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Biographical / Historical

George Philip Cowles Rumbough was born in 1834 in Lynchburg, Virginia. He graduated VMI in 1856. During the Civil War he was a staff officer with the Confederate States of America. After the War, he was a civil engineer and State Engineer of Arkansas. Rumbough died in 1916 in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Scope and Contents

This collection consists of one manuscript (10 pages) of the commencement speech delivered by VMI Cadet George P. C. Rumbough on July 4, 1856.

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