularly those recently passed in Portland and Boston. 3 items.

Notes on slavery

Unit ID id179682

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294279

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 items. Autographed draft.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179683

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294280

Unit Date 1835 October-November

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Family discussion, especially concerned with the sisters who were yet to find husbands.

Carter N. Berkeley, and others, University of Virginia, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179684

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294281

Unit Date 1835 October 26

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notice of the election of John Thompson Brown as an honorary member of the Jefferson Society.

Act to extend the 1834 acts concerning slaves, free Negroes and mulattoes, etc.

Unit ID id179685

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294282

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Notes for a speech on Mr. Van Buren

Unit ID id179686

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294283

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The content is on the stand of Mr. Van Buren on emancipation. 28 numbered columns. Signed "Mr. Brown."

"Acts, not Professions, the index of Truth"

Unit ID id179687

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294284

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes on this topic.

"No. 2. Acts, not Professions, the test of Truth"

Unit ID id179688

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294285

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes on this topic. Also includes an additional 2 page insertion.

"No. 3. Acts, not Professions, the test of truth"

Unit ID id179689

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294286

Unit Date circa 1835

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Notes on this topic. The series of drafts is in opposition to Martin Van Buren, candidate for the

Notes on this topic. The series of drafts is in opposition to Martin Van Buren, candidate for the President of the United States. 48 pages.

Legal drafts of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179690

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294287

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

"House of Delegates...Mr. Brown of Petersburg said..."

Unit ID id179691

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294288

Unit Date 1836 January 16

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Page from The Southern Literary Messenger, Vol. II, No. 3

Unit ID id179692

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294289

Unit Date 1836 February

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

"Address of the Anti-Van Buren Members of the General Assembly . . . to the People of Virginia"

Unit ID id179693

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294290

Unit Date 1836 March 16

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id179694

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294291

Unit Date 1836 March 30

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Good reports of the new business venture of his brother, Henry Brown, Jr.

John Thompson Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown, Jr.

Unit ID id179695

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294292

Unit Date 1836 April 8

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

To his brother, on a buying trip to New York; political prospects now look bright, but "the state is lost" to the Anti-Van Buren forces.

Commission of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179696

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294293

Unit Date 1836 April 20

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Commission as Captain in the Cavalry of the Virginia Militia. Signed by Wyndham Robertson.

"Constitution and By-laws of the Petersburg light Dragoons"

Unit ID id179697

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294294

Unit Date 1836

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Signed Captain John Thompson Brown.

Letters from John Thompson Brown to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179698

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294295

Unit Date 1836 May-June

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents John Thompson Brown writes five letters from Hobson's Inn, Homes, Otter Hills, and Lynchburg. On the trip to accompany his sister-in-law and the body of Henry Brown, Jr. back to the family home, Otter Hills. Henry Brown, Jr. died while on a shopping trip to New York for supplies for his Lynchburg store.

Ann Maury, New York, to Mrs. John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179699

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294296

Unit Date 1836 May 20

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The body of Henry Brown, Jr. was taken that morning for Virginia.

John Thompson Brown, near New London, to his niece, Maria C. Brown, at the Academy of the Visitation, Georgetown, D.C.

Unit ID id179700

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294297

Unit Date 1836 May 31

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the death of her father, Henry Brown Brown, Jr.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179701

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294298

Unit Date 1836 June

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Taking inventory at the store of his late brother; preparing to settle his estate.

Letters from John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id179702

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294299

Unit Date 1836 June-July

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Reports on the stocktaking in the store of Henry Brown, Jr. On July 19 he wrote that he was coming to his father's place on the Sunday next to hear his brother's funeral preached. This is the last letter from John Thompson Brown to his father, for on that visit to Otter Hills he was taken with the illness from which he died.

John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to his sister, Miss Frances Brown, Otter Hills

Unit ID id179703

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294300

Unit Date 1836 June

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On the disposal of the store inventory; sends a piano to her.

John Thompson Brown, Lynchburg, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179704

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294301

Unit Date 1836 July 2

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Mourning his brother's death, he makes arrangements for his own family to join him. (This is the last letter written by John Thompson Brown preserved in this collection.)

Maria Carter Brown, Georgetown, D.C., to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179705

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294302

Unit Date 1836 July 5

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The niece of John Thompson Brown writes to her uncle regarding the recent death of her father, Henry Brown, Jr.

K. B. Townley, Lynchburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179706

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294303

Unit Date 1836 August 15

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A Quaker associate of Henry Brown, Jr. writes regarding the settling of the store business.

K. B. Townley, Lynchburg, to John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179707

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294304

Unit Date 1836 October 21

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

"The sermon...preached at the funeral of the late John T. Brown"

Unit ID id179708

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294305

Unit Date circa 1836 November

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Enclosures: "A lock of the hair of John Thompson Brown, 29 years" envelope marked, "For sister Mary from my dear brother John's Grave, Nov. 13th, 1845, Mrs. Alice Brown Worthington," with clover leaves inside.

"A copy of the proceedings of a Meeting of the Petersburg Light Dragoons"

Unit ID id179709

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294306

Unit Date 1836 November 24

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Signed Robert B. Bolling, Chairman. A resolution in memory of John Thompson Brown.

"Memorial Resolution by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commality of the Town of Petersburg to John Thompson Brown"

Unit ID id179710

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294307

Unit Date 1836 November 26

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Signed D. M. Bernard, Clerk. Endorsement by James MacFarland, Jr., to Mrs. John Thompson Brown.

Ann Maury, New York, to Mrs. John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179711

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294308

Unit Date 1836 November 29

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Condolences on the death of her husband.

"Tribute of Respect, Nassau Hall, Princeton...In behalf of the Clisophic Society, Wm. A. Dod"

Unit ID id179712

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294309

Unit Date 1836 December 5

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A resolution that the members wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days in honor of John Thompson Brown, by William A. Dod.

George W. Munford, House of Delegates, to Henry Brown, Esq.

Unit ID id179713

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294310

Unit Date 1836 December 5

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A copy of the unanimous resolution of the House of Delegates in memory of John Thompson Brown.

Four calling cards of John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id179714

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294311

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Petersburg, to Henry Brown

Unit ID id179715

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294312

Unit Date 1837 January 27

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A letter of grief written by Mrs. Brown to her father-in-law. Mrs. Mary E. Brown is the widow of John Thompson Brown.

M. W. Garnett to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179716

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294313

Unit Date 1837 March 9

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A letter of consolation.

Court document to Henry Brown and Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179717

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294314

Unit Date 1839 March

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

In service as Executors of John Thompson Brown.

John Thompson Brown Papers

Unit ID id179718

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294315

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46a-n (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Drafts.

Manuscript notebook

Unit ID id179719

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294880

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46a (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes: A dramatic sketch, Kentucky Land Laws, Goosawattee Indians, and map of the region around Bedford, Virginia. 40 pages.

"Concerning the summary and unwanted dismissal of W. from his position of Clerk of Court by Judge C."

Unit ID id179720

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294881

Unit Date circa 1830

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46b (Folder)

Scope and Contents

16 pages. Draft.

"Concerning the problem of instruction to the Senators"

Unit ID id179721

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294882

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46c (Folder)

Scope and Contents

5 pages. Autographed draft. Incomplete.

Notes on Mr. Madison's position on State Rights

Unit ID id179722

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294883

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46d (Folder)

Mixed Materials 46a-n (Folder)

Bounties on Indian scalps

Unit ID id179723

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294884

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46e (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The bounties offered for Indian scalps in Bedford between 1755 and 1758.

Miscellaneous other papers

Unit ID id179724

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294885

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 46f-n (Folder)

Scope and Contents

11 items. Autographed document.

"The draft within is of the Doric order..."

Unit ID id179725

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294316

Unit Date circa 1830

Mixed Materials 19 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A large folded ink drawing of a building "taken from the Colonnade of the Temple of Minerva Parthenon at Athens," with notes of construction details.

GROUP D: Brown and Tucker Papers

Unit ID id179726

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293735

Unit Date 1839-1929

Scope and Contents

Papers of John Thompson Brown, Colonel of 1st Regiment Virginia Artillery who was killed in action in 1864. Included are letters concerning a disagreement with William Nelson Pendleton. Papers also include correspondence of his son, Henry Peronneau Brown and his son's wife Frances Bland (Coalter) Brown as well as newspaper clippings concerning Judge John Randolph Tucker and the correspondence of Cynthia Beverley Tucker Coleman. There are also nineteenth century engravings. Boxes 20 - 24.

Correspondence and Papers of Colonel John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179727

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293752

Unit Date 1844-1864

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, commissions, receipts, etc., of Colonel John Thompson Brown II, killed in action on May

correspondence, commissions, receipts, etc., of Colonel John Thompson Brown II, killed in action on May 6, 1864; his drafts of speeches in defense of slavery. This box contains the papers from the period after the death of John Thompson Brown, and concern John Thompson Brown II, born in 1835, some 18 months before the death of his father. One letter (November 20, 1844) lists the courses studied by boys at the ages of 9, 11, and 13; a travel book gives an interesting picture of Europe (May 4, 1857); and a draft of a letter describes the bleedings to which a tourist entering Italy had to submit. John Thompson Brown II was elected Second Lieutenant by the members of his company (December 1, 1859). Also included are notes of speeches made to rouse war enthusiasm. The receipt for a saber and belt (April 23, 1861) mark the beginning of action, and other records follow John Thompson Brown II's rise to Major, then to Colonel. His request for a transfer to a more active field of war and an extended argument with his commanding officer, Brig. General William Nelson Pendleton, are of interest. The box concludes with items which appear to have been on the person of Colonel John Thompson Brown II, when he was killed in action on 6 May 1864. 83 items.

John Thompson Brown II, Petersburg, to his "Aunt Lockie" (Brown Irvine)

Unit ID id179729

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294317

Unit Date 1844 November 20

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Lists the courses in school taken by a nine year old boy and his two brothers, Wilcox, 11 years old, and Peronneau, 13 years old.

Travel notebook, unsigned

Unit ID id179730

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294318

Unit Date 1857 May 4

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

58 pages. Draft.

A report of "repeated bleeding in Italy".

Unit ID id179731

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294319

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Promissory note, N. M. Lewis to William J. Chick

Unit ID id179732

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294320

Unit Date 1859 January 1

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Thomas P. August, Colonel 1st Regiment, Virginia Volunteers

Unit ID id179733

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294321

Unit Date 1859 December 1

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Certifies that John Thompson Brown II was elected Second Lieutenant by viva voce vote of the

Certifies that John Thompson Brown II was elected Second Lieutenant by viva voce vote of the members of his company.

Draft of speech in favor of the Southern position

Unit ID id179734

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294322

Unit Date circa 1860

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

References to Douglas and the threat to slavery.

Draft of speech opposing abolition

Unit ID id179735

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294323

Unit Date circa 1860

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerns the raid on Harper's Ferry by John Brown, October 19, 1859, and the treatment of him as a martyr in the North. 5 pages. Autographed draft.

Speech at the dedication of an Armory

Unit ID id179736

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294324

Unit Date circa 1861

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I greatly fear that the time has passed when great questions of State equality are to be settled in the Halls of Congress...this settlement requires powder and ball..."

M. C. Selant and Co. bill for coal to John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179737

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294325

Unit Date 1861 January 5

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

H. R. Pleasants and John Thompson Brown II, receipt for sabre and belt from George W. Randolph, Captain, 1st Regiment, Virginia Volunteers

Unit ID id179738

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294326

Unit Date 1861 April 23

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 copies.

Bills rendered to Captain John Thompson Brown II and his Company

Unit ID id179739

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294327

Unit Date 1861 May
Mixed Materials 20 (Box)
Container 11 (Folder)
Scope and Contents
3 items.

J. H. Sands, Young's Mill, to Major John Thompson Brown II, Young's Farm

Unit ID id179740
Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294328
Unit Date 1861 October 6
Mixed Materials 20 (Box)
Container 12 (Folder)
Scope and Contents
Report on ammunition on hand.

Receipts for pay and supplies for Colonel John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179741
Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294329
Unit Date 1862 January-May
Mixed Materials 20 (Box)
Container 13 (Folder)
Scope and Contents
3 items.

C. H. D. Chine, Poe's Farm, to the Court, and Corp. M. Terrell to the Court

Unit ID id179742
Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294330
Unit Date 1862 June 19
Mixed Materials 20 (Box)
Container 14 (Folder)
Scope and Contents
2 items. Court Martial action taken for refusal to do guard duty, by a trooper under the command of Colonel John Thompson Brown II.

Receipts for horses and supplies

Unit ID id179743
Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294331
Unit Date 1862 June-September
Mixed Materials 20 (Box)
Container 15 (Folder)
Scope and Contents
4 items.

Colonel John Thompson Brown II to Brig. General William Nelson Pendleton

Unit ID id179744
Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294332
Unit Date 1862 September 29
Mixed Materials 20 (Box)
Container 16 (Folder)
Scope and Contents
Request for transfer, with his command, to the Division of General D. H. Hills, so that he might be more actively engaged.

Receipt and lists of stores

Unit ID id179745

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294333

Unit Date 1862 October

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

3 items.

Draft of a suggestion for winter furloughs

Unit ID id179746

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294334

Unit Date circa 1862

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Draft of a suggestion for winter furloughs in order to extend the length of service in the fighting season.

Map of the State of Virginia

Unit ID id179747

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294335

Unit Date 1862

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Published by West and Johnson, Richmond.

Receipts for Ordnance stores

Unit ID id179748

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294336

Unit Date 1863 January

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 items.

R. P. Rides to Colonel John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179749

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294337

Unit Date 1863 February 1

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Receipts for horses, mules, and supplies

Unit ID id179750

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294338

Unit Date 1863 February-April

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

13 items

Colonel John Thompson Brown II, to Brig. General William Nelson Pendleton

Unit ID id179751

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294339

Unit Date 1863 June 3

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning a dispute arising between the two over John Thompson Brown's command.

Special Order No. 154

Unit ID id179752

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294340

Unit Date 1863 June 8

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Signed by W. H. Taylor and Brig. General William Nelson Pendleton. 4 items.

Letters between John Thompson Brown II and Brigadier General William Nelson Pendleton

Unit ID id179753

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294341

Unit Date 1863 August

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 4 items.

Receipts for supplies by Colonel John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179754

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294342

Unit Date 1863 November-December

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 items. Autographed document signed.

Receipt to Mrs. Brown by John M. Godwin

Unit ID id179755

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294343

Unit Date 1863

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt for whitewashing two rooms.

Colonel John Thompson Brown II, to Lieutenant Colonel William Nelson Taylor

Unit ID id179756

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294344

Unit Date 1864 March 11

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Request the return of his report on the battle of Chancellorsville so that he might submit it to General Stuart.

Receipts and accounts regarding provisions for the Howitzer Companies

Unit ID id179757

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294345

Unit Date 1864 April

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 items.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179758

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294346

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179759

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294347

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179760

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294348

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179761

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294349

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179762

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294350

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179763

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294351

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179764

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294352

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Papers of John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179765

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294353

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 30-37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Papers which appear to have been on the person of John Thompson Brown II when he was killed in action.

Gift list

Unit ID id179766

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294886

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Gift list and cover addressed to Jackson's Reserve Artillery, near Bowling Green, Caroline County

Commission Book

Unit ID id179767

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294887

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Book containing several commissions, leather bound.

Commission from the Commonwealth of Virginia

Unit ID id179768

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294888

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Receipt for supplies

Unit ID id179769

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294889

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Blank pay account documents

Unit ID id179770

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294890

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 copies. Printed material.

Printed calling cards of John Thompson Brown in cover

Unit ID id179771

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294891

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Two leather pocket packets

Unit ID id179772

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294892

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Terrain map

Unit ID id179773

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294893

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Newspaper obituaries of Colonel John Thompson Brown II

Unit ID id179774

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294354

Unit Date 1864 May

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

5 items. Newspaper clipping.

"In Memory of John Thompson Brown"

Unit ID id179775

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294355

Unit Date 1864 May 6

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Autograph poem and newspaper text; "Lines written on seeing 'Rifle' the war-horse of Col. J. T. B...." from the Richmond Dispatch.

"Thompson Brown"

Unit ID id179776

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294356

Unit Date circa 1864

Mixed Materials 20 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The marker titled "Thompson Brown" has blue ribbons attached.

Letters to Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179777

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293753

Unit Date 1849-1885

Scope and Contents

The papers relating to the oldest son of John Thompson Brown, Henry Peronneau Brown, begin with letters written by his mother Mrs. Mary E. Brown. She expresses concern that her son is more interested in affairs other than his studies (March 1, 1849). His school career is traced briefly through his years at the University of Virginia (June 28, 1851). The letters exchanged between Henry Peronneau Brown and his fiancée, Frances Bland Coalter, 1858, lead into the family correspondence which completes this box. (Other letters of Frances Bland Coalter and her family are found in Box 6, Coalter and Tucker Papers.)

From May, 1861, all letters are concerned with the war. Letters written by John Coalter II, to his sister Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown in 1878 give a graphic picture of the struggle made by a southern farmer to re-establish himself after the war. 108 items.

Letters from Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Petersburg, to Samuel T. Brown

Unit ID id179779

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294357

Unit Date 1849 March-October

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written to Samuel T. Brown while he was in Charleston, South Carolina and New London, Virginia. The widow of John Thompson Brown writes with concern about her oldest son, Peronneau, who is attending school in South Carolina. He was devoting too much time to outdoor affairs of college life and not enough to his studies.

Samuel T. Brown, Otter Hills, to Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179780

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294358

Unit Date 1850 April 18

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Congratulating him on his success at Charleston College; a proposed biography of John Thompson Brown.

Mrs. Alice Brown Hogal, Richmond, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179781

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294359

Unit Date 1850 June 17

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Samuel T. Brown, Otter Hills, to Mrs. Mary E. Brown

Unit ID id179782

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294360

Unit Date 1851 June 28

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning Henry Peronneau Brown, attending the University of Virginia.

Receipt to Henry Peronneau Brown from Long and Stevens, Petersburg

Unit ID id179783

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294361

Unit Date 1857 June 11

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt for 65 pounds of ice to Henry Peronneau Brown from Long and Stevens, Petersburg.

Fanny B. Coalter to Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179784

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294362

Unit Date 1858 May-July

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 5 letters. Affectionate letters to her fiance.

Mrs. Betty C. Lacy, Chatham, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown, New York Hotel

Unit ID id179785

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294363

Unit Date 1858 December 23

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Henry T. Coalter, Hanover, to his sister Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id179786

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294364

Unit Date 1858 December 24

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Mrs. Betty C. Lacy and Margaret Barnes, Chatham, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179787

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294365

Unit Date 1859 January 11

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Hess to Mrs. Brown, Oak Springs

Unit ID id179788

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294366

Unit Date 1859 February 8

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Carrie, Otter Hills, to "Dear Cousin"

Unit ID id179789

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294367

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Betty C. Lacy, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179790

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294368

Unit Date 1859 March-November

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents In August she writes to console Mrs. Brown on the death of her mother Mrs. Judith

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Letters from Lucy T. Braxton to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown, Loving Creek P.O.

Unit ID id179791

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294369

Unit Date 1859 March-December

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "We are all as glad, dear Fanny, that your home is so lovely and you are so happy...for its mountain scenery."

Letters from John Coalter II, to his sister, Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179792

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294370

Unit Date 1859 March-September

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Concerning the failing health of their mother.

Cousin Sue, Vacluse, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id179793

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294371

Unit Date 1859 August 8

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Consolations on the death of Mrs. Coalter.

Letters from Mrs. T. Magill, Winchester, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id179794

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294372

Unit Date 1859 August-November

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Covers lacking.

C. B. T. Washington, Williamsburg, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id179795

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294373

Unit Date 1859 September 9

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Cover lacking.

Mrs. Betty B. Dallam, Baltimore, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179796

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294374

Unit Date 1859 September 31

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Mrs. Mary W. Braxton, Chericoke, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id179797

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294375

Unit Date 1859 November 17

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning the loss of an infant.

St. George Tucker Coalter, University of Virginia, to Mrs. Fanny Bland

Unit ID id179798

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294376

Unit Date 1859 December 9

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter to his sister, Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown.

Letters from L. T. Moore to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179799

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294377

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

M. E. Irvine, Buffalo, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179800

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294378

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Mrs. Betty B. Dallam, Baltimore, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179801

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294379

Unit Date 1860 January 11

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Cousin Sue, Richmond, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id179802

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294380

Unit Date 1860 March 6

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Eliza P. Willers, Fleur de Hundred, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id179803

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294381

Unit Date 1860 March-May

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Mrs. V. C. Braxton to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id180402

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294382

Unit Date 1860 March 7

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Mrs. Betty C. Lacy, Chatham, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id180403

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294383

Unit Date 1860 March 9

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Calling cards addressed to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180404

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294384

Unit Date 1860 March 10

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Eight calling cards in a cover addressed to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

John Coalter II, Moon's Mount, to his sister Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180405

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294385

Unit Date 1860 March 19

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The bachelor brother of Mrs. Brown writes that his loneliness on an out-of-the-way plantation is heading him to the madhouse.

Fanny T. Bryan, Eagle Point, to her cousin, Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id180406

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294386

Unit Date 1860 May 28

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Reverend Moses D. Hoge, Prince Edward, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180407

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294387

Unit Date 1860 July 31

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Mary G. Braxton, Ingleside, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180408

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294388

Unit Date 1861 May-July

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents She writes of the ladies making vests and shirts for the soldiers. News that the Yankees have landed at Hampton; the first of the war casualties in the family.

Mrs. Ginny B. Grinnanto her cousin, Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180409

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294389

Unit Date 1861 May 17

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Making clothes for the army: "1500 yards have just been received which we are to turn our attention to at once."

John Coalter II, Moon's Mount, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180410

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294390

Unit Date 1861 May 29

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

His house was set afire and cannon are firing all about. Comments on "the tennessee company...the roughest men you ever saw..."

Mrs. Margaret T. Martin, West Brook, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180411

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294391

Unit Date 1861 July 28

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Mrs. Mary S. Brown, Williamsburg, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id180412

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294392

Unit Date 1861 August 3

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The wife of John Thompson Brown II, is in "this antiquated spot"

because her husband was drilling some new troops and sent for her to join him.

"Comic Valentine"

Unit ID id180413

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294393

Unit Date 1861 August 7

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

From Stanley, the family home, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

St. George Tucker Coalter to his sister, Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180414

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294394

Unit Date 1861 August 30

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Their brother, Henry, is at a camp near Williamsburg; the other brother, John, is in Richmond.

M. A. Tomlin, Clifton, to Fanny (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown)

Unit ID id180415

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294395

Unit Date 1861 September 28

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. F. C. Young, Westbrook, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180416

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294396

Unit Date 1861 November 15

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Agreement of a sale of land between Thomas Burroughs and K. G. Holland

Unit ID id180417

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294397

Unit Date 1862 October 25

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"...adjoining the lands of Henry Peronneau Brown and others."

J. R. Bryan, Cargobrook, to John Coalter II

Unit ID id180418

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294398

Unit Date 1864 May 11

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"I am sorry Henry's name is not in the list of exchanged prisoners..."

Deed for transfer of land from Thomas Burroughs to K. G. Holland

Unit ID id180419

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294399

Unit Date 1864 September 3

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Henry T. Coalter, Fort Pulaski, Georgia, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180420

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294400

Unit Date 1864 November-December

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Written while Henry was a prisoner at Fort Pulaski, Georgia, to his sister.

Receipt by Bassett's Farm, King William County

Unit ID id180421

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294401

Unit Date 1868

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt for wheat delivered. Signed A. Wynne and L. Hatchet.

George Bagby, Tappahannock, to Reverend A. J. Leavenworth

Unit ID id180422

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294402

Unit Date 1869 February 3

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Request for someone to serve the Presbyterian Church at Tappahannock.

John Coalter, witness to sale at G. W. Bassett's estate

Unit ID id180423

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294403

Unit Date 1869 February 12

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

A bill by John R. Bryan against H. B. Tomlin

Unit ID id180424

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294404

Unit Date 1869 September 14

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 48 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A bill brought in Chancery Court by John R. Bryan against H. B. Tomlin, executor of St. George Tucker Coalter. The settlement of the John Randolph estate which was in litigation for many years.

William Phillips, agreement to pay James A. Lipscomb

Unit ID id180425

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294405

Unit Date 1869 October 30

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 49 (Folder)

Reverend John G. Shepperson, Bedford, to Mrs. F. B. Brown and Mrs. John Thompson Brown

Unit ID id180426

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294406

Unit Date 1870 February 8

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 50 (Folder)

H. B. Tomlin, Brandywine (formerly Old Church) to John Coalter II

Unit ID id180427

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294407

Unit Date 1870 March 15

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 51 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Refuses a request for \$500 by his nephew; recommends that he stop drinking.

Receipt by Everett Twann, Curie's Neck, to John Coalter II

Unit ID id180428

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294408

Unit Date 1871 May 9

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 52 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt for wages.

Bills of Mrs. Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180429

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294409

Unit Date 1872-1873

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 53 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 items. Printed document signed.

Accounts of John Coalter II

Unit ID id180430

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294410

Unit Date 1873-1874

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 54 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Accounts with stores. 3 items. Printed document signed.

John Thompson Brown III, Evington, Virginia, to his mother, Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180431

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294411

Unit Date 1875 July 9

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 55 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Note written on an early "penny post card."

Letters from John Coalter II, Walnut Hill, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180432

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294412

Unit Date 1878 February-December

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 56 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Letters written to his sister as he made a start in farming after the end of the war: "I have not the means to buy me a suit of clothes." Later he added: "I never was as poor in my life before as I am now...I have not spent during the whole year on myself more than \$10..."

Letters from unknown author, Stanley, to "My darling little angel"

Unit ID id180433

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294413

Unit Date 1878 February 6

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 57 (Folder)

Susie Bon to Aunt

Unit ID id180434

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294414

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 58 (Folder)

Wedding invitation from Mrs. William C. Beale to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180435

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294415

Unit Date 1878 August 20

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 59 (Folder)

John Coalter II to Fanny

Unit ID id180436

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294416

Unit Date circa 1879 January

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 60 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

First mention of Cassie Tucker, who was later to marry John Thompson Brown III.

Lillie Hope Lister, Rockbridge Baths, to Mrs. Brown

Unit ID id180437

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294417

Unit Date 1880 November 11

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 61 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A request for a purchase of a case of "56 Home Remedies."

Lillie Hope Norton, Charlottesville, Virginia, to Mrs. Brown

Unit ID id180438

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294418

Unit Date 1881 April 13

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 62 (Folder)

Prints from seed catalogues

Unit ID id180439

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294419

Unit Date circa 1881

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 63 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 items.

Store accounts of Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180440

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294420

Unit Date 1881 July-October

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 64 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 items. Printed document signed.

Mrs. Cynthia Beverly Tucker Coleman, Williamsburg, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180441

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294421

Unit Date 1883 January 1

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 65 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Writes of Cassie Tucker, wife of John Thompson Brown III. "You have introduced into your home a very sunbeam."

J. Willcox Brown, Baltimore, to Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown

Unit ID id180442

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294422

Unit Date 1883 February 5

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 66 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letter is addressed to "Fanny" his sister-in-law and concerns the death of John Coalter II

The letter is addressed to Fanny, his sister-in-law, and concerns the death of John Cooper III.

Sallie A. Donnan, Petersburg, to "My dear friend"

Unit ID id180443

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294423

Unit Date 1883 September 26

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 67 (Folder)

Seed Catalogues

Unit ID id180444

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294424

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 68 (Folder)

Statement of H. B. Tomlin

Unit ID id180445

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294425

Unit Date 1885 February 10

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 69 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Statement concerning the trust for Mrs. Fanny B. Brown (Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown).

Henry Peronneau Brown, Bedford, to Fanny

Unit ID id180446

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294426

Unit Date 1885 March 13

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 70 (Folder)

Drawing of a house

Unit ID id180447

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294427

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 21 (Box)

Container 71 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 items. Autographed document.

Correspondence of John Thompson Brown III

Unit ID id180448

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293754

Unit Date 1869-1890

Scope and Contents

The letters in this box concerning John Thompson Brown III, begin with one from his mother, Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown, the former Frances Bland Coalter. There are 6 report cards from The University School, Petersburg, Virginia (1877-1879). Of interest is a pamphlet of Resolutions Passed in 1894, 1895, and 1896...Denouncing the Bedford High School Act. Many of the letters in the collection are from Mrs. Cynthia B. Tucker Coleman to her niece Cassie (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III). Letters from the children, John Thompson Brown IV, Frances Brown, and Henry Peronneau Brown II, are included as well as photographs of some members of the family and pictures of the family home, Ivy Cliff, Bedford County

(formerly Otter Hill) the home of Captain Henry Brown, great grandfather of John Thompson Brown III. At the end of the box is a notebook containing sermons copied out by Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown for her son John Thompson Brown III. 80 items. (John Thompson Brown III, son of Henry Peronneau Brown, who married Cassie Tucker, thus reuniting the family with the Tucker line.)

Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown to "My Darling Son"

Unit ID id180450

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294428

Unit Date 1869 May 3

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

To her son (John Thompson Brown III) urging him to improve his writing and "to read your Bible and say your prayers every day."

M. M. B. [?], London, England, to John Thompson Brown III

Unit ID id180451

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294429

Unit Date 1875 August 31

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A description of the London Museum and Zoo.

Report cards for John Thompson Brown III

Unit ID id180452

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294430

Unit Date 1877-1879

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Report cards from University School, some countersigned by Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown. 6 items. Printed document signed. Some contain letters by John Thompson Brown III, when the reports were sent home.

Paper by John Thompson Brown, University School, Petersburg, Virginia

Unit ID id180453

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294431

Unit Date 1879

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Paper written on Martin Luther.

Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown to "My dear boy" (John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180454

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294432

Unit Date circa 1890

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Recommends Bible reading as the antidote for "the very corrupt sentiments which are scattered through the classical writers."

Letters from Mrs. Cynthia B. Tucker Coleman, Williamsburg, to John Thompson Brown III

Unit ID id180455

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294433

Unit Date 1894 September

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents The recent death of her husband, Dr. Coleman; the serious illness of Mrs. Henry Peronneau Brown.

"Resolutions Passed By Precincts of Bedford County in 1894, 1895, and 1896 Denouncing the Bedford High School Act"

Unit ID id180456

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294434

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Cynthia B. Tucker Coleman, Ivy Cliff, to Cassie (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180457

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294435

Unit Date 1898 July-August

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents During her illness, Mrs. Brown's children are in the care of Mrs. Coleman.

Henry Peronneau Brown II, Ivy Cliff, to "My darling Mama," (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180458

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294436

Unit Date 1898 August 9

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Letters from John Thompson Brown III, Brierfield, Bedford County to "My darling wife"

Unit ID id180459

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294437

Unit Date 1898 August

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Elizabeth Brown to "My dear Mama" (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180460

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294438

Unit Date 1898 September 14

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A child's letter.

Mrs. Cynthia Beverly Tucker Coleman, Williamsburg, to Cassie (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180461

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294439

Unit Date 1898 October 16

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Rejoices that Cassie's health is "entirely restored." Beverly Tucker and Braxton Bryan are mentioned as attending an assembly of the clergy at Jamestown.

Letters from Mrs. Cynthia Beverly Tucker Coleman, Washington City, to John Thompson Brown III

Unit ID id180462

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294440

Unit Date 1899 January, 1899 August

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

The letters are addressed to "Thompson".

Clipping from "The Richmond Dispatch"

Unit ID id180463

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294441

Unit Date 1899 December 31

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Photographs relating to John Thompson Brown IV and Ivy Cliff

Unit ID id180464

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294442

Unit Date circa 1900

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Two photographs, one of John Thompson Brown IV and his sister, Frances Bland Coalter Brown, with a servant, Aunt Jane; the other of the house, Ivy Cliff, originally called Otter Hill. Photostat.

Mrs. Cynthia Beverly Tucker Coleman, Williamsburg, to Cassie (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180465

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294443

Unit Date 1901 August 19

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Letters from Mrs. Cynthia Beverly Tucker Coleman, Ivy Cliff and Brampton, to Cassie (Mrs. John Thompson Brown III)

Unit ID id180466

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294444

Unit Date 1904 September-November

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "...make haste and get well enough to come home where you are much missed."

Bills and business papers of John Thompson Brown III

Unit ID id180467

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294445

Unit Date 1894-1915

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

45 items. Printed document signed.

A book of sermons copied by Mrs. Frances B. Brown

Unit ID id180468

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294446

Unit Date 1890 June 5

Mixed Materials 22 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes a separate sermon. Autographed draft signed. "Given to my son June 5, 1890. Let him read it carefully and may God have mercy on his soul. Amen." (Mrs. Frances B. Brown died in September 1894.)

Correspondence and papers of Cary A. Adams, Judge John Randolph Tucker, and Captain David Tucker Brown

Unit ID id180469

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293755

Unit Date 1900-1956, undated

Scope and Contents

Material related to the Brown and Tucker families after 1900. Accounts of Cary A. Adams are placed at the beginning of the box. Newspaper clippings, 1913-1915, from Nome, Alaska, relate to Judge John Randolph Tucker. Another member of the family, Captain David Tucker Brown, is represented by two letters (1918, 1919) written from France when he was serving as a member of the American Commission to negotiate peace. Seventeen undated items concerning unidentified persons are grouped at the end of the box. 85 items.

Accounts of Cary A. Adams with various merchants

Unit ID id180471

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294447

Unit Date 1900-1907

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

15 items.

Photograph of John Goode, Bedford County

Unit ID id180472

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294448

Unit Date 1901-1902

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Endorsed: "Pres. of Const. Convention, 1901-2."

Sketch of Judge Quarles at the Const. Cony, in Richmond

Unit ID id180473

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294449

Unit Date 1901

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Appeal to vote for Aaron Graham, Candidate for Congress in Christianburg, Virginia

Unit ID id180474

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294450

Unit Date 1902 September 6

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

"Our State Income Tax"

Unit ID id180475

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294451

Unit Date 1903

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Editorial from the Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Advertisements

Unit ID id180476

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294452

Unit Date 1904-1905

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Announcement of candidacy of J. Taylor Ellyson, Richmond

Unit ID id180477

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294453

Unit Date 1905 March 4

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Candidacy for the position of Lieutenant Governor.

"The Book Buyer"

Unit ID id180478

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294454

Unit Date 1906 September

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Periodical. Pages 125-139. Printed manuscript.

Newspaper clippings

Unit ID id180479

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294455

Unit Date 1908-1910

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

5 items. Newsclippings regarding William B. Allison, Theodore Roosevelt, and "The Political Situation, 1876-1908".

Advertisement of Dr. Alfred B. Tucker, of Winchester

Unit ID id180480

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294456

Unit Date circa 1910 July 7

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Newspaper clipping

Unit ID id180481

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294457

Unit Date 1913-1915

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Newsclippings concerning Judge John Randolph Tucker taken from the Nome Daily Nugget, Nome Democrat and Nome Industrial Worker.

Announcement of the Farmer's Winter Institute in Agriculture

Unit ID id180482

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294458

Unit Date 1914 February 2

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Concerning the Farmer's Winter Institute in Agriculture, 1913-1914, of Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

"World Pictures"

Unit ID id180483

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294459

Unit Date 1915 November 28

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

From "The World", New York.

Letters from Captain David Tucker Brown, Paris, France, to Barbara

Unit ID id180484

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294460

Unit Date 1918-1919

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Covers lacking. With the "American Commission to Negotiate Peace." There is also mention of John Thompson Brown IV, of Wilmington.

"Farm Labor"

Unit ID id180485

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294461

Unit Date 1918 May, 1918 August

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A proclamation by Westmoreland Davis, Governor. Also Includes a song sheet of the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College and Polytechnic Institute. 2 items.

Report of Betty Page Cocke, Administratrix of the estate of Lelia B. Cocke

Unit ID id180486

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294462

Unit Date 1927 March 17

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Miscellaneous clippings and printed matter

Unit ID id180487

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294463

Unit Date 1903-1929

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

27 items.

Ship registration certificate

Unit ID id180488

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294464

Unit Date circa 1700

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Date unknown.

Clipping on the death of Jacob Warwick, of Pocahontas City, Virginia

Unit ID id180489

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294465

Unit Date 1826 January 11

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Miscellaneous

Unit ID id180490

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294466

Unit Date 1834 March 24

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Revolutionary War service claim, draft on the Bank of Virginia, and article surviving soldier's payments.
3 items. Printed document signed.

Facsimile, "Eupunging Watkins in Senate"

Unit ID id180491

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294467

Unit Date 1834 March 28

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Draft of a letter from John Thomas to President Jackson

Unit ID id180492

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294468

Unit Date 1835 March

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"From private who served you on the memorable 8th of Jany, 1815."

Contract of William H. Estis, postman of Brooksville, Virginia

Unit ID id180493

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294469

Unit Date 1843, 1851

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 items. Printed document signed.

List of payments for service in War of 1812

Unit ID id180494

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294470

Unit Date 1856 December 7

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Unknown author, Philadelphia, to Mrs. Brown

Unit ID id180495

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294471

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Plan for an unidentified monument

Unit ID id180496

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294472

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Aunt Lelia to Johnny

Unit ID id180497

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294473

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

An invitation to "His Excellency the American Minister"

Unit ID id180498

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294474

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Invitation from the Royal Geographical Society.

Terrain maps of the Ohio River and the Louisiana Purchase

Unit ID id180499

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294475

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 items. Autographed draft.

"Flors's Vocabulary, or the Language of Flowers"

Unit ID id180500

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/294476

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 23 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

An alphabetical list of flowers with the characteristics of each expressed symbolically.

Series 5: Printed Material

Unit ID id231839

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293736

Unit Date circa 1860, circa 1870

Scope and Contents

Newspaper clippings of pictures from engravings, plus some advertisements and copies of publications. Circa 400 items.

"Central Presbyterian" news clippings

Unit ID id232333

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293782

Unit Date 1860, undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

20 columns of news clippings from "Central Presbyterian."

Poems, news clippings, sheet music

Unit ID id232334

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293783

Unit Date circa 1860

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

3 poems, news clippings and a clipping with sheet music.

Illustrated London News

Unit ID id232335

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293784

Unit Date 1866

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Illustrated London News, December 18, 1866.

Illustrated London News

Unit ID id232336

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293785

Unit Date 1869

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Christmas supplement from the Illustrated London News, December 18, 1869.

Illustrated London News Mastheads

Unit ID id232337

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293786

Unit Date 1870

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Archaeology engravings

Unit ID id232338

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293787

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

6 clippings of engravings about archaeology.

Farming and husbandry engravings

Unit ID id232339

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293788

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

22 clippings of engravings about farming and husbandry.

Churches destroyed in Chicago fire engravings

Unit ID id232340

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293789

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

8 clippings of engravings of churches destroyed in the Chicago fire.

Civil War engravings

Unit ID id232341

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293790

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

7 clippings of Civil War engravings.

Zoological engravings

Unit ID id232342

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293791

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

3 clippings of engravings of zoological topics.

Crimea engravings

Unit ID id232343

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293792

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 clippings of engravings about the Crimea when occupied by Russian.

Medical and scientific engravings

Unit ID id232344

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293793

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Irish trouble engraving

Unit ID id232345

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293794

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Furniture and art engravings

Unit ID id232346

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293795

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Railroad building camp engraving

Unit ID id232347

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293796

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

South America engravings

Unit ID id232348

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293797

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

River Floodings engravings

Unit ID id232349

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293798

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Suez Canal engravings

Unit ID id232354

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293799

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Mt. Vernon engravings

Unit ID id232355

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293800

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Franco-Prussian, views of Paris engraving

Unit ID id232356

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293801

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

London News and Views clippings

Unit ID id232357

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293802

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Various Topics engravings

Unit ID id232358

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293803

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 22 (Folder)

Various Topics engravings

Unit ID id232359

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293804

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

Harper's Monthly supplement

Unit ID id232360

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293805

Unit Date 1871 July 22

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Supplement to Harper's Monthly.

Harper's Monthly cartoons

Unit ID id232361

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293806

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 25 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Weekly cartoons appearing in Harper's Monthly.

New Year's Eve cartoon

Unit ID id232362

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293807

Unit Date 1872 January

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 26 (Folder)

Hearth and Home

Unit ID id232363

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293808

Unit Date 1872 April

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 27 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

14 pages from the April 1872 issue of *Hearth and Home*.

Harper's Masthead engraving

Unit ID id232364

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293809

Unit Date 1872 November 29

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 28 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Clipping of Masthead of *Harper's Monthly* with an engraving of *Clothes and Styles*. November 29, 1872.

New York Fireside Companion

Unit ID id232365

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293810

Unit Date 1873

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 29 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Cover page of the *New York Fireside Companion*. November 18, 1873.

Frank Leslie's Boys and Girls Weekly

Unit ID id232366

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293811

Unit Date 1873

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 30 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Five sections of the November 1873 edition of *Frank Leslie's Boys and Girls Weekly*.

"Pastoral Letter"

Unit ID id232367

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293812

Unit Date 1874 October 18

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 31 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

October 18, 1874 pamphlet "Pastoral Letter" written by T.D. Witherspoon.

Frank Leslie's publications

Unit ID id232368

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293813

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 32 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Four clippings of engravings from Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper and Frank Leslie's Illustrated Family Almanac.

Illustrated Christian Weekly

Unit ID id232369

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293814

Unit Date 1877 June 16

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 33 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Full June 16, 1877 issue of Illustrated Christian Weekly.

Calendar of Hiram Sibley and Co., Seedsman

Unit ID id232370

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293815

Unit Date 1883

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 34 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents 1883 Calendar sheet for Hiram Sibley & Co., Seedsman, in color.

Queen Victoria family tree

Unit ID id232371

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293816

Unit Date 1887

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 35 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Large foldout of the family tree of Queen Victoria from the Illustrated London News, "Jubilee edition."

U.S. Stamps price list for collectors

Unit ID id232372

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293817

Unit Date 1896 January

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 36 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

January 1896 price list for U.S. Stamps by N.E. Carter of Delavan, Wisconsin.

Color illustrations

Unit ID id232373

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293818

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 37 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Three color illustrations with a poem.

"The Golden Horseshoe" pamphlet

Unit ID id232374

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293819

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 38 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"The Golden Horseshoe" pamphlet with illustrations.

Book sale advertisements

Unit ID id232375

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293820

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 39 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Six book sale advertisements by different publishers.

Dicken's Complete Works advertisement

Unit ID id232376

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293821

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 40 (Folder)

Suit measurement form

Unit ID id232377

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293822

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 41 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

A completed form for "self-measurement" for suits by the company, Noah Walker and Co.

Advertising cards

Unit ID id232378

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293823

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 42 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Five advertising cards.

Advertisement clippings

Unit ID id232379

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293824

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 43 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Five advertisements for carriages, ranges, safes, etc.

Medical advertisements

Unit ID id232380

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293825

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 44 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Five sheets of medical advertisements.

Murphy's Hotel Cafeteria Contest forms

Unit ID id232381

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293826

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 45 (Folder)

Monneuse's Turkish Tubeophone instructions

Unit ID id232382

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293827

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 46 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Instructions for playing the Monneuse Turkish Tubeophone.

Newspaper clippings

Unit ID id232383

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293828

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 24 (Box)

Container 47 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

38 page notebook with pasted clippings of engravings of different subjects.

Series 6: Transcriptions of John Thompson Brown material by Lonnie Dobbs

Unit ID id136552

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293737

Unit Date 1998-2005

Scope and Contents

Typed transcriptions prepared by Yolande (Lonnie) Dobbs, of material pertaining to John Thompson Brown in boxes 7 to 19. She chose material to transcribe that would "provide a fuller picture of Brown, his family and his political career at a time in American and Virginian history when a number of significant events were taking place. The issues of slavery, states rights, tariffs, elections of Senators, the Bank of the United States, presidential elections and the changing political parties were issues of vital importance to John Thompson Brown." Transcribed from 1998-2005. CD of transcriptions is available.

Introduction

Unit ID id136518

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293829

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 25 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Introduction gives genealogical information of the Brown Family, beginning with Henry Brown who died in 1757 in New Jersey. Includes transcriptions of legal transactions, letters and other documents (not from this collection) which show the procession of the Brown Family from New Jersey to parts of Virginia.

Transcriptions from Boxes 7 to 14

Unit ID id136521

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293830

Unit Date 1793-1824

Mixed Materials 25 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Transcriptions from Boxes 15 to 17

Unit ID id136523

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293831

Unit Date 1825-1833

Mixed Materials 25 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Transcriptions from Boxes 18 and 19

Unit ID id136525

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293832

Unit Date 1834-1918

Mixed Materials 25 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Series 7: Inventory, Transcriptions and Notes

Unit ID id136553

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293738

Scope and Contents

Inventory of Brown, Coalter and Tucker Papers I. Typed and carbon transcriptions of selections of letters of John Thompson Brown (1802-1836). Also, handwritten transcriptions that are not typed. Includes notes on possible subject arrangement of the transcriptions. The following folders may loosely follow this order. Includes processing notes, genealogical information and a partial inventory. The project appears to be incomplete. The author of these transcriptions may be Lonny Dobbs.

Inventory of Brown, Coalter and Tucker Papers I

Unit ID id136551

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293833

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Two typed carbon inventories of the Brown, Coalter and Tucker Papers I, entitled "...containing papers of John Coalter (1769-1838), Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals in Virginia and John Thompson Brown (1802-1836) Member of the Virginia House of Delegates from Harrison County and Petersburg."

Notes and partial transcriptions

Unit ID id136610

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293834

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Processing notes, genealogical information and partial inventory

Unit ID id136611

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293835

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Transcriptions

Unit ID id136612

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293836

Unit Date 1814-1822

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

One typed transcript, one carbon transcript and the handwritten transcriptions of letters from 1814 to 1822.

Transcriptions

Unit ID id136613

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293837

Unit Date 1831

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

One typed transcript, one carbon transcript and the handwritten transcriptions of letters for 1831.

Transcriptions

Unit ID id136630

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293838

Unit Date 1818-1824

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

One typed transcript and one carbon transcript of letters from 1818 to 1824. Noted as "Letters of J.T. Brown."

Transcriptions

Unit ID id136633

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293839

Unit Date 1825-1832

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

One typed transcript, two carbon transcripts and the handwritten transcriptions of newspaper clippings from J.T. Brown's scrapbook. All from Box 14, Folder 30.

Transcriptions

Unit ID id136640

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/293840

Unit Date 1831-1835

Mixed Materials 26 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Handwritten transcripts of letters dated from 1831-1835. No typed transcripts included.