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Language

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Collector

Winchester (Va.) Circuit Court.

Physical Characteristics

11 boxes and 38 vols.

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 boxes and volumes came to the Library of Virginia in a shipment of court records from Winchester (City.)

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Related Material

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

Historical Information

The City of Winchester, in Frederick County, was first known as Opequon, then as Frederick's Town (or Fredericktown), and, finally, upon establishment as a town in 1752, as Winchester. According to tradition, one of the town's founders, James Wood, named the town in honor of his birthplace in England. Winchester was incorporated as a town in 1779 and as a city in 1874. It was enlarged by annexation from Frederick County in 1970.

Scope and Content

Winchester (Va.) Marriage Records and Vital Statistics, 1790-1976 bulk (1932-1976) consist of boxes of Marriage Records, Marriage Registers Nos. 1-35, an Index to Marriage Register No. 1, a Register of Deaths and an undated Index to a Register of Births.

Index Terms

Corporate Names:

Winchester (Va.) Circuit Court.

Subjects:

Public records--Virginia--Winchester.

Geographical Names:

Winchester (Va.)--History.

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