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1942 - circa 1991



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The Alexandria Gazette

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Biographical / Historical

The Alexandria Gazette is a long-running daily, newspaper published in Alexandria, Virginia. Its predecessors date back to the late 18th century. The paper reports on local news and was especially active in reporting events surrounding the Civil War (1861-1865). Its political affiliations have led to numerous instances of press suppression throughout its history.

The newspaper was formally published as Alexandria Gazette in 1834 by Edgar Snowden. It remained under this name until 1974 when it became The Gazette. From 1978 until 1987 it was The Alexandria Gazette and from 1987 until 1991 it was the Alexandria Gazette Packet. Since then the newspaper has undergone several more name changes and still produces content.

Scope and Contents

The Alexandria Gazette I, 1942 - circa 1991, contains nearly 230 photographs taken for and published in the Alexandria Gazette. Notable Alexandrians, politicians, events, and historic sites are captured. Several photographs have their original captions included.

Related Materials

Alexandria Gazette 1784-2008, Microfilm #00001

Keywords

Photographs.

Alexandria (Va.)

Old Town (Alexandria, Va.)

Alexandria Gazette

Newspaper publishing -- Alexandria (Va.)

The Alexandria Gazette

Arrangement

The photographs in this collection are arranged by subject.

Description of Subordinate Components

Parades/Memorials

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

source United States. Army

source Wide World Photos, Inc.

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 5 aerial photographs of memorial processions, including the funeral procession for President John F. Kennedy at Arlington National Cemetery.

Keywords

Cemeteries -- Virginia

Arlington National Cemetery (Arlington, Va.)

United States. Army

Wide World Photos, Inc.

Atlantic Research Corporation

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

source Atlantic Research Corporation

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs. One is of the Atlantic Research Corporation building and two are of scientists working in the facility.

Keywords

Atlantic Research Corporation

Cameron Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs taken along Cameron Street.

Keywords

Historic buildings.

George Washington Townhouse (Alexandria, Va.)

Tombstones

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 4 photographs of gravemarkers.

Keywords

Cemeteries -- Virginia

Monuments & memorials

Churches

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 7 photographs; 3 of Old Presbyterian Meeting House and 4 of Christ Church.

Keywords

Old Presbyterian Meeting House (Alexandria, Va.)

Christ Church (Alexandria, Va)

Churches

Thomas Jefferson Memorial

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contain 1 photograph of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial in Washington, D.C.

Keywords

Thomas Jefferson Memorial (Washington, D.C.)

Monuments & memorials

Construction

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs of construction in Alexandria.

Fire Equipment

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs; 1 of Wagon 54 in front of Alexandria Fire Station #4 and 1 of a historic fire engine.

Keywords

Fire departments -- Equipment and supplies.

Fire engines.

Fire departments -- Virginia -- Alexandria

George Washington Birthday Parade

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 9 photographs taken during the George Washington Birthday Parade. Several photographs are dated with the year 1980.

Keywords

Parades

Gadsby's Tavern

George Washington Birthday Parade

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Gadsby's Tavern

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 4 photographs of Gadsby's Tavern's exterior and interior.

Keywords

Gadsby's Tavern

George Washington Birthday Parade

George Washington Masonic National Memorial

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 4 photographs of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial, taken from different vantage points.

Keywords

George Washington Masonic National Memorial (Alexandria, VA)

Monuments & memorials

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Hospitals

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs of hospitals; two of Mt. Vernon Hospital under construction and one of Old Alexandria Hospital.

Keywords

Hospitals

King Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 6 photographs taken on King Street.

Keywords

William Ramsay House (Alexandria, Va.)

Mt. Vernon

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

source Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

source United States. Army

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 4 photographs taken in the Mount Vernon area.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

United States. Army

Oronoco Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

source Lewis , John L.

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photos taken along Oronoco Street, including one of Robert E. Lee's Boyhood Home.

Keywords

Robert E. Lee Boyhood Home

Lewis , John L.

Prince Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

source Partlow, Wayne

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 7 photographs taken along Prince Street. Buildings photographed include the Free Methodist Church, the Swann-Daingerfield House (Carter Hall) and the Athenaeum.

Keywords

Alexandria Free Methodist Church (Alexandria, Va.)

Swann-Daingerfield House (Alexandria, Va.)

Athenaeum (Alexandria, Va.)

Partlow, Wayne

Market Square

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

source Partlow, Wayne

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs taken in Market Square.

Keywords

Alexandria City Hall (Alexandria, Va.)

Partlow, Wayne

Reenactments

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 18 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 13 photographs of Civil War and Revolutionary War reenactors and activities.

Keywords

Carlyle House (Alexandria, Va.)

Reenactors

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

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

Plantations & Friendship Firehouse

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 19 (folder)

source Papp, John P., 1938-2005

source Warren, Marion E.

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 11 photographs of Virginia plantations and one of the Friendship Firehouse tower. Sites captured are Beeches House, Brimstone Hill, Gunston Hall, Stratford Hall, Collingwood Library and Museum on Americanism and the William Paca Garden.

Keywords

Fire stations.

Plantations

Friendship Firehouse (Alexandria, Va.)

Papp, John P., 1938-2005

Warren, Marion E.

Miscellaneous People

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 6 photographs of people, including Clova Demaine of the Little Theatre. Several people are identified but not all.

People

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 6 photographs of people including James Cash Penney and baseball player Bill Kennedy. One of Kennedy's photographs is autographed.

St. Asaph Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

source Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs taken along St. Asaph Street.

Keywords

Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Sports

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 23 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 5 photographs of sports players, including baseball player Bill Kennedy and boxer

Anthony Ross.

Torpedo Factory

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 24 (folder)

source Partlow, Wayne

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs of the Torpedo Factory's interior and exterior.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Virginia -- Artists

Torpedo Factory Art Center (Alexandria, Va.)

Partlow, Wayne

Transportation/Jones Point Lighthouse

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 25 (folder)

source Partlow, Wayne

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs; 2 of Metro public transportation and 1 of the Jones Point Lighthouse.

Keywords

Jones Point Lighthouse (Alexandria, Va.)

Partlow, Wayne

Washington Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 26 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 9 photographs taken along Washington Street. Photographs of the Lyceum and the Campagna Center are included.

Keywords

Lyceum (Alexandria, Va.)

Campagna Center (Alexandria, Va.)

Miscellaneous Buildings

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 27 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 8 photographs of buildings throughout Alexandria, including homes, storefronts and a Historic Alexandria Foundation plaque.

Keywords

Houses -- Virginia -- Alexandria.

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 28 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph of the Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge under construction.

Keywords

Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge

Bag Pipers

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 29 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs of pipers from Alexandria Pipe and Drum and Washington Scottish Pipe Band.

George Washington Birthnight Ball

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 30 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph of Rebecca Russell of the Watergate Bakery decorating a cake for George Washington's Birthnight Ball.

Movie Theaters

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 31 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 6 photographs of movie theaters in Alexandria. The theaters pictured are the Richmond Theater, the Virginia Theater, the Vernon Theater, and the Reed Theater.

Keywords

Theater and society -- United States -- History -- 19th century.

Police

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 32 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph of a police investigation.

Schools

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 33 (folder)

source Mattox Photography + Video

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 7 photographs of Alexandria schools and insignia, including T. C. Williams High School, a banner for St. Mary's Academy and Northern Virginia Community College.

Keywords

Schools -- Virginia -- Alexandria.

Mattox Photography + Video

Churches

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 34 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs of churches. The churches pictured are Bethlehem Baptist Church in Gum Springs and Trinity Methodist Church.

Keywords

Churches

Gum Springs (Va.)

Old Town Buildings

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 35 (folder)

source Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

source MacKenzie, Maxwell, 1952-

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 15 photographs of businesses, cultural centers, and monuments in Old Town.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Carlyle House (Alexandria, Va.)

Friendship Firehouse (Alexandria, Va.)

Robert E. Lee Boyhood Home

Historic buildings.

Old Town (Alexandria, Va.)

Community centers

The Stabler-Leadbeater Apothecary Shop

Monuments & memorials

Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

MacKenzie, Maxwell, 1952-

King Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 36 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs of businesses along King Street.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Oxon Hill Manor, Maryland

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 37 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph of Oxon Hill Manor in Prince George's County, Maryland.

Keywords

Historic buildings.

Oxon Hill (Md.)

George Washington Masonic National Memorial

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 38 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial.

Keywords

George Washington Masonic National Memorial (Alexandria, VA)

Home Interiors

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 39 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs of the interior of the Robert E. Lee Boyhood Home.

Keywords

Robert E. Lee Boyhood Home

Historic house museums

Route 1 South

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 40 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph of the Dixie Pig Barbecue restaurant located along Route 1.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Seminary Road

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 41 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs of businesses along Seminary Road.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Shopping Centers

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 42 (folder)

source Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 3 photographs of shopping centers.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Washington Street

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 43 (folder)

source Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 4 photographs taken along Washington Street.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Oronoco Park, Waterfront

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 44 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph of Oronoco Bay Park.

Keywords

Oronoco Bay Park (Alexandria, Va.)

West End (Landmark Area)

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 45 (folder)

source Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph taken in Alexandria's West End.

Keywords

Bayes, William J. (William Jaqua), 1959-2021

Miscellaneous Building Fronts

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 46 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 6 photographs of blocks and buildings in Alexandria.

Keywords

Business -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Fort Ward

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 47 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs taken at the Fort Ward Museum and Historic Site.

Keywords

Historic districts -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Fort Ward (Alexandria, Va.)

Community centers

Mt. Vernon

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 48 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph taken at Plantation Pier in Mount Vernon ahead of a boat tour.

Colonial Era Reenactors

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 49 (folder)

source Tisara , Nina

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 10 photographs of reenactors at historic sites in Alexandria. Some of the photographs were taken during History Weekend in March, 1981 and the George Washington Birthday Parade in February, 1981.

Keywords

Historic house museums

Robert E. Lee Boyhood Home

Historic districts -- Virginia -- Alexandria

Historic buildings.

Carlyle House (Alexandria, Va.)

Gadsby's Tavern

Alexandria City Hall (Alexandria, Va.)

Reenactors

Community centers

Lee-Fendall House Museum & Garden (Alexandria, Va.)

George Washington Birthday Parade

Tisara , Nina

Revolutionary War Reenactors

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 50 (folder)

source Tisara , Nina

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 19 photographs of reenactors at historic sites in Alexandria.

Keywords

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Historic buildings.
Historic house museums
Historic districts -- Virginia -- Alexandria
Gadsby's Tavern
Fort Ward (Alexandria, Va.)
Lee-Fendall House Museum & Garden (Alexandria, Va.)
George Washington Birthday Parade
Reenactors
United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783
Tisara , Nina

Tomb of Revolutionary Soldier

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 51 (folder)

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 1 photograph taken on Memorial Day of reenactors in front of a veteran's tomb.

Keywords

Cemeteries -- Virginia
Old Presbyterian Meeting House (Alexandria, Va.)
United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783
Reenactors

Civil War Reenactors

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 52 (folder)

source Tisara , Nina

source Bodine, Mary Beth

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 6 photographs of reenactors at Fort Ward Museum and Historic Site.

Keywords

Historic districts -- Virginia -- Alexandria
Fort Ward (Alexandria, Va.)
Reenactors
United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865
Tisara , Nina
Bodine, Mary Beth

Miscellaneous

Graphic Materials 1 (box)

Container 53 (folder)

source Gallery West

Scope and Contents

This folder contains 2 photographs; 1 is of a building front and 1 is of domestic relics.

Keywords

Historic buildings.
Antiques.
Gallery West