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Descriptive Summary

Accession Number

42944

Language

English

Collector

The Library of Virginia

Extent

1 CD (Original recordings: 1 box, .35 cu. ft.)

Repository

The Library of Virginia

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

For preservation purposes, patrons must use digital access copies of original recordings.

Use Restrictions

Access copies are for research only and cannot be duplicated.

Acquisition Information

Gift of Gregg Kimball, Richmond, 16 September 2008.

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Alternative Form Available

Digital transfer files (.WAV and .mp3) were produced from original recordings in 2008, 2009. These digital files have been placed on compact discs to be used as access copies.

Scope and Content

Collection of commercially released phonograph recordings, 1928-1976 and undated, by Virginia musicians and entertainers. The collection captures a variety of musical genres and styles including country, choral, gospel, and military brass band. It includes a U.S. War Department V-Disc, a recording by singer and WRVA radio personality Sunshine Sue, and a 1976 recording entitled *She's Called Virginia: From the River Thames to the Sea of Tranquility*, narrated by Joseph Cotton.

Contents List

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Extent

Extent: 2 compact discs.

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Consists of digitized phonograph recordings burned to compact disc.

Astra Records 1215 (Richmond, Va.), undated.

Disc 1

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Sunshine Sue and Her Rangers, Side A - "Red River Valley", Side B - "Barn Dance Boogie" (featuring Joe Maphis)

Columbia 1452-D, 1928.

Disc 1

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Jan Garber & His Orchestra, Side A: "V.M.I. Spirit", Side B: "Washington and Lee Swing"

Life of Virginia LV-20037 (Richmond, Virginia), 1976.

Disc 2

Scope and Content

She's Called Virginia: From the River Thames to the Sea of Tranquility, narrated by Joseph Cotton.

Luray 102 (Luray, Virginia), undated.

Disc 1

Scope and Content

The Luray Singing Tower, Side A: "Flemish Gavotte" (by Charles Chapman), Side B: "Loch Lamond" (by Charles Chapman)

Sunshine Records 101 (Richmond, VA), undated.

Disc 1

Scope and Content

Holland Wilkinson, Side A - "Rock of Ages", Side B - "Something for Thee"

Twin City Records T.C. 11 (Bristol, VA/TN), undated.

Disc 1

Scope and Content

The White Star Masonic Quartette, Side A - "Since I Put My Feet On Solid Ground", Side B - "It Won't Be Long"

V-Disc No. 469 (Side A) (United States War Department Music Branch), undated.

Disc 1

Scope and Content

Camp Hill Male Quartet. Hampton Roads Point of Embarkation, Side A, Track 1 - "My Castle on the Nile", Side A, Track 2 - "Little Liza, I Love You"

V-Disc No. 469 (Side B). (United States War Department Music Branch), undated.

Disc 1

Scope and Content

The 372nd Infantry Division Glee Club. Hampton Roads Point of Embarkation, Side B, Track 1 - "Go Down Moses", Side B, Track 2 - "Walk in Jerusalem, Just Like John"