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Abstract

Rockingham County Moonshine Oral Histories, 2009-2010, is comprised of recorded interviews with five individuals who discuss moonshining in the Shenandoah Valley.

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Cole, Tiffany

Creator

Cole, Tiffany

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Bio/Historical Note

Tiffany Cole completed a masters thesis titled, "Moonshining in Rockingham County: a case study in oral traditions and folkways," in 2010, in fulfillment of a Masters in History at James Madison University. The paper explores the history of moonshining in the Shenandoah Valley, starting in the mid-1700s, and uses oral histories to examine ways local residents perceive moonshiners, and how moonshiners perceive themselves.

Scope and Content

Rockingham County Moonshine Oral Histories, 2009-2010 is comprised of recorded interviews with five individuals who discuss moonshining in the Shenandoah Valley. Individuals interviewed by Cole are descendants of people who made or sold moonshine in the Shenandoah Valley, and discuss their memories of the moonshine business, and family stories that were passed down about the practice.

Keywords

oral histories (literary works)

Mountain people -- Virginia -- Shenandoah National Park -- Social life and customs

Mountain life -- Shenandoah River Valley (Va. and W. Va.)

Folklore -- Virginia -- Rockingham County

Storytelling -- Virginia

Traditional medicine -- Shenandoah River Valley (Va. and W. Va.)

Superstition -- Shenandoah River Valley (Va. and W. Va.)

Superstition -- Virginia -- History

Rockingham County (Va.) -- History

Shenandoah National Park (Va.) -- History, Local

Cole, Tiffany

Bibliography

Cole, Tiffany W., "Moonshining in Rockingham County: A case study on oral traditions and folkways" (2010). Masters Theses. 406.

Arrangement

The interviews are arranged chronologically, by the date of the interview.

Description of Subordinate Components

Peggy Shifflett, interviewed by Tiffany Cole

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Unit Date August 7, 2009

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Creator Shifflett, Peggy A.

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Desmond Dove, interviewed by Tiffany Cole

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Chris Mathias, interviewed by Tiffany Cole

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Pat Ritchie, interviewed by Tiffany Cole

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/18049

Unit Date November 19, 2009

Mixed Materials SA0033-SET-001 (network storage)

Creator Ritchie, Patricia Turner

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Tammy Losh, interviewed by Tiffany Cole

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Unit Date January 5, 2010

Mixed Materials SA0033-SET-001 (network storage)

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