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Creator

Robert Alonzo Brock

Extent

81 microfilm reels

Location

Miscellaneous reels 4933-5013

Repository

The Library of Virginia

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Biographical Information

Robert Alonzo Brock, historian, antiquarian, and collector, was born in Richmond, Virginia in 1839. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted in the 21st Virginia Regiment, transferring later to a hospital unit with which he remained for the duration of the war. Brock later served as associate editor of the Richmond Standard (1879-1882), corresponding secretary of the Virginia Historical Society (1875-1892), and secretary of the Southern Historical Society (1887-1914). He also edited the societies' papers and authored the first biographical dictionary of Virginians (*Virginia and Virginians*). An avid collector of Virginiana, Brock started his collection before the Civil War and added materials up to the time of his death in 1914, accumulating nearly 50,000 manuscripts relating to Virginia and the history of the South.

Scope and Content

Correspondence, ca. 1880-1910, to Robert Alonzo Brock, written while he served as secretary for the Virginia Historical Society and Southern Historical Society. Topics include membership to the Virginia Historical Society, dues, subscriptions to the Southern Historical Society Papers, purchases of archival manuscripts and publications for the society, loans of books, and general Virginia historical and genealogical research inquiries. Also included are letters regarding Brock's participation and involvement in many historical boards and associations.

Many of the letters relate to genealogy, requesting Brock's assistance in researching family histories. The letters include some Bible records and genealogical notes for the family the correspondents were researching, making these letters a great source for genealogists. Often the correspondents were researching their last name, although included are some requests for other family names. Therefore a thorough checking of all family names may be required to find genealogical information relating to a specific family name.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged alphabetically by author's last name.

Contents List

Robert Alonzo Brock Correspondence, ca. 1880-1910.

Extent

Extent: 81 microfilm reels.

Abbe - Albord

Miscellaneous reel 4933 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Ambler - Appleton's

Miscellaneous reel 4934 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Archer - Aylett

Miscellaneous reel 4935 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Bacon - Barbour

Miscellaneous reel 4936 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Barger - Bayne

Miscellaneous reel 4937 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Beale - Beverly

Miscellaneous reel 4938 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Bicknell - Blunt

Miscellaneous reel 4939 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Boatwright - Boutell

Miscellaneous reel 4940 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Bowe - Bray

Miscellaneous reel 4941 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Breckenridge - Broun

Miscellaneous reel 4942 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Brown - Bryce

Miscellaneous reel 4943 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Buchanan - Byrd

Miscellaneous reel 4944 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Cabaniss - Carpenter

Miscellaneous reel 4945 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Carr - Chancellor

Miscellaneous reel 4946 (reel)

Extent

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Chapman - Claiborne

Miscellaneous reel 4947 (reel)

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Extent: 1 reel.

Clark - Coker

Miscellaneous reel 4948 (reel)

Extent

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Colburn - Conway

Miscellaneous reel 4949 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Coode - Crane

Miscellaneous reel 4950 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Cratty - Cutshaw

Miscellaneous reel 4951 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Dabney - Davidson

Miscellaneous reel 4952 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Davies- Davison

Miscellaneous reel 4953 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Dawes - Deming

Miscellaneous reel 4954 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Denham - Dillehay

Miscellaneous reel 4955 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Dinkins - Doyle

Miscellaneous reel 4956 (reel)

Extent

Extent: 1 reel.

Drain - Dyer**Miscellaneous reel** 4957 (reel)**Extent**

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Eads - Edwards**Miscellaneous reel** 4958 (reel)**Extent**

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Eggleston - Ely**Miscellaneous reel** 4959 (reel)**Extent**

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Emerson - Ezekiel**Miscellaneous reel** 4960 (reel)**Extent**

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Faber - Fitzhugh**Miscellaneous reel** 4961 (reel)**Extent**

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Fleet - Forsyth**Miscellaneous reel** 4962 (reel)**Extent**

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Foster - Furness**Miscellaneous reel** 4963 (reel)**Extent**

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Gaddess- Gayarre**Miscellaneous reel** 4964 (reel)**Extent**

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Gentry - Goetchins**Miscellaneous reel** 4965 (reel)**Extent**

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Gooch - Grant**Miscellaneous reel** 4966 (reel)**Extent**

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Graser - Griffith**Miscellaneous reel** 4967 (reel)**Extent**

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Griggs - Gwathmey**Miscellaneous reel** 4968 (reel)**Extent**

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Hack - Hansen**Miscellaneous reel** 4969 (reel)**Extent**

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Harben - Hart**Miscellaneous reel** 4970 (reel)**Extent**

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Haskins - Hedges**Miscellaneous reel** 4971 (reel)**Extent**

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Henderson - Hillyard**Miscellaneous reel** 4972 (reel)**Extent**

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Hinchman - Holton

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Honeyman - Hoyt

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Hubard - Isaacs

Miscellaneous reel 4975 (reel)

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Jackson - Jewett

Miscellaneous reel 4976 (reel)

Extent

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Johnson- Jones, Charles Henry

Miscellaneous reel 4977 (reel)

Extent

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Jones, Edward J. - Justice

Miscellaneous reel 4978 (reel)

Extent

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Kane - Kempster

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Kendrick - Kropf

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Lacy - Layburn**Miscellaneous reel** 4981 (reel)**Extent**

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Lea - Lipscomb**Miscellaneous reel** 4982 (reel)**Extent**

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Lisle - Lyons**Miscellaneous reel** 4983 (reel)**Extent**

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Mabry - McFarland**Miscellaneous reel** 4984 (reel)**Extent**

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McGrew - Marye**Miscellaneous reel** 4985 (reel)**Extent**

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Mason - Middleton**Miscellaneous reel** 4986 (reel)**Extent**

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Milam - Moorman**Miscellaneous reel** 4987 (reel)**Extent**

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Morecock - Murray**Miscellaneous reel** 4988 (reel)**Extent**

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Nalle - Norwood**Miscellaneous reel** 4989 (reel)**Extent**

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Oakley - Owen**Miscellaneous reel** 4990 (reel)**Extent**

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Packard - Payne**Miscellaneous reel** 4991 (reel)**Extent**

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Peacock - Peyton**Miscellaneous reel** 4992 (reel)**Extent**

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Phelan - Powers**Miscellaneous reel** 4993 (reel)**Extent**

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Prather - Quisenberry**Miscellaneous reel** 4994 (reel)**Extent**

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Ragland- Rhett**Miscellaneous reel** 4995 (reel)**Extent**

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Rice - Robertson**Miscellaneous reel** 4996 (reel)**Extent**

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Robins - Rylands**Miscellaneous reel** 4997 (reel)**Extent**

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Sabin - Sellers**Miscellaneous reel** 4998 (reel)**Extent**

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Semmes - Smiser**Miscellaneous reel** 4999 (reel)**Extent**

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Smith (A-Z)**Miscellaneous reel** 5000 (reel)**Extent**

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Smucker - Stanton**Miscellaneous reel** 5001 (reel)**Extent**

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Staples - Storer**Miscellaneous reel** 5002 (reel)**Extent**

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Stratton - Sydnor**Miscellaneous reel** 5003 (reel)**Extent**

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Tackett- Thian**Miscellaneous reel** 5004 (reel)**Extent**

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Thom - Titus**Miscellaneous reel** 5005 (reel)**Extent**

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Todd - Tynes**Miscellaneous reel** 5006 (reel)**Extent**

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Uhle - Vroom**Miscellaneous reel** 5007 (reel)**Extent**

Extent: 1 reel.

Waddell - Wartmann**Miscellaneous reel** 5008 (reel)**Extent**

Extent: 1 reel.

Washington - Wetherhill**Miscellaneous reel** 5009 (reel)**Extent**

Extent: 1 reel.

Wetmore - Wilkinson**Miscellaneous reel** 5010 (reel)**Extent**

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Willey - Winthrop**Miscellaneous reel** 5011 (reel)**Extent**

Extent: 1 reel.

Wise - Wysor**Miscellaneous reel** 5012 (reel)**Extent**

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Yancey - Zollinger
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