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English

Collector

Alleghany County (Va.) Circuit Court

Physical Characteristics

1.45 cu.ft (2 boxes)

Location

State Records Center - Archives Annex, Library of Virginia

Repository

The Library of Virginia

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Acquisition Information

These records came to the Library of Virginia in shipments of court papers from Alleghany County under the accession numbers 36878 and 36879.

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Related Material

Additional Alleghany County records can be found on microfilm at the Library of Virginia. Consult [A Guide to Virginia County and City Records on Microfilm](#).

Historical Information

Alleghany County bears a variant spelling derived from the name of the Allegheny Mountains that pass along the county's western boundary. It was formed in 1822 from Bath, Botetourt, and Monroe (now in West Virginia) Counties. Subsequent additions were made from Monroe County in 1843 and Bath County in 1847. On 20 March 1991, the General Assembly authorized the consolidation of Alleghany County and the independent city of Clifton Forge into a new independent city of Alleghany. The citizens of both locales voted against the proposal on 5 May 1992, however, and the change did not take effect. In March 2001 Clifton Forge's citizens voted to relinquish city status, and Alleghany County regained the city (now town) of Clifton Forge on 1 July 2001. The county seat is Covington.

Scope and Content

Alleghany County (Va.) Records, circa 1890-1914, consist of miscellaneous tax and fiscal records, election records, court records, military and pension records, and bonds/commissions/oaths.

Index Terms

Corporate Names:

Alleghany County (Va.) Circuit Court

Geographical Names:

Alleghany County (Va.) -- History

Genre and Form Terms:

Local government records -- Virginia -- Alleghany County

Contents List

Barcode number 1133997: Alleghany County Records, circa 1900-1914

Scope and Content

Election records, 1903-1914; Judgments and Commonwealth Causes, circa 1910-1913; Military and Pension Records; Bonds/Commissions/Oaths; Tax and Fiscal Records Files 575, 580, 582, 583, 584, 587, 594.

Barcode number 1134011: Alleghany County Records, circa 1890-1912

Scope and Content

County Levy Vouchers, List of Delinquent Taxes, County Treasurer records and receipts, jury Allowances etc. Files V418-V437.