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1.5 cubic feet (2 boxes and one folder)

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Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

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Historical Information

The Greenwood Memorial Association was established in 1891 to open a cemetery in the eastern part of Richmond, Virginia. The association purchased land in June 1891, but white landowners protested and the city court blocked the cemetery. The association tried again in 1895, purchasing land adjacent to the newly established African American cemetery Evergreen, but it was unable to make payment on the property and returned it to the seller. In 1897, members of Greenwood established the East End Burial Association and succeeded in purchasing the land that Greenwood had to return. They established East End Cemetery.

Scope and Content

Records, 1901-1973, of East End Cemetery in Richmond, Virginia, consisting of a minute book, 1901-1932, including financial records for 1901-1904 and 1920-1922 as well as loose papers, 1925-1967, consisting of correspondence, invoices, minutes, notes, receipts, and other papers; and consisting of a cash book, 1922-1973, including a list of section owners, as well as loose papers, 1906-1968, containing deeds to plots, bill of sale, envelopes, insurance policy, and notes. Also includes two maps, 1 November 1922, for the annex to East End Cemetery.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged

- Minute book, 1901-1932, and loose papers, 1925-1967
- Cash book, 1922-1973, and loose papers, 1906-1968
- Maps, 1 November 1922

Contents List

Minute book and loose papers, 1901-1967.

Box 1

Extent

Extent: 1 box.

Scope and Content

Minute book, 1901-1932, (pages 3-122) contains the meeting minutes for East End Burial Association. Volume also includes receipts and disbursements for 1920-1922 (pages 190--201, no pages 191-192) and accounts, 1901-1904 (pages 250-271). Loose papers include East End Burial Association meeting minutes, 1932-1933; correspondence, 1934, 1967, and undated; invoices and receipts, 1932-1933 and undated; and notes and other documents.

Minute book, 1901-1932

Box 1

East End Burial Association meeting minutes and papers, 1932-1933

Box 1

Folder 1

Correspondence, 1934, 1967, undated

Box 1

Folder 2

Invoices, receipts, etc., 1932-1933, undated

Box 1

Folder 3

Notes and general papers

Box 1

Folder 4

Cash book and loose papers, 1906-1973.

Box 2

Extent

Extent: 1 box.

Scope and Content

Cash book, 1922-1973, (pages 1-54, 76) contains to East End Burial Association for lots, and list of section owners (pages 290-298). Loose papers include deeds for lots, 1906-1961 (10 deeds arranged alphabetically), bill of sale, 1968; fire insurance policy, 1948; envelopes, 1948, 1954, 1968; and notes and papers.

Cash book, 1922-1973

Box 2

Deeds for lots, 1906-1961 (10 deeds arranged alphabetically)

Box 2

Folder 1

Bill of sale, 1968

Box 2

Folder 2

Fire insurance policy, 8 June 1948

Box 2

Folder 3

Envelopes, 1948, 1954, 1968

Box 2

Folder 4

Notes and papers

Box 2

Folder 5

Maps, 1 November 1922.

Folder 1 oversize folder, 1 regular folder (box 2)

Extent

Extent: 2 folders.

Scope and Content

Maps, 1 November 1922, for plan for annex for East End Cemetery.

Maps, 1 November 1922

Folder Oversize folder

List of names, undated

Box 2

Folder 6

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