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Descriptive Summary

Barcode numbers

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Language

English

Collector

Middlesex County (Va.) Circuit Court

Physical Characteristics

7.35 cu. ft. (21 boxes)

Location

State Records Center-Archives Annex, Library of Virginia

Repository

The Library of Virginia

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

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There are no restrictions.

Acquisition Information

These items came to the Library of Virginia in shipments of court papers from Middlesex County.

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Related Material

Additional Middlesex County Court Records can be found on microfilm at The Library of Virginia web site. Consult ["A Guide to Virginia County and City Records on Microfilm."](#)

Middlesex County is one of Virginia's Lost Records Localities. Additional Middlesex County Court Records may be found in the Virginia Lost Records Localities Collection at the Library of Virginia. Search the [Lost Records Localities Database](#) found at the Library of Virginia web site.

The chancery records of Middlesex County are available at the Library of Virginia's [Chancery Records Index](#).

Historical Information

Middlesex County probably was named for the English county. It was formed from Lancaster County about 1669.

Numerous loose records from the nineteenth century including chancery, Judgments and Ended Causes, and commonwealth causes are missing. Most volumes including deed books, will books, and order books exist because court clerk Philemon T. Woodward removed them from the courthouse for safekeeping during the Civil War.

Scope and Content

Middlesex County (Va.) Judgments and Ended Causes, 1754-1818 (bulk 1784-1802), contain civil cases in which justice was administered on the strictly formulated rules of common law. The majority of cases in this record series relate to matters of debt.

All chancery causes found in this collection were removed and processed as a separate collection.

Index Terms

Corporate Names:

Middlesex County (Va.) Circuit Court.

Subjects:

Civil procedure -- Virginia -- Middlesex County.

Debt -- Virginia -- Middlesex County.

Public records. -- Virginia -- Middlesex County.

Geographical Names:

Middlesex County (Va.) -- History.

Genre and Form Terms:

Decisions -- Virginia -- Middlesex County.

Judicial records -- Virginia -- Middlesex County.

Local government records -- Virginia -- Middlesex County.

Arrangement

Chronological

Contents List

Barcode numbers 1048883, 1048892, 1048894: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1754-1767

Scope and Content

Barcode Number 1048894 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1754-1758, Box 8. Barcode Number 1048883 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1759-1765, Box 9. Barcode Number 1048892 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1765-1767, Box 10.

Barcode numbers 1048882, 1048884, 1048889: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1767-1771

Scope and Content

Barcode Number 1048882 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1767-1768, Box 11. Barcode Number 1048889 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1768-1770, Box 12. Barcode Number 1048894 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1770-1771, Box 13.

Barcode numbers 1048888, 1048890, 1048895: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1772-1785 (bulk 1772-1775)

Scope and Content

Barcode Number 1048888 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1772-1773, Box 14. Barcode Number 1048890 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1773-1775, 1777-1778, Box 15. Barcode Number 1048895 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1778-1780, 1884-1885, Box 16.

Barcode numbers 1048893, 1048897-1048898: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1786-1789

Scope and Content

Barcode Number 1048897 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1786, Box 17. Barcode 1048898 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1787-1788, Box 18. Barcode Number 1048893 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1788-1789, Box 19.

Barcode numbers 1048885, 1048900-1048901: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1789-1795

Scope and Content

Barcode Number 1048885 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1789-1791, Box 20. Barcode Number 1048900 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1792-1794, Box 21. Barcode Number 1048901 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1794-1795, Box 22.

Barcode numbers 1048902, 1048908, 1138005: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1896-1798

Scope and Content

Barcode Number 1048902 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1796-1797, Box 23. Barcode Number 1138005 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1797, Box 24. Barcode Number 1048908 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1798, Jan-June, Box 25.

Barcode numbers 1048903-1048904, 1048909: Judgments and Ended Causes, 1798-1818 (bulk 1798-1802)**Scope and Content**

Barcode Number 1048909 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1798 July-1799 May, Box 26. Barcode Number 1048904 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1799, Box 27. Barcode Number 1048903 contains Judgments and Ended Causes, 1800-1802, 1818, Box 28.